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Beaverton, March 7, 1894.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

What they are Doing Round About us.

Interesting Jottings by Correspondents From Many Places.

CANNINGTON.

Mr. G. H. Woodward has retired from the boot and shoe business here and has been succeeded by Mr. N. W. Ross.

Mr. John R. May has opened out a new tin-shop one door west of the post office.

THORAH.

Council met on Saturday last members all present. On motion by Mr. McCall, second by Mr. McDougall, that whereas the Reeve of the township of Thorah and the Deputy-Reeve of the township of Brock, having examined the ditches on the town line between Brock and Thorah, lot 21, 22, and 23, find that the said ditches are a benefit to said lots he therefore resolved that this council disclaim any liability for damages claimed by Miss Turner and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. R. Ruddy of Millbrook who is acting for Miss Turner, in this matter. By-law No. 3 of 1893, appointing pathmasters, pound-keepers, fence-viewers, collector, and Road commissioner was introduced. The by-law on submission called forth other nominations. Mr. Angus McKay, was nominated for Division II, as pathmaster when Mr. McCall, nominated Mr. Robert McIntyre. On motion by Mr. McDougall, seconded by Mr. McKay, the difficulty was overcome by the appointment of Jas. W. McCall to the said division. Mr. George Suter, was appointed road commissioner and Mr. John Morrison, collector of taxes. The clerk was instructed to call the attention of the council of Eldon to the necessity of erecting a railing on the "B" on town line Thorah and Eldon, opp. site lot 6, con. 1. The road commissioner was instructed to examine the town line between Eldon and Thorah opposite lot 1, con. 6, and if found necessary have the same repaired. After passing several accounts the council adjourned till Saturday April 7 at 5 p. m.

TORONTO.

The verdict and sentence in the Middle Road murder case have not destroyed an uneasy feeling that the Crown has convicted a prisoner without giving him a fair chance for his life. The verdict has met with the disapproval of nearly everyone who has followed up the proceedings. Unlike the chain of evidence that bound Birchall, that which surrounded MacWhirrell had many missing links and until these have been found the people of this city and the County of Peel will stand almost solid with the prisoner in a struggle for fair play. A prosecution served by the greatest criminal lawyer in Canada backed by all the resources of the Province could scarcely fail to triumph over a defence that did all that ability without money could do. MacWhirrell's character is not good. He is ignorant, rude and untruthful as he revealed himself in his speech before the court. All his remarks were not in good taste but the man was in a hard plight. His words may have been the words of desperate guilt or of frenzied innocence. A belief in MacWhirrell's innocence exacts faith in the almost impossible coincidence that the visitor to the Williams household should afterwards become the possessor of the Williams horse and cutter. The prisoner's possession of the horse and cutter and his visit to the place connected him with the tragedy. Strong corroborative circumstantial evidence have been broken when a prisoner was aided by all that money and friends could do. The evidence which has convinced the jury has not freed the minds of the public from every reasonable doubt and few believe that a prisoner with money and friends to work up a case in his favor could have been convicted on the testimony which threatens to send MacWhirrell to the gallows. MacWhirrell's lawyer will take steps to have the sentence commuted if possible and as public opinion hangs around the saying that "a man is innocent until proven guilty" the change will likely be made with no vast amount of trouble.

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MUNICIPALITY OF CANNINGTON. Reeve—S. H. Glassford; Councilors—W. H. Hoyle, Dr. H. S. Bingham, Chas. F. Bick, Joshua Shier; Clerk—R. A. Sinclair; Treasurer, G. J. Hoyle; Assessor, D. Ross; Collector, Thos. Laughlin; Sanitary Inspector, Charles Arnot.

MUNICIPALITY OF WOODVILLE. Reeve—Norman Ferguson; Council, Jas. Stuart, Alex. A'ams, D. Grant, J. Goard; Assessor, N. B. McLeod; Collector, P. McIntyre; Auditors, A. E. Stabback, H. Cameron; Constable, A. J. Smith; Board of Health, Reeve, Clerk, J. McPherson, W. Reid, W. J. Garrow, J. C. Gilchrist, Clerk, P. O., Woodville.

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MARA. Last week Mr. Glendinning, M.P.P., presented to the Commissioner of Public Works one of the most interesting petitions of the session, from the residents of Mara and Rama, asking for a partial removal of the artificial obstruction in the St. John and Brock Rivers, causing floods and rendering land useless for farming.

The petition states that the lumbermen dam these rivers, raising the waters ten or twelve feet above their normal height for the purpose of floating their logs through the channel. The water is let off in June with a rush, to carry the logs through, and thousands of acres of seeded lands are flooded and destroyed. Mr. Glendinning asked that Mr. Fraser protect the farmers without injuring the lumbering interests, and urged that an engineer's report be secured.

