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TOWN COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held Monday night. His Worship in the chair.

Present,—Councillors D. Smart, Dr. Herriman, J. W. Wallace, C. A. Hagerman, and B. D. Deering.

Minutes of last meeting read, and on motion confirmed.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication was read from Mr. P. McCabe with reference to assessemnt.—Referred to Finance and Assessment Committee.

A lot of other communications were referred to the same Committee, to report upon by next Monday night.

FINANCE REPORT.

The Finance Committee recommended the payment of the following accounts:—

G. C. Ward, search for title of land	$ 2 00
Jas. Maloney, carting	2 60
R. Wallace, carting	7 80
J. Aikens, 3 sheep killed, half cost	10 50
John Donald, work on Bramley street	1 80
Patrick Curran, carting	6 05
	$33 05

On motion the above report was received and adopted.

TENDERS FOR PRINTING.

Tenders for Printing the Voters List were read, that of the TIMES office being the lowest.

Some conversation occurred as to whether lowas absolutely necessary to get the list out this year, as the assessment was for next year. The matter was referred to the committee on Finance and Assessment, to report upon as to the legal bearing of the question as to whether it was the 1879 or 1880 roll that would have to be printed.

The By-law with regard to appointing returning officers and fixing polling places for the election of 1880 was passed, and the following polling places and officers appointed, Coun. Smart occupying the chair while the Council was in Committee of the Whole:—

Ward 1.—Polling place, New Engine House, East side King street, Mr. R. Maxwell returning officer.

Ward No. 2.—Polling place, Town Hall, —Mr. J. Gallagher, returning officer.

Ward No. 3.—Polling place, Mr. W. Rowland's residence, Brown street, Mr. W. Rowland, returning officer.

A communication from Mr. D. R. Dingwall with reference to taxes was handed in at this stage, read, and referred to the Committee having charge of the others.

On account of the small meeting it was agreed that Coun. Herriman's By-law, with reference to immoral show,s should be laid over until next meeting.

Council adjourned.

HARBOR BOARD.

The adjourned meeting of the Harbor Board was held in the Council Chamber Monday afternoon.

Present: Messrs. L. Ross, chairman; the Mayor, C. Quinlan, Col. Williams, T. M. Benson, Peter Robertson, W. Garnett, E. S. Vindin and T. Hayden.

Minutes of last meeting read.

A letter was read from Mr. Gray, stating that when he went to the Harbor Master he found his account was not reduced. He understood five dollars was to be taken off from it.

The executive committee asked further time to report on the matter placed before the Board by the Harbor Master with respect to the damage done to the pier by vessels.

Mr. Garnett said it seemed as though Mr. Gray wanted to be troublesome to the Board. He suggested that this matter be referred to a committee to settle.

Mr. Quinlan moved that Mr. Gray be heard, as there appeared to be some misunderstanding with regard to the five dollars.

Mr. Garnett moved that Mr. Gray be given five dollars, and save the Board the infliction.

Mr. Gray was heard. He understood five dollars was to be taken off his account, but he found such was not done when he came to settle with the Harbor Master.

[The whole expenses of the sale were $30.50. Gray stated at the last meeting that his share was fifteen dollars, and the Board by resolution agreed to take five dollars off.—REP.]

After some little discussion the matter was allowed to stand the way the Harbor Master had arranged it.

WHAT WAS HE THERE FOR?

Mr. Sculthorpe was heard. He said with regard to the barley matter, there seemed to be a wrong impression abroad. At the time he spoke about it to Mr. Garnett but a small quantity had been sold. The balance was sold after he told Mr. Garnett of the circumstance.

Mr. Garnett said he had been deceived by Mr. Sculthorpe, as the investigation showed, and he did not know what brought him before the Board now, when the whole matter had been disposed of?

Some strong words passed between Messrs. Garnett and Sculthorpe, and the latter used such unbecoming language that the Chairman found it necessary to order him to take his seat and not address the Board any further.

On motion the Chairman was authorized to sign a check payable to the Mayor for $3,995.-29, for the purpose of enabling the Town Council to meet the payment due on the 31st Dec., inst., on account of the Municipal Loan Fund debt.

The Mayor brought the matter of Mr. Helm's, with regard to the Water Works payment again before the Board. He atated the amount had not been put in the estimates.

Mr. Garnett said if the Council contracted debts they did so on their own responsibility, and the Board had no interest in the matter. If the Board had any surplus after paying their own expenses, it was well enough to hand that over to the town, but as the Board would be in debt at the end of this year, he thought the Council was asking too much to ask them to assume this amount now, which would place them further in debt.

The Mayor said Mr. Helm was pressing very much for the money, and the town had no way of paying it.

Mr. Quinlan said he had not changed his views with reference to this matter. He thought the Harbor had been drawn upon a little too freely in the past. He was of opinion from the reports that had been set afloat that the whole of the debt of the town which had accumulated was to be paid off with the high taxes of this year, which he considered had been unnecessarily put on. The Board would require all the funds there was available, and a good deal more, to clear themselves. He thought the Council just as competent to discount a note to meet this debt they had contracted as the Board. It was unfair to come to the Board in their present circumstances, and he would vote against the resolution. If the Council could not get a discount let them come to him and he would put them in a way to get it.

The Mayor read a resolution to the effect that the chairman be authorized to discount a note to meet the last payment on the waterworks contract, until such time as the taxes are collected for next year. In reply to Mr. Quinlan, he said he thought he could get the money from private individuals himself, but it was a question whether the Board had not better come to their assistance with this loan than compel them to go to private parties. He did not think that the proper place to discuss the finances of the town, but he was not afraid to discuss them with Mr. Quinlan or anyone else at proper times and places.

Col. Williams agreed with the Mayor in so far as his remarks about the interests of the town and harbor being identical went; but the Board should also remember that they were there as trustees for the bondholders, and under the circumstances in which the harbor was at present he thought that in discounting this note they would not only be acting illegally, but would not be doing their duty to the bondholders; and he for one felt, under the circumstances, that he could not record his vote in favor of the resolution. He felt sure Mr. Helm would extend the time, for he had been paid a large amount by the Board already.

The Secretary said in conversation with Mr. Helm that gentleman told him he thought the Board had sufficient money, and was surprised to learn that they would be in debt at the end of the year.

Mr. Benson said he had no political speech to make, as he was not looking for municipal honours, so he would cut his remarks short. The question to be decided was had they power to discount this note? He read from the act on this subject, which stated that they could discount to the extent of ten thousand dollars, but only for the purpose of carrying on the current expenses of the Harbor. Now this was not for current expenses of the harbor, and if they discounted this note they became personally responsible to any ratepayer who desired to question their act. He did not think it fair to ask the Board to place themselves in that position.

The Mayor said he was not making an election speech. He agreed that what Mr. Benson had said with reference to the Act was correct, but the Council had assumed ten thousand dollars this year in the same way, and they were lying with that responsibility over them at present. All he asked was that the Board assist the town for a short time.

Mr. Quinlan said that the statement made by His Worship just amounted to this, that because they (the Council) did wrong, the Board should do wrong, too. There were some parties perhaps who would bring the Council to task before a great while for some of the responsibility they had assumed.

The chairman said he would sooner the resolution was withdrawn until Mr. Helm was seen again.

This suggestion was accordingly acted upon.

Mr. Quinlan then made a motion, seconded by the Mayor, to the effect that it was expedient and desirable that one person should be responsible to the Board for all matters connected with the working of the harbor, and that Mr. Andrew Cochrane be appointed Harbor Master during the pleasure of the Board, at a salary of $1,500, payable quarterly, and that he be required to perform all the duties of the Deputy Harbor Master as well as his own, but may employ any assistance he required out of the amount allowed him, and furnish the Board with satisfactory security for the performance of his duties.

Mr. Quinlan said he had given this matter a good deal of attention, and he had no personal motives in the matter. He thought the interests of the harbor would be benefitted by the change. He said as the officials now stood, no one was responsible, apparently, for any irregularities that might occur. If there had been some responsible individual, the irregularities that had happened might not have occurred.

Mr. Hayden asked what irregularities there had been. He said a Committee had been appointed to investigate the matter Mr. Quinlan alluded to, and they could not find any irregularity to report upon. If Mr. Quinlan had found something new he should enlighten the Board.

Mr. Garnett said it seemed to be for the purpose of reviving this nasty business that Mr. Sculthorpe had appeared before the Board. He, Mr. Garnett, had found out in the investigation that Capt. Janes had done right, and no charge could be found against him.

Col. Williams thought that the resolution was not strictly in order, unless Mr. Quinlan wished to amend the By-laws, and if so the resolution should be more definite.

Mr. Quinlan said his resolution had no reference to By-laws.

Col. Williams said the business of the Board was all conducted under By-laws, and proper notice should be given, before these could be changed. He claimed this was an amendment to the By-law, and proper notice should be given.

Mr. Quinlan said; put the motion and look at the legal aspect afterward.

Col. Williams objected to that way of doing business.

Mr. Benson said sometime ago a lot of By-laws was passed for the working of the Board, and the appointment of officials. The officials referred to in the resolution were appointed under these By-laws, and they could not be discharged by a resolution which would set these By-laws at naught. Col. William's point of order was in his opinion well taken.

The Mayor said if the officials were appointed by By-law of course they could not be discharged without the By-law being repealed; but he was under the impression that the officials were appointed by resolution.

Mr. Benson said he did not wish to be misunderstood. The By-laws stated that certain officials should be appointed to carry on the business of the Harbor, and this resolution now asks that these be dispensed with, and one man be appointed to do all the work. Now this would be overriding the By-laws, and that could not be done without proper notice being given.

As it had grown late, and it was conceded on all hands, evidently, (Mr. Quinlan excepted) that the resolution affected the By-laws, and notice of motion should have to be given, it was concluded to adjourn until the next regular meeting.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 5.—Two employees at the Tredger Iron Works objected to working at the mill, where negro rollers were employed, and two hundred and fifty of the workmen struck. 350 men are in consequence thrown out of work.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—A meeting was held yesterday to sympathise with the Irish tenant farmers and Mr. Parnell. A union was formed to solicit funds. Another meeting will be held on Monday to receive reports.

The front walls of a row of five story brown stone houses just completed in the upper part of Third Avenue, fell with a crash yesterday morning, heavy rains having undermined the foundation. Loss $25,000.

Max. Moveltzek, reported missing from Illinois, arrived in this city yesterday. He is said to be entirely broken down and under the care of a physician.

Assemblyman Costello, erroneously reported dead, is suffering from pneumonia, but is still alive, with hope of recovery.

A building on Water street occupied by steamboat and canal boat lines was burned yesterday. Loss $35,000.

A policeman found a helpless stranger on Hester street last night and locked him in the cells. Two hours later it was discovered the man was not intoxicated, but ill. He was sent to the hospital where he died shortly after.

Geo. Kauff, who came from Germany six months ago, committed suicide at Brooklyn yesterday, leaving letters saying his wife had driven him from home, and he was unable to find employment.

A Washington special to the *Sun* says Gainsville C. Haller will be appointed to succeed Jeff C. Davis. Haller was removed from the army early in the civil war for alleged treasonable utterances, and was restored to full rank with pay last year.

The *World* says it is announced by friends of Tilden that he is preparing a paper for publication in which he will withdraw his name as a candidate for the Presidency in favor of Randall.

The *Tribune* says Representative Singleton says the Repuplicans need not expect or hope to carry a single Southern State next year.

The San Francisco Minstrels tendered a benefit to Bob Hart, a former Negro minstrel, to aid him in pursuing his theological studies.

The *Graphic* says that the men who stole Sherman's report have been discharged from the Government printing offices.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Congressman Lay, of Missouri, died in this city to-day. He has been in feeble health for some time.

PITTSBURG, Pa. Dec. 9.—A checque signed by T. F. Scott, a wealthy merchant of this city, for $1,500 arrived yesterday for collection, but payment was refused. Scott who was in New York recently was entrapped by confidence men into a gambling house, and refusing to play the parties threatened to throw him into the river unless he signed a checque for $1,500. To save himself he drew on a bank where he had no account.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Washington specials to the *Times* says the Senate Judiciary Committee have reported favourably with regard to admitting ex-rebel officers to the army.

The *Tribune* says it is stated the Democrats will propose an adjournment of Congress from December 17th until January 8th.

Arthur Redson, of Port Edward, who came here to attend his son's funeral, and suddenly disappeared, was found yesterday half nude and starving at West Farm, where he had wandered while lamenting over his son's death.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The *World* says the perplexities of the coal companies are increasing, and that there is a growing determination to insist upon a further advance on January 5th. It is unfavorably looked upon by all New York companies, and it is rumored that all large coal carriers, excepting Philadelphia and Reading, will resist any advance. The retail demand has never been so small in December. Large stocks are accumulating. Auction sales of coal will be resumed in January.

Mary Nouth committed suicide by taking Paris green at Jersey City yesterday. Her husband had deserted her.

Three firemeu of the iron steamer *Cella*, about to sail for Liverpool, were arrested, charged with mutiny. They allege the ship is unseaworthy.

Arrived: *Holland*, from London; *Bothina*, from Liverpool.

Thos. J. Whitney, a young broker of Staten Island, who mysteriously disappeared two years ago, and was supposed to be dead, is reported alive in the Western part of this State. No explanation is given of the cause of his seclusion.

Mrs. Henrietta Hogarth was arrested yesterday on complaint of a neighbor, who charged her with beating complainant's daughter. The justices disagreed about her.

Miss Avenia Fairbanks, god-daughter of the Count Joannes, was arrested yesterday for attempting to horsewhip the proprietor of the Jersey City hotel, who had ejected the Count for non-payment of board.

MADOC, Dec. 9.—The gold excitement has been continually growing stronger here every week, and last night it reached a fearful pitch when the news came that a very rich find had been struck at what is commonly known here as the "Dale, Starlick and Harrison Mine." The find is estimated to be worth from $70,-000 to $80,000. From one pan of dust there was washed an ounce and a half of pure gold.

TORONTO, Dec. 9.—At the County Court, this morning, Capt. Prince, Warden of the Central Prison, appeared to answer a charge of assaulting a Mrs. Campbell, wife of a prison guard. It appears that the captain accused the woman of writing a certain letter in the *Mail*. She asked him what he meant, whereupon he roughly took hold of her and pushed her out of the room, considerably bruising her arm. The complainant's husband testified to bruises on his wife's arm, after which the counsel for the defendant claimed there was no case. During the remarks of counsel, Mrs. Campbell showed her vindictiveness by declaring she would live to see the Warden removed from his position as sure as there was a sky above his bald head.

Application will be made at the next session of the Ontario Legislature for an Act to create North York into a Separate County for municipal purposes.

Norman Matheson, aged 90, was charged with vagrancy at the police court this a. m. He stated that the Reeve of Parry Sound sent him down so that he might be taken to one of the charitable institutions of the city. He was sent down for three months.

Mr. Robert Wallace, a Scotch tenant farmer delegate, was here this morning, and left for Niagara Falls.

Miss Baker, who had her feet crushed on the Northern Railway a week or two ago, died at the general hospital yesterday. Her parents live at Barrie.

MONTREAL, Dec. 9.—The deaths in the city last week were 48—eight died of small-pox, and one of diptheria.

Masse King has entered an action for damages against Sergeant Hilton of the city police, for false arrest. The charge against King was for using insulting language, and the case was dismissed.

OTTAWA, Dec. 9.—The Quarter Sessions opened to-day, before Judge Ross. The docket is unusually light.

During the past week Mr. Ivanhoe Toche, of the Civil Service, lost three of his children through small pox.

Nothing further has been heard of the shooting of Grayburn, at Fort Walsh, by the Indians.

ST. CATHARINES, Dec. 8.—A fire broke out in the Welland House about 3 o'clock this morning. It originated in the oil and lamp room, a small frame building in the rear of and adjoining the hotel. The dining room and hallway, and two or three bedrooms, are completely gutted, and their contents ruined. The damage is supposed to be fully one thousand dollars.

J. H. Dumble, Esq., has been appointed to conduct prosecutions under the license act, in this Riding.

The town council is enquiring into the manner in which the chief constable performs his duties. The result will not be known for a day or two.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Arrangements are being made for a monster meeting at Castlereagh market place, capable of holding sixty thousand persons. All the great leaders will be there. Parnell, Dillon, Dany Dout and Brennan openly declare they intend making edi tious speeches.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The British India Steam Navigation Company's ship *Eldorado*, 95 passengers and a Lascar crew of about 60, put into Plymouth on Saturday, after a hairbreadth escape from total loss in the Bay of Biscay, where she lay totally disabled for 30 hours during the storm of Wednesday and Thursday. Nearly all of the crew were incapacitated by fear, and but for the exertions of the passengers there is little question that she would have gone down. The waves broke one of her shafts and flooded the engine room. All the fires were extinguished, and the crew, with the exception of mate, abandoned their posts. The passengers at the Captain's call, bailed and pumped water from Wednesday night to Thurday night, when the storm abated and the fires were re-lit.

The Queen will to-day, at Windsor Castle, receive the officers and men who distinguished themselves in Segula war, and will confer the victory cross and other decorations on a corporal and three privates of Roorke's Drift. Generals Newdigate, Comstock, Pearson, and other South African commanders will attend.

A Cario despatch says King John is reported marching forward with the main body of the Assyrian army, with forty guns, and seems determined to occupy at once Serrar and Galabat in the Blue Nile district.

A UNIQUE ELECTION CARD.

This is an exact fac-simile of the election card of Mr. Wm. H. Wood, of Cavan:—

CAVAN ELECTION.

To the Free and Independent Electors of Cavan.—Hoving been requested by a number of Freeholders of Cavan To run for a Councilman i have expected it i suppose I had best tell you my views i think they have made a grave mistake as they should have bought Three or four horses their is John Thorn esq., for his labors in the past ought not to be passe by, William Sowden eqr eney one will say hea has a right for one, and what are you agone to doo with Mr Sootheren i am shure you will all say hea has a right to one or more now this sort of Consilling i Repudiate altogether i Cant see how any man could stan it any longer than to have a chance to vote. The example is anough for any man when hea looks at it in its Trew light when a Mamber of the Counsil will condesend to gow round with a petition to get signers to buy horses i think it is time we let them see that the Freeholders of Cavan want be Trodden on by their servants i suppose next year it will be 2 or 3 horses if that is the way where will we drift to then as to John Swain esq no one ever heard of him getting a dinner or as much as a horse.

oh it is very easy to say it dont amount to much i always like to be asked before you say you shall doo it puts me in mind of a great Robber he started taking a sent an the appetite grew so he got to be a high way Man i dont mean to say our worthy Counsil would doo the like but i mean to say we will let them buy the rest of them horses with their own Money i am perfectly shure Mr Camil never ast them to buy him a horse The example is what i maintain is rong if their is no stop to it where will it end it is verry easy stapping it give me your vote an i will oppose any such buisess to the utmost of my pauar Your

WILLIAM H WOOD

Cavan December 1879

TRINITY COLLEGE SCHOOL.

At the recent examinations at the University of Trinity College of Toronto, the pupils of this school maintained its reputation by winning the following distinctions: Mr. A. Lampman obtained the First Foundation Scholarship at matriculation, value $200; Mr. John C. Davidson the Second Foundation Scholarship, value $140; Mr. Alexander Allen, at the final examinations for the degree of B. A., obtained the first place in FIRST-CLASS HONORS in Classics, winning the Jubilee Scholarship, value, $160 per annum for two years, and the Prince of Wales' Prize, value, $48 in books.

The following pupils of the school have recently passed the Matriculation Examinations of their respective Universities: Messrs. J. J. Godfrey and E. K. C. Martin, Trinity College, Toronto; Messrs. J. A. Porter, C. Fairbanks, and L. D. Ross, Magill College, Montreal; Mr. E. H. Britton, Queen's College, Kingston; Mr. A. S. Campbell, University College, Toronto; Mr. A. L. Noble, Hobart College, Geneva, N.Y.; Mr. P. H. Strathy, Trinity Medical School, Toronto. Mr. D. W. Sanders also passed the entrance examination of the Law Society, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, obtaining second place out of twenty-six successful candidates.

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LOCAL ITEMS

"HOT" is again the order of the day.

SKATES "go-as-they-please" with a green hand.

A GOOD display of handkerchiefs is made these days. Colds, you know.

A TRAMP dreamt in Port Hope cells as the beautiful fell Tuesday night.

THE snow-shovel brigade began operations Wednesday morning.

SNOW shoes squeeling, slush stimulates stratagetic skipping street structures.

IT is said that the Port Hope pork packing house will open a branch in Newcastle.

ABOUT three inches of snow fell here Wednesday night, but the fall is not yet sufficient to make good sleighing.

THE unfortunate man, Alex. Hillis, of Hope, has been taken home from the Port Hope cells, where he has been since Monday.

'TIS December. The season of candied dates is upon us.—*Guelph Herald.* Aye, and the aspire ants are creeping out of their holes.

PORK packing has commenced, and the prices seem to be as yet not unfavorable to the farmers.

THE private residences recently erected in Port Hope display a marked improvement in architecture, and will certainly add to the beauty of this picturesque town:

WE regret to learn that a number of our subscribers are troubled with fever. It is of the unremitting sort. It can be cured for $1.50 without the aid of a doctor.

ARRIVALS at the harbor Wednesday: *Maria Annette, Caroline Marsh, Annie Minnes,* and *Aurora.* The two first have begun to load with lumber.

MCDOWELL'S Shaughraun Company have engaged the Music Hall for January 5th and 6th, when they will play "Led Astray" and "Little Emily."

A CALL of thirty per cent., being the balance not hitherto called in, has been made upon the capital stock of the Grand Junction railway, payable on or before the 10th inst.

TUESDAY a son of Mr. E. A. Powers met with a painful accident. He was working at a threshing, and fell through the loft. No bones were broken, however, and he will soon be around again.

SERGT. Lowrie, the care-taker of the Drill Shed, accidentally fell down the cellar stairs of Henry Shepherd's store, inflicting a serious injury to his ankle and foot, which will confine him to his room for some time to come.

THE social given by Mrs. Laird, at the Methodist Parsonage, Wednesday night, was a thoroughly successful affair, albeit it was somewhat private in its nature.

IT is quite refreshing to note that this year the grain buyers of Port Hope, as yet, have met with no serious losses. The business hitherto has been a very risky one, and demends the utmost caution as well as experience to meet with even ordinary success.

THE High School Board had a most uproarious session Tuesday night. The Chairman Mr. Wm. Craig, and Mr. W. G. Stevenson were the only members present, and they agreed after an animated discussion, that there was no quorum present.

THE many friends of Dr. King, of Baillieboro, will hear with gladness that he is about to resume his practice in Peterboro'. Since he left this portion of the country he has been through all the hospitals worth seeing in the old and new lands, and has now a very ripened experience.

THE *Mail's* "crusade" is driving some of the low-class exhibitions out of Toronto. The Port Hope authorities set a good example for those of other towns, in preventing those whose polluted reputation precedes them, from exhibiting there.—*Orillia Packet.* Rather soon, but well meant. On behalf of the "authorities" we thank you.

THE Bowmanville *News* copied the paragraph we had a few days ago about Capt. Keith, of the *Trade Wind,* and adds: "There is not much fear about Capt. Keith, that's a fact. He is generally among the first of Captains to get afloat in the spring and last to tie up in the fall. But he is a 'canny Scot,' and generally knows which way the wind blows."

THIS is the Midland *Argosy's* eloquent theory of the newspaper borrower and D. B.: "A man that will borrow a paper rather than to subscribe and pay for one, is usually a sly man, a small potato, full of tricks and easily tempted to steal. One who boldly subscribes and never pays, is a sort of genteel thief with a shrivelled up heart and white liver. They usually spit a great deal and finally die of 'bilktheria.'"

A VERY interesting social, in connection with the Young People's Association of the First Presbyterian Church, was held at the residence of Mr. A. W. Pringle, Augusta street, Tuesday night. Although the weather was very unpropitious there was a goodly attendance, and a most pleasant evening was passed. The programme consisted of vocal and instrumental music, readings and recitations, with coffee and cake "between acts."

THE remains of the late Mr. Trainor, who was one of the few survivors of those who were present at the Battle of Waterloo, were buried Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the Union Cemetery. We are sure the officers and members of the militia force would willingly have arranged to bury him with military honors had the family requested it. Col. Williams, Major Dingwall, Capt. Ward, and the officers of the local corps of militia were present at the funeral.

WE understand it is contemplated to erect a commodious Hotel at Midland. The speculation will certainly be a remunerative one, for Midland is designed to be a most important commercial centre, and those who have invested in town plots will in a few years no doubt reap a rich harvest—Mr. H. A. Ward of this town, the Secretary of the Midland Land Company, has a plan of the lots now offered for sale in the market.

A DESPATCH from Port Elgin, dated Tuesday night, informs us that Government Detective Murray, of Toronto, arrived there on Monday night, and in company with police officer Briggs proceeded to Burgoyne, where they arrested James Weatherup and wife, supposed to be implicated in the Hope infanticide case, and father and mother to Mary Ann Weatherup, now in custody in Cobourg. The detective passed through Port Hope on his way to Cobourg with the prisoners.

THE barley market during the past week has been moderately active, and prices at the close are 5 to 6 cents higher for medium and higher grades, and nominally 3 to 4 cents for the lower qualities. The sales aggregate 165,000 bushels, closing at 98c for No. 1 bright Canada, 85c for No. 1, and at 78c to 80c for No. 2. The receipts from Canada during the week have been 194,132 bushels, of which 132,847 bushels came from Bay Quinte, and 61,285 bushels from up lake ports. The shipments for the week by canal and rail aggregate 189,089 bushels. The receipts of new crop barley from Canada to date have been 3,620,332 bushels, against 2,709,257 bushels for corresponding period in 1878, showing an increase this season of 920,075 bushels. The total shipments of new crop barley by canal and rail to date have been 3,119,337 bushels. Recent sale of 65,000 bushels are reported at Albany, including light weight Canada at 87c., heavy at 95c to $1, No. 1 bright at $1.03 to $1.05, and Jefferson county two-rowed at 85c.—*Oswego Palladium.*

THE general sessions opened on Tuesday at Cobourg.

Now rack your brains to find competent school trustees.

THE Mechanics' Institute has done some renovating and repainting, and the result will benefit its patrons.

ASTRONOMICAL studies have become popular since Jack Frost aided the science by coating all the streets and sidewalks with ice.

A GOOD many people saw stars as they gazed at the heavens from their unbecoming and unpleasant position heads down and heels up, to-day.

THE little boy, who has been saving his coppers since Dominion Day in anticipation of Christmas, is happier now than the boys who had no self-denial.

WE thank Mr. Tilley, P. S. I., for the hint as to the changes in the School Act last year, but we had dealt editorially with the subject before the receipt of his note.

MR. WM. TRAINOR wishes to thank Col. Williams, the officers of the 46th Battalion, and the citizens who so kindly turned out in such numbers to the funeral of the late Robt. Trainor, his father, an old Waterloo veteran.

BY advertisement in another column it will be seen that the celebrated Anthony & Ellis Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. give a performance in the Music Hall on Friday evening, 12th inst. They are very highly spokon of by the press, and have been drawing immense houses in Montreal.

THE Trinity College School of Port Hope must afford unusual facilities for teaching. Its fame is so well appreciated that on looking over the addresses of the scholars we find that fourteen hail from the States. This is very encouraging and complimentary to the system adopted by the Rev. Mr. Bethune, the principal of the college. At any rate, we can honestly assert that for beauty of locality, as well as excellent sanitary requirements, this college has no equal in any other part of Canada.

THE following information, quoted from the Canada *Official Postal Guide,* may be useful to persons sending books by mail: "No book packet may contain anything which is sealed or otherwise closed against inspection; nor must there be any letter, unless the whole of such letter be printed. Entries, however, merely stating who sends the book, &c., or to whom it is given, are not regarded as a letter. Indeed, as respects the name and address of the sender, writing is not only permitted but recommended; so that if the cover comes off, or for other reasons the packet cannot be forwarded, it may be returned.

WHAT is the chief end of all education in Port Hope? P. F. Who is the father of education in Port Hope? P. F. Who knows everything worth knowing about education? P. F. Who is thoroughly acquainted with the Supplementary Education Act? P. F. Who first knew there was such an act? P. F. Who started a journal, simply to give it "tone" and himself a breeze, and the public the benefit of the immensity of knowledge in store in his gigantic intellect? P. F. Who believes P. F. knows all he professes to know? P. F. Who is P. F? P. F. [For explanation see "Thanking THE TIMES," in Public School Board report.

As a class the newsboys of Port Hope are the most hard-working and much-enduring individuals belonging to the genus man. That they are fond of amusement is demonstrated by the manner in which they flock to the music hall when anything is going on there that particularly strikes their fancy. Mr. Dave Hall, the only great, original, and renowned orator of modern times, fully recognizing these characteristics, with his usual unbounded generosity, has decided upon admitting free the newsboys of the the town to his celebrated lecture on "National Sensibilities," which was be delivered in the town hall on Friday night.

MR. JAMES CROMACK registered at the Queen's Hotel Wednesday night. Now there is nothing remarkable in a gentleman inscribing his autograph on a hotel register, but in this case the gentleman has a history. While he was in Peterboro', a week or two since, some persons—"townsmen" the *Review* calls them—grievously and wantonly assaulted Mr. Cromack, who is a drummer. They gave him a pretty bad beating, and the scars inflicted on his nose and forehead are such that he will not get rid of them this side of the grave. And the reason why this personal gossip is given is to inform his many friends here that he has so far recovered as to be able to travel a little again.

