#### C. O. F.

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL CONVENTION

The third annual convention of the Catholic Order of Foresters of Ontario was held in Cornwell on Tuesday and Wednesday in the Oddfellow's Hall, Snetsinger Block.
The Provincial Court met on Monday, at the Rossmore and closed up the year's business.

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There were present:
Provincial Chief Ranger, W. T. J. Lee,
Toronto: Vice Chief Ranger, C. S. O. Boudreault; Treasurer, G. W. Seguin, Secretary
A. Morel, Trustee, V. McCullough, Ottawa;
Trustees, C. P. Baby, Windsor; and J. A.
Chisholm, Cornwall.
Delegates from the subordinate Courts began to arrive on Sunday, and all trains on Sunday and Monday were met by the members of the local reception committee who extended the visitors a hearty welcome. The following delegates were in attendance:
Daniel Staley, Kingston.
John J. Donohue, Westport.
L. V. Bachand, Michael F. Mogan, John
Thomas Loftus, Toronto.
John Moran, M. H. Fagan, Peter P. Latour, Henry St. Jacques, Vincent Webb, John Moylan, Napoleon Boily, William J.
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John Bohonnan, Sarnia.
Michael Coughlin, Peterborough.
Rev. D. A. Campbell, Oscar Leblanc,
Cornwall.

William O'Brien, Chatham.
Dr. J O. Reaume, Windsor.
Edward O'Mears, Brockville,
John Pollard, Ingersoll.
B. C. Kenney, Renfrew.
Patrick A. Bogue, Michael P. Barry, P.
F. Gleason, London.
O. A. Rocque, Orleans.
Ernest Degrampre, Hintonburg,
Edward Phillips, Woodstock.
John Bohan, Tweed.
John O'Reilly, Hastings.
J. S. Baker, Wolfe Island.
Joseph M. Anbry, Hawkesbury.
Wm. E. O'Meara, Pembroke,
Theophile Hugli, Sault Ste. Marie.
Damas Racine, Casselman.
Joseph B. St. Denis, Moose Creek.
Francis J. Quinn, Arnprior.
Peter Marier, fr. Cumming's Bridge.
Thomas Foran, Billing's Bridge.
George Brunet, Vankleek Hill.
Rev. Thomas Murtagh, Marmora.
Peter Lalonde, Massey.
H, Rivet, Smith's Falls.
Geo. J. Harrison, Alexandria.
S. D. Fillion, Mattawa.
J. A. Kennedy, Rockland.
Edmond Fournier, Tecumseh.
William Cook, Brantford.
John Lavery, North Bay.
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Alex. St. Louis, Walkerville.
M. H. Fermoyle, Manotick.
James Hanley, Belleville.
John E. Dooner, Osceola.
Stephen Conroy, Maidstone.
Thomas J. Kennedy, Whitney.
N. J. Tierney, Fallowfield.
John J. Reardon, Orillia.
James Gillissie, Metcalfe.
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On Tuesday morning the delegates assembled at the Oddfellows' Hall, and, accompanied by the members of the local Courts, marched to St. Columban's church, where High Mass was sung by Rev. Father D. A. Campbell, Chaplain of St. Columban's Court. The procession was headed by Fleck's band. Mr. A. Rouleau acted as martial. Rev. Father McPhail, of Ste Anne de Beaupre, Que. preached an eloquent sermon, on "Faith." After Mass the delegates returned to their hall, and, the convention having been formally opened, several committees were appointed and their work was allotted to them, after which an adjournment was made.

made.
The convention met in the afternoon and again in the evening.
In the afternoon Mayor Mulhern and Deputy-Reeve Graveley called on the convention and extended a formal welcome to the delegates on behalf of the Town Council and citizens. They afterwards entertained the delegates to a ride around town on a couple of special cars chartered for the occasion. They visited the St. Lawrence Park and were shown through the Toronto Paper Co's mills. At the evening session fraternal greetings were interchanged with the Provincial Court of Quebec and the Illinois State Court of the Catholic Order of Foresters, in session at Sherbrooke, Que., and Chicago,

Court of the Catholic Order of Foresters, in session at Sherbrooke, Que., and Chicago, Ill., respectively.

A letter was received from the Provincial Chaplain, His Grace Archbishop Duhamel, of Ottawa, regretting his inability to be present and conveying his benediction to the convention.

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A telegram of congratulation was sent to His Lordship Bishop McDonell, who in reply sent his benediction.

