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J. A. TUCK, M. D.
MEMBER of College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ont.
GORRIE, ONT.

JAMES ARMSTRONG,
Veterinary Surgeon
Also Oil Painting.

GRADUATE of Ontario Veterinary College, and registered member of Ontario Veterinary Association.
Next to Methodist Parsonage,
ALBERT STREET, GORRIE, ONT.

JAS. McLAUGHLIN,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES. No witnesses required.
Office—At my residence, GORRIE.

MISS O'CONNOR,
MEIOTHERM
TEACHER OF PIANO, ORGAN & HARMONY
Also Oil Painting.
Residence—Methodist Parsonage, GORRIE.

MISS GREGORY,
(Late of Harrison.)
DRESS AND MANTLE MAKER. APPRENTICES WANTED. Rooms over W. S. Beap's Store.

ENNEL'S
OTOGRAPHS
OR
ORTUNATE
OLKS.

S. T. FENNEL,
Tonsorial Artist
Capillary Abridger.
Hirstute Vegetator.
No Threshing Machines, Lawn-Mowers or Meat Axes used!
Come in and sit down;
You're Next!

Greenlaw Mills.
Wroxeter, Ont.
ROBERT BLACK, PROP.
FITTED UP WITH
HUNGARIAN ROLLER PROCESS.
FIRST-CLASS FLOUR
—FROM—
MANITOBA WHEAT.
Highest Price paid for Grain.
Chopping Done.
ROBERT BLACK.

—GORRIE—
Meat Market.
FRANK COLES,
HAVING bought out the Above business, late carried on by Mr. Geo. Horton, is prepared to furnish the public with the
Choicest Meats
FROM BEEF, VEAL, PORK, MUTTON, LAMB
LARD SAUSAGE ALWAYS ON HAND.
Having had considerable experience at the business I feel confident of giving the best of satisfaction to all who honor me with their patronage.
Meat delivered free to all parts of the Village.
Our Meat-wagon goes to Wroxeter, every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, and to Fordwich every Tuesday and Friday.
Highest cash price paid for suitable fat animals.
FRANK COLES.

A. W. GLENN,
Practical Tailor.
Graduate, with Diploma, of the famous Cincinnati Cutting School,
Has opened a
Tailoring Business.
In GORRIE,
In the premises just vacated by
Mr. Bradley, Baker.

I HAVE had a long experience as a tailor and cutter in the very best shops, and feel confident of being able to give perfect satisfaction to all who honor me with their patronage.
ALL WORK WARRANTED.
Measures taken and clothes cut for parties who wish to make the garments up at home.
Repairing Promptly Done.
Your Patronage Solicited.
A. W. GLENN.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.
ENGLISH.—Services at Fordwich, 10:30 a. m.; at Gorrie, 2:30 p. m.; at Wroxeter, 4:30 p. m. Rev. T. A. Wright, Incumbent. Sunday School, one hour and a quarter before each service.
METHODIST.—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Orange Hill, at 2:30 p. m. Rev. Mr. Torrance, pastor. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. J. B. Williams, Superintendent.
PRESBYTERIAN.—Services at Fordwich at 11 a. m.; at Gorrie, 2:30 p. m.; Bible Class at Fordwich in the evening. Sabbath School at Gorrie 1:15 p. m. Jas. McLaughlin, Superintendent.
BAPTIST.—Services in Gorrie at 2:30 and 6:30 p. m. and at the church on the 2nd concession of Howick at 10:30 a. m. Rev. J. A. Osborne, pastor.
METHODIST.—Services in the Fordwich Methodist Church, at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Prayer-meeting on Thursday evenings at 7:30.

GORRIE MARKET REPORT.

Fall wheat.....	\$0 84 @ \$0 87 1/2 bu.
Spring wheat.....	84 @ 87 "
Oats.....	26 @ 28 "
Peas.....	56 @ 59 "
Barley.....	35 @ 40 "
Butter.....	15 @ 16 "
Eggs.....	15 @ 15 "
Lard.....	10 " 12 1/2 "
Tallow.....	5 " 6 "
Pork.....	5 50 @ 6 00 1/2 cwt.