THERE really was a police court case Tuesday morning. W. J. Fleet was the plaintiff, and the burly master of the *Two Brothers,* Capt. Hadden, was the defendant. The plaintiff shipped with the Captain on the 28th of October, at the rate of $1.75 per day, and he left the ship on the 7th November. He alleged that there was a balance of wages due him of $7.50; that he had made one trip to Oswego and back; that there had been no articles drawn up to compel him to make any further trips. On the other side it was alleged that there were articles in existence, and accordingly the Magistrate adjourned the case for their production until Friday morning, reserving the right to allow witness fees to Fleet.

QUITE an animated and learned discussion on truancy and compulsory education took place at the Board of Education meeting Wednesday night. It was brought on by Mr. Budge remarking that it appeared to him that a large number of lads, who should be at school, were in danger of becoming loafers. That is, if they did not voluntarily give up the practice of playing "hookey" from school. The board and head master discussed the subject very fully considering that no resolution was before it, and it was evident that they, one and all, really desired to advance the true welfare of the erring boys. Nothing was done formally, however, but it was understood that the secretary should at once have some slips, containing the sections of the compulsory education act, printed for the information of parents. Parents should thank them for this, inasmuch as they are not bound in any way to spread abroad the law on the subject. In fact, ignorance of the law, especially on such a vital subject, is not only no excuse, but absolutely criminal. We trust that there will be a paucity of complaints such as this for the future.

THE Lorne Lodge Masonic concert at Omemee, Wednesday night, was a most unqualified success. During the afternoon a heavy snow storm raged, and between Omemee, Peterborough, and Lindsay, there was excellent sleighing by night. And many of those living in those two towns sleighed into Omemee to be present at the Masonic Concert. The programme was a long one, and was exceedingly well carried out. Mr. T. Monaghan, and his little son Charlie, of Port Hope, soon became favorites with the very large audience assembled, and their rendering of "Macguinnes' Guards," thoroughly established the fact that they are singers of no mean order. Master Charlie, in "I've only been down to the Club," must be heard to be appreciated, and if possible the Omemecites will not be long before they secure him for another entertainment. "Babies in our Block," by Mr. T. Monaghan, threw the audience in convulsions of laughter, and the song formed quite a feature of the evening's entertainment. Mr. H. V. Sanders, of Port Hope, was received with acclamation when he entered the platform, and sang "Man the Life-Boat," as only he can sing it. Miss Edie Sanders played his accompaniments very nicely, and his "Slave Ship," was thoroughly perfect in expression, voice and gesture. Port Hope certainly gained by the presence of these vocalists of hers at Omemee last night.

OYSTERS still "booning, straight shuckled. Bulk oysters only thirty cents a quart at the Fish Market.

THREE tramps by accepting shelter in Port Hope cells Wednesday night, escaped being eneased in ice.

THE attention of the Street and Bridge Committee is called to the very dangerous hole at the south-west corner of John and Augusta streets. If it is not housed or fenced in before the winter settles the lamp-gas will step through it.

COASTING on the sidewalks, particularly in Englishtown, is now very prevalent, and dangerous to the pedestrians. There are plenty of places in town where the youngsters could have full scope for this kind of exercise and amusement without resorting to the public sidewalks.

OLD father Time was frozen to death Thursday morning. This mournful occurrence took place at exactly 6.29 a. m. Did we say frozen to death? That's incorrect. He was only numbed so as to suspend circulation, but the town officials set him going again, by the application of the proper remedies. This item is all about the town clock hands being frozen fast.

THE following are the recently installed officers of L. O. L., No. 385, Garden Hill, for the ensuing year:—

W. M.—Thos. Leith.
D. M.—R. Ligget.
Treas.—James Gray.
Sec'y—Wm. Thompson.
Chap.—Francis Owens.
D. of C.—Jno. Wilson.
Committee—R. Maize, R. Bruce, R. Leith, C. Calender, Alex. Deyell.

MR. James Eakins, cattle dealer, was extremely unfortunate, and what may be a paradox fortunate, on Tuesday night. He shook a bottle of ammonia, and it exploded. The contents of the vial flew up over his face and one of his eyes was severely burned. That was where he was unfortunate; that he did not lose completely the sight of the injured eye is where he considers himself fortunate. He now wears a bandage over the optic, and from this time out people need not enquire "What is the matter?" They know.

THESE were the harbor notes for Thursday: The *Onward,* scow, with lumber for Wilson, sailed last night; and the *Great Western* arrived from Charlotte with 291 tons of coal for the Messrs. Hayden. The Ogdensburgh fleet, consisting of three barges and the tug *Gardiner,* will probably be loaded with lumber by evening and set sail. The *Maria Annette* and *Annie Minnes* are loading lumber for Mr. R. C. Smith. When they return they will lay up for the season. The dock, the decks, the ropes and cables, in fact everything down there is covered with ice, except the water.

IT appears that our Hope correspondent, in one of his interesting letters, has fallen foul of Capt. Janes. He had the temerity to take that gentleman's name in vain, and accordingly we are in a quandary. We value them both. Still the Captain does not wish his name to be the common property of all, and authorizes us to inform our Hope correspondent that if the thing occurs again he will have to meet the Captain at 21 paces, hold a loaded pistol in his own right hand, stare into the muzzle of the Captain's ditto, and know that a coffin is in readiness to encase the bloody remains—of one of them. We have an idea how these two could be spared to their country—bind them in chains.

Editorial Notes.

ONE of the favorite objections urged by the Grit press against the N. P. before the elections was that Canada never could, under a protective tariff, become an exporting country. Bearing this fact in mind, it is eminently refreshing to read from the Cobourg *World,* that probably the greatest influence in the creation of good times in Canada "is seen in the fact of the extensive orders which our manufacturers are receiving *from abroad.*"

WE learn from the Berlin *News* that the slipper factory of Mr. C. Rumpel is to be enlarged. That gentleman will also establish a felt factory in Berlin, and both these advances are attributed by the proprietor to the N. P. We're afraid there'll be an awful howl over this. Besides the squealing of the Grits, the lads, whose mothers know how to use a slipper effectually, will raise a dido as the fancy foot gear makes itself felt. Guess the factories will have to go down—it can't stand an amalgamation of two such unreasoning forces as the Grits and boys.

WILL our good brother of the Lindsay *Post* be a little more exact in future when he quotes from this journal. We never said "that Mr. Blake would be a 'bitter pill' for Sir John to swallow," but quite the reverse. We are sure that no one in the House of Commons will be better pleased at the return of Mr. Blake to active public life than Sir John Macdonald. If Mr. Blake proves a "bitter pill" to any one, it will be to Hon. Mr. Mackenzie, whom he is expected to succeed as leader, or to the great owner of the pairty, who now rules it with a rod of iron through the *Globe.* Do not be alarmed, Bro. *Post,* you doubtless know where the circus is going to be—but please do not be so promiscuous in your fitting words to THE TIMES which never appeared in its columns.

THE capture of Iquique marks another stage in the South American war. This important sea-coast city in southern Peru has been both the naval and the military base of the allies. Its evacuation became a necessity after the late defeat of the allied army, combined with the loss of the Huascar. The Chilians are now likely to attack Arica and then Tacna, which latter has long been the headquarters of the two Presidents of Peru and Bolivia. The energy of the Chilian campaign cannot be denied.

IT is wonderful with what tenacity the human mind clings to a scheme when it once obtains ever so slight a footing. An instance of this is found in the great work of the age, the Nicaraguan Canal, respecting which numerous telegrams come weekly. The Nicaragua scheme for a water-way between the Atlantic and Pacific has often been before the public. A hundred years ago Don Manuel Golisteo, under the direction of the Spanish Government, made a careful survey of the route. Again, fifty years ago it was surveyed and explored, and later on, twenty years, another attempt was made to carry out the project. These all failed, through means to carry them out. Still there was the fancy to go on with the work, and the last survey was made by the United States Government in 1873 4, but again the matter was abandoned. This year, however, it has been resuscitated, and it would seem that the chances of success are greater than ever before. The French people are enthusiastic in the endeavor to make the waterway, and they are "coming down handsomely." They want Gen. Grant for President of the Company, and if he accedes to the proposition, there is great reason to hope that before many years pass by a ship canal connecting the two oceans with Lake Nicaragua will be an accomplished fact.

STRONG'S GAS ECONOMIZER ENRICHER AND GOVERNOR COMBINED.

The undersigned desires to inform the Consumers of Gas, that he has patented his "Gas Economizer, Enricher and Governor Combined," in the United States and Canada. This Invention is perfectly free from danger, has no cotton batton suspensions, revolving cylinders, or chemicals, but the Gas passes up through the carbon oil, adding carbon to the light and purifying itself. One foot burner with this attachment gives a better light than a three foot on ordinary gas, showing that more than double the number of burners can be utilized from the same fixtures. Warranted not to get out of order, and to clean out fixtures fouled with deposits of sulphur and ammonia from coal gas. Territorial rights for Sale on application to

GEORGE T. STRONG,
Box 220. Port Hope, Ont.

TESTIMONIALS.

Office of THE PORT HOPE TIMES, PORT HOPE, Nov. 30, 1878.

G. T. Strong, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—We have been using your Coal Gas Economizer in the TIMES office for some time past, and find it fully answers the purpose for which it was intended. The following is the result of three tests made by my foreman, one with ordinary Coal Gas, and the other two with the Economizer:—

First, with ten burners, one hundred feet of ordinary coal gas was consumed in 2 hours and 45 minutes.

The Economizer was then put on, 18 burners lighted, and in five hours and thirty minutes it was found that less than a hundred feet had been consumed.

The third test was made on the 26th inst.; with 21 burners lighted, it took three hours and 30 minutes to consume 50 feet of gas, as near as could be calculated. Previously our pipes were so small that we could not keep more than eight or ten burners going at a time.

I therefore take pleasure in recommending your Economizer to the public, believing it to be a very great saving to every consumer.

I am, yours truly,
J. B. TRAYES.

PORT HOPE, March 24, 1879.

Mr. G. T. Stron.

DEAR SIR,—In answer to yours concerning your Economizer, I can say, that my gas bill from the 1st of January to the 1st of April, 1878, was $113.00, and from the 20th Jan. to 22nd March, 1879, it was but $25, including carbon oil, which when deducted from the former corresponding number of nights, I find a saving of 84 cents per day.

Yours Respectfully,
J. W. GERMAN,
Royal Hotel.

PORT HOPE, Sept. 10, 1879.

Geo. T. Strong, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—Having had your Coal Gas Economizer, Enricher & Governor Combined in use for the past 11 months in our store, with a saving to us of two-thirds the quantity consumed, we can with confidence recommend it as a great saving in coal gas.

We remain, yours truly,
J. LITTLE & CO.

PORT HOPE, Sept. 13, 1879.

George Strong, Esq.,

DEAR SIR,—We have much pleasure in certifying to the great saving effected by the use of your Gas Economizer, and when comparing the actual cost of gas with its use, can safely say there is about a nett saving of sixty five per cent, and after running it now for some six months, find no perceptible change in the working of it.

We Remain, Yours, etc.
MULHOLLAND & BROWN.

PORT HOPE, Ont., Sept. 15, 1879.

To George T. Strong, Esq.

SIR,—Having used your Gas Economizer since November, 1878, I find my gas bill for that time very much decreased; in fact, I may fairly say I have thus far saved about two-thirds of the original cost of lighting my Hotel. The machine works as well now, as when first delivered by you to me.

I am, Sir, Yours Truly,
A. A. ADAMS,
Queen's Hotel.

LAMBERT'S HOTEL,
PORT HOPE, Ont., Sept. 15, 1879.

To George T. Strong, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—In answer to your enquiry concerning the working of Strong's Gas Economizer, I have much pleasure in replying that I find it to work satisfactory. Having it in use eight months, I find that I have made a saving of at least one half in the cost of light by its use, including, also, cost of Carbon Oil.

Yours truly,
GEO. W. LAMBERT.

POST OFFICE,
PORT HOPE, Sept. 15, 1879.

Geo. Strong, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—I have much pleasure in testifying to the efficiency of your Gas Economizer. I have used it in the Post Office here for the last six months, and find that I obtain as good a light with one-third or one-half of the gas formerly used.

Yours Truly,
E. J. BAIRD,
Post Master.

PORT HOPE, Sept. 12, 1879.

Geo. Strong, Esq.

SIR,—We have been using your Gas Economizer since April 22nd, and find it to work satisfactory. Our saving, including the cost of Oil, is about 50 per cent.

DEERING & SON.

PORT HOPE, Sept. 12, 1879.

Geo. Strong, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—In answer to yours in reference to your Gas Economizer, I find that it is cheaper than coal oil. I find that my coal oil light cost me twenty-five cents a month per light, and my gas cost me twenty cents a light per month, showing that gas with your Economizer to be twenty per cent. cheaper than coal oil. The gas and coal oil was burnt the same time, and the same number of hours, and after using it since January, it works as well now as when I first got it. Yours, &c.

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Port Hope, Jan. 20, 1879. d14-w4. Sec'y & Treas.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The undersigned in announcing the Dissolution of the Firm of

J. LITTLE & CO.

By the effluxion of time, takes occasion to return his thanks to the inhabitants of Port Hope and vicinity for the liberal share of patronage accorded the late firm during the past five years, and to announce that the business will in future be conducted in the same name and style as heretofore, by MR. JOSEPH LITTLE, who respectfully asks a continuance of public patronage. The present stock is a very large and varied one in

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OF SELECT CUTLERY,

EVANS

Has received a consignment of a large lot of

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CHEERING ITS CHILDHOOD.

The Press Encouraging its Baby Brother, The Port Hope Times.

Healthy.—The Port Hope Times is now published as a daily. It is a spicy, well written sheet, and has a very healthy appearance. —*Strathroy Age.*

Success.—The Port Hope Times is now issued as an evening daily. We wish unbounded success to the enterprising publisher. *Collingwood Messenger.*

Well Edited.—Port Hope has three daily papers with several of the suburbs to hear from. The latest venture is The Times, an exceedingly spicy and well edited little sheet.—*St. Thomas Times.*

A Spicy Local Paper.—We have received a copy of the Port Hope Daily Times, a new aspirant for journalistic fame. It is a spicy local paper, and bears the impress of being carefully edited.—*Thorold Post.*

A Welcome Visitor.—The Port Hope Times is a newsy little daily, and is a welcome visitor to our sanctum. We Hope friend Trayes will make a fortune out of his new venture.—*Brantford Telegram.*

Well Got Up.—The Port Hope Times now comes to us as a spicy little daily, well got up. Another effect of the N. P. We wish our namesake of Port Hope success in its new venture.—*Owen Sound Times.*

Neatly Printed.—We have received the first number of the Daily Times, published at Port Hope, Ont. It is a very neatly printed newsy little sheet, and is published at one cent a copy.—*Charlettetown (P. E. I.) Patriot.*

Presents a Lively Appearance.—The Port Hope Times is now issued daily. The newspaper presents a lively appearance. Mr. Trayes is a successful newspaper man, and will no doubt succeed in this new departure. —*Berlin Daily News.*

Most Ably Conducted.—Mr. Trayes, of the Port Hope Times, has commenced the publication of a daily sheet. His new venture is no discredit to the parent weekly, which is one of the most ably conducted local journals in the Dominion.—*Listowel Standard.*

A Very Great Credit.—We are in receipt of several numbers of the Port Hope Daily Times. The Times is a new daily, and from its appearance is obtaining a liberal support. It is very neatly got up and a very great credit to its enterprising publisher. We hope it may prove a decided success.—*Dunnville Gazette.*

Neatly Arranged.—We have received number three, of volume one, of the Daily Times, a twenty column sheet. It is published by Mr. J. B. Trayes, at Port Hope, and is certainly well written up, neatly arranged and presents a very fine typographical appearance. We trust the venture may prove a financial success.—*Mount Forest Confederate.*

Spicy.—Several copies of the Port Hope Daily Times have found their way to our sanctum. The Times is a neatly printed sheet, is ably edited, has a spicy and well supplied local department, and a good send off in the shape of liberal advertising patronage. Mr. Trayes, the proprietor, is an experienced journalist, and from what we know of him, if a daily can be made to pay in Port Hope, he is just the man to make it pay. We wish it every success.—*Morrisburg Courier.*

Spicy.—The town of Port Hope has now two daily papers, the *Guide*, which has been running for some time, and The Times, the first number of which was issued last week by Mr. J. B. Trayes. The Times is a very spicy little sheet, the editorial, local and news departments are well attended to, while the liberal display of "ads" gives evidence that the Port Hope people know how to appreciate public enterprise and a good sprinkling of printer's ink.—*Barrie Gazette.*

Newsy.—We are in receipt of the initial numbers of the Port Hope Daily Times, published by Mr. J. B. Trayes. It is ably edited, newsy, and handsomely printed, and is a credit to the thriving town in which it is published. Mr. Trayes is widely known and esteemed as a genial whole-souled gentleman, well skilled in what is needed to make up a live newspaper, and a thorough believer in the future of his own town. He is in every way worthy the liberal patronage and support of his fellow-townsmen, and we trust he may achieve a full measure of success in his new enterprise.—*Mount Forest Examiner.*

Neatly Printed.—The Port Hope Daily Times is the title of a neatly printed sheet hailing from the flourishing and handsome town of Port Hope, the third number of which has come to our office. It is well filled with the latest telegraphic news of the day, as well as other items of interest. The editorials are well written, and better still, in politics have the true ring of Conservatism. Its motto is, "A free and united people, cherishing British connection." The price is $4 per annum, single copies only one cent. Its advertising patronage would indicate a good support. We wish the enterprising proprietor much success.—*Aylmer Times.*

Neat and Newsy.—The Port Hope Times is now appearing as a daily. It is a neat, newsy, spicy little sheet of 20 columns and deserves liberal patronage from the people of Port Hope. Publishing a daily in a town is generally pretty discouraging work, but from the advertising columns of the new venture, we should judge the business men of the eastern town to be "up to snuff." Friend Trayes is one of the best newspaper men in the Province, and we sincerely hope his enterprise will be properly appreciated by his constituents.—*Goderich Signal.*

Beautifully Printed.—This week we have received a spicy new daily paper, the Port Hope Times, published by our old friend, J. B. Trayes. The paper is exceedingly well arranged and beautifully printed, and evinces a good deal of pluck and energy in its editor and proprietor. If perseverence, ability and practical knowledge of his business will ensure success, Mr. Trayes is sure to have it.—*Uxbridge Guardian.*

Creditable in Its Get Up.—The enterprising publisher of the Port Hope Times has commenced the issue of an evening edition of that journal, the first number of which has been received. The Times is one of our most valued exchanges, and has long stood in the foremost rank of creditable and, judging from its appearance, successful journalism. The Daily Times, therefore, starts out under most favorable auspices, and as it is equally creditable in its get up, we wish it, and no doubt it will have, a successful career.—*Madoc Review.*

Contents Fresh and Good.—The Port Hope Daily Times, published by J. B. Trayes, is to hand. It is neatly printed, the contents are fresh and good, and in every respect it is a credit to the go-a-head town of Port Hope. We are not surprised to find it appreciated by the business men, as the Daily Times cannot fail to give an importance to Port Hope which it has never enjoyed. Mr. Trayes deserves to be well patronized in his efforts to establish such a paper.—*Picton Gazette.*

Very Creditable.—A new daily newspaper, the Port Hope Daily Times has been established in the town of Port Hope. The Times though a small sheet presents a very creditable appearance. It adopts as its motto—a free and united people cherishing British connection, and at the same time editorially approves strongly of Conservative tactics in the Province of Quebec. The inconsistency herein presented is very difficult to explain away. However the Tory organs have a wonderful facility for blowing hot and cold just as it suits.—*Durham Review.* Perhaps if our cotem would lend us his "specs" we might be able to see matters in Quebec in a different light—as it is, we cawn't do it ye know!

Neatly Printed.—The first number of the Port Hope Times, a very neatly printed little daily, well filled with local and other news, has been received.—*Winnipeg. Tribune.*

Creditable.—We have received several numbers of a daily paper, the Port Hope Times, a very neat twenty-column sheet, ably edited, newsy and in every respect a very creditable paper. It is Conservative in politics.—*Durham Chronicle.*

Deserving of Success.—We have received several numbers of a new daily paper started in Port Hope, the Times, which makes three dailies for that live town. It is a newsy sheet, deserving of success, and will no doubt succeed.—*Chatham Planet.*

Worthy of Support.—We are in receipt of the Port Hope Daily Timee, a new journal in the Conservative interest. It is well edited and gives lots of local news, and appears worthy of the support of the citizens of Port Hope.—*Prescott Telegraph.*

Well Printed.—We have received the initial number of the Port Hope Daily Times, published by Mr. J. B. Trayes. The Times, although small, is well gotten-up, well printed, well edited, and contains an abundance of local and telegraphic news. The paper has our best wishes.—*Wingham Times.*

No Commission for Us.—Port Hope has a third daily paper and several of the back Wards are yet to hear from. From a newspaper standpoint that clachan is now in about the same position as Artemus Ward's volunteer company, which was made up of seventeen officers and one private!—*Sentinel Review.*

The Newsiest Daily.—We have before us a copy of the Port Hope Daily Times. We have purused it very closely, and find it to be one of the newsiest Dailies that comes to our office, It is a new venture in Journalism the number in our hand being only the 7th paper issued. We wish the Times every success.—*Kingsville Reporter.*

Newsy and Healthy.—We are in receipt of the Port Hope Daily Times, a new five-column daily paper published at that place by Mr. J. B. Trayes, editor and proprietor. It has a modern, newsy, healthy appearance which, as a review of its columns attest, is not deceptive.—*Welland Tribune.*

The Neatest Little Paper on Our List.—We welcome to our sanctum a new daily visitor bearing the title of the Port Hope Daily Times. It is the neatest little paper on our list, and its news columns are full of the latest news. We wish its enterprising publisher much success in his new venture. —*Woodville Advocate.*

Well Printed and Newsy.—We have received several numbers of the Times, a new daily lately started in Port Hope, by Mr. J. B. Trayes, a veteran journalist. It is a well printed and newsy little sheet, and we trust it may prosper. W. J. Watson, formerly of the Galt *Reformer* and Guelph *Herald*, is now, we notice, on the Times staff.—*Berlin Telegraph.*

Will do Infinite Credit.—We Welcome to our sanctum the Daily Times, of Port Hope, edited and owned by J. B. Trayes, Esq., a staunch Liberal-Conservative. The daily is a new venture, to which we wish the fullest success. The Weekly Port Hope Times is one of the best weeklies in Canada, and we have no doubt that the daily will do Mr. Trayes infinite credit.—*St. John. N. B. Sun.*

Richly Freighted.—Mr. J. B. Trayes, the enterprising preprietor of the Port Hope Times, has commenced the publication of a daily paper in that town. The Daily Times is a well got up, reliable sheet, richly freighted with local and general news, and deserves the hearty support of Port Hopers generally. We hope this venture may prove as profitable as it is courageous.—*Fergus News Record.*

Full of Local News.—Port Hope can now boast of three daily papers. We have received a copy of the Times which makes the third daily paper in that small town. The paper is a neat little 20 column sheet well printed, and full of local and general news put in the very best shape for readers. We wish the Times success, although we believe that Port Hope is too small a place for so many dailies.—*St. Mary's Argus.*

A Spicy Paper.—We are in receipt of a spicy paper published in Port Hope and called the Times. The proprietor, Mr. Trayes, displays a good deal of temerity in starting a third daily in so small a town; but he also displays business energy enough to "paddle his own canoe." We wish him success in his business arrangements, and trust he will adopt a more liberal platform in politics.—*North York Reformer.*

Tasty.—We have received a copy of the Port Hope Daily Times, which has just entered on its career as a daily organ. This is the third daily paper that the enterprising and picturesque town of Port Hope can now boast of. We have not yet seen the daily, but so far as we are able to judge from what we have seen of the other two—politics aside—the Times has the advantage of its older contemporary in being got up with greater taste and in its display of editorial ability. We hope the Daily Times may have a long and prosperous career.—*Mitchell Recorder.*

The Undertaking is Appreciated.—We have received the initial number if the "Port Hope Daily Times" published by J. B. Trayes. The Times is a neat four page sheet, and contains a large amount of interesting reading matter, its telegraphic and general news being condensed, but of sufficient length to give full particulars of the day. Our recollections of Port Hope from a personal visit some six years ago, would not lead us to suppose that two daily papers will be able to obtain a living, but judging from the advertising patronage given the Times the indications are that the undertaking is appreciated and will prove a financial success. We wish our confrere every success, notwithstanding the fact that he is a faithful diciple of the N. P.—*South Simcoe News.*

Bright and Spicy.—The Port Hope "Times" now reaches our sanctum as a bright, spicy Daily which makes the second for that burg with a third threatened. Friend Trayes takes the right view of the matter, when he prophesies all of that hum, in a place of 6,000 inhabitants cannot prove a paying speculation. Our experience is that mere circulation, and even that cannot be largely obtained in a small town, is but a very limited means of support to a Daily paper. Job printing and advertising must also be liberally accorded to meet the expenses of a daily paper. However, Mr. Trayes is an experienced Journalist, possessed of a fair capital, and will doubtless run the slide as safely as any competitors, in the race. The "Times" is ably and well conducted, and richly deserves the best sympathies of Port Hopers.—*Essex Review.*

Newspaper "Hum" in Port Hope.—There is a genuine "hum" in the newspaper business in Port Hope, and daily papers are thicker in the streets every afternoon than leaves in autumn, there being no less than three dailies in that town. The *Guide* has been published for more than a year as a daily, and now friend Wilson has been put upon his mettle by the appearance of a rival Reform journal. The Times now visits us as a daily, and gives unmistakable evidence of the business enterprize of its publisher, Mr. J. B. Trayes. We scarcely know whether to congratulate or condole the town and publishers; but come to think of it, we wish them all much joy. If we come across a man looking for a good opening for a new daily, we will certainly recommend him to Port Hope, where there are three daily papers and no jail.—*Owen-Sound Tribune.*

Collingwood *Bulletin*: The Port Hope Daily Times is a brisk sheet and has our best wishes for its success.

Very Lively.—The Port Hope Times has developed into a daily. The first number was published on Tuesday last and is a very lively sheet.—*Uxbridge Journal.*

Neat.—Port Hope has a new daily paper. "The Port Hope Daily Times" a neat little sheet published by J. B. Trayes, the third number of the first volume is now before us.—*L'Orignal News.*

Vigorous.—A new daily. The Port Hope Daily Times is on our table. It is neat in appearance, vigorous in style, healthy in tone, comprehensive in information and very readable.—*Dundas Standard.*

Creditable to Port Hope.—Port Hope has now two daily papers with the prospect of the third. The initial number of the Times, published by Mr. J. B. Trayes, has been received. It certainly is a sheet creditable alike to the publisher and to Port Hope. —*Clifford Arrow.*

A Neatly Printed and Spicy Sheet.—We have received a copy of the Port Hope Daily Times. It is a neatly printed and spicy sheet of 20 columns, and, judging from the specimen number, is likely to be well patronised by advertisers and the citizens of that town.—*Arthur Enterprise.*

A Credit to the Town.—The Times is the name of a new daily, published in Port Hope, by Mr. J. B. Trayes, proprietor of the Weekly Times. It is neatly got up, well printed, and ably edited, and is a credit to the town from which it hails, and should receive the support it so richly deserves.—*Orangeville Sun.*

Is generally Well Edited.—This is a handsome little daily, the publication of which has just been commenced by Mr. J. B. Trayes, an old newspaper man. It has a good collection of locals, the daily telegrams, and is generally well edited. To judge from the extent of the advertising which it receives it will meet with the local popularity and success which its enterprising proprietor deserves.—*Perth Expositor.*

Success. — The Emerson, Manitoba, *Journal* in referring to new ventures in the newspaper line, thus refers to our little daily: — The Daily Times, Port Hope, Ontario, commences its career by announcing that it will be published as long as it can be done creditably. 'When we fail to do that, we shall seriously consider the advisability of going to peddling books, or into the cobbling business.' To all these we give our X. and wish them a fair field and good success."

Merits Liberal Patronage.—We are pleased to welcome the Port Hope Times to our exchange list. It is a spicy paper and merits the liberal patronage which it evidently receives. Of all the men in Canada, Bro. Trayes is *the* man to carry on a daily paper in Port Hope, nothwithstanding all opposition. with abundance of new material, abundance of ability, abundance of steam power, and—shall we say—abundance of go-aheaditiveness, Mr. T. need not be so bashful in introducing his new enterprise to the public.—*Norwich Gazette.*

Knows How to make the Most of the Situation.—The Port Hope "Times" now reaches us as a daily. It bears the tasteful appearance which we would expect it to have, coming from the hands of so experienced a printer as Mr. Trayes. We trust his enterprise may have fitting reward; although we can't say that the outlook—taking into consideration the number of competitors and the limited character of the field—is very encouraging. Still our contemporary knows how to make the most of the situation.