In compliance with a resolution of the committee on the State of the Order, it was resolved to endeavor to induce all the State and Provincial Courts of the Order to league themselves together and demand from the biennial session of the High Court more power for Provincial Courts or their abolition.

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Chief Ranger Lee's report shows that the following new Courts have been organized since the last convention: — No. 601 at Osceola, 613 at Maidstone Crossing, 626 at Whitney, 654 at Fallowield, 674 at Orillia, 635 at London, 709 at Metcalre—making the total number of courts now in the Province 62. Commissions are now in the hands of organizers for 15 new courts. The total membership is now 4,222, being a gain of 976, or 30 per cent., in the year.

Provincial Secretary Morel's report showed that Emerald Court, No. 231, of Ottawa, won the handsome banner offered by the Provincial Court to the subordinate Court initiating the largest number of new members. Emerald Court initiated 86; Ste Anne Court, Ottawa, 27; St. Bazil, Brantford, 19; St. Anne, 72; St. Bazil, Brantford, 19; St. Anne, 72; St. Bazil, Brantford, 19; St. Anne Court, Ottawa, 16; St. Columban's, Cornwall, 15; Emerald Court continues to be the banner Court of the Province, with a membership of 326.

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The Treasurer's report showed that the expenses of the year were \$1,932.90, and the balance on hand \$1,274.16.

Resolutions were passed to petition the High Court to amend the constitution:—1. So that all officers of subordinate Courts handling monies of the Order would be bonded in a guarantee Company, one policy to cover the entire Order, and the cost of the same to be divided proportionately on all the Courts of the Order: 2. To change the signs and grips once a year, and to appoint a Provincial Medical Examiner for Ontario, the same as has been done in Quebec.

A suggestion to appoint an organizer was rejected, and the matter of offering a prize button or medal for members securing a certain number of new members was left in the

tain number of new members was left in the hands of the subordinate Courts.

The salaries of officers for the ensuing year were fixed as follows:—Provincial Chier Ranger, \$200 and all actual disbursements

Ranger, \$20 and an actual viscous sections, \$100: Treasurer, \$75.

A resolution was passed refusing to give an opinion on the question of Reserve Fund until the High Court submitted some definite plan for the levying, investing and disposal

of the same.

BANGUET AT STANLEY ISLAND.

On Wednesday evening the members of the Provincial Court and delegates were entertained by the members of the local Courts to a trip to Stanley Island and a banquet at the steamer Grenada, and a banquet alore Algonquin, the grand induction that postlar resort. The presiding officers of that postlar resort. The presiding officers of the province societies in town were invited, and quite a number availed themselves of the privilege, the entire party, including members of the local Courts, numbering about on middle and fifty. Fleck's band accommon medical and fifty. Fleck's band accommon middle and f

ester's Court. The floral decorations were very beautiful. Mr. C. J. Fleck's orchestra furn sautiful. Mr. C. J. Fleck's orchestra furnhed music during the pregress of the dinner,
d won many well deserved compliments on
e excellence of their playing. Mis Leroux
so contributed to the entertainment of the
trty with several selections on the plano,
litch were greatly appreciated.
The company being seated, the kev. Father
ampheli said grace, and all proceeded to disisst the good things provided, with appettes
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A short toast list and several capital speeches followed the repast. Mr. John A. Chisholm, chairman of the local entertainment committee, who presided, first cailed upon the Secretary, Mr. Arch. J. Macdonald, to read the letters of regret which had been received from the following gentlemen, who were unable to be present: Rev. Rural Dean Houston, Master Workman Cornwall Lodge No. 214 A. O. U. W.; Wm. Hodge, Chief Ranger Court Sidney, Canadian Orders of Foresters; and H. R. Gregor, N. G. of Oriental Lodge No. 163, I. O. F.

W.; Wm. Hodge, Chief Kanger Court Sidney, Canadian Orders of Foresters; and H. R. Gregor, N. G. of Oriental Lodge No. 163, I. O. J. The health of Her Most Gractous Majosty the Queen was drunk with enthusiasm, the company singing the National Anthem.

Mr. Chisholm then expressed in very happy terms the pleasure it afforded the members of the local Courts and the citizens of Cornwall generally to have the convenion hers. The presence of so many representatives of other societies, including the Magnetic of the resulting the convenion hers. The presence including the Magnetic of the resulting the majority of the feeling existing amongst all creeds and nationalities in Cornwall. He seeds and nationalities in Cornwall. He seeds and nationalities in Cornwall. He should be seed that the property of the Provincial Court officers and delegates.