BROCK. The Township Council met Saturday, March 10th at Sunderland, members all present. After routine business the Clerk read a communication from Mr. R. Noble in the matter of water when in behalf of Mr. W. H. Sproule, 18th Con., he contended the council by changing the watercourse from the natural one had caused great damage to Mr. Sproule's lands and threatened action unless the annoyance were at once removed. Mr. Phillip Sproule asked the council to have Mr. Thurston take down his fence on that part of the 18th Con. in front of the Beaver mill dam. Councillor Gibbs explained that the council could not compel the removal of the fence and if it could it would mean the building of a bridge across the river. Mr. S. Pangman and John Glendinning came before the Council asking that the line fences of Brock and Scott and Brock and Georgia be put in their proper places so that the pathmasters might be able to do proper work on the town lines. A by-law appointing the various pathmasters, fence-viewers, pound-keepers and Commissioners was adopted. The claim of Miss Turner, of Thorah was brought up for consideration and on motion the council repudiated all liability. \$5.00 was granted Gowan Baker who has been disabled. Mr. Thos. Connolly appealed to have his property, Lot 8, Con. 14, attached to S.S. 3, of Thorah and Brock. The council notified the Trustees of the different sections to attend the next council. Mr. Jas. Dunstan also applied to be changed from S.S. No. 1, to S.S. No. 13. The council adjourned till April 14th.

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MARKET REPORT.

Table with market prices for various commodities like Fall Wheat, White Fyfe, Scotch, Buckwheat, Barley, Oats, Pease, Rye, Beans, Butter, Eggs, Apples, Onions, Potatoes, Hay, Straw, Flour, Pastry, Timothy, Wood, Hardwood.

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Woodville, March 7, 1894.

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Woodville, January 10th, 1894.



THE EDITOR'S TABLE.

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The April Delinquent just appearing is the second of the great spring numbers and is appropriate to the season's social profusion. It is given to the out door exercises which interest the ladies at this season,—Bicycling being specially treated on. Fitting out the family for spring is an article that will appear directly to the many mothers who are just now wrestling with the problem. Cookery, Etiquette, and the many little graces of social life all have the attention of the Delinquent. Its cost is insignificant considering the value of its matter. \$1.00 a year only—address the Delinquent Publishing Co., 33 Richmond Street, W. Toronto.

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WOODVILLE NEWS.

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The basket social held in the Methodist church last Wednesday was a very successful affair.

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Mr. J. Smith, a student of Knox College preached in the Presbyterian church on Sabbath last, morning and evening. A Collection was taken up at the morning service in behalf of the Foreign Mission which amounted to over \$195.00. Two contributions of \$50 bills were on the plate. Does not look like hard times.

The West Victoria Teachers' Association Convention which was held here on the 15th and 16th brought a goodly number of the profession to town. All the sessions were well attended and much interest was manifested in the work. A full report will likely appear in our next.

The meeting of the Patrons of Industry held on the 15th inst in Victoria Hall in the interest of Mr. John Campbell, the Patron of Industry candidate for West Victoria was largely attended, the hall being filled to overflowing. The meeting was addressed by Messrs. Don. Jackson, Wm. McKee, R. C. Braden, Wm. Cameron and Mr. C. A. Mallory, Grand President of the Order. Mr. Mallory gave an excellent address being a fluent and careful speaker. He was followed by Mr. John Campbell in a short speech.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. John Grant, of Toronto is visiting friends in Thorah at present.

Mr. John McRae, of Mara (Balsover), is at present very ill.

Miss Annie Bruce of Beaverton returned home from Toronto on Saturday for the Easter holidays.

Mr. Harry Bruce, of Toronto is visiting friends in Beaverton and vicinity at present.

Mrs. H. A. McKinnon, of Toronto was visiting her parents in Woodville during the week.

Mr. John Hancock, of Chicago is visiting his brothers Messrs. Jas. and Fred Hancock, of Thorah, and Georgia.

In another column will be found the announcement of the death of Mrs. Eliza Hamilton, formerly of Uxbridge, deceased was the mother of Mr. Alex. Hamilton, of Beaverton.

Mr. J. Houston, Public Librarian of city of Toronto, assisted at the recent meeting of the West Victoria Teachers' Association held in Woodville, with much pleasure to the members.

Two weeks ago we gave our readers a short sketch of Dr. John McTavish, of Inverness, Scotland, father of Mrs. Dr. McKay, of Woodville. We regret now to announce that Mrs. McKay, has received the sad news of her mother's death on the 3rd inst. THE ADVOCATE tenders its sympathy to Mrs. McKay, in her bereavement which must be the more distressing as Mrs. McKay, intended going to see her parents during the coming summer.

Farmers' Institute Meetings.

Very successful special meetings under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute were held last Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Sunderland, Brechin and Cannington.

The attendance at Sunderland was not large, and at Cannington it was also a little on the small side. At Brechin the hall was crowded to the doors, and altogether the meetings proved interesting. They were arranged specially for these places, and were much appreciated. The principal speaker was Mr. Joseph Veil, of Carleton Place, and he was ably assisted by Messrs. I. J. Gould and Henry Glendinning at Sunderland and Brechin, the former in the evenings and the latter in the afternoons.

President Thos. Feasby attended all the meetings in a managerial capacity, and Mr. Robert Stretton, organizer for the Patrons of Industry, was present at most if not at all of them.

Sour tempers sweetened by the use of K. D. C.