May Your Shadow Never grow Less, Ned.—We have been favored with an exchange with the Port Hope Daily Times, the first number of which was published on the 28th ult. It is gotten up with all the journalistic and typographical ability for which Mr. Trayes and his staff are noted, and we hope the forbodings of the publisher may be speedily dispelled by great prosperity. The "live" ads. indicate that this result will come. The local department is well sustained. May your shadow never grow less, Ned.—*Napanee Standard.*

A Neat Little Sheet.—We have received several numbers of a new daily paper published at Port Hope by Mr. J. B. Trayes. It is a neat little sheet of 20 columns, and is well filled with local and general news. We see by its advertising column that it is well patronised by the merchants of the place. This is the second daily paper which has lately made its appearance in Port Hope, and there appears to be some talk that a third one will soon be started. We doubt very much whether there is room for so many dailies in Port Hope, as the field is limited—the town itself being composed of only about five or six thousand inhabitants. However, we wish friend Trayes every success in his undertaking.—*Caledonia Sachem.*

Neatly Printed, Newsy.—A new daily newspaper has been issued in Port Hope called the Daily Times, published by Mr. J. B. Trayes, who for a long time has published one of the best weekly newspapers in the province. The new daily is a neatly printed, newsy little sheet, and its editorials are ably written and the local columns well worked up. We sincerely trust Mr. Trayes' venture will be as remunerative as it deserves to be. Publishing a daily news paper is a heavy undertaking, especially in a small town, but if there is any chance of one existing in Port Hope the publisher of the Times will be sure to succeed.—*Orangeville Advertiser.*

The fatal fire at the Grand Opera House Toronto, has called attention to the means of exit not only for the public but for those whose duty it is to remainand take care of the property.

Manitoba gentlemen, who have just arrived from Manitoba, say that the condition of the Pembina branch has been very much improved, and is now giving general satisfaction.

Epps's Cocoa.—Grateful and Comforting.—"By thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame.' —*Civil Service Gazette.*—Sold only in Packets labeled—"James Epps & Co., Homœopathic Chemists' Londo , Eng.

Dr. King's California Golden Compound.—Is a strictly vegetable preparation, and will positively cure Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Acidity of Stomach, coming up of Food, Pain in pit of Stomach, Low Spirits, Biliousness, Constipation, Jaundice, Liver Complaint or any affection of the Stomach or Liver, in the shortest time possible. You are not asked to buy until you know what you are getting. Therefore, as you value your existence, do not fail to go to your Druggist, R. Deyell, Port Hope, and get a trial bottle *free of charge*, which will show what a regular one dollar bottle will do. Ask for Dr. King's California Golden Compound, and take no other.

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Go to your druggist,
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Will pay the highest market price for any quantity of well fed pork delivered at their Pork Packing House, Walton staeet, Port Hope.

Bacon, Hams, Lard, etc., for sale.

FOR SALE.—A farm of first class Land, part of Lot No. 7, in the 5th Con. Cavan, near Millbrook, containing 50 acres, 45 acres cleared, and 5 wooded. Barn and good well on premises. Apply to Mrs. Lowery, Millbrook. 40-13t

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IN THE TOWNSHIP OF HOPE, Lot 9, in the 5th Concession, containing **Fifty Acres**, all under cultivation. There is a Running Stream and Fine Young Orchard, doing well, on the premises, with House and Barn, and Living Spring of Water near the house. Apply to the owner on the premises.

35-3m THOMAS PENWARDEN.

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THE undersigned being about to remove West, offers his farm of 100 acres for sale, comprising Lot 14, in the 7th concession of Manvers, 90 acres cleared, and in a high state of cultivation, the balance being good hard wood. The farm is located within a short distance from the flourishing village of Bethany, and is one of the best in the Township, being convenient to Schools, Churches, &c. For terms and urther particulars, apply to the undersigned, on the remises.

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14- P. O. Address Bethany, Ont

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Farm & Brick House FOR SALE.

BEING about to remove into town, the undersigned offers that VALUABE FARM AND RESIDENCE, at present occupied by himself, situated one mile from Port Hope, on Lot 2, First Concession, Township of Hope, comprising **Six Acres** more or less. There is upon the premises an excellent Brick Residence, having ten rooms, with large Cellar, and every convenience, Hard and Soft Water, &c.,—Good Barn, Shed, and Stable,—Good Orchard. The land is in a high state of cultivation, and would be a splendid place for a Market Gardener or Private Gentleman. Title indisputable Terms easy. Apply on the premises to the proprietor.

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Formerly occupied by J. W. LUCAS. The best stan in the Township of Hope. A portion of land can g with the stand, if wanted. Apply to

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Garden Hill, Aug 4th, 1879. 32

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At Manufacturer's Prices.

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Now going on every day until further notice, at such Low Prices that will astonish you, of the WAGNER and other First-class Pianos; also the Celebrated BELL & CO.'S ORGANS, of Guelph, and W. DOHERTY & CO.'S ORGANS, of Clinton, the very best Instruments in the Dominion. I can suit you for Beautiful Styles ot Cases, extent, quality and volume of tone, and durability. ORGANS TUNED AND REPAIRED, at moderate charges, or taken in exchange for new ones, at their full value. Call and see me at once, as I am bound to give you a grand bargain. The largest stock of Instruments ever on hand in Port Hope.

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United Counties of NORTHUMBERLAND & DURHAM, To Wit: } BY VIRTUE of a warrant under the hand of the Warden, and the Seal of the United Counties of Northumberland and Durham, bearing date the 22nd day of September, 1879, commanding me to levy upon the lands mentioned in the following list, for the arrears of taxes due thereon, and the costs, as herein set forth, I hereby give notice, that unless the arrears and costs are sooner paid, I shall proceed to sell the said lands, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to discharge such arrears of taxes and all lawful charges incurred, at the COURT HOUSE, in the Town of COBOURG, by PUBLIC AUCTION, on

THURSDAY, 15TH JAN'Y, 1880,

at the hour of Eleven o'clock, forenoon, in compliance with the provisions of the Assessment Act of 1869.

* Lands marked thus are not Patented.

Part of Lot or Other Description.	Lot.	Concession.	Acres.	Arrears.	Costs.	Total arrears and Costs.
				$ c.	$ c.	$ c.
BRIGHTON TOWNSHIP.						
Newcomb Mills, Village Lot 7, part	3	7	½	77	3 50	4 27
S. E. part	26	7	12½	20 06	3 50	23 56
E. half of N. part	26	7	30	10 46	3 50	13 96
South-east part	27	7	40	4 20	3 50	7 70
	26*	9	200	2 95	3 50	6 45
	27*	9	200	2 95	3 50	6 45
West half	30*	9	100	64	3 50	4 14
	26*	10	200	1 29	3 50	4 79
DARLINGTON.						
	7	10	100	14 85	3 50	18 35
	8	10	100	4 38	3 50	7 88
East half	9	10	50	2 20	3 50	5 70
	22	10	100	6 19	3 50	9 69
CAVAN.						
Bd. E. by Lester's Creek, N. by con. road, S. W. by Mill road, N. part	13	8	1½	6 89	3 50	10 39
Mt. Pleasant V. Lot 55, part N. W. part	13	13	½	3 05	3 50	6 55
CLARKE.						
South-east part	17	9	46	7 70	3 50	11 20
South-east corner	6	10	21	5 98	3 50	9 48
	14	10	87	31 41	3 50	34 91
	17	10	87	22 74	3 50	26 24
South part	18	10	10	8 46	3 50	11 96
CRAMAHE.						
North-east corner	19	1	1½	1 30	3 50	4 80
Lane's mill property, parts	15 and 16	3	7	17 80	3 50	21 30
All lying S. and W. of lake except 1 acre	17	3	20	9 85	3 50	13 35
North-west quarter	31	4	50	12 43	3 50	15 93
N· 20 acres on W. half	30	5	20	22 68	3 50	26 18
South quarter	20	6	50	8 06	3 50	11 56
North half of S. half	18	7	50	42 59	3 50	46 09
COLBORNE VILLAGE.						
King Street, No.	163		¼	9 80	3 50	13 30
" "	210		¼	6 61	3 50	10 11
N. side William St.	369		¼	1 91	3 50	5 41
" "	373		¼	5 26	3 50	8 76
West side Thomas St., Nos. 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385			¾	2 79	3 50	6 29
East side Thomas St. Nos. 376, 377, 378, 379			½	2 21	3 50	5 71
West side Henry St., Nos. 39[illegible], 393, 394, 396, 397, 398			1	2 40	3 50	5 90
East side Henry St., Nos. 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391			¾	2 79	3 50	6 29
East side Ontario St., Nos. 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 403, 404, 405			1¾	3 74	3 50	7 24
Albert Street	86		¼	2 51	3 50	6 01
"	87		¼	2 51	3 50	6 01
Division Street	230		¼	11 39	3 50	14 89
"	251		¼	16 18	3 50	19 68
"	252		¼	16 18	3 50	19 68
HAMILTON.						
East side	35	A	17	17 05	3 50	20 55
HALDIMAND.						
North half of S. half	5	3	50	58 67	3 50	62 17
North-west corner	1	B	½	7 16	3 50	10 66
N.-E. corner S. half of N. half	14	2	3	6 75	3 50	10 25
W. 60 acres of N. half	7	4	60	9 60	3 50	13 10
South 40 acres	6	9	40	5 09	3 50	8 59
South half	8	9	84	7 39	3 50	10 89
South part	27	7	151	16 76	3 50	20 26
MANVERS.						
North half	19	1	100	127 00	3 50	130 50
West part	11	2	10	72 44	3 50	75 94
	21	2	200	52 93	3 50	56 43
North half	3	3	100	22 13	3 50	28 63
S.-E. quarter	25	3	50	19 71	3 50	23 21
North-west part	6	5	½	2 07	3 50	5 57
North part of West ½	7	5	40	68 02	3 50	71 52
East half	16	5	100	28 89	3 50	32 39
South-west part	8	10	35	14 04	3 50	17 54
" "	3	13	10	7 41	3 50	10 91
South-east part	5	13	1	1 46	3 50	4 96
East half	19	14	100	25 49	3 50	28 99
MURRAY.						
South part of E. half	11	B	15	61	3 50	4 11
North-east quarter	16	B	50	39 53	3 50	43 03
Pt. South of railway	4	2		20 88	3 50	24 38
Calvin Crandle, part of South half	9	4	1	3 04	3 50	6 54
West 3-10 of N.-E. ½	1	4	15	8 65	3 50	12 15
South-east corner	22	9	4½	5 81	3 50	9 31
South part of E. half	22	9	70	12 74	3 50	16 24
	1	10	100	15 41	3 50	18 91
	19	10	100	8 29	3 50	11 79
	20	10	100	8 29	3 50	11 79
ELMSLEY VILLAGE, MURRAY.						
S Ontario street	10		1¼	4 96	3 50	8 46
" "	16		1¾	2 65	3 50	6 15
N Bocage street	1		5	5 04	3 50	8 54
S part E Mill street	39		1¼	3 95	3 50	7 45
S Percy street	2		1-5	3 55	3 50	7 05
G. Roger's part lot	11		5	8 75	3 50	12 25
East Water street	40		1-5	7 47	3 50	10 97
"	41		1-5	7 47	3 50	10 97
"	44		1-5	7 20	3 50	10 70
"	45		1-5	7 20	3 50	10 70
"	46		1-5	7 20	3 50	10 70
"	47		1-5	15 21	3 50	18 71
"	48		1-5	15 21	3 50	18 71
"	49		1-5	15 21	3 50	18 71
"	52		1-5	7 65	3 50	11 15
"	53		1-5	7 65	3 50	11 15
"	58		1-5	7 65	3 50	11 15
"	59		1-5	7 65	3 50	11 15
"	60		1-5	7 65	3 50	11 15
"	63		1-5	7 65	3 50	11 15
West Water street	46		1-5	7 20	3 50	10 70
"	47		1-5	11 06	3 50	14 56
"	48		1-5	11 06	3 50	14 56
"	49		1-5	11 06	3 50	14 56
"	51		1-5	4 10	3 50	7 60
"	52		1-5	4 10	3 50	7 60
"	53		1-5	4 10	3 50	7 60
"	54		1-5	9 21	3 50	12 71
"	55		1-5	9 21	3 50	12 71
North Water street	47		1-5	2 97	3 50	6 47
"	48		1-5	2 97	3 50	6 47
"	49		1-5	2 97	3 50	6 47
"	54		1-5	2 97	3 50	6 47
"	55		1-5	2 97	3 50	6 47
East Stanley street	48		1-5	5 71	3 50	9 21
"	49		1-5	5 71	3 50	9 21
"	57		1-5	3 28	3 50	6 78
"	62		1-5	5 71	3 50	9 21
E Wellington street	40		1-5	7 23	3 50	10 73
"	41		1-5	7 23	3 50	10 73
"	44		1-5	3 28	3 50	6 78
"	47		1-5	9 00	3 50	12 50
"	49		1-5	3 28	3 50	6 78
"	50		1-5	3 28	3 50	6 78
"	51		1-5	13 28	3 50	16 70
W Wellington street	43		1-5	16 04	3 50	19 54
"	44		1-5	21 29	3 50	24 79
"	48		1-5	7 55	3 50	11 05
"	59		1-5	9 17	3 50	12 67
"	63		1-5	5 04	3 50	8 54
North Louis street	8		1¼	3 91	3 50	7 41
East Louis street	10			3 11	3 50	6 61
North Leopold street	7		1¼	4 52	3 50	8 02
"	9		1¼	4 52	3 50	8 02
"	10		1¼	4 52	3 50	8 02
East Leopold street	7		1¼	3 11	3 50	6 61
North Regent street	8		1¼	4 71	3 50	8 21
"	9		1¼	4 71	3 50	8 21
"	16		4½	5 36	3 50	8 86
"	6		5	2 02	3 50	5 52
South Regent street	9		3¼	5 45	3 50	8 95
"	10		3¼	5 45	3 50	8 95
"	16		1¼	11 14	3 50	14 64
East Regent street	8		1¼	3 11	3 50	6 61
"	9		1¼	3 11	3 50	6 61
"	16		4½	4 02	3 50	7 52
West Regent street	9		4	3 85	3 50	7 35
"	10		4	3 85	3 50	7 35
PERCY.						
Norman Village, lot 12, block C			½	8 81	3 50	12 31
West half	5	8	100	44 10	3 50	47 60
East half	16	12	100	139 35	3 50	142 85
West half	18	13	5	10 60	3 50	14 10
J. Lennox's part	17	13	33	21 33	3 50	34 83
SEYMOUR.						
Gore in front	6	1	6	8 32	3 50	11 82
Myer's Island, N½	6	2	85	30 25	3 50	33 75
" E 34ac., S½	6	2	34	39 14	3 50	42 64
" W 50ac., S½	6	2	50	35 67	3 50	39 17
South half	2	5	100	21 20	3 50	24 70
	19	11	200	94 11	3 50	97 61
South part	20	11	30	4 02	3 50	43 52
North half	23	14	100	4 50	3 50	8 00
"	25	14	100	7 59	3 50	11 09
Railroad dock	5	15	15	113 42	3 50	116 92

E. A. MACNACHTAN,
County Treasurer.

County Treasurer's Office, Cobourg, Sept. 24, 1879. 40-14w

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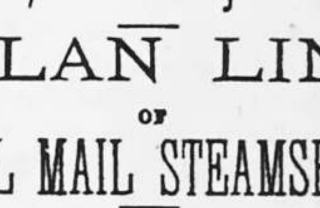

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CAUTION.

To the Editor of The Times.

Sir,—As some of our jealous imitators are circulating false statements by handbill and word of mouth, and by their advertisements, hoping to gull some "innocent," we must ask for a little space to repeat a few "home truths." "The Singer Manufacturing Company, of New York," found, from twelve to eighteen years ago, that a single factory (at Elizabethport, N. J., and one of the largest in the world) could not supply the demand for "The Singer" Sewing Machine. Deciding, therefore, to erect a second one in Europe, Glasgow was chosen as a site, Scotchmen being prominent among the officers of the Company as they are to-day. Since that time the two factories have interchanged shipments as one or the other would be behindhand in filling orders. Now both are so pushed to keep abreast of the enormous sales of "genuine Singer" (356,432 in 1878), that we understand a third factory is contemplated in Germany. All one great company, however, making the one original "Singer" machine, and proving the old maxim, "honesty is the best policy," by its unprecedented and unequalled success. One or two questions and we are done. Why is the "Singer" the only machine imitated? Why is the word "Singer" made so prominent in the advertising of bogus concerns, and the actual name of the maker kept in the background? The answer is:—The word "Singer" had to become a household name before it was worth imitating. We have machines here in Canada 20, 26 and 28 years old, still in sewing order. All honor to a manufacturer who builds up his own trade, but all —something else—to one who steals his way into business he could never achieve alone. The only office in Port Hope where the genuine Singer can be had is in Fraser's Block, Walton Street.

The Singer Manufacturing Co.,
per J. BRAZIER,
Manager.

Agent for Mdlle. Demorest Reliable Patterns. 17-1y.

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All Claims promptly paid in full on proof of loss.

H. V. SANDERS, Agent.

Port Hope, May 14th, 1872. 20-1y

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EDWARD BUDGE, established for nearly thirty years, respectfully thanks the inhabitants of Port Hope and Central Canada for the kind support so liberally bestowed on him for the last twenty-eight years, and would inform his numerous patrons that his stock is now unusually large and attractive, owing to the continued depression of trade, manufacturers and warehousemen have been largely over-stocked and in a great many cases willing to make the most liberal sacrifices for cash. At no time better than the last six months could he have been more fortunate for the purchasing of stock for this Fall and Winter trade at great reduction of prices. You can save $5 by buying your Overcoats at E. Budge's.

E. Budge would invite public attention and inspection of his stock and prices, and also to examine carefully the workmanship, linings, trimmings and general get up of his clothing. He employs the best workmen to be found in America, and has secured several first-class hands from England, Ireland and Scotland, and he hopes by keeping only the best materials, good workmanship, stylish cut, at the lowest possible prices, to merit and retain the liberal share of patronage bestowed in the past.

Low priced shoddy rubbish can be got from pedlars and others, and all those looking for cheap and nasty stuff can find abundance of it, get it cut and made by Miss McFaddy, and if you imagine you are well dressed, all right, but anyone with half an eye would swear that it was a fool and his money soon parted, and that no tailor had anything to do with that suit of clothes. It is no idle assertion that everybody acknowledges that Budge's is the only place where a first-class selection of goods suitable for gentlemen's wearing apparel can be found, and where customers can depend on getting what they require.

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New Advertisements.

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THE PROPRIETOR, in returning his thanks to those who have favored him with their patronage during the past 14 years, would say to the public in general, that he is better prepared now than ever before to give them good accommodation at reasonable charges, and hopes by strict attention to the wants of his customers to merit the patronage so liberally bestowed heretofore. Having just completed a LARGE NEW STABLE and DRIVING SHED, which is fitted with every convenience, he is now enabled to comfortably stable one hundred horses. Careful hostlers in attendance.

The TABLE, as in the past, will in future be supplied with everything in season; and in the BAR, first-class Ales, Wines, Liquors, and Domestic and Imported Cigars. Terms: $1.00 per day. ☞ Remember the place—Ontario Street, near the Railway Bridge, Port Hope. w50-tf

HOPE CHEESE FACTORY.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders in the HOPE CHEESE FACTORY, will be held at WELCOME, ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER THE 23rd, 1879, at 2 o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors, auditing the accounts and appointing Officers for the ensuing year, and other business connected with the Company.

A full attendance of Shareholders is respectfully requested. H. A. WALKER, President.

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A MEETING OF THE ELECTORS

of the Municipality of the

Townshp of South Monaghan,

will be held in the Council Chamber, in the

VILLAGE OF CENTREVILLE

South Monaghan, on

MONDAY, THE 29th OF DEC. '79

at noon for the nomination of

CANDIDATES

for the offices of

REEVE AND COUNCILLORS

for said Township of South Monaghan for the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty.

ROBERT FAIR,
TOWNSHIP CLERK.

South Monaghan, Dec. 8th, 1879. w50-3t

STRAYED.

FROM the premises of the undersigned, Two two-year old Heifers, on or about the beginning of June last. Any one giving information that will lead to their recovery will confer a favor, and any one retaining them after this notice will be prosecuted according to law.

JOHN SMITH,
50-3t. 9th Con. Clarke.

STRAYED.

STRAYED into the premises of the undersigned, Lot 6, Con. 2 of Clarke, about the 15th of October, a One-year-old Red Muley Bull.

Owner can have above by proving property, and paying expenses.

GEO. SMITH,
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The Times

AND COUNTY OF DURHAM BRITISH CANADIAN.

CIRCULATION 1,925.

Port Hope, Thursday, Dec. 11, 1879.

OUR WINTER EVENINGS.

As the evenings grow longer the youth and beauty of Canadian towns find time often-times hang heavy on their hands. Any plan, therefore, which will not only drive away the *ennui* of these young persons but stimulate their ambition to the adding to their stock of useful information, is worthy of serious consideration. It is a well known fact that the youth in both city and country imagine that upon their graduation from school their education is completed. Instead, however, of this being the case, their true education is but begun, and it becomes a problem worth spending some time over how best to continue one's education after school boy and school girl days are over. It is likewise well that their elders should recognize the absolute necessity for providing amusement as well as instruction in dealing with these young and expanding minds. To the development of suitable and varied means, whereby these two desirable objects may easily be accomplished, we will devote some considerable space to day.

One plan which we will suggest has been very successful in other towns to our own knowledge, and the great beauty of it is that it is workable, simple, and cheap. Let several persons, ladies and gentlemen, organize themselves into a mutual improvement society. The number of members need not be many—the number of such societies in a town like Port Hope may be almost innumerable. Let us illustrate: A dozen families where there are a number of young people (it is not absolutely indispensible to exclude the old folks) unite as suggested for a winter's reading of English literature. Let them all study for the week a stated course marked out at a preliminary meeting. One week they will meet at Mr. Jones' house, the next at Mrs. Brown's, and so on throughout the entire winter. The conversation will naturally and easily turn upon what we may term the lesson for the week, and the suggestions, hints, and information which may be obtained in this manner surpasses belief. It need not be dull; it may be brilliant, and it is sure to be profitable. Of course, any subject may be chosen in lieu of English literature (which was only used for the purposes of illustration). There are art, science, history, the languages, the poets, the world's progress, as recorded in the daily papers. The variety is infinite. Choose to suit your capabilities and tastes.

The above scheme has one advantage over the one we are now about to propose. Both ladies and gentlemen may in the first mingle with mutual advantage—in this one the gentlemen alone would find the scheme feasible. The idea is borrowed from the enterprising village of Parkhill, and it is especially applicable to the condition of our young men—those whom Canada bases her hope upon for the working out of her great and glorious future. The Parkhill people have established a mimic Parliament. They have organized a mimic House of Commons, with a Speaker, Premier, Leader of the Opposition, and all the other necessary officers. In this gathering, which meets once a week, they hold high debate on the living questions now before the country, and are thereby trained in public procedure. This training is unusually well fitted to raise up young men capable to occupy representative positions. The great cry all over the land is for capable young men, and why should Port Hope not supply some of them? The present generation of prominent men must in time pass away, and it will devolve upon others to administer the affairs of the country. They will have to be members of real parliaments. They will have to hold portfolios in Cabinets. They will be heads of Governments. What better plan then for laying a solid foundation for real public work could be devised than a mimic parliament. Of course, it would be indispensable to procure a gentleman for Speaker who unites in his composition good nature, judicial calmness, and quickness of perception. Such a scheme would be useful, too, in teaching our young men that, although they honestly differed on subjects with one another, it was not necessary to become personal enemies because they fought hard to win over others to their opinions. It should be made up of young men who hold different views of Canadian politics, and all should enter into an agreement with themselves to keep down personal feeling, to discuss earnestly the subject before the House, to treat opponents with candor and fairness, ever remembering that the immediate end in view is the individual cultivation of members.

Such plans entered into with a fair measure of regularity, enthusiasm and thoroughness, would furnish grand means of improvement to our young men and young women, and we trust these may be words in season, and that efforts will be put forth at once to bring them (or other better ones that may be suggested by any one) to full fruition.

THE Almonte *Gazette* (Grit) says:—We have no fault to find with the Finance Minister for visiting the manufacturing centres and informing himself on the operations of the N. P., because we think it is a most judicious course for him to pursue.

"THEN (after the Provincial Legislature is abolished) we suppose our provincial affairs will be run by Senator McPherson, the Port Hope TIMES and Ick Evans."—*Lindsay Post.* Hasten the day; that's just the kind of "fait" we want, and then you can look out for good, honest Government.

HOW IT HUMS HERE.

Mr. Peck, the United States Consul at Port Hope, Friday gave us for publication a statement of the exports from this port to the United States, for the months of October and November, just closed. The statement shows as the value of the exports a total amount of $630,780, as against $480,580 for the corresponding two months last year, the difference in favor of this year being $150,200, or an increase of over twenty-five per cent. The local free traders might find it very profitable work to attempt to square this statement with one of their favorite theories—that as a result of the adoption of a protective trade policy we would be shut out of the United States market. They were never tired of telling the farmers that the Yankees would retaliate, and we would be deprived of the American market for our barley and live stock. So have our cousins across the line done by allowing us to export no less than $11,755 worth of cattle, and $413,947 worth of barley from this one port alone in only two months of the year. Truly the facts are unkind to our free trade friends, and it is beginning to dawn upon some of them even at this late day, that the protection bugaboo is not quite so perverted a character as the *Globe* painted him. Time and circumstance are alike friendly to the protectionists and hostile to the free traders. While the exports of Port Hope show the gratifying increase of over $150,000, the revenue derived from duties upon imports also shows a considerable advance in the right direction. According to the statement furnished us by Mr. Burton, Collector of Customs at this port, and published in Friday's paper, November of this year outstrips November of last year by $724.57. This scarcely chimes with the theory that protection will destroy the revenue.

SHALL THE UNITED COUNTIES BE SEPARATED?

Right, like "Truth, crushed to the earth, will rise again."

Ten years ago the only real agitation for the division of the United Counties of Northumberland and Durham into two distinct and separate municipalities occurred. Then THE TIMES pointed out in detail the necessity which existed for the step urged, and now, after a decade has fully passed by, we again urge the attention of this all-important matter on the ratepayers of the County of Durham. It is right that the division should take place, and it is also expedient that the change should be made. It is to the interest of every township, village and town within the borders of Durham that this reform should be effected. Every ratepayer in Hope, Cavan, Manvers, Clarke, Darlington and Cartwright, in Newcastle, in Bowmanville, and in Port Hope, is equally interested in having a scheme of separation agreed upon and carried out. Therefore they should all unite and put an end to the foolish and anamalous state of affairs now existing in "these United Counties."

It is a well known fact that Durham pays the bulk of the taxes raised for the maintenance of the several United Counties works, etc., and it is also a positive fact that Durham reaps comparatively little benefit from the heavy county rate it has to pay into the counties' treasury. It is further a fact that Northumberland reaps the greatest advantage from the continuation of the existing counties arrangement, which is so detrimental to the true welfare of the county of Durham. The people of Northumberland, of course, do not wish to be deprived of the "soft" thing they have enjoyed all these years at our expense, but they are too intelligent and well-informed not to allow us the right to seek to do the best for ourselves. They know, as well as do the ratepayers of Durham, that it would be much less burdensome for the people of this county to support their own municipal and judicial institutions, than to continue to spend their hard-earned wealth in paying the piper for their neighbors; but they also know that they will on separation taking place have to foot their own bills. To separate, however, would be the right course to pursue, and therefore THE TIMES brings up the subject again for public discussion and hopes for a decisive settlement at an early day.

A very good plan suggests itself to us for the discovering of the real mind of the people on this great and important question. Let the representatives of the various townships in the county make this question a plank in their platform at the coming elections, and let the people, with a full understanding of the whole matter, decide whether or no the united counties shall be separated. We believe that the vote would be almost unanimous in favor of the division, and we can see no good reason why action should not be begun in the premises at once.

As in the past THE TIMES would support the claims of Port Hope in the matter of a county town, and it will do this without prejudice, believing that this town is the best situated and qualified to become the metropolis of so important a county as Durham. Port Hope is the only town in the county which has the necessary railway facilities to enable the people of the county easy access to transact their municipal and judicial business. Any other town would have to be driven to by the greater majority of the county's inhabitants, or else they would require to use two railways to reach their destination. Besides Port Hope is already the commercial county town of Durham, and with her railway facilities, her water powers, and her shipping port furnishes the greater inducements which conduce to material prosperity. We believe, therefore, that the true interest of the County would be served with Port Hope as the county town, and we trust that, as it is the interest of the other towns of the County of Durham to be separated from Northumberland, all sectional jealousy will be buried in the attainment of that desirable reform.

In concluding this article, we would suggest that by resolution some member of the Counties' Council will, at this week's session, elicit the views of the members of that body on this question. Full discussion, no matter how it terminates can do no harm, and taken in connection with the former suggestion to make the separation of the counties the question to be decided at the polls in the coming election may be the means of advancing what surely in the near or far future must come to pass. We trust, therefore, this suggestion may be made use of; that a full, free, fair and candid discussion of the question will be had this week, and that the ultimate result of it will be the amicable and satisfactory separation of the united counties into two distinct corporations.

WHERE DO THE SPOILS GO?

The Oshawa *Vindicator* administers the following facer to the inconsistent opponents of the National Policy:—

We have read the *Globe's* articles on the tariff. Of course they are clear and forcible, but we must confess to being puzzled upon one point—what becomes of the surplus? It shows that the mechanic is robbed by the farmer through the increased price of his provisions.

But the farmer gets no benefit, for he, in return, is robbed by the manufacturer, in the increased price he has to pay for the article he buys.

Neither does the stealing rest with the manufacturer, because, as it shows, the manufacturer is deprived of his ill-gotten gains by the duties on coal, iron and other raw materials.