Mr. Morroe discharged the duty in a very felictious manner. He was delighted to have the opportunity of meeting the present of the C. O. F., and thought it present gathering was an evidence of a broadening spirit of brotherly love and munual forbearance.

The toast was drunk with all the honors.

Mr. W. T. J. Les, Provincial Chief Ranger, responded. He warmly reciprocated the sentiments expressed by Mr. Monroe, and heartily thanked the members of the coal Courts and citizens of Cornwall for the hospitable manner in which the members of the convention had been received. He had been received. He had been received. He warmly reciprocated the sentiments expressed by Mr. Monroe, and heartily thanked the members of the convention had been received. He warmly reciprocated the sentiments expressed by Mr. Monroe, and heartily thanked the members of the convention had been received. He warmly reciprocated the sentiments expressed by Mr. Monroe, and heartily would throb no longer and the battle flag unfuried would exist between all the members of the convention had been received. He warmly reciprocate the sentiments expressed by Mr. Monroe, and heartily morration of the World. (Loud Applaus

Cornwall Branch, C. M. S. A.; and Mr. O. A. Rocque, of Ottawa.

"The Professions" found worthy representatives in Dr. Rheaume, of Windsor, Ont., who delivered a very entertaining address: Dr. Wheeler. Cornwall; Mr. Loftus, Toronto; Mr. Dolanis, Cornwall, and Mr. Quinn, Arnprior.

"The Press." proposen by Mayor Mulhern, was responded to by Mr. Gibbens, of the Sandard, Mr. Young, of the Freeholder, Mr. A. G. F. Macdonald, of the Giengarry News; and Dr. Rheaume, of Windsor, wno spoke in French.

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"Our Host and Hostess" brought the toas! list to a close.

At the request of the chairman, Rev. Father Murtagh, of Marmora, said grace, and a most enjoyable entertainment was at an end. The party spent a pleasant half hour amusing themselves in various ways until the time for embarking for the return trip arrived, and reached Cornwall shortly before 12 o'clock.

THE CLOSING SESSION.

It was after midnight when the delegates arrived at their hall and it was decided to hold an all night session.

The Finance Committee's final report was

read and adopted.

The election of officers was then proceeded with and resulted as follows:
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Ireault, Ottawa.
Prov. Secretary—Arthur Morel, Ottawa.
Prov. Treasurer—G. W. Seguin, Ottawa.
Prov. Trustees—John A. Chisholm Cornwall; C. P. Baby, Windsor; E. V. Bachand,
Toronto; F. J. Quinn, Arnprior; and O. A.

Rocque, Ottawa.

As this concluded the business, the conven

tion was formally closed.

The beautiful bouquet presented to Prov. Chief Ranger Lee, by Mr. D. Monroe may still be seen in Mr. J. E, Tallon's store win-

dow.
The Union Jack floated over the Balmoral and Ottawa Hotels in honor of the Conven-tion.—Cornwall Standard, Aug. 24.

## SEPARATE SCHOOL WORK.

Good for the Catholics of St. Patrick's, Biddulph! No less than five young ladies and one young gentlemen have obtained their second class certificates at the last High School examinations, and out of a population of less than one hundred families. We do not think there is a finer record of the same number of families in all Ontario, either Protest-

taink there is a liner record of the same limits ber of families in all Oatario, either Protestant or Catholic.

The young ladies are: Miss Cecilia Powe; Miss Maggie Breen, daughter of Mr. Michael Powe; Miss Maggie Breen, daughter of Mr. Patrick Breen: Miss Nelly McGrath, daughter of the late James McGrath and niece of Father McGrath of Sandwich College; the Misses Delia and Mary Benn, sisters, daughters of Mr. Thomas Benn; Master Edward McLaughlin, son of the late Michael McLaughlin.

The CATHOLIC RECORD, which always takes deep interest in everything pertaining to Catholic education, congratulates these young ladies, their parents and pastor, upon their success. At the same time we can assure trustees from what we know of their parents that they will not be mistaken in employing any one of them. They are all remarkable for respectability and lady-like appearance and conduct.