Local Affairs.

Mr. Will Earnsey, of Chesley, was visiting his parents here this week.
McLaughlin & Co. present a new advertisement to our readers in this issue.
Mr. J. A. Croll, of Clinton, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Jas. W. Green in this village, at present.
Martin & Adair's sawmill is now running. The yard is well filled with logs and many more are being piled up there every day.
Council met in Fordwich yesterday (Wednesday) but as there was barely a quorum present the meeting was adjourned until Wednesday next when it will meet at the same place.
For the first time this winter trains on this branch of the C. P. R. were blocked so that the regular mails on Monday last had to be cancelled for the day. Snow plows were put on, however, and on Tuesday trains were running again as usual.
A novel concert is to be held in the town hall, Gorrie, next Thursday evening, Feb. 25th, being a two hours entertainment, the entire programme to be furnished by a phonograph placed on the platform. The audience will listen, from the ordinary seats in the hall, to Cappa's great Brass Band and some of the best speakers, singers, etc., on the continent. Posters will be out to-day announcing particulars.
Mr. A. Smith, a former Howick boy, but who has spent the last seven years in the Temperance Colony, N. W. Ter., is visiting among friends here this week. He is at present engaged in the mercantile business, being a partner in a general store at Saskatoon. He reports the colony to be in a hopeful condition, the railroad now running through that place. So far the farmers there have not attempted to raise grain for export but next season, he thinks, immense quantities will be shipped from there. Archie is the same genial genuine fellow he was always known to be when here, and it goes without saying that he is having a good time with his former associates here.

Miss Nellie Gregory is spending a week or so with relatives in Harrison.
Mr. Tuck, of Mount Forest, was visiting his son, Dr. Tuck, the early part of this week.
Last Friday evening the residence of Mr. H. Perkins was the scene of an enjoyable social gotten up by the ladies of St. Stephen's Church. The house was crowded and a pleasant time was spent.
The Pastor will (D.V.) preach in the Baptist Church, Gorrie, on Sunday evening next at 6:30 o'clock taking for his subject "Excuses." There will also be a Service of Song, on the evening of Feb. 24th.

A very pleasant social was held at the residence of Mr. T. H. McLaughlin on Wednesday evening of last week under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church. Notwithstanding the storm a large company gathered and a nice sum was realized.
Mr. Jas. Armstrong, V. S., last week removed a tumor from a fine young thoroughbred bull belonging to Mr. Hunter. The operation, though difficult, was successfully performed and the animal will in a few days be restored to perfect health.
Mr. T. P. Perry occupied the Methodist pulpit, morning and evening, last Sabbath, preaching brilliant and scholarly sermons on both occasions. Mr. Perry is a young school teacher near Newbridge and has, we feel sure, a bright future before him.

Mr. Charlton Foster, of the 12th con., Howick, met with quite a serious accident while cutting wood. By some mishap he brought the axe sharply down upon his great toe, splitting it right through the bone from end to end so that one-half hung only by a short piece of the skin. Dr. Tuck was sent for and stitched the parts together, and has hopes to have the wound healed without resorting to amputation.

As an outcome of the letters which have appeared in the GAZETTE concerning the advisability of organizing a local union Sabbath School Convention, a preliminary meeting will be held to-day (Thursday) at 2:30 p. m., in the Methodist Church, Gorrie. All the ministers in and on the borders of Howick, together with a layman from each Sunday School have been invited, and it is expected that an Association will be formed on a broad and substantial basis, and which will give a fresh impetus to Sabbath School work.