Now, one would imagine that the stealings had been traced to their final resting place, and that the Government would be in possession of such an overwhelming treasury that it could create an office for every able-bodied citizen; but that consolation is rudely dissipated, for down comes the *Globe* with an array of figures to prove that the Government is actually getting less revenue than in the golden days of Mackenzie, Cartwright and Co'y. And still that conundrum bothers—"where do the spoils go?"

A NEW CONNECTION FOR THE MIDLAND.

It has often been predicted that with ample means the Midland railway could be made one of the best paying roads in Canada, and as time goes on its prospects continue to brighten. The Parry Sound *Star* in a recent issue thus refers to a new connection for the Midland, in the consummation of which Port Hope is largely interested, and which we hope will be vigorously carried forward:—

"The contemplated line would start from Coldwater on the Midland, cross the Severn River at the large mills bearing the same name, where some fifteen million feet of lumber is now produced annually, and proceed thence to Bala, a distance of thirty miles. Here the line would tap navigation in the Muskoka Lake and compete with the Northern in the large and growing trade of the Muskoka district. From Bala to this village is about thirty-five miles, and here the road would secure the great traffic now flowing into the Parry Sound district, and also the carrying of some thirty million feet of lumber annually manufactured here, which production is certain to largely increase, and which, in seeking an eastern market would nearly all pass over the road to Port Hope, paying for its transport from fifty to seventy-five thousand dollars annually. From Parry Sound the line would pass through a good agricultural country to the west end of Lake Nipissing, a distance of some forty-five miles, and would secure on its way the entire trade of the valley of the Maganattewan and French rivers, a lumber trade would immediately spring up which would tax the energies of the road to accommodate, as some seven thousand square miles of timber lands yet untouched by the lumberman's axe are to be found on these two streams and their tributaries. From the crossing of the French River near Lake Nipissing the line would follow, as it would from Bala, the preliminary line prospected by Mr. Murdoch, C. E., for the old Pacific Junction Railway, and would cross on the way the Sault, the Wahnapitata, the Whitefish, the Spanish, the Serpent, the Blind, the Thessalon and the Garden rivers, and rapidly becoming more important lumber districts, and which, it is estimated by competent authority, will, combined, produce within the next ten years one thousand million feet of lumber annually at a minimum cost each year of seven million dollars, the freight on which will aggregate some twenty million dollars annually.

It is true a large part of the lumber freight would go by water, and necessarily so, for no railway could accommodate it. These figures may be doubted by those unacquainted with the vast proportions of the lumber trade of this continent; but when we state that the official returns to October 28th show that no less than twelve hundred and sixty-nine million feet of lumber have been received during the present season at Chicago alone, and that the State of Michigan has for years produced over three thousand million feet per annum, it will be conceded by those acquainted with our vast lumber regions that our figures are more likely to be below than above the mark."

Editorial Notes.

The Ontario Legislature will meet on the 7th of January. The assembly will probably get through its business before the Dominion Parliament meets in February.

GUESS the *Globe's* correspondent to Bow Park fire must have allowed his toadyism to the Hon. the Dictator get the better of his judgment, else he would not have written about "unthreshed hay."

"There were nearly thirty mills and factories advertised for sale in a recent issue of the daily *Globe*. Doesn't the N. P. hum beautifully?"—*Port Hope Guide.* This shows two things: First, that it was not the N. P. but the Cartwright tariff that closed them; and secondly, that the owners conclude that since the N. P. has set in there is a chance to dispose of them. Some of these factories, it may further be said, are offered for sale because the owners have built new and larger establishments.—*Oshawa Vindicator.*

SHOULD the town feel disposed to aid by way of bonus any good company starting a good manufacturing establishment on his property, Captain Raynes will give dollar for dollar with the town, and will do all in his power to aid such an establishment.—*Bowmanville News.* That is the kind of men Canada wants. With energy and push our people can do anything, and it is to be hoped that many of them will be smitten with the same sort of disease that has evidently got possession of Capt. Raynes.

THERE are several matters that deserve the serious attention of the Ontario Legislature in regard to railways. 1st, to refuse charters to many of the schemes giving powers to construct new roads to kill the traffic of those barely able to pay running expenses. 2nd, to shut off the method now in vogue of building extensions at the expense of the parties who have furnished the supplies, and when seeking for payment, find themselves under the necessity of accepting a small composition or helpless in regard to legal remedies on account of what is known as the bondholders' lien. 3rd, to insert in the railway charters a clause that when bonuses are granted, the municipalities have a first lien, as well as a controlling voice in the granting of running powers to other railways, so that trade may not be diverted from places that have so largely contributed to its construction. The above are a few of the many defects in our railway system, and should be remedied.

THE Toronto *Telegram* often puts a great deal in a short space, and here is an instance of it:—"The frontage-tax question is being put forward again. If everybody paid his full share of taxes the frontage-tax plan would be fair enough. But everybody does not pay his full share of taxes by any means. If the advocates of the frontage-tax are really in earnest, they will first go to work and abolish all exemptions from municipal taxation. After that has been done the frontage-tax idea will soon become popular."

BELLEVILLE *Intelligencer*: The Detroit *Free Press* says: "Our marine columns announced that the tug *John A. Macdonald* went to the assistance of the schr. *Edward Blake.* As these two men are the strongest political opponents in the Dominion, it is not likely that that item will ever be reproduced in political life." Our contemporary is slightly mistaken, as in past times Sir John has extended assistance to Mr. Blake, in towing him off dangerous shoals of constitutional law on which he was stranded and might have broken up. Sir John is not a vindictive man, and would as readily help Mr. Blake out of a difficulty as the tug which is named after him would assist the schooner which bears Mr. Blake's name when in distress.

IN a recent issue we referred to the advantages to be derived from the formation of Farmers' clubs for the purpose of holding meetings and discussing matters of interest to all "tillers of the soil," and we trust our leading agriculturists will not lose sight of the subject. We notice that the club which met at Oshawa during last winter held an informal meeting the other day, at which it was decided to call another meeting at an early date, when the subject for discussion will be "What benefits have the members received from the discussions held last season." We shall look for the report of this meeting with interest, and give a synopsis for the benefit of our country readers.

CHICAGO, during the past week, held the first of the six day bicycle matches between the great English team and well known American riders. Wiser in their ways than the professional cricketers who came here the past autumn, the visiting bicyclists sufficiently handicapped themselves to make the race exciting. At the end of the match, Saturday night, the score stood: Cann 855 miles, and Stanton 810—total; 1,665; G. Harrison 858 miles, and Rutland 800—total, 1,658. Thus the victory of the English was only 7 miles in 1,665. But it must be remembered that the relative distances were not literally as they stand in these figures for a 100-mile handicap was placed on the Englishmen.

THE Ottawa *Citizen* says: Sir Charles Tupper put the case of the steel rails pretty strongly in his speech. The account without interest or other incidentals, stands thus:

50,000 tons at $54.60	$2,730,000
50,000 tons at $24.24	1,212,000
Total loss to the country	$1,518,000

But the purchase of Sir Charles Tupper at $24 24 was not only good compared with Mr. Mackenzie's former purchase in 1874; it is good as compared with the prices at present ruling, which are higher now than when he bought, At present the account reads thus:

50,000 tons at $24.24	$1,212,000
50,000 tons at £7 5s, stg	1,764,163
Saving to the country	$ 552,167

Thus, any way the case is looked at, the purchase of Sir Charles Tupper is a most creditable thing compared with the purchase of Mr. Mackenzie.

WHEN a journal professes that it is only anxious that truth should obtain, and allows its correspondents (that is, its regulars, over whom it has control,) to give currency to rumours to the detriment of the country and with a desire to mislead, it appears to us that the acme of hypocrisy has been reached by the short sighted organ. Last night a local paper allowed its Newcastle correspondent to say: "The powerful stroke of the engine in the Massey works has stopped, it is feared forever. Hums of all kinds doesn't hum worth a cent." The animus is seen in the last sentence. The correspondent knew, and the journal itself knew, that the business of the Massey works had grown so extensively because of the hum that they had to enlarge their borders, and extend the sphere of their operations. And all because of the "hum" induced by the National Policy the Massy works company found it necessary and to their interest to remove to Toronto, where they have erected buildings double the size of their former ones in Newcastle. So our contemporary had better tally another one for the N. P., instead of try to make bogus depressions out of change of location.

"DEPLORABLE.—A Toronto telegram reports the following: 'On Saturday last a barrister of this city, who had been down to the Ottawa banquet, was brought home in a state of mental derangement. The train on its arrival, halted at the foot of York street, where a cab and several friends were in waiting, and into it by the united strength of a number of men the unfortunate gentleman was placed, and ultimately conveyed to his home.'" When a political party or its organs finds it necessary to descend to despicable means to cast odium on their opponents, it is time honorable men made their influence felt, and the offenders visited with the punishment their offences call for. The above paragraph appeared in the *Guide* on the 2nd inst., but was copied from the Toronto *Globe.* There is but one inference to be taken from the above—that the gentleman referred to had gone to Ottawa to attend the banquet given in honor of Sir John Macdonald, and his colleagues—became intoxicated, and after so much dissipation returned home to his disgraced friends in a deranged condition. The facts of the case are that the gentleman referred to, who is one of the leading barristers of Toronto, and the solicitor for one of our most prominent monetary institutions, did not visit Ottawa to attend the banquet, and was not present at it, but went there to transact important professional business, which entailed a great deal of hard work and study, and under which a painful mental malady was brought on during which the unfortunate gentleman was deprived of his reason. The grief of his family, in consequence of this affliction, surely was deep enough without adding needlessly to it by grossly indecent representations, and the *Globe* and its followers should blush with shame for having, for the sake of making an apparent point against their political opponents, hypocritically folded their hands and lamented over the "weaknesses" of poor humanity. The uncharitableness of the paragraph must elicit the disgust and loathing of every one possessing a spark of honor.

AN honest, conscientious farmer is Mr. William H. Wood. These distinguishing and possibly rare traits of character may be gathered from his address to the electors of Cavan, which we have reproduced in another column. Its orthography leads one to the belief that Mr. Wood's is an eccentric gentleman, and believes in the Phonetic method of spelling. But we are informed that such is not the case—he is only eccentric in his honesty, and issues the address as distributed to the world simply because he thinks he would be committing an almost unpardonable sin if he allowed any one else better skilled in the correct spelling of the Queen's English to "fix up" the little document. That course would be deceiving the electors, and it is needless to add Mr. Wood is of those who believe that honesty will be of more use to his constituents than ability. Honesty of purpose is a good thing, but unless it is united now-a-days to education and ability it is not of much service in frustrating the designs of the evil inclined.

THE Port Dover *Independent*, a paper not inimical to the National Policy, says: "We always had the opinion that Port Hope was one of the most prosperous and flourishing towns in Ontario. Imagine our surprise, therefore, on opening the other day, a copy of the Port Hope *Guide*, published by Mr. Geo. Wilson, formerly of Port Dover, that the town is just on the verge of bankruptcy. We showed the article to a friend who had disposed of his business and was about removing there, but on discovering the true state of things he wisely concluded not to go. We are sorry things have gone to the dogs so in Port Hope." Now, here is direct evidence that in one case at least the *Guide* has used its influence to the detriment of Port Hope, and who knows how many more will be deterred from settling here simply through that ill-considered article on the hum in this town, and which has been so extensively copied into the unpatriotic Grit press of Canada. For the benefit of the *Independent's* friend we may say that the story told by the *Guide* is not founded upon fact, and further that Port Hope has done a much larger business this year than during any for the last half decade. The article was written to bolster up a bad case throughout the province, and without caring whether Port Hope suffered or not.

JEFFERSON DAVIS, the ex-President of the Confederate States, will open his eyes with wonder when he opens the Fredrickton, N. B., *Star* and reads his own obituary as follows:—"Jeff. Davis, the celebrated rebel leader, died in Chicago Sunday afternoon. He was 53 years old, and he had a remarkable career. Since the rebellion, though, his life has been uneventful, and lacked the fire and frenzy that made him notorious in earlier days. The most heard of him lately is in the song: 'We'll hang Jeff. Davis to a sour apple tree.' May his perturbed spirit rest in peace till another trump with louder tones than the 'retreat' at Gettysburg wakes him. It would be appropriate that every Ethiopian from Dan to Bersheeba hang out their brightest colors in joy for his death." A clear case of mistaken identity—the Jeff. Davis who did die had a "C." for his middle name, and he was only a "Col." in the Yankee ranks during the war.

EDUCATIONAL.

Notes and News Interesting to Parents, Pupils and Teachers.

Napanee has petitioned for a *larger* Government grant to its model *school.*

Mr. Black, of Napanee schools, has had his salary increased to $500.

1,114 pupils attended St. Thomas schools in November.

The Napanee school board has increased Mr. Black's salary $75.

Lindsay would not raise the salaries of three lady teachers to $225 this year.

Port Rowan High School has an efficient staff of teachers, and their efforts are beginning to bear fruit.

Miss Holtoof has been engaged to teach a junior class in the Lindsay Union School.

The annual school meeting in rural sections must be held on the 31st December this year.

Collingwood's new Collegiate Institute cost about $5,000. The building is 65x 95 feet, and has a tower 75 feet high.

The Collingwood Collegiate Institute Board thinks of imposing a small tuition fee for the future.

Miss Alberta Dowling has been engaged to teach in Napanee at $200 per year.

The total attendance of the Napanee schools for November was 636, with a daily average of 489.

The fund for establishing an East Indian Institute at Oxford, is rapidly growing.

There are now 392 students at Dartmouth, 226 being in the academical department.

Swarthmore College (the Friends College) has now 265 students, about one-half being Friends.

A drawing teacher for the Detroit public schools has been appointed, with a salary of $100 a month.

Wellington County Council will not give an equivalent grant to Guelph High School for the first half of 1879.

A reduction of the cost of conducting examinations has been effected in Wellington.

Napanee school board has signed the petition for increased Government grants to high schools and collegiate institutes.

Peterboro' teachers' convention has a most successful and interesting series of sessions on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. W. Chipman, B.A.S., has resigned the mathematical teachership of Napanee high school.

Lindsay has signed the petition for an increased Government grant to high schools.

Wellington County Council has authorized its Inspector to collect $5 from certain non-residents who presented themselves for examination in that county.

Mr. B. W. Wood, for many years master of the Fenelon Falls schools, has accepted a teachership of the Commercial Form in Pickering College, at $700 per annum.

The anticipated intention of the Oxford University Commissioners to reduce the value and tenure of college scholarships is giving rise to some uneasiness among those interested in university education in England. A memorial submitting the inexpedience of such a change is about to be presented to the Commissioners.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Interesting News Respecting Noted Men and Women.

Mr. Herbert Spencer intends to spend the Winter in Egypt.

Edgar Allan Poe's old Richmond teacher, Mr. J. H. Clark, now lives at a venerable age in Baltimore.

Miss Rogers, a cousin of Richard Cobden, has just been distinguishing herself greatly at Oxford.

A movement to present a purse of $250 000 to General Grant is reported by the *Cincinnati Commercial*.

Queen Victoria has sent to Major Chard a valuable diamond ring as a mark of her appreciation of his heroic conduct at Rorke's Drift.

The Czarewitch and the Czarevna made themselves very pleasant during their recent visit to Berlin. The natural grace and charming manner of Princess Dagmar delighted everybody.

Lord Beaconsfield was observed out walking in London the other day in "his patrician ulster of faintest fawn-color, in its button hole a chrysanthemum," and looking serene and in excellent health.

Robert Burns's copy of "Milton" has just been presented to St. Paul's School, the school in which Milton was educated. It bears the poet's autograph on the title-page of each volume.

It is rumoured that next spring, the Marquis and Princess will entertain a number of the British aristocracy at Rideau Hall. If the news prove true, their will be lively times for the Ottawa merchants.

Christina of Spain has magnificent jewels—diamonds, rubies, sapphires and emeralds in plenty. She also has "a black silk toilet sewn with real pearls and trimmed with red and yellow—Spanish colors."

Mr. Mori, the former Japanese Minister at Washington, is, it is said, to be accredited to England in the same capacity. He knows English very well, has good ability, and is a man of excellent presence. His charming wife will accompany him to England.

Holmes breakfast, at Boston, to-morrow, will be the presentation to Dr. Holmes of a fine three-quarter sixe oil photograph of his friend Longfellow, from the studio of a New York artist. This will be accompanied by a similar portrait of the Doctor himself.

Kossuth, old as he is, daily devotes ten hours out of every twenty-four to writing and arranging the book in which he is giving to the world not only his personal memoirs, but his political writings and speeches. The first volume will appear almost immediately, and in five European languages.

M. Bischoffsheim, wishing to be very polite to the King and Queen of Italy, offered them his Bordighfera villa, rent free, for the season. Their Majesties, however, preferred to pay rent, and the wealthy banker has determined to spend the amount of the rent—$2,400—in fetes celebrating their royal arrival.

Prince Milan Obrenovich, the reigning soverign of Servia, is said to be a strong believer in the Divine Right theory, exacting from all who surround him the most slavish subservience, and feeling no difference between a Minister of State and a Court footman as far as concerns the measure of servility they owe to him.

Standing Bear, the Ponca chief who has been visiting Boston, is described as a man of immense frame and imposing presence. He has peculiarly sad eyes, and a worn and despondent aspect; but as he speaks he grows earnest, and his face lights up. Brighteyes, the Indian girl who interprets his speeches, is remarkably intelligent. She is twenty-four years old, and intends to study at Wellesley College.

Queen Victoria's appreciation of faithful service has always done her honor. For twenty-five years John Grant was head keeper at Balmoral and a great favorite of the Prince Consort. When in 1873 his failing health obliged this old servant to give up his work, the Queen gave him a cottage near the castle and often visited him during his last illness. He died lately, just as the Court was about to return to England, and in order "to pay the last mark of respect" to his memory the Queen delayed her journey for several days.—*New York Tribune.*

Sir Stafford Northcote as Chancellor of the Exchequer, the guardian of the late Abyssinian Prince Alamayu, and in his capacity of guardian was present at the youth's funeral at Windsor. Each successive Chancellor since the Abyssinian war has become the guardian of the Prince. Two years before the death of Alamayu's father, King Theodore, he expressed a wish that his two sons should be adopted children of the English, in order that when he died they might be looked after, "and not be allowed to govern badly."

THE DISTRICT.

All the News in its Papers Boiled Down to Suit the "Times" Columns.

Good sleighing at Bobcaygeon.

Bobcaygeon has a professional pork packer now.

Reeve Fairbairn, Warden of Victoria, is recovering from typhoid fever.

Cattle have been shipped back of the Bob for England.

Deer hunters in Burleigh have been very successful this season.

The small lakes to the north are all frozen over.

Prince Edward will probably support the Murray canal scheme.

Napanee Council paid out $4,003.57 in November.

Richard Highley, a Napanee printer, has gone to California.

Victoria County Council meets on the 16th.

Lindsay: For November, births, 8; marriages, 7; deaths, 20.

Lindsay is paying $2 per cord for street stone.

Mr. Peter Greenan, of Ops, died last week. He was 83 years old.

Mr. Rickaby's, of Lindsay, barn burned down $200 worth last week.

Lindsay has now a mail from the east at 9 a. m. daily.

A change of officers in the Peterboro' fire brigade has taken place.

50,000 bushels of Bay of Quinte barley is being shipped to Chicago.

Colin S. Rankin, of Lindsay, has become in the usual manner an attorney.

Mr. A. McLaren, Sr., resigned the treasurership of the Tyendinaga Council on account of old age.

Lieut.-Col. Deacon, Mr. F. C. Taylor, and Mr. Wm. McDonnell, of Lindsay, are mentioned for the Mayoralty.

James Houlihan, of Downeyville, very nearly lost his life by a threshing machine accident last week.

The Peterboro' people are considering the best system of child education, the Kintergarten.

A Peterboro' girl, after dancing 19 consecutive hours, pleaded for the band to play just one more tune.

There is a dearth of servant girls in Napanee since the new woollen mills gave them employment.

Ellen Martis, of Napanee, has been sent to gaol for 6 days for stealing clothing.

Napanee *Express* complains that the Crooks' license act is shamefully disregarded by hotel keepers there, and puts in a plea for the Dunkin act.

On Friday last bonuses to the Toronto and Ottawa railway were passed in Madoc village, $5,000, by 25 majority; in Elziver township, $12,000, by 10 majority; and in Marmora, $10,000, by 20 majority.

On Thursday last, as soon as the result of Prof. Chapman's analysis was known, Mr. Williams and others went to Tamworth and effected a lease of the Wager mine for 99 years at 10 cents per ton of ore.

The *Maple Leaf*, Bobcaygeon, has been laid up for the winter. According to the *Independent* the number of miles travelled by the *Maple Leaf* during the season was 7,009, distributed as follows:—May, 1,029 miles; June, 1,129; July, 1,109; August, 1,091; September, 1,092; October, 1,192; November, 458. There was no accident, nor any breakage, and the total cost of repairs during the season was less than $1.

CHEERING ITS CHILDHOOD.

The Press Encouraging its Baby Brother, The Port Hope Times.

NEAT.—The Port Hope DAILY TIMES is now a picture of neatness. It is fresh and newsy, and its general get up is good.—*Pembrooke Observer.*

A NEW VENTURE.—We have received a copy of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES. It is well printed, and we wish our contemporary every success.—*St. John's (Nfld) Times.*

A LIVE PAPER.—We have received the opening numbers of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, and as they give promise of the paper being a live one, we have pleasure in placing it on our exchange list.—*Hamilton Daily Spectator.*

CREDITABLE.—We have received the DAILY TIMES, of Port Hope, published by Mr. J. B. Trayes, also the Daily——, the third daily of the same place. They are both exceedingly creditable papers for a town the size of Port Hope, but that three papers can live there is impossible.—*Oshawa Vindicator.*

ABLY EDITED.—By last mail from Canada we received several Nos. of a Daily Newspaper recently issued at Port Hope, Ontario, entitled the Port Hope DAILY TIMES. This paper is Conservative in politics, appears to be ably edited, and gives a good summary of local and general news, including a telegraphic synopsis of the day's intelligence from different parts of the new and old worlds. The TIMES is the third daily paper published at Port Hope, and, judging from its advertising patronage, appears to be well supported. It is published at one cent per single copy, or $4 per annum.—*Royal Gazette, Newfoundland.*

BRIGHT AND CLEAN.—Several copies of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES has reached us. It is small, as becometh an uncertain enterprise, but interesting as a local paper, and attractive for its foreign news by special telegram, which we presume it furnishes earlier than can be obtained in the larger dailies. If Port Hope sustains the TIMES, it will sustain a bright clean reflector, with the certainty of its being always kept in that condition, so long as Mr. Trayes has hold of the soap and water.—*Central Canadian.*

NEED NOT HAVE SO MANY MISGIVINGS.—We have received the initial and subsequent numbers of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, published by our esteemed friend, J. B. Trayes. The paper, as might be expected, bears abundant evidence of his skill and experience in the "art preservative," and is filled to repletion with news matter suitable for all classes of readers. The "make-up" is somewhat similar to that of the WEEKLY TIMES,—a paper that has earned for itself an enviable notoriety among the weekly press of the Province—and the arrangement of the telegraphic, local and editorial items might be copied with great advantage by more pretentious journals nearer home. We think our friend need not have so many misgivings as to the ultimate success of the DAILY TIMES. It has already a large number of live "ads"—the bone and sinew of an enterprise of its kind—and we feel safe in asserting that if any man can "run" a daily successfully in a town containing only seven or eight thousand inhabitants, then J. B. Trayes is that individual.—*Orange Sentinel.*

JOURNALISM IN CANADA.—Some particularly silly person, according to public report, is about to afflict Port Hope with another newspaper. There are at present in that town two newspapers. One of course is a Howling Grit, the other a Pighead Tory. But they are both favorable samples of their class, and are considerably above the average. It may indeed be said that the Port Hope TIMES is as good a country paper as is published in any town in Ontario. Both the TIMES and the Grit organ, the *Guide*, publish daily and weekly. What on earth, then, can be the public advantage or the prospect of private emolument, in starting another paper? The individual who finds the money for the new venture will regret his venture before twelve months is over, or else this journal will be mistaken, and that, of course, is impossible. The fact is obvious to all who know anything about this matter that there are by far too many papers in Ontario. Where so many are in existence it is absolutely impossible for any of them to earn more than a bare subsistence, and consequently as a rule only persons of very moderate attainments and means are engaged in the business. This reacts on the population, for where the leaders of thought are inferior in talent and poor in purse, they cannot elevate the public on the one hand, nor can they remain superior to the pecuniary temptations of party politics on the other. A few good journals, conducted with skill, talent, and enterprise, would be much more to the advantage of the public than a much larger number of sheets issued in the interests of no one in particular but the local advertisers. In the instance of Port Hope this is peculiarly the case. The Port Hope papers, as we have said, are exceptionally good ones, but if you reduce their means of subsistence, you reduce at the same time their means of sustaining their exceptional excellence. The question is this:—is it best to have two good papers, or three poor ones, or for one of them to be run out of the field and its proprietor ruined? One of the above three positions will certainly be attained in Port Hope, and we think it will be the latter. If so, and the new comer is the ruined man, he will not be entitled to the slightest sympathy.—*Bobcaygeon Independent.*

DESERVES SUCCESS.—Port Hope has a new daily, The TIMES. It is neatly got up and deserves success. If the business men of Port Hope are wise they will give the new daily a generous support.—*Brussels Post.*

VERY NEAT.—We have received a copy of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES which is a very neat and spicy Daily. It is well printed and presents a very, healthy appearance, judging from its advertising columns. We wish the proprietor success.—*Waterford Star.*

A CREDIT.—We congratulate Mr. Trayes of the Port Hope TIMES on his daily edition, copies of which we have lately received. It is a credit to the enterprise of a rising town. We hope it may be well sustained.—*Prescott Messenger.*

LIVELY.—A daily paper has lately been started in Port Hope, called the Port Hope DAILY TIMES. It is a lively little Conservative sheet, and from the large number of "ads" it contains we believe it will be a success.—*Wingham Advance.*

A PROMISING SHEET.—The DAILY TIMES is the title of a new paper received from Port Hope. It is a spicy, well-printed, and promising sheet, and we hope its proprietor, Mr. J. B. Trayes, may reap the reward of his courageous enterprise,—*Embro Express.*

NEAT.—The Port Hope TIMES has followed the example of the Peterboro' *Review*, and commenced the issue of a daily. The DAILY TIMES is a neat four-page journal of five columns to the page, and looks as it deserved to succeed, and we sincerely hope it will.—*Strathroy Despatch.*

WELL EDITED.—The Port Hope' DAILY TIMES is somewhere about eight days old, and is a very creditable venture by the publisher. It is well edited, neatly printed, and will do much in bringing Port Hope forward' in the first rank of towns in the Dominion.—*Brampton Banner.*

FIRST-CLASS PRINT.—We have before us a copy of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, a new sheet just entering upon the list of journals. Mr. J. B. Trayes is editor and proprietor. It is a twenty column sheet gotten up in a very neat style, newsy and humorous. The print is first-class, clear and clean. We bespeak for it success.—*Leamington Post.*

BRIMFUL OF DASH.—Several numbers of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES arrived by our last mail, a new and spicy little sheet of 20 columns, as brimful of dash and enterprise as the old frontier town from whence it hails. Its plucky publisher is deserving of a hearty support, which we hope he will fully realize.—*Algoma Pioneer.*

HEALTHY AND BUSINESS LIKE.—We have this week received a copy of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, a neat and news-filled little 20-column paper, lately started in that town by Mr. J. B. Trayes. The issue before us is replete with local and general news, and presents a healthy and business appearance and will no doubt receive the support it merits from the citizens of Port Hope.—*Teeswater News.*

A VERY CREDITABLE START.—We have been in receipt for the last week, of a new daily paper that has been started by Mr. J. B. Trayes, of Port Hope, in conjunction with his weekly. The new venture is called the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, and has made a very creditable start, the contents being of such a racy and entertaining nature that its appearance every evening will be looked forward to with interest. Shove ahead, friend Trayes.—*Pembroke Journal.*

EDITORIALS DISPLAY SKILL.—We have received a number of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES. published by J. B. Trayes, The sheet is neatly printed and its editorials display a skill and ability that will do honor to the cause it espouses. Port Hope seems to be improving and the present number of the TIMES displays a show of patronage that augurs a prosperous career and a well merited appreciation.—*East Kent Plaindealer.*

SUPERINTENDED WITH A MASTER HAND.—We have received one of the initial numbers of the TIMES, a new daily just started in Port Hope by Mr. Trayes. This venture in the journalistic line, taking into consideration the reputed number of Port Hopers, is not without considerable risk, in a financial point of view, but as the Port Hope TIMES appears to be superintended with a master hand, if it is only given that public support which its merits deserve, it may prove alike advantageous to the public and its enterprising publisher.—*Listowel Banner.*

EDITORIALS WELL WRITTEN.—"The Port Hope DAILY TIMES" is the title of a neatly printed sheet, hailing from the flourishing and handsome town of Port Hope, the third number of which has come to our office. It is well filled with the latest telegraphic news of the day as well as other items of interest. The editorials are well written, and better still, its politics have the true ring of Conservatism. Its motto is, "a free and united people, cherishing British connection," The price is $4 per annum, single copies only one cent. Its advertising patronage would indicate a good support. We wish the enterprising proprietor much success.—*L'Original Advertiser.*

CAVAN COUNCIL.