## NEW BOOKS.

B. Herder, 17 South Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., has lately published a Short Life of the Venerable Servant of God, John Nepomucene Neumann, C. SS. R., Bishop of Philadelphia. It is written by Very Rev. J. Magnier, C. SS. R. is and published with the aprobation of the Most Rev. J. J. Kain, D. D., Archbishop of St. Louis, and the Most Rev. M. Raus, Superior General of the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer. Price, 40 cents.

cents.

Echoes from Bethlehem: A Christmas
Miracle, by Rev. Francis J. Finn, S. J.
Price, 25 cents. Publisher, B. Herder, St.

## PROMOTERS' RECEPTION

Those who attended the evening devotions in St. Peter's cathedral on the first Friday of September were glad that they did so, since they did not miss the opportunity of seeing the reception of eight ladies as Promoters of the League of the Sacred Heart. Precisely at 7:30 o'clock the director, Rev. Father Tobin, ascended the pulpit and read the prayers customary for such occasions. This being finished, at a sign from Father Tobin the eight candidates who had completed their term of six months' probation, advanced to the altar rail. Kueeling, with lighted tapers in their hands, they recited the Act of Consecration, after which took place the conferring of the Promoters' crosses and diplomas. The ceremony was performed by his Lordship Bishop O'Connor, assisted by Rev. Father Tobin. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was then given by Rev. Father Tiernan. Rev Fathers Noonan, P. McKeen and P. L'Heureux were also present in the sanctuary.

The glory of a good man is the testi mony of a good conscience. (2 Cor. 1

St. Peter's cathedral, London, was unusually crowded on Monday morning, Sep. 6, the occasion being the nuptials of Mr. Benjamin Leech's two daughters. Miss Mary Magdalen was united in holy wedlock to Mr. Michael Francis, second son of Mr. John Forristal, of the London and Petrolea Barrel Co.; and Miss Katharine Tryphena to Mr. Charles Edward Farrell, of New York city. Solemn High Mass was celebrated by Rev. M. J. Tiernan, Rev. M. McCormack acting as deacon, and Rev. P. L'Henreux, sub deacon. The groomsmen were: Messrs, Gregory Forristal and Joseph Leech, and the bridesmaids, Misses Martha and Patricia Leech. The two young orides looked particularly charming in dresses of pure white silk, trinmed with lace and ribbons. Miss Martha's dress was canary-colored muslin, and Miss Patricia's mauve. Both bridesmaids wore black hats, with plumes, and carried white parasols. The Nuptial Mass being over the wedding party, together with their numerous guests, drove to the residence of the brides parents, on Princess avenue, where break fast was served. The happy young couples left on the 10 clock train for Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and other eastern points, accompanied by the very best wishes of a numerous circle of sincere friends.

That God may abundantly bless their life's journey is the earnest wish of the London CATHOLIC RECORD.

#### HASTINGS.

OBSERVATIONS OF A STRANGER ON THIS PICTURESQUE VILLAGE.

To the Editor of the CATHOLIC RECORD:

Dear Sir—The first thing, probably, to attract the attention of a stranger in this thriving village is the immense water power, which, one would imagine, capable of running half the machinery in the Province if it could be utilized for the purpose. A fine dam built at this point across the Trent river affords the necessary power for most of the factories here, although Mr. Walsh, who runs an immense tannery, uses steam power. But as steam is needed for heating and other purposes, and as the waste bark is utilized for fuel, the great water power could not be used in his case, to any advantage.

But it is not for the purpose of dilating upon its grand water power, or to repeat any of the fish stories I heard told in the village, that I ask for space in your valuable paper, but to tell your readers something in which they are more deeply interested—that is, the position Catholics hold in Hastings and the surrounding district. Even did space permit, as a stranger in the village, I could not go into details, but anyone who witnessed the events of yesterday could not fail to be impressed by the beauty and solemnity of the occasion. The Catholic population is almost wholly made up of the genuine old stock from the Emerald isle and their descendants, and it was a real pleasure to see the old veterans with their "better halves," vilor ous sons and charming daughters, driving to the church with prancing horses and fancy through the forest to residence as a part of the population is almost wholly made up the genuine old stock from the Emerald isle and their descendants, and it was a real pleasure to see the old veterans with their "better halves," vilor ous sons and charming daughters, driving to the church with prancing horses and fancy through the forest to residence and they are the part to position on the part to p

Many of these men had hewn their way through the forest to positions of com-fort if not wealth, and by their thrift and industry, and by the natural fertility of the soil, have made themselves happy homes. Nor do they forget the old home across the sea, or the grand old Church in which they were

Nor do they forget the old home across the sea, or the grand old Church in which they were born.