An extra work is required of the assessors, now about to begin their work, which should not be overlooked. Section No. 11 from the Compulsory School Attendance Act says: "The assessors of every municipality shall annually, when making their assessment, enter in a book to be provided by the clerk of the municipality, in the Form A, in the schedule of the Act, the name, age and residence of every child between the age of eight and fourteen years, resident in the municipality, and the name and residence of such child's parent or guardian, and return the said book to the clerk of the said municipality, with the assessment roll for the use of the truant officer."
On Monday last P. Lavin met with a bad accident which might easily have resulted fatal. He was out in Howick on business, called at S. Johnson's, tied his horse to a post and when ready to leave took the horse by the head to turn it around. As the rain had caused a crust upon the snow it was somewhat difficult to turn. From some reason the horse took fright, jumped against Mr. Lavin, knocked him down and must have trampled upon him and drew the cutter over him also. Mr. Johnson witnessed the accident and at once assisted him into the house and afterwards drove him home. Medical aid was soon called in when it was discovered that several ribs had been broken and his body and legs badly bruised. At last accounts he was doing well. The horse ran several miles and smashed the cutter before being captured.—Tribune.

The Wingham Times of the 11th inst. says: "Wingham has now one of the best markets in the county, there being four buyers on the market." You may put four-teen buyers on, Bro. Elliot, but you won't have as good a grain market as Gorrie until you pay higher prices. On the 11th, according to the Times fall wheat was bringing 88c. to 84c., while Gorrie was paying 84c. to 86c. for the same; Wingham on the same date was paying 82c. (highest) for spring wheat, while Gorrie gave 86c. for that grain.

The fact is Gorrie presents as good, (if not a better) market for produce as any of the neighboring towns, while we doubt if any place within driving distance of Howick can produce finer stocks, or at finer cut prices than can our Gorrie business men whose advertisements appear in this issue of the GAZETTE. It is not the size of a town that makes it the best market. Good, substantial business men, who can command the best cash advantages of the wholesale markets are the men who make a good home market, and the lively appearance of Gorrie is a good indication that our village contains that desirable class of merchants.

A committee appointed by the congregation of St. Jude's Church, Brantford, to confer with the Bishop of Huron regarding the appointment of a new Rector, have chosen the Rev. T. A. Wright, of our town, and we learn that the Bishop has been pleased to make the appointment. We understand that Mr. Wright has accepted. We regret his leaving very much. He has labored in our midst for three and a half years, during which time our parish has made rapid strides forward. The old church in Fordwich, which for thirty years has been used for public worship, has been replaced by a new handsome brick, at a cost of over \$2,500, and is now free of debt. A bell 1000 lbs in weight was placed during the time in a new belfry upon the Gorrie Church, the parsonage freed from debt and the whole raised from a mission drawing largely from the funds of the Diocese to that of a self-supporting parish. Mr. Wright is a systematical parish worker, and an earnest, practical preacher. His removal from our midst will be much regretted. We anticipate no fear for his success in Brantford nor for the prosperous state of St. Jude's under his ministry. He takes charge on May 1st.

Several communications have been received by us from parties who wish to refute "Honesty's" attempt to blacken the personal character of the editor of the GAZETTE, in last week's Vidette. While thanking our friends we much prefer not to publish their letters. There is nothing in our personal character, private or public, or in our political record, which can be injured by such an unmanly and cowardly attack as the person who should have signed "Dis-honesty" appears capable of. If that would be assassin of character wants to know why we left Gorrie and what became of our money, he can easily find out by calling at this office, although he knows very well it is none of his business and he only asked the question for the sake of the stab he thought he was inflicting. The Reformers and Conservatives who associate with the editor of this paper are gentlemen whose characters are mountain-high above Dishonesty in every honorable respect, while "Anon" is not only a Conservative of the highest standing who wields a wide political influence in this section, but his personal character is such as to give him a prominent place in social circles. Then, it was not the Grits who brought us back to Gorrie, but Reformers and Conservatives alike joined in the effort when we were many miles away with not the faintest thought of returning; Conservatives and Reformers alike joined in "putting their hands in their pockets" to establish the GAZETTE; Conservatives and Reformers alike are now supporting it far beyond our anticipations. And not a solitary Reformer has even asked us either to run the GAZETTE on Grit lines or to "turn Grit" individually. The object in establishing the GAZETTE was to have a paper published here which would do credit to the village and section and which would command a circulation that would enable advertisers to reach their patrons. It will be our aim to keep the GAZETTE up to the standard which has brought to it the unexpectedly large support already received.