At the meeting of this council held on November 21, there were present: Reeve Ferguson, in the chair; Deputy Reeves Campbell and Hunter, and Couns. Foster and Boyd. On motion: Deputy-Reeve Campbell, Dr. Gilmour, and Mr. John Greer were appointed to attend to the case of John McClung, an indigent person, who recently had been severely burned during an epileptic fit. $30 was ordered to be paid to David and William Lewis, for attendance on John McClung. $3 was granted to Wm. Kimmons, an indigent, for the purpose of purchasing a cook stove. These gentlemen presented the following claims for sheep killed by dogs, and on motion they were each allowed two-thirds of their claims: S. Staples, $6; Jas. Tracey, $2.50; Robt. Byers, $4.50; S. Ferguson, $2.50. "The Reeve, as chairman of the committee appointed to purchase a horse for the collector, Geo. Campbell, reported that at a meeting of the committee, Councillor Boyd was deputed to purchase a suitable animal. Mr. Boyd reported that he had bought a mare from Mr. Wm. Fallis, for the sum of $130, provided that Mr. Campbell, Collector, considered her suitable for him; that he had informed the Reeve of the price agreed upon, who said that he was satisfied provided that the mare was worth the money; and that he (Mr. Boyd) did not consider that he was restricted as to the sum to be paid for a suitable animal. Councillor Foster stated that the price was not to exceed $85. Moved by Mr. Foster, seconded by Mr. Campbell, that the sum of $85, and no more, be paid, by this Council, for the horse purchased for the Collector from Mr. Wm. Fallis.—*Carried.*

A motion made by Messrs. Ferguson and Boyd that $130 be allowed for the purchase of the horse was lost. A by-law closing a part of the public road on the west side of lot 4, 3rd con., and to open a new road through part of the same lot was passed. The next election was suitably provided for, according to custom. The position of Wm. Fallis and others respecting the opening of the middle road across the first concession was left over till next year. These indigents were each granted $6: Rachel Cunningham, Mary Burnham, Thomas Beatty, William Emerson and Barney Archer. Council adjourned to meet on the 19th December at the Town hall, Millbrook.

Ottawa teachers association had a very successful gathering on Friday and Saturday, and many subjects were discussed in a very practical manner.

A writer of the Fredricton, N. B., *Star* wants free industrial schools established—schools to train poor children something of use to start life's battle with.

Gratitude is the memory of the heart.

Too swift arrives as tardy as too slow.

Knowledge is more than equivalent to force.

That glory is short which is given and received from men.

Beware of him who hates the laugh of a child, or children.

Justice is like a glass, which cannot be bent, but is easily broken.

No cord or cable can draw so forcibly, or bind so fast, as love can do with only a single thread.

Letters from friends are sunbeams on life's horizon that cheer our way and lighten labor.

As the error of a moment makes the sorrow of a life, so one good deed done, is the joy of a life.

A failure establishes only this, that our determination to succeed was not strong enough.

There is happiness enough in the world for all of us. The chief difficulty is in getting our share of it.

Let us take care how we speak of those who have fallen on life's field. Help them up—not heap scorn upon them. We did not see the conflict. We do not know the scars.

MARRIED.

By the Rev. Mr. Laird, at the parsonage, Port Hope, on the 8th inst., Mr. THOMAS BARNES, to Miss SARAH JANE HOOEY, all of the Township of Hope.

Millbrook, Bethany, and Clarke Special Notices.

WM. VANCE, Millbrook, dealer in Choice Family Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, School Books, Stationery, &c. The highest market price paid for Farm Produce. Also, agent for THE PORT HOPE TIMES.

GRANDY & KELLY, Grain dealers, Bethany pay the Highest Market Price for all kinds of grain at all seasons of the year.

J. J. JONES', Newtonville, is the place to buy first-class goods of all descriptions very cheaply. Remember he keeps nothing else. Farm produce taken in exchange.

FAIR & TATE, Centreville, South Monaghan, General Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, etc., etc. Teas a specialty. All kinds of Farmers' Produce taken in exchange for goods. 42-

Notice to Creditors.

PURSUANT to an order of the Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of WILLIAM DAWSON, and in a cause Dawson against Dawson, the creditors of WILLIAM DAWSON, late of the Township of South Monaghan, in the County of Northumberland, yeoman, who died in or about the month of April, 1879, are on or before the FOURTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1880, to send by post, pre-paid, to Messrs. Scott & Edwards, of the Town of Peterborough, Ontario, the Solicitors of the Plaintiff, MIRIAM DAWSON, the Administratrix of the Deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses, and description, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them; or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order. Every creditor holding any security, is to produce the same before me at my Chambers, at Cobourg, on the THIRTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1880, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

W. H. WELLER,
Master at Cobourg.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1879. 50-5t.

Chancery Sale of Valuable Farm in Clarke.

PURSUANT to order of the Court of Chancery made in a suit BRADLEY v. BRADLEY, there will be sold with the approbation of the undersigned, Master of the Court, at LOVE'S HOTEL, in the Village of NEWTONVILLE, at one o'clock in the afternoon, on SATURDAY the 20th DAY of DECEMBER, 1879, the following well known arm in one parcel:

The North West quarter of Lot number thirteen (13) in the fourth (4) Concession of the Township of Clarke, in the County of Durham, containing fifty acres more or less, of which 45 acres are cleared and well fenced, of a light loam and in a good state of cultivation, the remainder is timbered with hardwood, cedar and hemlock.

There is a frame dwelling house and frame barn and an orchard of about 20 young apple trees on the land, which is also well watered. The property is in the occupation of Mr. Willis Farrow as Tenant, is about eight miles from Newcastle, four miles from Orono, and five miles from Newtonville, which are readily accessible and are good markets.

TERMS—Ten per cent down and the balance in one month from day of Sale without Interest. In other respects the conditions of Sale are the standing conditions of the Court.

There will be a reserved bid.

Further particulars and conditions of Sale may be had gratis at the Master's Office, at the Law Office of W. Kerr, Esq., and H. F. Holland, Esq., Cobourg; and John Wright, Esq., Port Hope.

Dated 14th Nov. 1879.

w47-5t W. H. WELLER.

LOST.

One Red Cow in calf, & 1 Cow & 3 Steers from the Molson Pond Farm Port Hope, during the last two months marked A on the right hip. Costs of keeping will be paid by the owner on returning one or all the animals.

Apply to
JAS. AIKINS,
w, 48-tf. Port Hope.

PINE LOT FOR SALE.

VALUABLE PINE LOT for sale containing 200 Acres, being Lot. 16, in 1st Con. of Manvers, County of Durham. From 20 to 25 acres is cleared and fenced. All the rest is covered with unculled pine timber with some Oak on the North-West corner. Cash price $15 per acre. Liberal terms will be given if required. Apply by letter to

EDWARD PAYNE,
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An Elegant Black Lustre Dress, full length, only $2. A Full Dress of fashionable Serge for $1.50. A Fine Stylish Cloth Mantle, only $2.50. French Kid Gloves in Light and Dark Shades, at 50c. Ladies and Gents lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, cheap. Handsome Silk Cushioned Tassels, only 50c. per Set. New Ribbons, new Rouchings, new Laces. Fashionable Hats and Bonnets, price low. Ladies Woollen Jackets, Squares Clouds, &c.

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d5-w E. SHEPHERD.

FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY

To the Ladies of Port Hope and Vicinity,

MRS. RYAN

IS desirous of closing out the balance of the Stock. During the holidays, all goods will be sold at the

LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

A Nice Trimmed Hat for $1 50.

Misses Trimmed Hats from $1 00.

Ladies Trimmed Bonnets for $2 00.

Mantles Ready-Made and made to Order and Cut and Fitted at Reasonable Prices, as the stock is new and well assorted. Ladies desiring anything in Millinery and Mantles will find it to their advantage to call before purchasing. Mourning orders a Specialty. Ladies Own Material Made to Order.

MRS. RYAN,
w. 50-4t. Quinlan's Block, Walton St. Port Hope.

ESTABLISHED 21 YEARS.

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DIRECT IMPORTERS,

Have to hand the bulk of their FALL and WINTER DRY GOODS; having been bought in England for Cash, at PRICES lower than ever in their long experience. The Goods are all fresh from manufacturers and will be sold at correspondingly low prices to meet the wants of these hard times.

They would particularly direct the attention of the public to their NEW WINCEYS, DRESS GOODS, and specially BLACK FRENCH CASHMERES, which for value stand unsurpassed this season. The aim of this firm is to keep the best class of goods, and to sell at the lowest possible price.

Another Large Lot of those Choice French Kid Gloves at 60 Cents.

Choice Millinery and Mantle Goods now on exhibition. Inspection invited.

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Having on hand a LARGE NUMBER of the Latest kinds of

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DESIRES to express his thanks to the citizens of Port Hope and vicinity for the very liberal share of patronage given him since he opened the store on the NORTH-WEST CORNER OF WALTON AND ONTARIO STREETS, and respectfully invites those who have not yet called upon him to do so, and inspect his stock of

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TEACHER WANTED.

FOR School Section, No. 11, Female, holding 3rd class certificate. Apply immediately, if by letter to

A. H. TRENOUTH, Port Hope,
49-4t or at the residence, Lot No. 4, Con. 6, Hope.

FARM FOR SALE.

THE South half of Lot No. 16, 8th Con. Hope, except 10 acres thereof. Immediate possession will be given. Apply to JOHN WILSON on the premises or to D. CHISHOLM, Barrister, Port Hope.

December, 1879. 49-4t.

J. BAXTER, M. D.,

MEMBER of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh; Member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ont.; late Resident Physician and Surgeon to the St. John General Public Hospital; late Physician and Surgeon to the Alms House and Gaol for the City and County of St. John; late Surgeon to the St. John Penitentiary, etc. Consulting Physician and Surgeon. OFFICE: Centreville, South Monaghan, P.O., Ont. 38-13t

SCANDAL.

A woman to the holy father went,
Confession of sins was her intent;
And so her misdemeanors great and small
She faithfully rehearsed them all;
And, chiefest in her catalogue of sin
She owned that she a tale-bearer had been,
And borne a bit of scandal up and down
To all the long-tongued gossips in the town.
The holy father for her other sin
Granted the absolution asked of him;
But while for all the rest he pardon gave,
He told her this offence was very grave;
And that to do fit penance she must go
Out by the wayside where the thistles grow
And, gathering the largest, ripest one,
Scatter its seeds, and then when this was done,
She must come back again another day,
To tell him his commands she did obey.
The woman thinking this penance light,
Hastened to do his will that very night,
Feeling right glad she had escaped so well:
Next day but one she went the priest to tell;
The priest sat still and heard her story through,
And said, "There is something still for you to do;
Those little thistle seeds which you have sown,
I bid you go re-gather every one."
The woman said, "But, Father, 'twould be vain,
To gather up those seeds again;
The winds have scattered them both far and wide,
Over the meadowed vale and mountain side
The Father answered, "Now I hope from this
The lesson I have taught, you will not miss;
You cannot gather back the scattered seeds,
Which far and wide will grow to noxious weeds;
Nor can the mischief once by scandal sown,
By any penance be again undone."

—M. E. C. JOHNSON.

THE DISTRICT.

All the News in its Papers Boiled Down to Suit the "Times" Columns.

Sleighing at the Bob.

Woodville has a skating rink.

Lakefield wants a bank agency.

Pork is five cents in Bobcaygeon.

Navigation has closed at Lakefield.

Teameetings are booming in Napanee.

Whitby dredging is done for this season.

Mr. Peter Currie, of Lorneville, died last week.

Mud, or Chemong, lake was frozen over last week.

Prof. Raymond has opened a dancing school in Omemee.

Fenelon Falls has between 50 and 100 English sparrows.

Bosco postponed the Napanee poor's dinner one week.

Edwin W. Brown, of Richmond, killed a snowy owl last week.

Michael Shine, a lunatic, has been committed to Lindsay gaol.

Real estate changes have been numerous around Lindsay during the past week.

Extensive lumbering operations are in full blast north of Bobcaygeon.

The Presbyterian driving shed at Bobcaygeon is being rebuilt.

James Montgomery paid $15 and costs for Bobcaygeon justice last week.

Mr. Henry Toole will supply the Midland with 60,000 ties this winter.

The mixed train on the Victoria Railway has been cancelled for the winter.

Bobcaygeon constable Cheetham is giving the utmost satisfaction.

About New Years Haliburton will have a high old social time of it.

The Bell boys of Galway have killed eight deer already this season.

Napanee division court business occupied two days last month.

A 40 cents a head fireman's oyster supper will be held in Napanee, Dec. 3rd.

The Campbell house and G. T. R. station, Napanee, are telephonically connected.

Mr. Geo. German now runs a daily stage between Lakefield and Peterboro'.

Lakefield will discuss the Trent Valley canal scheme to-morrow evening.

The Peterboro' cheese box factory and planing mill has been resuscitated.

The recent visitation of small-pox to Mill Point cost the village $1,200.

At Napanee, Nov. 25, died Chas. Paisley, a very respected gentleman, aged 56.

The new woollen factory at Napanee is to be lit with gas.

A new sluice-way, 30 feet wide, has been put in at Whilla's dam, near Peterboro'.

South Dummer Methodist have improved their church $197.19 worth.

Mr. F. C. Taylor is mentioned as the next mayor of Lindsay.

The Napanee *Beaver* publishes a black list —that is the names of subscribers who haven't paid up.

$148 50 has already been collected towards placing a bell on St. James' church, Fenelon Falls.

Joseph McArthur, of Fenelon Falls, lost a nice driving mare last week from inflammation.

The Fenelon Falls Methodist church chandelier took a tumble to itself—and a general smash resulted.

James Grace and Norman McMurtry of Lindsay, have passed their primary law exams.

The country north of Lakefield will supply 100,000 ties and 6,000 cords of wood this winter.

The Midland Central Poultry Association show will be held at Peterboro' on the 10th, 11th and 12th February next.

Jos. Morgan, a well-to-do farmer of Galway, has been rendered unfit for business by emotional religious insanity.

The *Deseronto* struck an iceburg between Napanee and Mill Point last week, and stove a hole in her bow.

Napanee votes on the Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec railway to-day. $20,000 is at stake.

Miss Duff has been advanced one department in the Lakefield school. Miss Braden and Miss Munro are two new teachers in the same school.

Norwood sportsmen had poor luck last week, but it is easily accounted for, the *Register* having chronicled their non-success by letting out that they were in a "chaise."

A man came all the way from Owen Sound to attend the last Division Court as defendant in a suit for the recovery of $2.50. He lost the suit.—*Woodville Advocate.*

The Napanee *Beaver* man got the colic after punishing a 17½ oz., Northern Spy apple left on his table by J. F. Parks, of of Fredericksburg.

J. Vanner, of Galway, has a little dog and this little dog chased a woodchuck into its hole. The little dog couldn't get out, and for seven days was fed by J. W. Bain's Scotch collie dog.

The amount of barley and rye exported from the port of Napanee for the season of 1879 is as follows: Barley, 372,758; rye, 126,638, making a total of both kinds of 499,396.

Omemee band and O. Y. B. lodge are at loggerheads. Both have announced a concert and soiree for Christmas Day. The *Herald* is attempting the role of peacemaker with but indifferent success.

The Mackie-Evans-Magee deer hunting party got back from the north, last week, having had lots of fun, and having met with an average amount of success in their search after deer and other game.—*Omemee Herald.* Just so, a good deal of hunt, and very little game.

These are the Woodville Bible society officers:—President, Wm. Reid; Vice-Presidents, A. C. Campbell, D. Grant, H. Strickland, and the resident ministers-Secretary-Treasurer, J. C. Gilchrist; Committee, D. Annas, E. Davis, P. McSweyn, A. Hawkins and J. Jamieson.

Navigation in Napanee river the past week has been of a rather ice-olating character.—*Beaver.* Snow use talking, your rain is over; anybody's is who makes such a frosty pun as that.

The Thompson paper mills at Newburg have been completed. The machinery in them is probably the best and most improved in the country, and the mills will turn out three tons of printing paper per day, with a staff of 50 hands and 4,000 cords of wood per year. Count one more for the N.P.

Joe. Vanner, of Galway, says the Bobcaygeon *Independent*, is himself a prodigy in his own way. He built his house of logs, quite recently, and his house is 20 by 26. The logs are hemlock, hewed on both sides. He put up his house *single-handed.* Not a lift from any human being. He has a horse, and the horse and Joe together put up every log, dovetailed the corners, and made a capital job of the house.

Mr. A. C. Campbell and family, of Woodville, after partaking of a portion of a can of salmon one evening last week, were violently taken sick, and on medical aid being called, the doctor came to the conclusion that they had been poisoned, but having prescribed suitable remedies, they soon got over the poisonous effects of the salmon, with the exception of one of the children, who it is said partook more freely of the fish than the rest, and was in a critical condition for two or three days, but is now recovering.

We don't quite understand the following from the Bowmanville *Statesman*: "The TIMES does not want Mr. P. R. Randall to be Mayor next year. Friend TIMES, you surprise us. Members of the 'Fourth Estate' always look for promotions and the brethren should be united." Please explain Bro. James, but do not foist such an "incontinental" failure as P. R. R. (better known here as P. F.) on the press of these counties, for he couldn't decently sweep out an editorial room—or keep track of the paste pot.

The *Reformer* even now *dares* to insinuate that "Rifleman" can beat "Crown Imperial." When you are fairly beaten own up to it like a man. People will think the more of you.—*Bowmanville Statesman.* If *Crown Imperial* had been left in the hands of his first trainer—Mr. Robert Reid, of Port Hope, he would have beaten *Rifleman* so badly that there would have been no doubt of which is the speediest nag, but C. L.'s owners were so cute—in saving a few cents in the cost of his driving that it would serve them right if their horse did get whipped.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Interesting News Respecting Noted Men and Women.

Mr. John Bright, on Nov. 16, reached his sixty-eigth year.

General and Mrs. Grant are to spend Christmas with General Beale and his wife in Washington.

The late Admiral Kilty wrote with his own hand the brief will which leaves his estate to his four neices, one of them being the residuary legatee.

Mr. Joseph Head, a Harvard graduate, now more than ninety years old, is the only original member of the brilliant "Boston Hussars" now living.

Dr. Glenn, the California wheat-grower, is said to have had 45,000 acres in wheat this year; his crop was 800,000 bushels. For working the enormous ranche he has 400 double teams.

Mr. William Bradford, the artist, for the two pictures which he is to paint for Earl Grosvenor is to receive $18,000. One will be a Yosemite picture, the other an Arctic scene.

Queen Victoria has always taken a warm interest in the late young Abyssinian Prince Alamayu, and was much grieved at his death. He had endeared himself to all who knew him by his amiable and charming character.

Miss Dudu Fletcher, who will shortly be Lady Wentworth and in the future Countess Lovelace, is the granddaughter of the late eminet divine, Dr. Cæsar Malan, of Geneva, Switzerland, and on her father's side belongs to the family of that wise and beautiful Grace Fletcher, who was Daniel Webster's first wife.

Miss Martha Charters Somerville, the only surviving daughter of Mrs. Mary Somerville, has just died in Florence. Miss Somerville enjoyed a pension of $500 a year, given to her in recognition of the services rendered to science by her mother. Miss Somerville edited "The Recollections of Mary Somerville."

The Berlin papers describe a sleigh lately presented by the Prince of Hohenzollern to his bride, a princess of the house of Turn and Salis, as a marvel of costly beauty. The body is shaped like a cockleshell, and is of polished ebony inlaid with silver, and the cushions are of the richest purple velvet adorned with silver balls.

General Robert E. Lee, in talking to Chaplain Pepper soon after the war, gave this odd description of Webster: "I never saw a more striking object than Webster in the Senate. The effect of his fine figure and princely air when speaking was like that of a livid flash in the midst of darkness."

Colonel Lucius B. Northrop, the Commissary-General of the Confederate Army from the commencement of the Civil War until a few months before its close, is now living in retirement near Charlottesville, the seat of the University of Virginia. He still grieves over the Loss Cause, and laments the abolition of slavery.

Mr. Arthur Sullivan, of Pinafore fame, has been greatly pleased with the Boston musicians whom he has been conducting in his own works; he declares that he has never had better material to deal with. The orchestra, on their part, are equally well pleased with Mr. Sullivan; he was kindly courtesy itself in addressing and directing them.

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The Funny Things the Paragraphers are Writing.

Home rule—Your wife's opinion.—Detroit Free Press.

Pockets are always ripe enough to pick. Detroit Free Press.

The Persian salutes you with: "May God cool your eye."

Hard wear—Tight boots.—Philadelphia Chronicle-Herald.

It's soap deferred that maketh the heart sick—of the spectator.

A sailor is a trump when he sweeps the deck.—Stamford Advocate.

A stitch in time frequently saves the entire garment.—Buffalo Express.

A late Paris paper says that Bartholdi is now "putting a head on Liberty."

When the wind gets round, then comes the whirlwind.—Boston Transcript.

A cold wave—The preliminary flourish of the handkerchief.—Boston Transcript.

A rolling stone gathers no moss, especially if it is a grindstone.—New York Herald.

At this season of the year it is always fowl weather at the market.—Detroit Free Press.

Don't buy thermometers now. They'll be lower after a while.—Philadelphia Herald.

"This thing should be looked into," as the microscope dealer said.—Philadelphia Item.

When in a crowd a man steps on your foot, you often acknowledge the corn.—N. Y. Herald.

Adam should have no monument. Why, he didn't carry his own State.—Buffalo Express.

When a cat goes for the tail of a rat sticking out of a hole, she has an end in view.—Boston Post.

It's a strapping fellow who's able to hold his hone in this barber-us world.—New York News.

How to reduce the Egyptian debt is one of those things which no fellah can find out.—N. Y. Herald.

The six great powers of Europe are England, France, Germany, Austria, Russia and Woman.—Detroit Free Press.

There is a newspaper in Peoria, Ill., called the Boom. It is for sail everywhere.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

If an angel should call on the average scissor fiend he would clip its wings and pass them off as his own.

More boys fell off chestnut trees this fall than for several years past. Probably because this is an off year.—Puck.

An economical Louisville girl has knocked the bottom out of a cheese-box and now wears it for a belt.

You should never give advice. If the person to whom you offer it is wise he doesn't need it, if he isn't he won't take it.—Detroit Free Press.

Fashionable ladies now embroider handsome worsted collars for the cats. This is crewel-tie to animals.—Lowell Courier.

Why a door-nail is any more dead than a door must be because it has been hit on the head.—New Orleans Picayune.

Peterjohn says if he could have his way during life, he shouldn't care if his will were contested after death.—Boston Transcript.

It is the same in Arctic explorations as in a foot race. The man whe keeps nearest the pole has a big advantage.—Boston Transcript.

The dry-goods clerks of Baltimore have organized a club, but the side-splitting humorists of that city persist in calling it a yard-stick.

The Chicago Journal has an article on the vice of pain. We have not read the article, but presume it refers to the lobster's claw.—N. Y. Com. Adv.

A man who takes one drink too many is often denounced as a fool, but nothing is said of the woman who gets three sheets in the wind on wash day.—Detroit Free Press.

Lawyer (to witness)—"Did you say that an incompetent man could keep a hotel just as well as anybody?" Witness —"No. I said an inn-experienced man could."

Kisses by telephone taste like a boiled china egg on toast.—New York Commercial Advertiser. Should still think they'd tel-of-honied tastes, though.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

A correspondent wishes to know the best way to winter geraniums. The best and cheapest way is to sling 'em over the back fence and buy a new lot in the spring.—Boston Post.

He told me that he was now regularly engaged as a writer for one of the leading dailies. His honest old mother said "writing wrappers at $3 a week."—Chicago Telegraph.

The correspondent who asks if there was ever a four-dollar greenback is answered in the negative; but we once heard a man sing "The IV Green."—Cincinnati Commercial.

Prof. Proctor says the earth is 500,000,000 years old. And we believe him. Almost every day we come across a joke that is every whit as venerable as that.—Boston Transcript.

"I predict," said Caudle the other day to his bosom friend, "a mild winter." "On what grounds?" "My wife and her mother have gone to Europe to stay till spring."—Cincinnati Commercial.

Speaking of the Indian war, a colorist, who says that in this instance he is color blind, wonders why the reds makes the whites feel blue. Well, it's because the Government is green.—New York Herald.

It was stated at a banquet of the pastry cooks in New York the other night that their society, which numbers 112 members, had lost but one by death during the last year. The Graphic explains that pastry cooks never eat pastry.

The Detroit Free Press tells of a Vermont boy who threw himself down a well because his father would not let him saw off the leg of a chair. It is a great pity. The boy might have grown to be a champion sculler.

Orser, a man living in Alnwick, returned home recently from the Western States. On his journey his trunk was stolen, and he sued the G. T. R. Company for the amount of the loss. But the company set a detective to work, and the result was that the trunk was found in Orser's possession. He was arrested, brought to Cobourg, and will be tried there.

Mr. Patrick Dougherty, of Kingston, is dead. He was a President of St. Patrick's Society for some years, and was one of the Vice-Presidents of the Liberal Conservative Association.

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PAN-PRESBYTERIAN COUNCIL.

A conference of leading Presbyterians was held in Philadelphia to provide for the grand Pan-Presbyterian Council which is to take place in that city next year. The first of these International Councils of the spiritual descendants of John Knox was held, as our readers will recollect, in Edinburgh, in July, 1877, at which forty distinct Presbyterian organizations were represented. The second Council will, no doubt, be a much larger body. It is stated that the expenses of all the Continental delegates were paid to the Edinburgh Convention, and it is proposed that the ocean passage, at least, shall be paid for the European guests to the coming Council. The Philadelphians pledged over $5,000 the other evening for this purpose. There is little doubt that the sum requisite will soon be subscribed among the members of a church which is both wealthy and liberal. The topics for discussion have already been chosen, ten are theological, ten pertain to church affairs, and ten are practical. This Council, like the Episcopal Church Congress, has no authority in the denomination; it is simply a friendly conference of representative men in the sect to compare opinions and strengthen their brotherhood. Among the prominent clergymen who have promised to come are Drs. Blackie and Rainey, from the Free Church of Scotland; Drs. Flynn, Mitchell and Principal Talloch, of the Established Church of Scotland; Prof. Calderwood and Dr. Cairns, of the United Presbyterian Church: Dr. Dykes and Dr. Erwin, from England; and Drs. Knox and Stevenson, of Ireland. Some of these men are known as leaders of thought, and will be welcomed as warmly by men of all denominations, or of none, as by the Presbyterians.

THE SNOWDEN MINE.

There is evidently a settled desire on the part of some one in the vicinity of Mr. Myles' iron mine near Kinmount, determined to do all the injury to this enterprise in his power, and the correspondent of the Bobcaygeon *Independent* knows particularly to whom our remarks apply, the following being his latest effort:—

"The work at the Snowden iron mines has ceased. The steam drill was used to the last moment, and every effort was made to find the great bed of iron ore. As the committee of inquiry from Port Hope reported that the mine was a good one, and the reports current were untrue, and as Mr. Myles has publicly proclaimed that the mine will furnish the railway all the work it requires, of course we must believe them. But still the fact remains that no iron has yet been got out, and that the steam drill failed to find any considerable bed. Nothing but pockets. I may note that another great iron mine in Galway which was purchased by a Peterboro' lawyer for $1,000, had a fate exactly such as that which has been predicted for the Snowden mine. A small gang of men were set to work at the mine, and they went along splendidly, getting out a magnificent sample of iron ore, but when they had got out some thirty or forty tons the iron mine disappeared. Another pocket."

To put against this, we have the best indication that Mr. Myles himself does not share in the opinion that his mine is going to fail, for he has continued to spend his money freely in the purchase of the best machinery, in order that he might thoroughly test the quantity and richness of the ore. Had he found lately that what he thought was a rich mine was only a few pockets, he is not the keen man of business we take him to be if he would continue to incur heavier expenditures, and consequently a greater loss, when there could be no hope of any adequate return. The fact is Mr. Myles has been too many for his enemies, and as they have been unable to "scare" him, they have taken upon themselves the task of weakening public confidence in his enterprise, but in that, too, they are likely to fail, their "disinterested" motives being fully appreciated. We hope that early in the spring Mr. Myles will be able to put the fears of these over-wise people at rest, by demonstrating by large shipments the value and extent of his mine. In the meantime, our people should be careful not to be led astray by the adverse criticism of people who have everything to gain by decrying Mr. Myles' investment, which if placed in the market to-morrow, would very likely be bought up by these very "tooters" or parties associated with them, and for whose benefit the dismal stories we read of failure are specially concocted.

While a man was employed at Petrolia Thursday, in cleaning a car-tank with benzine he became overpowered by the gas, and was rescued by the foreman of the works, Mr. George Cook, at the cost of his own life. Mr. Cook became asphyxiated while in the tank, and before he was got out life was extinct.

"THE TIMES does not treat us fairly," was the dismal wail sent up by the *Guide* Wednesday night. Now, as between journals which want to do the best work for the town they exist in, let us investigate this charge. We think the next sentence of our contempory's article furnishes the clue to a definite issue. It says: "It was only regard for truth that impelled us to say anything about the depression undoubtedly existing here." As one of our advertisers pithly says, "The cap won't fit.." There is no depression existing here. If there is, sorry as we would be to believe that such was the case, we would simply ask the *Guide* to prove its, to us, reckless assertion. The business men of Port Hope—those of them at least who have no political ends to serve—do not say so; the returns of the harbor board do not say so; our advertisers do not only not say so but express an exactly opposite opinion. In fact you cannot find a man to father such an unpatriotic opinion of the business of Port Hope, at a time when everything is humming throughout the land. Now, Mr. *Guide*, this thing is becoming a trifle monotonous. You say after careful interviewing of our leading business men their opinions and yours coincide; you say the leading merchant of Port Hope is confident that trade has fallen off one-third during the past year here, and yet you fail to produce the proof—the names and interviews with these gentlemen. Either produce the proof asked or say no more.