In the village Catholics hold the most prominent positions of honor and trust. Mr. John Coughlin is reeve, and two or three members of the Council are also Catholics. The hotels, which by the way, are most respectable, and most of the business places in the village are owned by Catholics, all of whom give evidence of good sound standing and first-class business ability.

Yesterday was a real red letter day for the Catholics of the parish, and I feel bappy to have missed the afternoon train of Saturday, by which accident I was privileged to witness the interesting event of which I write. It was the occasion of the blessing of the new bell which was recently presented to the Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel by a most estimable lady of the village, Miss Ellen Coughlin. His Lordship Bishop O'Connor came from Peterborough on the previous even ing, and said the early Mass and gave Holy Communion to a large number. Hest of Acre. Mass His Lordship preached as Mer Heart Contraternity, and the great, benefits to be derived by John in the membership of the Mass, and I need the splendid service of the choir, which is presided over by the able and popular tragents, Miss Murphy. After High Mass, and Lordship addressed the large congregation, which he was about to perform, and I should be glad to give your readers, a briet summary of his beautiful discourse did time and space allow.

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The bell which weighs about eighteen hundred pounds, and a beautiful specimen of the founder's srt, was erected on a platform on the east side of the church, and was artistically festooned with ribbons and flowers, the handy and ingenuous work of some of the ladies of the congregation. On the bell, in raised letters, is the following inscription: "Presented to Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Hastings, by Miss Ellen Coughlin, in memory of her beloved parents and sisters. Rev. M. E. Connolly, bastor.

His Lordship having finished his sermon referred in fitting terms to the generous cift of Miss Coughlin, and proceeded, assisted by Rev. Father Connolly, to the interesting ceremony of the blessing of the bell, which will in a few days be placed in the massive stone tower of the church.

The Catholics of Our Lady of Mount Carmel congregation, Hastings, are to be congratulated on their social and religious standing; and their pastor, Father Connolly, who is beloved by all has reason to be proud of his congregation and the work he has, in union with them, so faaccomplished—having built, last year, a beautiful residence which is fitted up with all modern appliances. The diocese of Peterborough has good reason to be congratulated on its substantial progress, both materially and religious zeal.

Your truly,

The Central Business College.

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The Central Business College of Toronto began the regular work of the Fall session last week, with the largest number of new members ever registered at the beginning of any term. This is surely a good indication.

## MARKET REPORTS

LONDON.

London, Sept. 9, — Wheat, 87 to 90c per bushel. Oats, 212-5 to 25½c per bushel. Peas, 86 to 39c per bushel. Barley, 24 to 28 45 per bushel. Rye, 28 to 30 4-5c per bush. Corn. 30 4-5 to 33 3-10c, per bush. Beet ranged from 85 to 86 per cwt. Lambs, 7½ cents a pound. Veal, 5 cents per pound. Dressed hogs, 87 per cwt. Ducks, 50 to 68 cents a pair. Chickens, 35 to 55 cents a pir. Butter, 17 to 19 cents a pound. Eggs, 11 to 12c a dozen. Wool was steady, at 18 a cents pound. Hay, 86.50 to 87 per ton.

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Carlots.—The flour market remains unchanged, with straight rollers quoted at \$4.40 to \$4.50. Bran, \$7.50 to \$8.50 west. Wheat—New red quoted outside at \$1.00 to \$5.20 west. Wheat—New red quoted outside at \$1.00 to \$1.01. Fort William, and at \$1.10 to \$1.12 Toronto: \$1.00 to \$1.07 Goderich; No. 2 hard, \$1.02 Fort William, Outs a little lower, with sales of new white at 22c west, and new at 23c. east. Peas. 45 to 46c, north and west. Rye steady, at 56c. east. Corn, 28 to 29c. west for yellow; old, 30 to 31c,
MONTREAL.

yellow; old, 30 to 31c.
Montreal. Sept. 9.—The grain market was active. Peas in round lots sold at 50c. for No. 2, and 60c. for No. 1, in store. Oats were quiet

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at 29 to 20 c. Ontario red wheat sold at 92c. and winter at 94c. Rye firm at 53 to 53 c. and feed barley at 32 to 53 c. The flour market was fairly active and firm. A sale of 1.000 sacks of strong bakers' was made for shipment to London. Feed quiet and unchanged. Meal slow at 83.20 to 83.30 for rolled oats. Hay steady at 80 to 810 for No. 2. Provisions firm and fairly active. Cheese quiet and easy at 94 to 95c. for finest western. Butter easy at 19 to 19c, for choice candled stock. Beans more active and firmer at 70 to 80c. for prime, and 90c. to 81 for choice hand picked.