The Postmaster is Wrong.
Editor Gazette.—The postmaster here will not let my letter of items for the GAZETTE go with a one-cent stamp on, so I have to put on the other two cents. He says anything that is written that goes out of this office must pay three cents, sealed or not. I would like to know concerning the matter as I do not pretend to be versed in the postal regulations. Yours
[We withhold the name of the post office for the present. The post office

regulations distinctly say that unsealed letters containing newspaper manuscript goes at the rate of 1c. for each two ounces. We are surprised that there is a postmaster so ignorant in this section of the country. We hope it will not be necessary for us to request the P. O. Inspector to enlighten his benighted mind on the matter.—Ed.]

Gorrie Mechanics' Institute.
A largely attended meeting of the newly organized Mechanics' Institute was held in the town hall last Monday evening.

On motion Mr. Wm. Doig was called to the chair, and explained the object of the meeting to be to formally organize the Institute, and elect provisional officers and directors and place the society in working order.
Mr. Fennell, the Secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were adopted.
The chairman read the new Act respecting Mechanics' Institutes and also a letter from the Minister of Education explaining the matter more fully.

After an earnest discussion of the question it was unanimously decided, on motion, to go on with the election of officers so as to place the Society in a position to receive the government grant this spring.
The election of officers resulted as follows:
President—Rev. T. A. Wright.
Vice-Pres.—J. R. Williams.
Sec. Treas.—Wm. Doig.
Directors—Messrs. R. Blow, N. McLaughlin, W. H. Clegg, J. M. Kaine, W. J. Perkins, John B. Campbell, Dr. Tuck, Jas. Armstrong, V. S., W. J. Greer.

It was then decided to leave the matter of arranging the membership fee, dues, appointing collectors, etc., in the hands of the Directors and the meeting adjourned.
There is a strong feeling in favor of the Society in this village and neighborhood, and it is likely that a large membership will be secured.

Wroxeter.
MARKET REPORT, Tuesday, Feb. 16th, 1892. [Corrected for the GAZETTE by R. Black, Miller.]
Fall wheat.....\$0 84 @ \$0 87 1/2 bu.
Spring wheat.....84 @ 87 "
Oats.....26 @ 28 "
Peas.....56 @ 59 "
Barley.....35 @ 40 "

Miss Annie Wanless, of Parkdale, who has been visiting at Mr. Robert Miller's the past week or so, returned to her home on Tuesday last.
Mr. Wm. Wilson had his cutter somewhat broken while turning the rig around at the gate after some of the ladies in his family had returned from a drive, the other day.
Mr. A. Gofton is cutting ice on the dam this week. It is in splendid condition for cutting now.

Mr. Geo. Thompson, cooper, was able to be out on Tuesday, after quite a serious illness.
Mr. Jas. S. Paulin, who has been laid up with the grip for the past three weeks, was able to be down town again on Monday last.
Thos. Gibson, Esq., M.P.P., left for Toronto on Tuesday to attend the present session of the Ontario Legislature. He was unable to go on Monday on account of the snow blockade.
A meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church here next Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m., to hear the report of the collectors, after which they will decide whether to go on with the erection of the new church. No site for the proposed edifice has yet been selected.

Rev. Mr. Shaw has been invited back for another year by the Official Board of the Methodist church here.
COUNCIL MEETING.
The council met on the evening of Feb. 16th, in the usual place. Members present, Messrs. Saunders, Vogt, Lee and Rae, Absent, Mr. Hemphill. The Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