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8th.—The necessary expenses are fixed, and lower than those usually charged. They may be included in the Mortgage, and paid back with the instalments, when there will be no solicitor's or other fees retained out of the Loan.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

OTTERVILLE, Dec. 3.—A young man by the name of William Johnston, shot himself through the head while under the influence of liquor here last night. He died this morning at eight o'clock. An inquest will be held to-day.

MILLBROOK, Dec. 3.—Samuel Hunter, who was so severely stabbed by his sister Mary, on the 21st ult., has so far recovered as to be able to attend to business.

BRANTFORD, Dec. 3.—A large fire, south-east from here, was noticed last night. It is said to be the farm buildings of Bow Park, Hon. Senator Brown's agricultural establishment. The cattle have been saved, but two horses were burned to death. Particulars soon.

LATER.—A fire broke out last night about 11 o'clock in a large barn at Bow Park farm, and destroyed all the buildings excepting three. There were 12 horses burnt, two among them very valuable. As far as can be ascertained at present the cattle are all saved. There was also a large quantity of hay and straw burnt. About ten minutes before the fire broke out the herdsman had gone his rounds and everything looked secure.

ALMONTE, Dec. 3.—This morning Sir Leonard Tilley continued his inspection of the Almonte industries. The places visited were Canrob woollen factory, Maguire's furniture establishment, and Young Bros. foundry. All of these are running full time, and give evidence of returning prosperity. Sir Leonard inspected minutely the machinery of the several establishments and sought information from both employer and employed. He expressed himself highly satisfied with what he has seen here.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—It is learned that war has broken out between rival chiefs in New Calabar, West Africa. Two hundred persons have been slain. Wounded prisoners were killed and eaten. Europeans in New Calabar have requested a British naval officer to interfere. It is apprehended the outbreak will spread from Opobo to Brass.

LATER.—A fierce conflict in New Calabar, West Africa, is now raging between King Anocheire, of New Calabar, and his followers on the one hand, and a powerful chief called Well Berod and followers, on the other.

TORONTO, Dec. 4.—Mr. Thomas McCrossen, Warden of Penetanguishene Reformatory, passed through here yesterday, on his wedding tour. He has gone to New York.

MONTREAL, Dec. 4.—Counterfeit $5 bills of the National State Bank of Troy, and National Bank of Pawling, are in circulation here.

PEROY, Ill., Dec. 4.—A large Democratic mass meeting was held here last evening, with regard to the recent arrests in Ireland.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 4.—The boring of the tunnel, seven miles long, for a permanent water supply, was completed yesterday.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Dec. 4.—A burglars' raid was made on Shelburn's offices early this morning. They blew open the safes in the post office and two stores. They got little money and escaped.

SYRACUSE, Dec. 4.—About 1,500 men employed by the Lackawanna Canal and Coal Company, in the manufacture of iron and steel, have just been given an increase of ten per cent. in wages without demand.

PATTERSON, N. J., Dec. 4.—The strike of the silk weavers in the Allen mill is a protest against the running of two Jacquerd's looms by one weaver. The weavers are sustained by the International Labor Union.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Dec. 4.—An exciting municipal election was held yesterday. The candidates for Mayor were both Democrats, and wealthy citizens. Robert H. May was elected. The colored vote was splendidly organized, and polled solidly for the successful candidate.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The *Times* New Orleans despatch says it would seem that the Republicans stand a chance of victory in Louisiana, should the vote be properly counted. Two polls in Greetner, Jefferson Parish, were invaded at midnight, and the ballot boxes destroyed. These polls were strongly Republican.

Postmaster Vanhorne was arrested yesterday, and charged with robbing the mails. Vanhorne claims to be innocent.

Mrs. Margaret Tupy died at Flushing on Tuesday; aged 110 years.

ALBANY, Dec. 4.—McCloskey's hay scales were burned at noon. Loss, $5,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—A Washington special to the *Herald* says it is quite surprising to find what a number of former silver men now declare themselves ready to vote in favor of demonetization.

Mr. Rollas Sanford, formerly a prominent lawyer of this city, died yesterday, aged 64.

The American Union Telegraph Company has secured possession of the lines of the old Great Western Telegraph Company, comprising 1,500 miles of wire.

The Western Union Telegraph Company has reduced rates from New York to leading western cities.

The *Herald's* Berlin despatch says that the Emperor William received a despatch announcing a fresh attempt upon the life of the Czar at Moscow.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 3.—Hon. Samuel Seber, of St. Louis, was found dead in bed. Cause, congestion. He was married to a daughter of Gen. Sherman's sister.

KNOXVILLE, Dec. 3.—D. C. Potter, charged with having committed seven murders, who with four other prisoners escaped from Knox County jail recently, has been recaptured in the mountains of North Carolina.

BOSTON, Dec. 3.—At a public meeting held yesterday in favor of the rights of Porca, W. Dean's letter from Schurz was read, recommending that Boston people found an educational institution for Indian children.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 3.—A caucus of the Republican members of the Legislature, of all classes, was held yesterday to see if a question could not be made so as to hold the balance of power.

Mixed Marriages.

Chief Justice Waite on Monday granted a writ of error to the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia in the case of John Tinsley (colored) vs. Virginia, involving the validity of the constitutionality of the statute of that state, which prohibits marriages between white and colored persons. Tinsley came to the district of Columbia a year ago, and married a white woman. Upon his return to Virginia he was sentenced to the penitentiary here, where pending this appeal he remains. Persons interested in the final settlement of the question of the constitutionality of the State law prohibiting inter-marriage of races brought the case to this Court.

He'll Never Do It Again.

A certain man got mad at the editor and stopped his paper. The next week he sold all his corn at 4 cents below the market price; then his property was sold for taxes because he didn't read the sheriff's sales; he lost $10 betting on Mollie McCarthy ten days after Ten Broek had won the race; he was arrested and fined $8 for going hunting on Sunday, simply because he didn't know it was Sunday, and he paid $300 for a lot of forged notes that had been advertised two weeks, and the public cautioned not to negotiate them. He then paid a big Irishman, with a foot like a derrick, to kick him all the way to the newspaper office, where he paid four year's subcsription in advance, and made the editor sign an agreement to knock him down and rob him if he ever ordered his paper stopped again.

SCHOOL BOARD.

Board met in the Council Chamber on Wednesday night.

Present—The Chairman, Mr. Ross; Messrs. Dickson, Budge, Randall, Dr. Powers, and Major Guernsey.

Minutes confirmed.

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The Finance Committee recommended that the following accounts be paid:

R. Dunn & Co	$ 44 46
J. B. Trayes	6 00
Geo. Wilson	2 25
John Henry	2 50
Mulholland & Brown	61
Capt. Wright	$109 64
	177 46
	12 00
	$165 46

On motion of Messrs. Dickson and Powers, the report was adopted.

MODEL SCHOOL FEES.

A communication was received from the Minister of Education, acknowledging the receipt of the Board's communication of the 20th inst., respecting fees for attendance at the Model School, and to state that the subject is under his consideration.

NOVEMBER'S ATTENDANCE.

Mr. Groggin, head master, submitted the following report of the attendance, etc., for the month of November: 385 boys and 381 girls attended, with a daily average of 72 per cent. Compared with last month, these numbers show a decrease of 137 pupils, and an average of 12 per cent. less. The prevalence of measles is the chief cause. The following is the percentage of attendance in each class: Sixth, 89; Fifth, 82; Fourth (advanced), 71; Fourth (boys), 81; Fourth (girls), 83; Third (boys), 79; Third (girls), 83; Senior Third (boys and girls), 73; Junior, 64. East Primary (senior), 80; Junior, 73. Central Primary (senior) 57; Junior, 51; West Primary (senior), 69; Junior, 56. In accordance with the instructions of the Board, he secured Miss Hoffman to fill the vacancy in the Junior Department of the Central Primary till Christmas.

THANKING THE TIMES.

The Mayor in moving the resolution given below, took occasion to point out that THE TIMES was the only paper in town which had given the clauses of the Supplementary School Act of last session of the Ontario Legislature, and which bore immediately on the election of school trustees. For thus pointing out a duty it was incumbent on them to perform, and just in the nick of time, he thought THE TIMES should be thanked. Of course, he knew of the changes some time since, and, therefore, it was unnecessary for THE TIMES to point out the duty of trustees in the matter, as he thoroughly understood the subject. He then moved the following resolution:—

THE COMING ELECTIONS.

Moved by Mr. Randall, seconded by Dr. Powers, that the Secretary be requested to give the necessary notices for the nomination and election of school trustees for 1880, and the following gentlemen be and are hereby appointed returning officers for such election: For Ward One, Robt. Maxwell; for Ward Two, H. V. Sanders; for Ward Three, Wm. Rowland; and that the election shall be held at the following places: For Ward One at the Engine House on King street, Protestant Hill; for Ward Two, at the Town Hall; for Ward Three, at the house of Mr. Wm. Roland, on Brown street.

The head master asked to have the seats in Miss Thompson's room turned round, in order that they might be utilized during the full school hours. As it was, for the last half hour each hour each day, the pupils could not see what they were doing.

It was understood among members that the matter would be attended to and the Board adjourned.

THE LATE MR. THOS. LOVEKIN.

"There is no fireside, howsoe'er defended,
But has one vacant chair."

At a quarter to twelve o'clock on Thursday 27th ultimo, Mr. Thos. Lovekin, one of Clarke's oldest inhabitants, breathed his last at his residence, about a mile from Newcastle. Mr. Lovekin, who had attained the ripe old age of 69 years and 7 months, was the second son of the late Mr. Richard Lovekin, who came to this township from Cork (Ireland) in the year 1796. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, and notwithstanding the extreme inclemency of the weather, was largely attended. The remains were interred in the family burying ground, on the farm of Mr. J. P. Lovekin, J.P. (one of deceased's brothers), the ceremonies being performed by the Rev. J. E. Howell, minister of the Methodist church, Newcastle. The cause of Mr. Lovekin's death was stricture of the œsophagus, from which he had suffered for about five months; he left two sons and one daughter to mourn his loss.

Mr. Lovekin was very fond of relating incidents which happened in his early days, especially one which was called "the bear story." It was as follows:—Mr. Lovekin, when a young man, had invited some friends to a corn husking bee, and upon repairing to the field for that purpose, they surprised an old bear, who had forestalled them and was busily husking corn on his own account. The parties having dogs with them, the canines attacked the bear, and amid the confusion and uproar, it escaped to the woods. Some of the party gave chase, while others went for guns. Mr. Lovekin saw with some chagrin that his husking party was a failure for that night, and determined to have satisfaction from Bruin. Procuring his rifle and following his tracks through the woods, he came upon and shot him on the brow of the hill where the Bowmanville cemetary is now situated. He had the skin, which was a large one, dressed and made into an overcoat.—NEWCASTLE CORRESPONDENT.

The Rumor that the Princess Louise will Become a Catholic.

Much excitement has been created among all creeds in Canada by the statement that H. R. H. the Princess Louise is about to become a member of the Roman Catholic Church. The source of information is understood to be the *Christ Church Parish Magazine*, published at Sidcup, Kent, England, a recent number of which contained the following: "We are able to state upon excellent authority that the English Romanists are making every effort to bring under their influence Her Royal Highness the Princess Louise. We believe that we are the first to publish this intelligence, but we are assured upon the authority of a well-known Romish priest that the gathering into the fold of Her Royal Highness will be publicly announced before twelve months have passed. We sincerely hope that this may not be so, but there was a statement which headed the list of preverts to Rome published sometime since which gives color to the rumor." This statement, however, has not been corroborated.

MESSRS. James Soper and Conrad Soper, of Michigan, are visiting their uncle, Mr. H. Soper, Veterinary Surgeon, Port Hope.

OWNERS of bovines beware. The chief constable is on the war path. According to by-law cows may not roam the streets from now till spring, and he is determined they shall not. Hence his action. Already two cows are in the pound, and, shorty, there will be a grand cow convention if owners keep not their cattle to "hum."

THE CHEESE-PARING COUNCIL.

To the Editor of THE TIMES.

DEAR SIR,—In looking over the columns of your paper on the 2nd, I noticed that our Council had shown their great generosity by granting Mr. Simon Marshall, the present caretaker of the waterworks, the large sum of $25 a year, which speaks well for their estimation of that official. Considering that he cannot lay in any winter provision, has to keep his wood in the street and saw it in the rain and snow, has to carry his wood and water up stairs, is put to the endless inconveniences—and the place is not actually fit to live in—$100 a year would have been the least they could have offered him. If he was to quit, I think that they could not very well replace him, as everything is kept in first-class order, for which I, for one, think he ought to be well paid.

I am, etc.

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Port Hope, Dec. 3, 1879.

A CORRESPONDENT of the *Mail* writes in reference to the *Waubuno* disaster, that so "rotten had the hull become, "that the trip before her last, and while "laying at the wharf at Parry Sound, "*the pumps had to be kept going to keep her* "*afloat.*" If the statement of the correspondent be true, it is time for the Government to take legal steps in a criminal court, and make an example of those who are responsible for such a *rotten tub* as the writer describes, being allowed to sail in such stormy weather, and causing such a fearful loss of life.

IF the *Guide's* statement to the effect that it is the opinion of the leading merchant of Port Hope that business has declined one-third, owing to the N. P., be true, we are afraid that on the name of that leading merchant being given it will be found that he was one of those patriotic and unselfish Grits who took occasion to father an advance in the prices of his goods to the N. P. Of course, *his* trade would decline, because sensible traders did not raise prices until the N. P. made them pay more to the wholesale merchant for their stocks, and that time has not yet arrived.

THE period of immigration for this year having about come to a close, the Department has prepared a statement of the number of immigrants who settled in Ontario through the different city agencies during the ten months ending the 31st of October. The statement shows a very large increase over the returns of the same period last year. The total number for 1878 for the five agencies of Ottawa, Kingston, Toronto, Hamilton and London, was 11,442, this year they have increased to 20,612, an increase of 9,170 over last year's work in this direction Then, as to the avocation of these new arrivals, nearly all the males were either farmers or agricultural laborers. The females were mostly domestic servants, for whom there appears to be a large and growing demand in the cities and towns of the Province.

A native King in the Gaboon, educated at the Roman Catholic mission, and now a good French scholar, has sent a skeleton of a gorilla to the Society of Anthropology of Paris, with an offer to forward any scientific documents that may be required.

Interesting Statistics.

The official Board of Statistics at St. Petersburg has published some population figures, from which it appears that in European Russia there are annually born 1,619,108 males and 1,544,297 females, or an average total of 3,163,406 children of both sexes. On the other hand, the average annual deaths are 1,214,467 males and 1,167,929 females, or a total of 2,382,396 persons of both sexes. The population, therefore, shows an average increase of 781,000—a per centage which, supposing the inhabitants always to multiply at the same rate, would double the population in 58 years; whereas in Sweden according to a similar method of calculation, this result would only be attained in 62 years, in Germany in 68, in Belgium in 79, in Austria in 95, in Switzerland in 99, and in France in 165 years. The highest percentage of mortality in Russia is chiefly caused by the numerous deaths among children, more than the fourth part of whom perish before they are a year old; whereas in Prussia, of 1,000 infants only 165, and in England still fewer, 140, die before that age. Measles, scarlatina, and diphtheria says the *Novoye Vremya* are making ravages among children in the capital, and in certain districts of the empire the danger is so great that several colleges and infant schools have been closed.

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Plans showing the position of the work, and specifications of what remains to be done, can be seen at this office, and at the Resident Engineer's Office, Welland, on and after TUESDAY THE 4th DAY OF NOVEMBER next, where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms, except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of *three thousand* dollars for Section No. 33, and one for *four thousand* dollars for Section No. 34 must accompany the respective Tenders, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works, at the rates stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque or money thus sent in will be returned to the respective contractors whose Tenders are not accepted.

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To each Tender must be attached the actual signatures of two responsible and solvent persons, residents of the Dominion, willing to become surities for the carrying out of these conditions, as well as the due performance of the works embraced in the Contract.

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TO ADVERTISERS.—The circulation of THE TIMES is now 1,925,—a much larger circulation than any other paper ever before had in the United Counties of Northumberland & Durham, and the publisher believes it fully equal to the combined circulation of any two papers published in the Counties at the present time. THE TIMES is principally distributed in Por Hope and vicinity, so that advertisers are guaranteed a larger number of local readers than can be obtained by any other means. The subscription books of THE TIMES are at all times open to the inspection of advertisers.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS must invariably be accompanied by 50 cents, or they will not be inserted. Rev. gentlemen, subscribers, and others often send us such notices, imagining, we suppose, that they are inserted as news. We do not regard them as such, and our charge for each insertion is 50 cents. In future, we will not insert such notices if not accompanied by the CASH, unless they are from parties with whom we have regular accounts, as it necessitates the opening of a new account in the ledger, and the item is too small to pay for the trouble.

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LOCALS

THERE were two weddings in Port Hope Thursday night.

SOFT coal is retailing at from $6 to $6.50 per ton, and hard for $5.

THE Welland Canal closed Friday, for the season of 1879.

THE Cobourg *Star* joines THE TIMES in its crusade against local gas monopolies.

A TRIO of tramps occupied sumptuous apartments at the hotel de Gamble, Monday night.

Two tramps drew up at the hotel de Gamble Thursday night, and the kind hearted proprietor accorded them the shelter required.

IT is cold work fixing the G.T.R. semaphore at the far end of the viaduct, and so the employees found it this morning.

SPEAKING of the Millbrook and Cavan elections, the *Messenger* says: "As regards both village and township corporations, the prospects are that candidates will be more numerous than voters—specially so with the village."

A SOCIAL BALL is to be held at Mr. S. Wannamaker's Hotel, Bewdly, on Wednesday evening, 17th inst., when a good time may be looked for. The Port Hope Quadrille Band will furnish the music. Tickets $1.25.

RETURN of traffic of the Midland Railway of Canada for week ending Nov. 21st, 1879: Passengers, $1,300.04; freight, $4,073.02; mail and sundries, $241.76; total, $5,614.82. Corresponding week of 1878, $4,646.27. Increase, $968.55.

THE many friends of Miss Aggie Harcourt, daughter of Street Surveyor Harcourt of Port Hope, who was wedded to Mr. Wm. Kerr, of Cobourg, Thursday night, wish her all success in her new life, and their good will follows the young couple to their new home in our sister town.

THE *Guide* on the 29th ult. said that the *Ariadne* had a much too large deck load of lumber. The Oswego *Palladium* says that the experienced in that city did not consider her load as large as she could carry. Enquiry here shows she only took 148,000 feet that voyage and that she is capable of carrying safely from between 175,000 and 180,000 feet.

THE annual union ball and supper of Port Hope Longshoremen and their lady friends came off in the town hall Thursday night. There was a very large attendance, over 100 persons being present. And they all had a big time. The music was good, the dancers were in good spirits, and all present are reported to have enjoyed themselves better than at any time since the annual ball of last year.

AT the regular monthly meeting of Hope Lodge, No. 114, A. F. & A. M., held on Thursday evening, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year:—
W. M.—V. W. Bro. Robt. Nicholls.
S. W.—Bro. A. W. Pringle.
J. W.—Bro. John A. Cheer.
Treas. W. Bro. A. Purslow.
Secretary—Bro. Wm. Gothwaite.
Tyler.—Bro. Geo. Reading.

A NEWSPAPER and a newspaper editor that people don't talk about and sometimes abuse are rather poor concerns. The man and business that an editor sometimes feels it a duty to defend, at a risk of making enemies of another class, are often the very first to show ingratitude. The editor who expects to receive much charity or gratitude will soon find out his mistake; but he should go on and say and do what he conscientiously thinks right without regard to frowns and smiles.

THERE is one thing that traders, dealers and storekeepers generally ought to bear in mind, and that is, while money is being made is the time it is spent, and the way for them to obtain their share of it is to advertise. Let the public know what you have to sell, to cause them to head directly for your establishment before all others. There has not been such a time when advertising would surely pay such large returns for some years. The holidays are approaching and people are already casting about for goods suitable for holiday presents. Tell the public what you have through the columns of THE TIMES, the best advertising medium in the counties, because it is largely circulated, gives more reading matter and is the most popular paper.

FOLLOWING is the standing of Mr. Mills' division of the Millbrook Public School for the month of November:—Senior.—1, H. Needler; 2, C. Needler; 3, A. Carveth; 4, L. Wilcox; 5, G. Cleworth; 6, T. Armstong; 7, S. Lang; 8, R. Brandon; 9, A. Fallis; 10, L. Pendry; 11, F. Armstrong; 12, A. Lockie; 13, S. Anderson; 14, M. Howden; 15, A. Howden. Junior.—1, H. Fitzgerald; 2, M. Bateson and L. Williams, eq.; 3, T. Chambers; 4, F. McBean; 5, W. Ross; 6, R. Armstrong; 7, W. Allen; 8, L. Wallace; 9, N. Allen; 10, L. Moffatt; 11, L. Burton; 12, D. Fair; 13, L. McMahon; 14, A. Booth.

PROBABLY the most surprised man in Port Hope Thursday night was Mr. J. Eakins, cattle dealer. He and his family had been away from home, and when he returned and came down street, he was met by the jocular remark "Your eye don't look very bad." Then he was handed a copy of THE DAILY TIMES, and the mystery was explained to him. It was the first time he had heard of a bottle of ammonia bursting in his hand and almost destroying his eyesight. Then there was an explosion. A good-natured one, though, and one you would expect from so genial a man as Mr. Eakins. A mistake had been made in the name—the injured person really was Mr. George Hall, grain dealer. At this juncture somebody advised Mr. Eakins to go home, because his numerous friends would surely be around to see him and the extent of his injuries. Sure enough they were. A whole host of them, and if Mr. Eakins' perception is such as we give him creddit for, he must be convinced that he is an exceedingly popular gentleman in Port Hope.

CHAMBERS Miscellany.

CHAMBERS Encyclopædia.

CHAMBERS Information for the People at the Port Hope Book Store.

THE *Flora Carveth* and the *Lewis Ross* have arrived, light, from Toronto, and have laid up for the season.

MR. BURTON, collector of customs at this port, has kindly furnished the following: Duties collected for November, 1879, $1178.33; for the same month in 1878, $453.76—an increase of $724.57.

CAPTAIN Hadden of the *Two Brothers*, and the young man W. J. Fleet, compromised the $7.50 claim, preferred by the latter at the Police Court, Thursday, out of court.

MR. MACKIE, of the St. Lawrence Hall, made an excellent purchase of chickens, this morning. They averaged four pounds, and only cost him 25 cents each.

IF farmers would have their dogs trained like the shepherd dog in England and France, it is said they would protect and not destroy sheep—that is the opinion of a large English land owner lately in this country.

THE latest news of the *Trenton*, ashore at Presque Isle, comes from Capt. Graham, who states that she has worked down into the sand, and will prove a total loss. She is not insured.

THE pupils of the Newcastle Grammar School will give an entertainment in the Music Hall in that village, on Tuesday evening, 16th inst., when an excellent programme will be presented. We trust it will be largely attended, as it deserves to be.

W. WILLIAMSON has completed arrangements for supplying English Newspapers, Magazines and Books. Parties ordering these through him may rely on getting what they order with the least possible delay, and at the lowest rates.

Mr. H. B. Rowland, agent for the Encyclopedia Brittannica, published by A. & C. Black, Edinburgh, is in town taking orders for this valuable work, which should occupy a prominent place in every library. Orders for Mr. Rowland can be left at Mr. George Lambert's hotel.

MR. W. WILLIAMSON, book-seller, is getting up some very fine Christmas cards, comprising photographic views of Port Hope. We have two very pretty ones before us, one taken from Protestant Hill, looking west, and the other from Mount Pischah (Monkey Mountain), looking south, and giving an excellent view of Trinity College School and the Park.

AT the meeting of L.O.L., No. 44, Thursday night, the following officers were installed for the ensuing term:
W.M.—W. J. Marshall.
D.M.—Alex. McCurdy.
Chap.—Robt. Henning.
Treas.—Henry Hewson.
Sec'y.—J. J. Aberle.
D. of C.—James Haddon.
Committee—Wm. Gracey, Wm. Archer, C. Nixon, J. Henry, and Edward Lockington.
P.M.—R. W. Bro. David Marshall.

AT the meeting of L.O.L. No. 309, held on Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—
W.M.—Robt. Elliott.
D.M.—Jas. Fleming.
Chap.—Joseph Gallagher.
Treas.—Thomas Leonard.
Sec'y.—Jefferson Timmerman.
D. of D.—Mathew Maybrook.
Committee.—Charles Smith, Fred. Hobbs, Adam Chank, John Ballance, E. J. Burton.

The following are the exports to the United States from the Port of Port Hope for the months of October and November, 1879, as verified by Mr. Peck, the United States Consular agent here:

Articles.	Values.
Animals	$ 11,755
Barley	413,947
Lumber	159,848
Peas	20,634
Wool	14,850
Miscellaneous	9,746
Total	$630,780
Value of exports for Oct. and Nov. 1878	480,580
Increase	$150,200

A LETTER has been received by the authorities here, from Port Hope, asking for a description of William Burt, in gaol awaiting trial for indecent assault. It appears an old soldier named Burt left Port Hope some time ago, deserting his wife and family, and it was thought that the Burt arrested here might be the same party. The Port Hope authorities forwarded a photograph of the man they are in search of, which does not bear any resemblance to the prisoner in the county gaol.—*St. Thomas Times.*—The above item is correct with this exception: The old soldier left Lindsay (not Port Hope) and his family, consisting of a wife and six children. The Port Hope authorities only tried to assist the latter by by finding the whereabouts of the deserting husband and father.

AT the police court Saturday morning, Levi Reynolds was charged with having assaulted and battered Henay Knapp on the 2nd inst. The graveman of the charge was admitted by defendant, and the lightness of the assault may be judged from the fine inflicted—$1.50 and costs, or ten days in the bastile. The fine was paid, and the defendent was bound over to keep the peace.

THE Parlor Concert given by Mr. H. G. Gilmore, organist of St. John's Church, at his residence, on Thursday evening, proved a very enjoyable one, the pupils taking part acquitting themselves in a manner creditable to themselves and to their teacher. The programme was a long one, but the interest was maintained throughout. The following are the names of those assisting:—Miss Maggie Ross; Miss Montrose Wiley, Miss Maggie Renwick, Miss H. Ross, Miss Agnes Trayes, and Messrs. Hyndman, Christie Max, Gerald Griffin, H. Clarke, Thornhill, Guernsey, Yerrington, and Cameron. Rev. W. C. Allen, Mr. J. Owen, and Mr. R. H. Holland, also contributed very acceptably to the success of the evening's entertainment. Master Charlie Monaghan's performances were, of course, the principal features of the evening His comicalities are inimitable, and his manner of singing even difficult songs is side-splitting. Charlie is deservedly popular, and he seems to improve every time he appears before an audience. Mr. Gilmore has reason to feel pleased at the success of his entertainment.

"SUBSCRIBER'S" letter in Thursday's TIMES, finding fault with the Council for the small sum paid Mr. S. Marshall as care-taker of the water-works is not quite fair to the Fire and Gas Committee. It appears that Mr. Marshall has been in charge of the works for some three years, and that he agreed to fill the position for his rent, but a short time ago, he concluded that he would not hold the position longer unless he had some remuneration, and the Fire and Gas Committee reported in favor of giving him $25 up to the end of this year, but that thereafter he should be paid the sum of $1.00 per week, so that "subscriber" was not quite correct in his statements. It is but fair to Mr. Marshall to say that those who know what his duties are think he should be paid even more than the $1 per week, as he or some one equally capable must remain there constantly day and night. Mr. Marshall is an excellent man, steady and industrious, and it would be difficult to replace him for double the money. At the same time the Council is not to blame for the small sum paid up to the end of the present year, as his application for renumeration was only made two weeks ago In another portion of this issue will be found the committee's report, and the full case may be gathered from it.

MR. JAMES CALCUTT, Fountain Brewery, has engaged a new brewer and malster, and now offers for sale, in casks or bottles, pure ale and porter of superior strength and flavor. Warranted. d&w-1w.

MUD again.

NOT an arrival or departure from Port Hope harbor Saturday.

OATS have risen three cents—they now bring 35 cents a bushel.

Now that Dave Hall has had his meeting, the triumvirate are posted sufficiently to hold theirs.

PORT Hope's admixture of dust and water sticketh closer than a brother to the foot-gear of pedestrians.

ICE cream is no colder in December than in July, but in winter a girl can't be put off with anything less than two visits to the theatre per week.

SHIPMANS Scroll Sawing Machines iron frames with the latest improvements—also a supply of Holly and Walnut suitable for Scroll sawing at the Port Hope Book Store.

THE monthly Sunday School Temperance Meeting of the Methodist church was well attended Friday night, and apparently the little ones were well grounded in the temperance faith.

Mr. W. LENNON, steward of the steamer *Norseman*, spent a portion of last week here on a visit to his uncle, Mr. W. L. Russell. He is a great favorite of Lindsay patrons of the *Norseman.*—*Post.*

OUGHT not the chief authorities to see that the keeper of the Port Hope lock-up is arrested for keeping a Gamble-ing house? —*Cobourg Star*. Can't make that out. The usual inmates never gambol—they are not lambs.

