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ONTARIO GENERAL ELECTIONS.

The Government Sustained by an In-
creased Majority.

Yesterday the popular test was ap-
plied to the Provincial Government,
and the result was a triumphant vin-
dication of Reform principles and
practice. Mr. Mowat will go back to
the Legislature with an increased ma-
jority at his back, while the Conserva-
tive party in the province and in the
Dominion has received a shaking up
such as a political party seldom expe-
riences, but which in this case was
richly deserved. The returns received
up to our going to press are as follows:

REFORMERS ELECTED.

North Brant, Wood, 359; South
Brant, Hardy, 400; South Bruce,
O'Connor, 250; C. Bruce, Dack, 53;
Brockville, Fraser, 301; Dundas,
Chamberlain, 36; W. Durham, Mc-
Laughlin, 3; N. Essex, Fagan, 10;
S. Essex, Balfour, 387; E. Elgin,
Nairn, 100; Glenora, Rayside, 31;
Haldimand, Baxter, 100; Hamilton,
Gibson, 449; S. Huron, Bishop, 147;
E. Huron, Gibson, 129; W. Huron,
Ross, 300; E. Kent, Ferguson, 355; Lin-
coln, Garson (labor candidate); E.
Lambton, Graham, 100; W. Lambton,
Parlee, 300; N. Lanark, Hilliard, 36;
W. Middlesex, Ross, 200; N. Middle-
sex, Waters, Monk, Harvart, 175;
N. Norfolk, Freeman, 401; W. North-
umberland, Fields, 476; S. Ontario,
Dryden, 322; N. Oxford, Mowat, 700;
S. Oxford, McKay, 400; Ottawa,
Bronson, 284; Parry Sound, Arm-
strong, 21; Peel, Chisholm; E. Peter-
bor, Blezard, 460; W. Peterboro,
Stratton, 60; S. Perth, Balleutney,
Edwards, Sprague, 75; N. Brant,
Murray, 87; S. Renfrew, Dawling,
111; Russell, Robillard, 235; E. Sim-
coe, Drury, 200; C. Simcoe, Phelps,
163; Stormont, Mack, 286; Toronto,
Leys; S. Waterloo, Masters, 445; W.
Wellington, Allan, 227; S. Welling-
ton, Guthrie, 661; N. Wentworth,
McMahon, 400; S. Wentworth, Aw-
rey, 188; W. York, Gilmore, 3; E.
York, Smith, 890; N. York, Wild-
field, 900; N. Grey, Cleland, 5; W.
Kent, Dillon; N. Ontario, Gould, 283;
Welland, Morin, 300.

By acclamation—N. Waterloo, Snyder;
E. Wellington, Clarke.

Retained from last Legislature.—E.
Algoma, Lyon, W. Algoma, Connec.

CONSERVATIVES ELECTED.

Abington, Miller, 300; Carleton,
Monk, 209; E. Durham, Craig, 331;
W. Elgin, Ingram, 20; Frontenac,
Wilcox, 229; S. Grey, Blythe, 200;
Grenville, French, 400; E. Hastings,
Hudson, 96; N. Hastings, Wood, 463;
W. Hastings, Oustrum, 125; Halton,
Keams, 100; Kingston/Metcalf, 248;
S. Lanark, Lees, 400; Leeds, Preston,
115; London, Meredith, 200; Lennox,
Mecham, 111; E. Middlesex, Towler;
Muskeg, Martz; S. Norfolk, Mc-
gan, 100; E. Northumberland, Wil-
lington, 60; N. Perth, Hess, 45; W.
Simcoe, Wylie, 280; Toronto, H. F. &
E. F. Clarke; E. Victoria, Fell, 79;
Cardwell, Hammell, 78; W. Victoria,
Crues, 13.

By acclamation.—Dufferin, Stewart.

TOTALS.

Reformers..... 5,600

Conservatives..... 28

Constituencies not heard from 2

BROCKVILLE.

The following are the majorities in
the several constituencies composing
the Brockville riding:—

Fraser, Mansell,
Brockville..... 132

Elizabethtown..... 61

Yonge Front..... 106

Wear Yonge and Escott..... 98

Front of Escott..... 26

362 61

A MASONIC FAREWELL.

Last Monday evening the Masonic
fraternity held an Oyster supper at
the Armstrong House, to do honor
to Bro. Alex. Wherry, who has gone
to Durham, to take charge of the
Model School of the County of Grey.
The brethren unanimously expressed
their best wishes for the prosperity of
his brother and the hope that he
would prove as efficient in his new
field of labor as he has been in Farm-
ersville. The following address read
by J. P. Lamb, on behalf of the lodge,
was highly but feelingly replied to by
Mr. Wherry:

"Farmersville, Dec. 27, 1886.
Bro. Alex. Wherry:

"We meet with you this evening to
express our good will and brotherly love
on the occasion of your leaving our village
for a more extensive and useful field of
labor. We hope you may be blessed in
your basket and your store, and that you
may find in your future home as warm
friends as you leave in the old. Again
wishing you many warm Masonic friends
wherever you may go, as well as every
other worldly and spiritual blessing, we
bid you an affectionate farewell, hoping
your recollections of Rising Sun Lodge,
No. 83, A. P. and A. M., may always be
pleasant to you, and your support among us
may be a constant source of satisfaction
and profit to you.