The following accounts were handed in and on motion by Wm. Lee, seconded by John B. Vogt, were passed; and debentures ordered for the same viz:
Gore M. F. Ins. Co., Insurance on hall.....\$ 7 50
Clerk, registering births, etc.....1 70
Clerk, half year's salary.....37 50
W. J. Sanderson, ringing bell, half year.....12 50
The auditors' report was then taken up and examined and on motion by Mr. Lee, seconded by Mr. Rae, was referred back to the Auditors' for explanation.
On motion of Mr. Lee, seconded by Mr. Rae, the matter of the milldam was laid over till next meeting and the clerk instructed to notify the mill owners to

meet the council at said meeting.
On motion by Mr. Rae, seconded by Mr. Lee, the clerk was instructed to have the tin box for rolls enlarged.
On motion by Mr. Lee, seconded by Mr. Rae, the council adjourned to meet on the third Tuesday of March or at the call of the Reeve.
J. COWAN, Clerk.
Lakelet.

Quite a little excitement was displayed here on Thursday last. The result of Bruce election. The returns were favorable.

Where does the sorel mustang go every few nights? is the query raised by not a few of our saunders.
Mr. David S. Saunders is at present visiting at his father's. We understand he is not well.
There is some talk of Mr. J. Horton exchanging property with some Mildmay man.

The I. O. G. T. had a spelling match last Saturday. A boundary miss carried off the flag, although it was hard fought for.
Mr. Jno. Cook has a cow under the care of Mr. Jas. Hamilton, who is quite a vet.
Mr. Geo. Beattie is improving slowly.
Mr. W. A. Cook has been complaining from an attack of Grip.
Mr. Cyrus Horton is still doctoring his colt's legs. Hope they will soon come all right.
Mr. Geo. Horton is away in Gorrie most of his time butchering.

Fordwich.
MARKET REPORT, Tuesday, Feb. 16th. [Reported for the GAZETTE by Wilson Bros.]
Red and white wheat.....\$0 82 to \$0 87 1/2 bu.
Spring wheat.....82 @ 87 "
Oats.....26 @ 28 "
Peas.....56 @ 59 "
Barley.....35 @ 40 "
Pork.....5 90 @ 6 10 "

Mr. Dicks' new mill is now about ready for work. Large quantities of logs are being hauled in.
An interesting debate was held at the last meeting of the R. T. of T. This Council is making its meetings quite enjoyable of late.
Council met here on Wednesday but several members being absent no business was done.
Mr. Geo. Brown is able to attend to his hotel business again after his late serious illness.

A phonograph concert is to be held in the Forester's Hall here on the evening of Wednesday next, 24th inst. The novelty of hearing some of the best professionals on the continent perform by proxy should bring out a full house.
Mr. Hepinstall was in attendance upon the Dominion Grange meeting held in London last week.

Redgrave.
Mr. Alva Stockton has sold his farm of 50 acres for the sum of \$3100 to his father.
The co-workers of the Congregational churches, of Listowel district, will hold their quarterly meeting in the ninth line church on Thursday the 18th commencing at three o'clock. The Rev. E. T. Carter will address the meeting on training the young.
The Rev. Mr. Watson, of Wingham, will give a lecture in the evening on behalf of the mission work.

It is rumored that this neighborhood is going to lose some of our fair sex. But what is our loss will be some of Manitoba's bachelors' gain.
Mr. James Douglas is preparing to rebuild his barn this summer.
Mr. John Campbell, of the ninth con., gave the young folks a large party on Friday evening last in honor of his two brothers, from Manitoba, who are visiting just now, and are about to return to the land of fortune.

Mr. Richard Morrell gave a party to our young folks one evening last week. We believe they spent an enjoyable time.
Mr. James Bacon has bought a house and lot in Harrison where he intends to go and live in the Spring.

Farm Wanted to Rent
WANTED—To Rent a farm of 75 or 100 acres with good buildings and a fair percentage of tillable land under grass. Address
GAZETTE OFFICE,
Gorrie, P. O.

BORN.
On the 2nd con., Carrick, on Feb. 6th, the wife of Mr. Copfersmidt, of a son.
In Gorrie, on Friday, 12th, inst., the wife of Mr. Geo. Bradley, baker, of a daughter.
On Friday, 12th inst., the wife of Mr. J. J. King, 13th con., Howick, of a daughter.