WE are pleased to notice that our young friend Mr. W. J. Marshall, son of our excellent chief constable, is preparing to open out a flour and feed store in the building formerly known as Ballagh's. From his past career, we should judge that he will do well, inasmuch as he is courteous, obliging, and knowing his business attends to it.

THIS is the harbor report for Monday: Sailed, *Maria Annette* and *Annie Minnes*, with lumber for Oswego. Likewise, the three barges, the lumber tow of the tug *Wm. Gardiner, jr.*, The tug, *Albert Wright*, has almost finished preparations for wintering, and will do so on the return of the two vessels first mentioned in this paragraph.

TALK about the meanest man of Detroit, and the wickedest man of New York, we have here in Port Hope the meanest kind of a mean man. He gave his son a copper to go to bed without his supper, got up in the morning and stole the copper. This reminds us of the other fellow who did the same thing with this exception that he made the boy pay the copper for his breakfast next morning.

A VERY painful accident happened to Master Fred. Quay, son of Mr. Wm. Quay, while he was coasting on Pine street. A large Newfoundland dog attacked him, and put his teeth into Freddie's right thigh. It left four ugly punctures, just as if four teeth had been forced into the flesh. He was at once taken to Dr. Herriman's office, when the wounds were dressed. On returning home the little fellow was compelled to go to bed, where he now is. Fred thinks the dog which bit him belongs to Mr. Holmes, and his parents have applied to the authorities to have the animal, alleged vicious, destroyed.

THE Port Hope TIMES has adopted our method of serving up county news, which serves us a very good purpose. We regret that the *Sentinel* should copy them, too, as we like good company.—*Bowmanville Statesman.* Refreshing, certainly, and complimentary to us, but exceedingly lazy of the *Statesman's* news gatherer. But, friend, we couldn't copy the style from you, because until the TIMES furnished the thunder you hadn't any such summary of Counties events as you now publish: However, you are heartily welcome to them.

DURING the recess, great improvements have been made in the Counties' Council Chamber, Victoria Hall. The walls have been beautifully panelled in oil, and the ceiling colored; the whole being done in a very tasty and workmanlike manner. The work upon the walls is very pretty, and, being in oil, will be much more durable than if stained or done with paper, as it will bear washing. The job was done by Mr. Charles Simpson, and is very creditable to him. The Council will no doubt, be agreeably surprised, at the improved appearance of the chamber, when they meet for the December session on Tuesday next.—*World.*

AT a regular meeting of L. O. L., No 141, Friday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year (Mr. Wm. Boyd, who was unanimously re-elected, having now occupied the position of Worshipful Master in this Lodge for about sixteen years):—
W. M.—Wm. Boyd.
D. M.—Chas. Mosher.
Chap.—John Elliott.
Treas.—Wm. Hogg.
Sec'y.—Winfield C. Kellaway.
D. of C.—Geo. McCormick.
Committee.—John Laurie, Robt. Wallace, and Wm. Mason, Geo. Robinson, and Chas. Paul.

COMPLAINTS are made of the dark and dismal public crossing leading to the Grand Trunk Railway. What with the network of rails to walk over, and the stoppage of freight trains along the track in front of the public road, renders it far from pleasant to those who have business at the depot on a dark night. A few more lamps are greatly needed, and the railway authorities should see to this matter being attended to.

FRIDAY night after the close of Dave Hall's lecture, those returning by the streets leading to the rear of the town hall noticed a small knot of men tugging at one, and on going up to them found that they were trying to extricate the foot of their intoxicated companion from underneath and between the double rails of the Midland switch. They succeeded before any train came along. If the man had got his foot in that position when alone, he could not have escaped being run over by the train, as investigation shows that for want of packing the foot must have been completely under the outside rail, and was held in position by the inner one.

THE Musical Society of Trinity College School has issued invitations for a concert which took place on Wednesday; when the following will be the programme:—

Chorus—"March of the Men of Harlech"—The Society.
Reading—Rev. W. C. Allen.
Song—"The Watch on the Rhine"—Mr. H. Grant.
Chorus—"Finale from an Operetta"—The Society.
Song—Mr. G. Geddes.
Duet—Messrs. Wood and Graut.
Chorus—"The Mermaid"—The Society.
Reading—Mr. Highton.
Song—Mr. G. Geddes.
Chorus—"Canadian Boat Song"—The Society.
Reading—Mr. Wood.
Chorus—"Ubidee"—The Society.
"God Save the Queen."

CONSIDERABLE amusement was had at the expense of a certain marriage procession which meandered through Port Hope streets Monday morning. The procession was in the following order:—

Newly made Bride and Groom.
A prospective ditto.
Another prospective ditto.
A propective Morman.

Of course, it is well known that marriage is always interesting to the human race, but there appears to be a too evident desire to make the subject one of sneering mirth. This ought not so to be. Every young man who marries is doing the correct thing, and although the newly-wedded couple, by their oddities, incident to the novel situation in which they find themselves after the preacher pronounces the solemn words, "Till death do you part," create amusement for spectators, there are few who do not wish them a successful journey through life.

THE close season for deer commences on the 15th.

A NEW arrangement gives Lindsay a Port Hope mail at nine o'clock every morning.

TRINITY College School from its eminence is at night quite a beacon light now it burns gas.

MANY of the Loan and Savings Companies have abolished the system of fines, and now charge only interest on payments overdue.

HIGH-WATER mark was distinctly visible, owing to the lowness of the water in the river, Monday morning.

CHAS. PAYNE, Bowmanville, who was charged with shooting at Columbus Soper on the 20th ult., will be tried at the coming sessions.

THE Port Hope *Daily* —— is no more, it having been in existence only eighteen days. The TIMES still holds out and is as bright as ever.—*Owen Sound Advertiser.*

THE officers of the Active Militia have been appealed to for subscriptions towards erecting a monument to the memory of the late Prince Imperial.

THE system of renting the pews at St. Marks' Church has met with great success, and the congregation has also increased in numbers.

PEDLARS (they call themselves agents) of books, maps, etc., are a perfect nuisance to merchants and professional men. They should be compelled to take out a license.

THE Selkirk (Man.,) *Inter-Ocean* in quoting a portion of an article recommending our customers to make frequent changes in their advertisement, speaks of the DAILY as "a new, live, and spicy little sheet.'

THE Churchwardens of St. John's have had planted a few shade trees in front of the Sunday School. With proper care the trees will add to the beauty of the ornamental school building.

THE Telegraph Companies having made a small reduction in the tariffs with no apparent loss to their revenue, it would be gratifying to see the Express Companies do a similar graceful act.

THE Grand Trunk would do a wise thing by making Port Hope a refreshment station. Being a junction and commanding a large traffic, it is worthy of better treatment than it has hitherto received.

THE heavy wind on Saturday made the dust fly lively.—*Cobourg Star.* Now, what we want to know is, isn't it too late for any kind of fly to be lively?—*Port Hope Times.* No. Take a fly-wheel, for instance; the N. P. keeps them lively.—*West Durham News.*

FROM the Belleville *Intelligencer* of the 3rd inst., we learn that Mr. Chas. Counter, of Kingston, has arrived there and intends to give one of his lectures. Charlie gave one of his lectures here once, and toddled off, without paying our little bill for printing. 'Nuff said.

THE Grit papers, which ought to know, state that the Ontario Government will include in the budget a handsome sum for new Parliament buildings if the city of Toronto will give a grant. Here is a chance for Port Hope to immortalize herself by bidding over the Queen City for the location of the Parliament buildings here.

THE Directors of the Union Cemetery should devise a scheme that would entail but little expense to beautify the grounds; vacant lots should not be allowed to run wild and spoil the appearance of the grass, a public well is much needed, flowers would be far more planted if a greater supply of water were at hand to save them from being scorched to death.

WE called the attention of the street surveyor some days ago to a very dangerous hole on the south-west corner of John and Augusta streets, but it has not been attended to yet. If some one was unfortunate enough to fall into this hole the town would have a nice little bill of damages to pay, and we would recommend the Chairman of the street and bridge committee to give orders to have it filled up or fenced in at once.

THIS being an age of invention, a correspondent suggests to the lumberman a possibility of lessening the cost of driving logs in the spring by substituting a kind of ice barge on wheels that could be run by steam; a portable engine could be used which would cost little more for fuel than a stove. If the idea is practicable, the suggestion ought to be rewarded by the lumbermen with an annuity which he undoubtedly would cheerfully accept—the idea being original, and could be so constructed as to be free from danger.

LET us see? Was it Coun. Smart who gave notice several months ago he would introduce a new snow by-law? Think it was. Well, it is about time he was bringing it forward unless he intends it to abolish the heavy falls of snow which usually visit us during July and August, but perhaps he is taken the same length of time to "envolve" his by-law as Coun. Herriman has to get his Health by-law in shape. The dread time is coming when ye free and unterrified ratepayers will have a chance to express his opinion of Councillors through the ballot box, and we would recommend Coun. Smart to hurry up—for he may not have a chance to bring it in if he delays much longer.

THE steets on Saturday were in the worst condition we have ever seen them, and reflected anything but credit on the street-surveyor or the Council. Farmers complained that the mud was more plentiful on the streets inside the corporation than outside of it, and certainly it would be a great pity if they were not. With so much rain as we have lately it may be said it would be impossible to keep the streets very clean, but the crossings on the leading ones might at least have been scraped over. The John, Queen and Railway crossings were in a disgraceful condition, and hundreds had to go over them ankle deep in mud, and all to save about one hour's time, for we believe an active man could have scraped the three clean in that time, at a cost of fifteen or twenty cents to the town. Fortunately the frost hardened the mud on Sunday, so, that people could get about without ploughing through the miry element. It is to be hoped in future crossings will be looked after when the streets are dirty.

MARY TROY, *alias* Beatty, was charged at the Police Court, Monday morning, with keeping a house of ill-fame on Hope street. As usual in such cases as this there was a large crowd of the great unwashed in attendance at the court. When the woman was charged with the above offence she stated that her husband lived in Belleville, was rich, and that when she came to Port Hope three weeks since she had $700 in the bank, and she wanted to know why, in the face of these facts, she should be necessitated to keep such a house? Two witnesses were examined, Mr. Mouncey and Mr. John Smith, her landlord. The former testified to her asking him for liquor at an unreasonable hour, and that the neighbors considered the reputation of her house bad. The latter (who was interrupted in his testimony by such remarks as these: I was born and raised in Belleville and can get a character from a thousand; Mr. Marshall you took $14 out of me the other week for calling you an Orangeman; didn't I pay you your rent in advance?) testified to the general character of her house; it was disorderly; young fellows were seen loitering around it, and it had undoubtedly a bad reputation. The prisoner asked to be remanded for a week in order to get a hot drink and witnesses, but the magistrate remarked "Three months in the county goal." The case is a hard one, and no doubt the incarceration for a quarter of a year will have a good effect on the woman.

THE streets have not recovered from their recent drenching.

IF the wind veers around, then—skating. and the besom and stanes.

THE pupils of the High School will give an entertainment on Friday evening, Dec., 19th.

AN Italian female violinist and a male harpist made sweet melody for Port Hope hotels, Tuesday.

CANON SANDER, of Ottawa, occupied the pulpit in St. John's Church Sunday morning.

THE P. M. very properly denounced the ill-timed mirth of those who listened to the beastiality of one of the cases tried at the police court, Monday morning.

THE Postmaster-General has issued instructions to Postmasters to allow all invoices *not sealed* to go through for one cent—the same as circulars.

A SUBSCRIBER sends the following conundrum for our young lady readers, Is the word "girl" mentioned in the Bible, and if so, where?

CLARKE Burch was found dead drunk by Chief Marshall, on Saturday night, bnt he denied that such was the case, and the beak mulcted him in $2 and $2 costs.

MR. GEO. MACKIE, of the Royal hotel, Whitby, is in town visiting his friends. We are glad to hear he is making the Royal a success.

MR. W. C. SCOTT, who married Miss Williams, of Chatham, the other day is now on a wedding tour in this vicinity. He visited his brother, Mr. D. H. Scott, of John street, Port Hope, last week.

SUNDAY Mr. Robt. Linus, of the 9th con. Hope, lost a very fine two year old colt. The cause was inflammation of the lungs, and, as usual, Dr, Ceasar was called in too late to save the valuable animal.

HENRY KNAPP was assaulted the other day by Levi Reynolds, of the township of Hope, and he wanted the latter to be bound over to keep the peace. But he did not appear Tuesday at the police court against Reynolds, who was accordingly acquitted.

WE regret to learn that Mr. Wadsworth, Manager of the Bank of Toronto here, has met with a sad affliction through the death of his mother, an estimable lady of many virtues. He has the sympathy of a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

MONDAY morning a rather novel funeral procession wended its way to the Monkey Mountain bovine cemetery. There were chief mourner, two grave diggers, and an ecclesiastical representative. What was interred cannot for obvious reasons be mentioned.

THE Peterborough Daily Evening *Review* has entered upon the second year of its publication. It is a good paper, full of well digested news and editorials, and being exceedingly well printed, will be even a more welcome visitor to the families of that town than when it was in its infancy. Experience teaches—you know.

AN amusing incident occurred in a court room not a million miles from Port Hope the other day. A gentleman was talking loudly and gesticulating wildly to a friend in the court room, and the judge casually remarked "I fine you one dollar." The dollar was paid, and the judge discovered that the gentleman whom he had fined had been eulogizing his friend the judge. The fine was promptly remitted. That's all.

A CHANGE of proprietorship has taken place at "the Farmers Home" John street, Mr. Miles Ogden having bought the interest Mr. J. Bradley formerly owned. We recommend this hotel to our country readers especially; it being well supplied with necessary accommodation for man and beast. The tables are well kept and supplied, and every want of the travelling public carefully provided for.

AT the corner of Dorset and John streets, a portion of the carcase of a calf with pelt on, has been lying since Monday morning. Why is it not removed? Does not the Sanitary Committee live on John street, and does not his Worship himself pass the spot four times a day at least? But probably his Worship is so keenly on the scent after votes just now, that his olfactories have failed to detect this one.

THE Mitchell *Advocate* says it "will gladly receive and pay for reports of murders, tornadoes, elopements, eclipses of the sun, kerosene explosions, fights between women, double-headed animals, explosions of pea-nut roasters, births of triplets, putting up stove-pipes without swearing, temperance men who don't drink behind the door, municipal candidates who at this season of the year refuse to shake hands with all they meet, and other equally important items. Millions for them, but not a cent for poetry."

MR. J. F. McMurtry tried Tuesday morning the experiment of finding out how thick his skull was, in the following manner: While splitting a piece of wood in his woodyard, in lifting his axe to strike a second or third time he brought it in contact with a slab which projected over the fence, when the back of the axe glanced off this on to the top of Mr. McMurtry's head, inflicting a heavy bruise and slightly cutting the skin. Cold water was immediately applied copiously, and under its cooling influence the stunning effects have been considerably molified, and we are glad to say he escaped serious injury.

LAST week's Orillia *Times* contains the following:—"Some friends are interesting themselves in getting up a farewell and complimentary concert to Mrs. Whitehead before she leaves Orillia. Next Wednesday evening has been decided on for the time and the St. James's school house as the place. This has been selected as the most suitable place available; Quinn's hall will accommodate few if any more, and is badly seated, and no other room in town offers better advantages. The programme promises to be a most interesting one. Besides a number of local performers, who have kindly consented to assist, the list will embrace the names of Mr. Mumford, of Toronto, Mr. Gillard, of Port Hope, and Mr. Morgan, of Barrie. We are glad to know that it is not to be purely a denominational affair, but that all classes and creeds will unite in paying a compliment to one whose sympathies are broad enough to cover all and whose genial good nature and kindness have made her a universal favorite."

THE record of Mr. George Humphreys, wagon-maker, at Lotus, in Manvers township, is so remarkable a one that it deserves the fullest publicity. Mr. Humphreys was born in Cavan, Ireland, just 52 years ago, and his wife was born in the township of Cavan, Canada, about the same year. Since he was twenty years of age he has been married, and a member of L. O. L. No. 79. He turns the scales at 180 pounds and his better and heavier half at 200. He has earned $5 per day, in Farr's Foundry, by wooding plows, and his quickest feat in this direction was wooding a plow in 40 minutes. Ten years since he completely wooded a threshing machine in ten days, and out of the rough wood, without the ready made hubs and spokes of the present day, he turned out a complete set of wagon wheels in 20 hours. But the most startling portion of his and his wife's record is yet to come. They have been married just 32 years, and are the parents of 19 children, 16 of whom are now living. There have been, as he himself expresses it, "four pairs in the lot." The youngest is five years of age, so that they have all been born to their parents in 27 years. This prolific and happy couple have 29 grand children, and are now only 52 years of age, and are in apparently in the best of robust health. This certainly is a remarkable record, and we would like to know if it can be beaten.

MR. COX is pushing the improvement of the Midland Railway with characteristic energy, his latest effort in that direction being the purchase of 4,000 tons of steel rails, to be delivered in June next. These rails will be placed on the line between Lindsay and Beaverton, and it is expected they will be laid by the middle of July. This purchase will place the Midland in a first-class condition, with new iron or steel rails from one end to the other, the rails on the line beyond Beaverton having but recently been put down.

NAVIGATION at this port may now be practically considered closed. All of our vessels are at home and laid up, with the exception of the steam barge *Lothair* and the *Corisande*, which will winter this season at Port Colborne. The harbor light will be no more lighted, and receipts and shipments are closed for the season. And not the least result of the closing of navigation is that the storm lobster will have a three months' rest, and we may have some weather without its undue interference. There are twenty-four vessels of various sorts in the harbor, and their names are as follows: Steamer Norseman; Schooners—Ariel, Agnes Hope, Annie Minnes, Albatross, Annie Craig, Aurora, Cavalier, Caroline Marsh, D. Freeman, Eliza White, Eliza Quinlan, Flora Carveth, Flora Emma, Garibaldi, Great Western, John A. Macdonald, Lewis Ross, Mary Ann Lydon, Maria Annette, Two Brothers, Wanderer, W. T. Greenwood, and the tug Albert Wright.

THE Port Hope Methodist Sabbath school anniversary sermons will be preached on Sunday, December 14th, morning and evening, by the Rev. J. B. Clarkson, M. A., of Toronto. The Sabbath school will occupy the gallery of the church in the morning, and supply part of the service of song. There will be a Sabbath school open meeting in the church in the afternoon at 2.30, when addresses will be delivered by Revs. W. H. Laird, J. B. Clarkson, and others, interspersed with singing by the infant and intermediate classes, and choruses by the school. The annual meeting will be held on Monday, December 15th, when Rev. J. B. Clarkson, Rev. John Shaw, president of the Conference, and others, will deliver addresses; chair to be taken at 7.30 p. m. The choir, under the leadership of Mr. Singleton, will furnish appropriate music. A cordial invitation is extended to parents and friends to attend all the services. A welcome for everyone. A collection at each service in aid of the school funds.

AT the meeting of the L. O. L., No. 140, Bewdley, on the 2nd Dec., 1879, the following officers were installed for the ensuing term:—
W. M.—Wm. Coats.
D. M.—Wm. White.
Chap.—Henry Coats.
Treas.—John Wilson.
Sec'y—James Wilson.
D. of C.—Silvester Woods.
Committee.—Edward Blanchard, William Gainer, Richd. White, Francis Holland, Robt. Orr. After the installation of the officers, the lady friends of the members furnished a sumptuous repast which was done ample justice to, after which the following programme was gone through with: The first on the programme was Bro. Wm. Coats, who favored the assembly with his favorite song, entitled "The Hat my Favorite Wore," which was received amid loud applause. Bro. John Wilson favored the assembly with a few of his comic songs. Bros. Crews, Wilson, Orr, Holland, Hannah, Beatty, each did exceedingly well, especially Bro. Holland who brought down the house with "his" favorite song "Paddy Mouse." Then Bro. White delivered a speech on the prosperity of the Order, which was well received. The meeting was then brought to a close by singing the "National Anthem."

TORONTO MARKETS.

Business on the street is dull, and in consequence of the light supply prices generally are steady. A plentiful supply of hay sold at from $8 to $10.50 a load, and straw from $6.50 to $7.50. Dressed hogs brought $5.75 and $6.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 23	to	$1 [illegible]
Wheat, spring, do	1 25	to	1 [illegible]
Barley, do	0 55	to	0 70
Oats, do	0 37	to	0 38
Peas, do	0 62	to	0 70
Rye, do	0 70	to	0 71
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	5 75	to	6 00

PORT HOPE MARKET.

TIMES OFFICE, Dec. 11, 1879.

THE market, Saturday morning, was an exceedingly lively one, despite the unfavorable weather. There was an abundance of those productions of our country friends which are so highly prized and indispensible on Port Hope tables. The quality, likewise, was excellent, but there cannot be a doubt that our rural cousins are holding back their best stock in order to make a grand display about Christmas and New Years. Some very good celery was sold for 4 cents per head, and a novelty, at this time of year, was the lettuce, which readily secured purchases at five cents for three or four heads, according to their size. Citrons brought from 3 to 4 cents each, and potatoes were a drug at 30 cts per bushel. The quotations vary little from those given a week ago, and are as follows:—

WHEAT.			
Fall Wheat	$1 20	@	1 25
Spring	1 15	@	1 [illegible]
Fife	1 15	@	1 [illegible]
GRAIN,			
Barley,	0 00	@	0 00
Oats	0 32	@	0 35
Rye	0 00	@	0 00
Small Peas, per bush	0 65	@	0 [illegible]
Peas, Black Eyes, per bush	0 90	@	1 00
Clover Seed	0 00	@	0 00
FLOUR—RETAIL PRICES.			
Extra, per 100lbs	0 00	@	3 [illegible]
Spring	3 00	@	3 [illegible]
Fall	3 00	@	3 [illegible]
MEAT MARKET.			
Lamb, per qr	0 07	@	0 [illegible]
Mutton, per lb	0 05	@	0 07
Beef, per qr nominal	5 00	@	6 00
DAIRY, VEGETABLE AND FRUIT MARKET.			
Butter, roll	0 15	@	0 [illegible]
Butter, tub	0 15	@	0 [illegible]
Eggs, per doz	0 15	@	0 [illegible]
Lard	0 09	@	0 [illegible]
Cheese	0 10	@	0 11
Hay, per ton	6 00	@	7 00
Straw, per load	2 00	@	3 00
Potatoes,	0 30	@	0 [illegible]
Apples, per bush	1 25	@	0 [illegible]
Carrots	0 25	to	0 [illegible]
Parsnips	0 35	to	0 [illegible]
Turnips	0 12	to	0 [illegible]
Beets	0 35	to	0 [illegible]
Cabbages, per doz	0 00	to	0 [illegible]
POULTRY MARKET:			
Turkeys	0 50	to	0 [illegible]
Geese	0 40	to	0 [illegible]
Ducks	0 25	to	0 [illegible]
Chickens	0 15	to	0 [illegible]
HIDES, &c.			
Calf Skins, per lb.	0 00	@	0 [illegible]
Hides, per 100 lbs	0 00	@	6 [illegible]
Sheep Skins	0 80	@	0 [illegible]
Grubby Hides	3 00	@	0 [illegible]
Deacons	0 40	@	0 [illegible]
WOOL			
Fleece Wool per lb	0 00	@	0 [illegible]

PALATABLE MEDICINE.—Not many years ago all medicines were copious in quantity and nauseous to taste. In the advancement of medical science, nauseous drugs have been made palatable and small doses have taken the place of large ones, until recently Cod Liver Oil, the greatest food and medicine in the world for the Consumptive or Emaciated invalid, has been intolerable to take. But in Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with the Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda this has been entirely overcome, and it is as palatable as sweet milk. 40-4t.

A PUBLIC BENEFACTION.—The heart must be hard indeed that does not commiserate the abject wretchedness of the child when told that it must take a dose of Castor Oil. The aversion to the taste and smell of this most efficient and inestimable of laxative and cathartic medicines, seems to be universal, not only with children but with grown-up people. The chemist who could overcome these nauseous properties will ever be looked upon as a public benefactor. This has been fully accomplished by Scott & Browne in their Palatable Castor Oil. It is pleasant to the taste, and within the reach of all. Price, only 25 cents a bottle. 40-4t.

DAVE HALL,

Modern Demosthenes, Delights a Port Hope Audience.

ALL ABOUT NATIONAL SENTIMENTS.

Dave Hall is an orator. He is an unapproachable orator. He is a versatile orator. He is a natural-born orator. And he is an orator of a unique sort.

Dave Hall (we call him Dave because there is only one, great and original genius and that is himself, and because great men never have the prefix Mr. before their names or Esq. after them, and who ever heard of Mr. Napoleon Bonaparte, or Mr. Wellington, etc.?) lectured n Port Hope town hall Friday night.

Just how this auspicious event came about is one of those things no fellow can tell, but the fact remains, he lectured.

The audience was not so large that spectators had to climb over the shoulders of the densely packed auditorium, nor did any one have to sit on any one else's auricular appendage in order to catch a glimpse of the justly celebrated inhabitant of the Hopeful town.

But the audience was a select, appreciative and small one, considering the talents of the distinguished tongue-thresher.

The component portions of the audience were on the *qui vive*, and expectation ran high. And while they are pouring in—one at a time—and each one a considerable distance between, let us take a glance at the hero and immortalize ourselves by drawing a pen portrait of him as he indulges in the reveries which always possess great minds when they are anxiously and nervously awaiting an event they are sure is going to happen but never does.

Dave is a man who is now at that mature stage of life which is never surprised at anything and always is prepared for the worst by looking on the bright side of the shield every time. It is evident that he has seen more powerful days, and it is quite as evident that he has as the years rolled around been imperceptibly gaining in culture and knowledge, until he stands now the foremost extemporaneous speaker in Canada, perhaps in the world. The first thing that strikes the careless observer is that delicately formed, yet strong and massive jaw, which supports a most comprehensive mouth, and which one insensibly compares with that of the Hon. Edward Blake. It is full of wonderful expression. Almost any feeling which sways the orator as he is in one of his organic flights of eloquence is fully pourtrayed by the flexible organ. Then the massive brow, whose perceptives distinctly discover to the gazer that the man is much more than ordinary an character attracts universal admiration, and this is well balanced by the large bumps of approbativeness and self-esteem situated a little to the rear of the coronal structure of the living embodiment of all eloquence. It is covered with long, straight hair, of a greyish tinge. The ears are of full capacity, and should do an immense amount of hearing for their possessor. Descending, we find a striking resemblance to the Talmagian body, both in shape, size, and general acrobatic stage action. The pedal extremities of the whole would be models for *Puck* in sketching the great dramatic, acrobatic, and sensational preacher of New York. We must not forget the rows of ivory which adorn the hash receptacle of Dave, and which are shown to the utmost advantage and blackness and brokenness when the winning smile, which so often captures the audience, is visible A very effective stage trick possessed by this celebrated character of modern times is a habit of bending his nether limbs outward and with a forward inclination during the effective passages in the torrents of thought which are so vividly conveyed to the hearer. In fact, it would require a Dickens to picture with due amplitude and subtle expression the many charms possessed by the subject of this sketch.

But he lectured. His subject was "National Sentiments," and we are extremely sorry that our space forbids more than the merest outline of his really enchanting and eloquent rhapsodies on the aforesaid subject.

And here it is:—

"I cannot say Mr. Chairman, because there ain't none; but I can say gentlemen. (Here Dave unrolled a paper containing voluminous notes.) I may not refer (took a drink) to my paper, but it is a handy thing to have around a lecture table. (At this point he took out his boar's tusk mounted specs, and while adjusting them Mr. Gamble placed a candle in a tin candlebra on the lecture table.) As I was saying (another drink) the United States is a great protection sentiment welded together into one person. Their unborn millions (a huge laugh from the audience, and a winning smile from the speaker), ah, you may laugh but there's money in it. To resume, I believe a protective sentiment—a nationel sentiment if you will—is Wright, who delivered a most gorgeous speech on Canadian protection here once last year, and he is a great friend of mine, as is Sir John A. Macdonald (great rolling of the orator's eyes and lolling of his taster). The Czar and the Rag Baby are dead, and the Jews are uncivilized. I believe the triumvirate of Port Hope is a despotism which are trying to reassemble the ghosts of all ancient superstition and who wants us to fall (still another drink) wants us to fall down and worship heathen gods. (A quid of fine-cut here passed in very close proximity to the orator's potato grinders.) We must look at surroundings (spread and effective stage business here intervened) and I am confident a man never saw this phase of lunacy (violent bob of his head) worked up more than in the market by-law to prevent selling on Sunday. Yes (stretching himself to his full stature and an inch more) this is fan dubs, and echo answers where?"

We are sorry we are compelled to abridge the report of this interesting lecture, and can only say in extenuation that no short-hand man in the world could do full justice, to the very able, comprehensive exposition of National Sentiments by Dave Hall.

Let us live in hope.

We may hear him again.

Joint Meeting.

A joint meeting of the members of the Harbor Board and Town Council was held in the Mayor's office, Thursday afternoon, to take into consideration certain matters with reference to the Harbor and Railway which are, however, in too crude a state to say much about just now.

There were present, the Mayor, and Messrs. L. Ross, B. D. Derring, J. W. Wallace, D. Smart, Col. Williams, W. Garnett, P. Robertson, C. Quinlan, and J. G. Williams.

On motion the Mayor was appointed chairman, and Mr. D. Smart, secretary.