"J. P. Lamb, Sec. W. Johnston, W.M."

FARMERSVILLE.

ITS PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE.

[CONTINUED.]

Farmersville cannot be said to be a
manufacturing centre. We have no
water power to signify, and the want
of a convenient means of shipment
has deterred manufacturers from estab-
lishing themselves here. But with
the early completion of the B. and W.
Railway we hope to see an impetus
given to our

Manufacturing Industries

that will add materially to the pros-
perity of the village. We have, how-
ever, several manufactures, which do
a large aggregate of business during
the year, foremost among which is the

GRIST AND SAWMILL AND CHEESE-
BOX FACTORY

of Jas. B. Saunders. This mill is not
situated within the limits of the vil-
lage proper; but as its proprietor and
the business carried on in it are so
closely identified with every local in-
terest, we are justified in classing the
mills among the Farmersville indus-
tries. The buildings are situated
on a small stream, being the outlet of
Lake Loyola. This stream furnishes
sufficient water for about eight months
of the year, to run the machinery;

but as the plant comprises a 40-horse-
power engine capable of running all
the works, the power is generally di-
vided between steam and water. The
mill is a large four-story building, put
up in 1847 by Joseph Slack. The
basement is occupied by the boiler and
engine, and the immediate water wheel.

The best saw contains the run-
grip mill and the saw and shingle ma-
chinery; the second flat is used as a
planing mill and cheese box factory,
where is annually turned out over
40,000 cheese boxes; while the upper
floors are used as storage and drying
rooms. From garret to basement the
machinery and appliances are of the
latest improved pattern, and the exact-
ness with which each piece of work is
turned out has become a noted charac-
teristic of this mill. We shall next
notice the

DOOR, SASH AND PLANING FACTORY
of Elijah Middleton. This structure
was built by Horatio Robeson as a
tannery, and as such was used by him
and others for a number of years.
Then it was converted into a butter
bowl factory and shingle mill, the
 motive power being a 12-horse-power
engine. Although the machinery in the
mill is now very complete, additions
will be made to the plant in the spring,
the design being to turn out sashes
next season.

THE CARDING, SPINNING AND WEAV-
ING MILLS

of J. H. and H. O. Gordon is in the
old building erected by Joshua Bates
about the year 1840. As stated in last
week's Reporter, the owners and oc-
cupiers of this factory have been many,
but when some five years ago the prop-
erty passed into the hands of the
Gordons, the good reputation of the
firm (who had carried on carding and
filling for years at Lyndhurst) had
preceded them, and the business began
at once to assume the position of a
leading Farmersville industry. Early
in 1886 the proprietors purchased new
carding, spinning and weaving ma-
chinery, and when the season opened
they were ready for business on a large
scale. The firm were fortunate in
securing the services of J. H. Hawkins,
Port Hope, as head spinner, and of
Thomas Mitchell as head weaver—men
thoroughly posted in their respective
departments. We learn that the mill
turned out over 1,400 yards of flannels
and tweeds during the season, and that
the capacity of the factory is only half
what the requirements of the business
demand. The machinery is driven by
a fine new 20-horse-power engine, and
there is also a water-power capable of
running the machinery a portion of
the year.

THE BRICK YARD
of Stephen King is situated a few rods
east of the carding mill. During the
past season Mr. King manufactured a
large quantity of first-class brick which
found ready sale. We understand he
intends extending his business next
season.

THE BEE-HIVE FACTORY
carried on by Geo. L. Slack, at the
corner of Church and Mill sts., is fast
coming into prominence among the
men. The hives are made on the
Jones principle, and are neatly finished
throughout. Mr. Slack is about to
put in a power to run a circular saw
and slitting machine. Although a
large number of hives were made last
season, the demand was greater than
the supply. It is the intention to
make several hundred for next season's
trade. But it is as a mover of build-
ings that Mr. Slack excels. During
1884 he moved 63 buildings, 67 in

FARMERSVILLE BAKERY

is owned and managed by Sidney
Moore, a native of the Isle of Wight.
Mr. Moore has been in business for
several years in Farmersville, and has
worked up a large and constantly in-
creasing trade. This season he erected
a neat little shop on Church st.,
from which he sends out large quanti-
ties of the staff of life, not only to
residents of this village, but also to
Lyndhurst, Delta, Philippsville, etc.