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30 to 35c. per bushel; picked, 35 to 45c. per bush.
Produce — Butter, 10 to 13c per lb.; eggs.
11 to 12c per doz.; lsrd, 5 to 8 cents per pound; honey, 7 to 9c per pound; cheese, 9 to 10c per pound.
Dressed Meats. — Beef, Michigan, \$5.00 to \$6.50 per cwt. Live weight, \$2.50 to \$3.50 per cwt.; Chicago, \$5.00 to \$7.50 per cwt.; Chicago, \$5.00 to \$7.50 per cwt.
Pork—Light, s4.50 to \$5.00; choice, \$7.00 to \$5.50; heavy, \$3.50 per cwt.
33.25 to \$5.50 per cwt.
Mutton—\$5.00 to \$5.50 per cwt.
Lamb—\$8 to \$7.00, per cwt.
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S.—Shipping cattle ranged from 4 to 4½c. per pound.; in a few cases picked lots were 10 to 15c. more per 100 pounds; but as a rule the range was around 4½c. per 1b.

Stockers, ranged from 2½ to 3½c. and 3½c. for really choice.

Butchers' cattle—4c. was paid/for picked lots butchers' stuff two or three times; but for ordinary trade the range was from 3½ to 3½c. cocasionally 3½c. was obtained. Medium cattle sold around at 3 and 3½c; and inferior from 2½ to 2½ per in about sufficient supply, and sell at from 83 to 86 each, for good veals.

Hogs—The best fetched 85.75 per cwt.

### A THRESHER'S LIFE.

One of Exposure to Inclement and Changeable Weather — He Easily Falls a Prey to Disease-Rheuma-tism One of the Natural Results— One Who Suffered for Upwards of

From the Intelligencer, Belelville, Ont. It is doubtful if there is any other occupation more trying to the consti tution than that of the thresher. posed to the rains and storms of the autumn season, and at the same time choked with the dust consequent upon threshing, he easily falls a prey to disease. Mr. Jos. H. Davis, a resident of the township of Wicklow, Hastings cou ty, follows the threshing machine for some months every fall. For eight or nine years he was subject to attacks of inflammatory rheumatism. The disease usually made its appear ance in the fall, and continued

throughout the winter, causing not

only much suffering but great incon venience. Mr. Davis' most serious at tack occurred during the winter of It first made itself manifest by the swelling of the right hand, and before twenty-fours had passed the dis ease appeared to have gone through the whole system, and the legs were swollen to an abnormal size, so much so that the joints were not visible through the swellings. For ten months the trouble continued, and dur ing that period Mr. Davis was unable to put on his own clothes, and the pain he endured almost passed comprehension. One doctor after another was

tried but without any beneficial re-Then advertised medicines sults. were tried, but with no better success "I can hardly say, " said Mr. Davis, " how much money I spent on doctors and medicine, but it amounted to a considerable sum, and yet I most willingly have given my farm to be rid of the terrible pain I was forced to endure. But all my expenditures seemed of no avail, and I began to despair of a cure. At this juncture. acting on the advice of a friend, began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills The first six boxes I used seemed from outward appearances to have had no in despair. I thought, however, possibly that was not a fair trial for one in my condition and I procured a further supply. By the time I had used three boxes more there was considerable improvement noticeable and from that out each day found me growing better. I continued using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills until I had taken eighteen boxes by which time every vestige of the pain had left me, and I was feeling in every respect a new man. I believe, too, that the cure is permanent, for I have not known what it is to suffer with rheu-

matism since. It will thus be seen that Dr. Wil liams' Pink Pills released Mr. Davis from the painful thraldom of rheuma tism at a comparatively small expense after doctors and other medicines had utterly failed to give him even a fair measure of relief. It is obvious, there fore, that if Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are given a fair trial they are sure to bring relief and cure. Every box of the genuine Pink Pills has the trade mark on the wrapper around the box, and the purchaser can protect himself from imposition by refusing all others. Sold by all dealers at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2 50.

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