The object of the meeting was stated when the following resolutions were passed:

Moved by Col. Williams, seconded by Mr. D. Smart,—That in the opinion of this meeting the amalgamation of the Harbor and the Midland Railway, will be beneficial to the interests of the trade and commerce of this port, and the country tributary to it. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Garnett, seconded by Mr. Quinlan, — That Col. Williams, the Mayor, and Mr. J. G. Williams, be appointed a committee of the Town Council, Harbor Board, and citizens, to join with a committee of the Midland Railway Directors and representatives of other municipalities interested, to confer with the Ontario Government, on the question of the amalgamation of the Harbor and Railway, and render any assistance possible to the railway. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Robertson, seconded by Mr. Wallace,—That the above executive committee be empowered to publish the necessary legal notice of any permissive bill they see fit. Carried.

The meeting adjourned.

HYMENEAL.

Interesting Marriage Ceremony at St. Mark's Church.

The marriage of Miss Carrie Burton, second daughter of the late F. H. Burton, M. P., to Mr. Robert B. Lundy, of Peterboro', was solemnized in St. Mark's church, Thursday night under the most auspicious surroundings. The spacious edifice was filled with the many friends of the bride long before the hour—seven o'clock—appointed for the interesting event to transpire. The high esteem in which the bride-elect was held in this town, and a similar feeling being entertained for the bridegroom, Mr. Lundy, a son of one of the oldest and most esteemed residents of that flourishing town, were the main contributants to so large an audience. Almost every one present had a personal interest in the beautiful young bride, and the position held by the groom as brother of Peterboro's Mayor no doubt contributed a moiety to the attendance.

At precisely seven o'clock the bride, Miss Carrie Burton, looking exceedingly well, entered the church, leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. E. J. W. Burton, Collector of Customs at this port. As they moved up the aisle, Mrs. Read, the organist, played an appropriate selection on the organ. The bridesmaids were Miss Eugenie and Miss Mary Burton, sisters of the bride, and the best man was Mr. Douglas Lundy, brother of the groom. The very impressive marriage services of the church were performed by Rev. J. S. Baker, incumbent of St. Mark's. Mr. E. J. W. Burton, the bride's brother, gave her away. At the conclusion of the interesting ceremony, the choir sang the beautiful matrimonial hymn, "A Three-fold Cord is not Easily Broken," after which followed the hearty congratulations and wishes of the numerous friends of the happy couple. As they left the church, the organist played the "Wedding March."

The bride was dressed in a rich travelling suit of brown silk, trimmed with a darker shade of brown silk velvet. Hat, beaver, gold ornaments. Jewelry, gold.

The bridesmaids' dresses were of navy blue cashmere and velvet.

The happy couple left almost immediately on the conclusion of the ceremony for Peterboro', their future home, where their friends trust they may long live and enjoy a happy future.

The Waterworks Caretaker.

The following is the report of the Fire, Water and Gas Committee, presented to the Council at its last session:—

Your Committee on Fire, Water and Gas, to whom was referred the communication of Mr. S. Marshall, caretaker of the waterworks building, after investigating the same, report as follows,—That the person who occupies the position of caretaker of the waterworks building must be a steady, trustworthy man, and your Committee consider Mr. Marshall to be a person in whom we have every confidence, and also the confidence of the Chief Engineer, and think that the sum of one dollar per week is little enough recompense for his trouble and inconvenience, but owing to the lateness of the application, and your Committee being unwilling to go over the amount estimated for the Fire, Water and Gas Committee, would recommend that the sum of twenty-five dollars ($25) be paid Mr. Marshall for his services in full to Jan. 1st, 1880.

WAIT FOREVER.

Once upon a time there lived beside the Rhine, a beautiful young lady. She had a lover who loved her and whom she loved in return. But, after he had wooed her—not one year, but three—he asked her to marry him; and she, anxious to show her power, merely answered:

"Wait."

"I have waited three years," he said, "but at your bidding, I will wait one more—just one more,"

Then he went away and became a soldier, and praise of his bravery filled the land; but the lady was piqued by the thought that he had been able to leave her even a year, and when he returned she determined to punish him, though all the time she loved him well.

He knelt at her feet, and took her hand in his and said:

"Lady, I have come back to claim you for my wife."

"Wait longer; a patient waiter is not a loser."

"I will wait two years longer," he said calmly. "If I do not lose, all is well."

Then he left again. She had hoped that he would plead with her, and that she would be forced to change her mind; but now he was gone—gone for two long years. How she lived through them she could not tell; but they passed, and again her lover was before her.

"I have waited patiently," was all he said.

The lady yearned to cast herself in his arms, but pride was strong within her.

"Wait longer," she said.

"No," he answered. "This is the last time. If I wait now, I will wait forever."

At this she drew back hautghily.

"Then wait forever," she said coldly.

He left her without a word. And now her heart sank within her. She wept bitter tears and repented in dust and ashes. When a year had gone by she could bear her woe no longer, and sent her little foot-page to her lover, bidding him bear this message: "Come back to me."

But the message the foot-page brought back was just this: "Wait."

Again she was left to her sorrow, and two years glided by; then she once more bade her page ride over the mountains to her lover's castle.

"Tell him I am waiting," she said.

The page rode away and rode back. He stood before his lady, and doffed his cap, and repeated the message that had been given to him: "The patient waiter is not a loser."

"He is punishing me," thought the lady, and for two years longer she remained in her castle. Her heart was breaking—her health failed—she knew that death was near.

Again she sent her cruel lover a message.

"Tell him," she said, "that I am near my end, and that if I wait longer before I see him, I shall wait forever."

The page returned, and stood beside his lady's chair. His eyes were full of tears; he sighed and held his face in his plumed cap.

The lady lifted her wan face.

"Speak!" she said. "The message."

"Alas!" sighed the page, "I would that it were a more tender one."

"Whatever it may be, speak!" gasped the lady.

"The only message I have" replied the page, is "wait forever.'"

"I am well paid in my own coin," said the lady. "At last I have received all my own answers back."

In a little while she died, and they buried her in the old churchyard, with a stone at her head and a stone at her feet.

When spring came there was grass upon the grave, and there was also a plant strange to those who looked upon it; a plant with dark glossy leaves that crept slowly but surely along, clutching fast to every rough surface it met.

POINTS FROM PLURABUSTI.

Regular Correspondence of THE TIMES.

Oh! my, hip-whoora—what a breeze I raised the other day with the Hope cheese factory folks, and I failed to tell half the truth concerning it. I did nothing "extenuate or set down ought in malice." A brief glance at the assessment roll shows that there are over five hundred cows kept within a radius of three miles of the cheese factory, and still they have to draw milk double that distance. There is something radically wrong in this. What that wrong is will be for the stockholders to find out at their earliest opportunity. They should probe to the very bottom of the matter, as it would be a public misfortune if the factory was closed (with wheat averaging about ten bushels per acre). It is true that the price of cheese has been very low, still, by judicious management, there might have been a small direct, and quite a large indirect, profit. The great trouble with the Hope factory is the enormous expense in manufacturing, as double the quantity of milk could be made into cheese without increasing the expenditure in the least, and thereby reducingthe cost of manufacturing a pound of cheese about one-third,—quite a considerable item, and well worth considering, gentlemen. Keep the factory going at all hazards, as it is well known by all tillers of the soil that there is too much grain grown in this Province, and that we will soon be starved into stock raising. I well remember hearing an old farmer deploring the failure of his grain crops, but said the STOCK PAYS ALL THE TIME, and the farmers who gave their attention early to stock raising had gone right along without any set-backs, and had out-stripped grain-growers. There is, no doubt, much truth in the old gentleman's remarks. Stock is the surest and most remunerative. But in thickly settled regions it is better and safer to divide the interest between the two. The two assist each other, and improve the farm. Waste straw and offal of the grain crop will go far to feed the stock; while the waste and offal of the stock will go far in fertilizing the soil and improving its capacity for production. The strength of the soil is a great desideratum with the farmer; the soil is his mine of wealth, his treasury, his bank deposit, he must keep it good or his paper is protested, his reputation as a farmer is dishonored. It is well to keep a variety of stock, as well as raise a variety of grain crops. The general profits of the year are thus kept nearly equal; farming may be done closer, less wasted, and more made, a "consumation devoutly to be wished."

The demand for marriage certificates is greatly on the increase, there are three or four weddings every week, in fact we are becoming accustomed to hear neighbours tell of,

One more unfortunate,
Anxious for strife,
Rashly importunate,
Has taken a wife.

I understand that our present council will all be candidates for re-election, and as they succeed themselves, it is quite likely they will be their own successors. Let them remember:

"'Tis not in mortals to command success,"
But we'll do more * * * we'll deserve it.

One of your Port Hope printers, tired of living upon "printer's pi," has commenced distributing tracks in the neighborhood of farmers' barn yards. The "impression" that he has made upon the average granger is that your type sticker got a "fat take" from several hen-roosts. This desciple of the "art preservative of all arts," had better beware, or some old codger will get out his "shooting-stick" and put several . . . to typo's existence, as we have no idea of suffering by his industry. A local "poick" of considerable reputation of a certain kind, mounted his "Pegassus," a sorry kind of a nag, it is true, a "rum'un to look at, but a ripper to go," and below is what he caught on the fly:

There was a poor printer—
Who was afraid that the winter,
Would be neither mild, muddy, or murky.
So he thought that his cellar,
Had better be filled well'er,
With two bags of potatoes, the contents of several clothes lines, six hens, two ducks and a turkey.
(Out on a fowl.) PLURABUSTI.

Hope, Dec. 3, 1879.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

COBOURG, Dec. 5.—The charge of infanticide against Mary Ann Weatherup was investigated at Cobourg yesterday, before W. I. Stanton, Esq., P.M., the case being concucted by J. W. Kerr, Esq., on behalf of the Crown. Some thirty witnesses were present, including the father and mother of the accused. Only about one half of them were examined, however. The evidence taken was very voluminous, occupying the court nearly five hours, and was considered sufficient to warrant a commitment for trial.

CARLETON JUNCTION, Dec. 5.–The mangled remains of a man were found on the track by the section men, about one mile and a half east of this Junction this morning. The body has not been recognized.

LUCKNOW, Dec. 5.--Burglars between 12 and 4 o'clock this morning broke into the shop of Chas. Secord, of this village. The safe was broken open and about three hundred dollars stolen. The supposed thieves left by the 4.58 a. m. train and were captured at Listowel.

QUEBEC, Dec. 5.—A twin or double vessel, the *Less Bequeth*, supposed to belong to St. Pierre, was picked up and towed out of the ice yesterday afternoon, during the ebb tide, by the ferry steamer *Prince Edward*, and has since been placed in safety for the present.

An evening or two ago a disturbance broke out amongst the workmen employed by the contractor for the new freight sheds, at the Chaudiere curve, owing to a dispute with reference to the discharge of laborers and the taking on of others in their stead. It was at one time feared that assistance would have to be obtained from Quebec, but fortunately everything was agreeably arranged.

It is reported that a young lady of this city, who was married some few weeks ago in this city, returned home on Wednesdty, having discovered that her husband was already in the possession of another wife and two children.

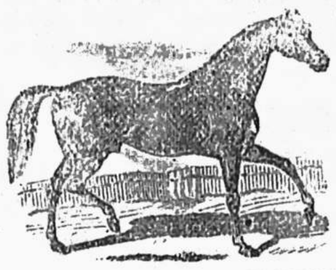
Mr. Gregory, of the Marine and Fisheries Department, states that the mate and steward of the barque *Lydra*, who came over from the wreck in a small boat not more than 12 or 13 feet long, reported that the Captain and all the crew remained all night upon the vessel after she struck. The next day all went ashore excepting the mate and steward. They carried a large quantity of provisions and all their clothing with them. Mr. Wilson, proceeded on foot to Bethlamites, and there made arrangements for a schooner to take them all over to the south shore, as soon as the spring tide would float the schooner, which had been hauled up for the winter. Mr. Wilson returned to the ship the same day, with the captain, the mate, and steward, and never landed at Wineruagan, but remained on board the wreck for three days. They learned that at Bethlamites there were plenty of provisions, clothing, and means of getting up by land if not by water.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 5.—The old Arnold Diamond fraud case suit was brought up yesterday, in the U. S. Court, against Mary Arnold, wife of the late Peter Arnold, executrix of his will, by Samuel L. M. Barlow, New York, for $143,000 advanced on Arnold's representations of the discovery of immense diamond fields near Mexico and Anisonja. These fields were afterwards found to be salt deposits only.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 4.—Mike McMullen, who led a gang which broke up two Democrat conventions because they were against Randall, has been arrested, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill.

ELKON, Ind., Dec. 5.—The Governor has refused to commute the sentence on Medford Waters, who will be hanged to-day for the murder of a fellew laborer during a dispute in a cornfield. When asked to-day if he was prepared to die, Waters replied, if they would let him out to kill that nigger woman who testified against him he would be prepared.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Dr. Gabriel Wolf, was arrested yesterday, charged with prescribing poison for a sick infant left in his care by its mother, a servant girl. The infant cannot recover.



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CHEERING ITS CHILDHOOD.

The Press Encouraging its Baby Brother, The Port Hope Times.

VERY CREDITABLE.—The Port Hope TIMES now appears as a daily paper. It contains the latest despatches up to going to press, and the editorial and mechanical departments are very creditable.—*Western Advocate.*

WELL PRINTED.—The enterprising proprietor of the Port Hope TIMES now issues a daily. The first number was issued on Tuesday last. It is a spicy and well printed sheet.—*Cornwall Freeholder.*

NEATLY PRINTED.—The DAILY TIMES is the name of a new Conservative journal published in Port Hope. It is neatly got up, and although small, will probably grow in size as it advances in years.—*Port Elgin Free Press.*

A RESPECTABLE DAILY.—The Port Hope TIMES has developed into a respectable daily. The editor's words ring like good metal in defence of his brother contemporary, of the *Guide.*—*Trenton Courier.*

NEAT EVENING DAILY.—We welcome to our table the first number of the Port Hope TIMES. It is a neat evening daily, of spicy editorial and tasty make up.—*Cardwell Sentinel.*

BRIGHT AND NEWSY.—The proprietor of the Port Hope TIMES, has commenced the publication of a daily. It is a very excellent paper, bright and newsy and ought—if merit counts for anything—to be successful. —*Wardville Post.*

WELCOMED AND WELL SUPPORTED.—We have received a copy of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, which commenced publication last week, and welcome it to our exchange list. It is a neat four page, twenty column sheet, published every afternoon. It gives its readers a full report of the latest news of the day, including telegraph and cable despatches. The new journal will no doubt be welcomed and well supported by the citizens of Port Hope, and we wish it a successful career.—*Acton Free Press.*

A FIRST-CLASS PAPER.—We have received a copy of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, just launched on the sea of journalism. It presents a very neat appearance, its excellent matter being rendered more attractive by skillful arrangement. In politics it takes the Conservative view, and its editorials are ably and carefully written. On the whole it is a first-class paper, and we wish it success.—*Shelburne Free Press.*

A SPICY NEWSY READABLE LITTLE PAPER. —We are in receipt of copies of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, which, for a spicy, newsy, readable little sheet, is bound to hold its own against all comers. The TIMES will doubtless find it rather up-hill work for a time, but with a liberal use of the goose-quill, and the machinery well oiled, the chances are it will yet run the *Guide* off the track. We send our congratulations to brother Trayes, believing that his paper will always be found up to the "times."—*Aurora Conservative.*

SPICY, NEAT AND WELL PRINTED.—Port Hope has now three daily papers besides two or three weeklies. The DAILY TIMES, published by J. B. Trayes, a copy of which has reached us, is a spicy, neat and well printed little sheet. Particular attention appears to be given to local interests, which we are inclined to think is the surest way to success in any local paper. Three dailies and two weeklies are too many papers for Port Hope or any other town having under 10,000 inhabitants. We wish our enterprising cotem. success, though doubtless the road to prosperity will be an up hill one.—*Brampton Conservator.*

CRAZY.—A number of persons who are probably crazy have formed a company and commenced the publication of a third paper, and a daily at that. It is called the——, and is the same size as the DAILY TIMES and *Guide*, with which papers it is already at war, indeed, as far as we can understand, that is its only mission, as it has no particular politics. It is scarcely as well printed as its older rivals, has no superior merits, and what earthly need there is for it we cannot guess. The TIMES began to issue its daily less than a couple of weeks ago, and the proprietor, like a sensible man, said he did it with reluctance and only because compelled by circumstances. In our opinion the chief use of a daily paper in a town the size of Port Hope is to enable a prosperous publisher to get rid of his surplus funds.—*Fenelon Falls Gazette.*

A BEAUTIFUL ONE CENT SHEET.—Port Hope DAILY TIMES is on our table, a beautiful one cent sheet; and it seems to be edited with ability, and deserves a large patronage. —*Oakville Express.*

ABLY EDITED.—We are in receipt of the DAILY TIMES, a new daily paper issued in Port Hope. It is well edited and has a fair share of advertising patronage. We wish the enterprising proprietor success in his new undertaking.—*Port Dover Independent.*

FULL OF NEWS.—Our exchange list has been increased by the addition of the DAILY TIMES, published by Mr. J. B. Trayes, Port Hope. It is a neatly printed sheet, full of news, and edited in a vigorous style.—*Gananoque Reporter.*

NEATLY PRINTED.—We welcome to our sanctum the Port Hope DAILY TIMES published by Mr. J. B. Trayes. It is neatly printed and presents a very excellent appearance. It is ably edited, and we wish our namesake a long and prosperous career.—*Iroquois Times.*

A NEAT AND READABLE SHEET.—The Port Hope TIMES is now issued as a daily, and a very neat and readable sheet is turned out. May our contemporary's enterprise be rewarded by all the success it deserves —*Northern Advance.*

A SPICY LITTLE DAILY.—The Port Hope DAILY TIMES is the latest venture in the realm of journalism, and is published in the town which bears its name, by Mr. J. B. Trayes. It is a spicy little daily, and gives every evidence of prosperity. May its shadow never grow less.—*Bruce Reporter.*

A LIVELY FOUR PAGE PAPER.—We have received a copy of the Port Hope TIMES, a lively four page daily, which starts with a liberal advertising patronage, and better apparent prospects of success than most such enterprises in the younger cities.—*Canadian Champion.*

LIVELY IN TONE.—We have received the first number of the Port Hope TIMES, a daily sheet. It is well got up, lively in tone, and appears not only to be ably conducted, but to be in the hands of one who knows how to succeed. We wish it large prosperity, and a long career of usefulness.—*Alliston Herald.*

NEAT AND LIVELY.—We have received a copy of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, a new daily paper, a very neat and lively production. We wish the proprietor success in his efforts the establish a daily paper in connection with the WEEKLY TIMES.—*Aylmer Paper.*

A WELL ARRANGED SHEET.—Last week we received the first copy of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES. It is a well arranged sheet, and although we agree with the publisher in expressing doubts as to whether a second daily in Port Hope will pay, we wish our contemporary every success. — *Peterboro' Times.*

A BRIGHT AND PROMISING YOUNGSTER.—The enterprising town of Port Hope now understands the point in the old adage, "it never rains but it pours." J. B. Trayes, of the TIMES, with some misgiving, decided to risk the publication of a DAILY TIMES, and already he has two contemporaries to assist him. We have not seen the other papers, but the TIMES is a bright and promising youngster.—*Chatham Tribune.*

PORT HOPE TO THE FRONT.—The "TIMES" is the name of a new daily paper started in Port Hope, by Mr. J. B. Trayes. The "TIMES" is ably edited, neatly got up, and it certainly would be a credit to one of our 'youthful' cities. We wish the enterprising proprietor every success.—*Oakville Standard.*

PORT HOPE SHOULD FEEL PROUD.—We are in receipt of the fifth number of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, a neat little sheet of twenty columns. Port Hope should feel proud of having such an enterprise. We wish Mr. Trayes, the enterprising proprietor, every success in his undertaking.—*Georgetown Herald.*

A SPICY LITTLE DAILY.—The TIMES is a spicy little daily, issued by Mr. Trayes of Port Hope. It is well printed—brim full of the latest intelligence, and deserves to be liberally dealt with.—*Port Perry Standard.*

A NEAT LITTLE PAPER.—We have received a copy of a new daily paper started in Port Hope, the DAILY TIMES, published by Mr. J. B. Trayes. It is a neat little four-page paper, taking the Conservative side of politics. The enterprising publisher has our best wishes of success.—*Lucknow Sentinel.*

ABLY EDITED.—We have received the first number of the Port Hope DAILY TIMES, published by Mr. J. B. Trayes. The paper is twenty columns, is very neatly printed, and appears to be ably edited. The success of the daily newspaper in towns is very uncertain; but with the experience that friend Trayes possesses, it will be made a success, if the field is at all favorable.—*Almonte Gazette.*

NEAT AND INTERESTING.—We have received two or three copies of a neat, interesting, and spicy little paper, called the Port Hope DAILY TIMES. Every department of the journal shows that it is under the management of a practical and experienced person, and if the success of the venture is to be judged by the ability of the proprietor, there is every reason to believe the paper will live and flourish.—*Chesley Enterprise.*

COUNTIES' CURRENCY.

News and Notes Compiled Principally from Their Newspapers.

Bowmanville wants a town clock.

Rowdies are rampant in Campbellford.

Street and drain improvements are booming in Cobourg.

The Cobourg council chamber has been repainted.

Harness robbers are active in Bowmanville.

Municipal politics is booming in the counties.

Cobourg Y. M. C. A. has a membership of 156.

$57.72 is the Cobourg Y. M. C. A. deficit this year.

Proctor, astronomer, is coming to Cobourg in January.

Mr. Maxwell has lost his suit against the township of Clarke.

Bowmanville is agitating for the establishment of a public market.

The C. M. church, Bowmanville, held its anniversary last Sunday.

The *Observer*, Bowmanville, has been feeling the hum.

Hon. Jas. Cockburn has been visiting Campbellford.

Mr. Wm. Weir, Grand Junction station agent at Stirling, is dead.

Dr. Dickson, of Campbellford, is putting in another furnace.

James Peterson, of Colborne, died at the advanced age of 82.

Mr. J. V. Gravely, of Cobourg, strained his hand badly one day this week.

Mr. Jos. Doak, blacksmith, Cobourg, broke his leg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shephard Wilson, of Newcastle, passed their golden wedding on Sunday, 30th ult.

The annual meeting of the Bowmanville Congregational church was held the other evening, and was a success.

A very successful juvenile concert was held at the residence of Dr. McLaughlin, M. P. P., Bowmanville, last week.

Prof. Gardiner enlightened the astronomical faculties of the Bowmanville youth the other night.

The new refreshment man at Cobourg station imports his groceries, &c., from Montreal.

Orser, the alleged thief of his own trunk, was sent from Cobourg to Toronto for trial.

Mr. Johnston has been elected President, and the Rev. Mr. Smith, Secretary, of the Grafton bible society.

Mr. Crossen's foundry machinery is being moved to the new building on College street, Cobourg.

Bowmanville cemetery committee's resources were $704.17 and their liabilities for the year were $374.54.

Mr. Wm. Denmark is visiting his family at Campbellford. He lives in Manitoba himself.

Mr. James Dickson, of Campbellford, had a narrow escape from being burned to death by molten metal last week.

Somebody has stolen an axe from the editor of the Colborne *Express*, and he axes it back in his paper.

A man named Kelly, who has been going through the several farmers in the neigborhood of Campbellford by stealing their wheat, has absconded.

Miss Nancarrow, of Campbellford, has changed her name to the shorter one Morton. There was a young man in the case.

Somebody fired a rifle into the residence of Reeve Dinwoodie, of Campbellford, last week, but fortuuately the ball did not strike anyone.

A valuable thermometer and a large bible have been presented the Cobourg Y.M.C.A. by Messrs. E. A. Munson and John Fletcher, respectively.

Signs of burglars surrounded the keyhole of D. Beith's grocery store, Bowmanville, the other morning. Gimblets, matches, and things.

A colored girl and a white one work in a variety store in Bowmanville, whereat the *Statesman* remarks that they are "cooing for mates; success dovies."

Mr. G. M, Greer, M. A., son of Thos. Greer, of Colborne, has been appointed delegate for Nova Scotia of the Institution Enthnographique of Paris.

Cobourg has had another burglary. Mr. Canton's bookstore was the positive end, and the objective end of it was the penknives, &c., in a show window.

The Campbellford *Herald* is unnatrally indignant because the *Globe* accused its Y. M. C. A. of running a billiard table and oyster suppers. The organ's news is not always reliable.

Mr. Cruickshank has been appointed head master of Colborne schools, at a salary of $1,200 a year. He is to furnish an assistant out of the pile "suitable to the board of trustees."

A robbery was committed in Campbellford, and the *Herald* is waiting "in the interests of justice for particulars." Thieves don't wait to see in a paper that they stole something. They dig at once.

WOMAN'S KINGDOM.

Interesting Topics for the Ladies.

Important if true—A wife.

The woman question—"Why did you stay out till this unseemly hour, sir?"

A wife who foots her husband's stockings is not apt to make it difficult for him to foot her bills.

The first daughter of a family was named Kate. The second was named Duplicate.

Augustus told Eveline he wanted her for a helpmeet, and she responded that she could never be more than assister to him.

A lady joking about her nose said, "I had nothing to do with shaping it. It was a birthday present."

"Blessed are the dressmakers," was the way in which a small child gave account of the minister's text. The fashionable fall costumes were at church that day.

"See here, Georgie," said a fond mama to her little son as they were walking along the beach the other day—"see here, what a lot of nice little round stones!" "Yes," grumbled Georgie, as he cast a searching glance around, "and not a living thing to throw them at."

'Tis the sweetest thing in life to see the childlike simplicity and deference to maternal authority which a maiden of thirty-five or forty will exhibit before a roomful of people as she skips across the floor to ask dear mamma if she may walk up and down the piazza for a little while.

The lady who is now Crown Princess of Germany was, as the child-Princess Royal of Great Britain, a veritable "little witch." A certain distinguished physician, who was often called to Windsor, was always familiarly addressed by the merry child as "Brown.,' In vain the Queen tried to induce her small daughter to grace "Brown's" name with some sort of prefix. At length she was peremptorily informed that if she ever of again ventured to make use of this unceremonious style of address, the punishment would be an instant dismissal to bed. The physician reappeared in a day or two, and was greeted by the young lady with these words: "Good morning, Brown, and good night, too, Brown, for I'm off to bed," and she at once "beat a retreat."

THE BACHELOR'S LAST HOURS.

Not a laugh was heard, nor a joyous note,
As our friends to the bridal we hurried;
Not a wit discharged his farewell joke
As the bachelor went to be married.

We married him quickly to save his fright,
Our heads from the sad sights turning;
And we sighed, as we stood by the lamps dim light,
To think him not more discernidg.

To think that a bachelor, free and bright,
And shy of the sex as we found him,
Should there at the altar, at dead of night,
Be caught in the snares that bound him.

Few and short were the words we said,
Though of cake and wine partaking;
We escorted him home from the scene of dread,
While his knees were awfully shaking.

Slowly and sadly we marched him adown
From the top to the lowermost story;
And we have never heard from nor seen the poor man
Whom we left alone in his glory.

A lady contributor tells this story: "I had been out in the Westchester county for a visit, and while there I found a kitten which I brought home as a plaything for my two children. To prevent any dispute about the ownership of puss, I proposed, and it was agreed, that the head should be mine, the body should be the baby's, and Eddy, the eldest, but 3 years, should be sole proprietor of the long and beautiful tail. Eddy rather objected at first to the division, as putting him off with an extremely small share of the animal, but soon became reconciled to the division, and quite proud of his ownership in the graceful terminus of the kitten. One day soon after I heard poor puss making a dreadful mewing, and called out to Eddy, 'There, my son, you are hurting my part of the kitten; I heard heard her cry.' 'No, I didn't mother; I trod on my part and your part hollered.'"

Those who were present at the Opera House on Wednesday evening, says the Belleville *Free Press*, will remember that an interval of fully a quarter of an hour occurred between Mrs. Scott-Siddons rendering of "The Maniac" and her next appearance on the stage. The reason for this long delay is not generally known, and is as follows: When the curtain fell the stage attendants noticed with consternation that Mrs. Scott-Siddons did not rise from the straw bed upon which she had thrown herself in the last frenzy of the "Maniac." On approaching her it was found that she had fainted. She was borne to her dressing-room and restoratives were applied. She soon partially recovered her consciousness, but remained for a few minutes in violent hysterics, incoherently reciting snatches of the selection she had just been reading. When she appeared again before the audience neither her countenance nor her manner bore the slightest trace of the ordeal she had just passed. She is a remarkable little woman, in more ways than one.

There is a good deal of amusecment in the following table of figures. It will enable you to tell how old the young ladies are. Just hand this table to a young lady, and request her to tell in which column or columns her age is contained; add together the figures at the top of the columns in which her age is to be found, and you have the great secret. Thus, suppose her age to be seventeen, you find that number in the first and fifth columns; add the first figures of these two columns. Here is the magic table:—

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ACCORDING to the report of the Illinois Commissioners, the average life of Railway Rolling Stock is: Locomotives, 15¼ years; passenger cars, 15¾; stock cars, 10 years; freight cars, 11½ years; iron rails, 7 years; steel rails, 14 years; oak ties, 7 years; pine ties, 4¾ years; cedar ties, 5½ years; bridges, trestle bridges, pile bridges, 9½, 8 and 9 years, respectively; joints and fastening, 7 years; fencing 7 years.

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