THE "REPORTER" PRINTING OFFICE

was first established by the present
proprietor at his farm, near Addison,
in 1876, and at the beginning consist-
ed of a very small hand press and a
few small fonts of job type. Year by
year the business increased, until in
1884 the office was removed to Farm-
ersville. On the 22nd of May, 1884,
the first number of the Reporter was
issued. In size it was but 14 x 22
inches. It was continued until the
20th of June in the following year,
when owing to the large increase in
the job department, and the circum-
scribed area of the office, the paper
was discontinued and the subscription
list turned over to the Prescott Inde-
pendent. This arrangement not pro-
ving satisfactory to the patrons or
proprietors, the Reporter was again
started, on the 2nd of June, 1886, as a
28-column sheet. The success attend-
ing the venture has been all that the
proprietor could wish or expect, con-
sidering the competitors already in the
field in this county. The office, which
is located on Victoria st., is now far
too small for the requirements of the busi-
ness, and an early removal to larger,
and more convenient premises has been
decided upon. The office is supplied
with a fine new Washington press of
the largest size, a 125 medium
chromes press and a Golding jobber.
The supply of body and job type is
sufficient to turn out the largest orders
of book and poster work. A specialty
of the office is the fine half and full
sheet chromatic posters, which, by a
system peculiarly its own, the office
can turn out in three, four or five
colors at an impression, and in a man-
ner second to no office east of Toronto.
The artistic blending of the different
colors of these bills has to be seen to
be appreciated, and as they are fur-
nished at a small trifle in advance of
the usual prices for plain bills, the de-
mand for them is steadily increasing.

CABINET AND UNDERTAKING SHOPS
of T. G. Stevens & Bro. and R. D.
Judson & Son are both situated on
Victoria st., the former opposite D.
Fisher's carriage works, and the latter
one door south of Main st. We have
several times referred, in the columns
of the Reporter, to the business car-
ried on by the Stevens Bros., and will
only say at present that this firm has
probably one of the largest stocks of
plain and highly finished furniture to
be found in a country village in eastern
Ontario. Four hands, exclusive of the
proprietors, are constantly employed in
turning out ordered work, and their
show rooms are filled with goods
manufactured at Napanee, Toronto,
Bowmanville, etc. The cabinet shop
of Judson & Son is noted for the su-
perior workmanship and design of the
ordered work turned out, and the show
rooms are supplied with a full line of
first-class goods. They make a spe-
cialty of picture framing, and for that
purpose keep on hand a full stock of
mouldings of all widths and designs.
Their undertaking department is sup-
plied with a first-class hearse, and any
design of casket or coffin can be pro-
cured from the firm at very reasonable
prices.

[This article has spun itself out to
a greater length than we can find
space for this week. It will be con-
cluded in our next.]

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The following were granted certifi-
cates by the county board of exami-
ners. Unless teachers take the regular
July examinations, no recommenda-
tions for the extension of third class
certificates will be made.

THIRD CLASS

Griffin Austin, D. Brown, G. Connor,
H. Conn, J. H. Crydemann, W. A.
Graham, R. Herbison, R. Klyne, A.
Myers, J. Mitchell, J. Murphy, E. Pat-
ton, R. E. Scott, C. W. W. J. Maxwell,
H. A. McGuire, N. H. Aird, Mary
Bell, J. Dixon, H. Graham, A. Judd, J.
Kingston, L. Legge, S. McLaughlin, C.
Moles, S. McLaurin, L. Mackey, R.
Rowson, C. Tompson, J. G. Wallace,
J. C. Wilkie, B. Wright, Lucy Eaton,
N. Hiseock, A. Lillie, I. A. Mitchell.

The District Certificates granted are
good only for one year, and are only
available in school sections in which
the assessment roll totals less than
\$50,000. These certificates will not
be renewed unless the holders show a
satisfactory state of proficiency at the

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Editorial notices in local column, five cents
per line for first insertion and three cents
per line for each subsequent insertion. Transient
advertisements, 8 cents per line for first inser-
tion; each subsequent insertion, 6 cents per
line. Contract advertisements inserted at re-
duced rates. Advertisements unaccompanied
by written instructions will be inserted till for-
bid and charged accordingly.

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with the latest styles of type and presses, and
possesses every facility for turning out first
class job work.
BETHUEL LOVERIN,
Publisher and Proprietor.

July examinations. The following
were granted

DISTRICT CERTIFICATES.

James L. Ande son, A. W. Depencier,
J. Lind ow, H. Metcalf, W. Montgou-
ery, W. McCrea, P. O'Brien, W. Davis,
Jennie Barrington, S. B. S. M. Brown,
T. Patton, T. J. B. Owen, E. Clow, M.
Cummings, M. Davis, A. W. Duncan, M.
L. Dunham, M. Eiders, E. E. Eaton,
M. Fair, E. Findlay, F. Forester, M.
Forester, J. Gilson, S. Howe, V. Hough
M. Martin, M. McVey, M. McNeil, C.
M. Keever, M. McGrath, E. Merritt, H.
G. McEwan, K. McKinnon, A. M. Conn-
ell, W. Moore, L. Mansel, C. H. O'Connor,
R. A. Pritchard, J. Pritchard, M. Pritch-
ard, B. Purvis, E. Pettepue, S. M. Pyke,
S. Quinn, M. Richardson, N. Richards,
W. Rhoads, L. Rotters, L. Scovill, H.
E. Sitter, E. Scott, B. Sweeney, M.
Smith, A. Smith, M. Thompson, E. Wil-
son, M. Williamson, J. Weir, A. E. Wood.

WEDDING BELLS.

A pleasing event took place