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THE PARISH BLOCK.

Our illustration this week represents the Parish Block, situated directly opposite the Gamble House, Main St. east, Farmersville. The buildings are of frame, and the part at the left of the cut was built in 1886. The ground flat is occupied by A. C. Barnett as a boot and shoe store. Mr. Barnett has been a resident of the village for a good many years, and is well and favorably known to nearly all the residents of the country round.



He has lately put in a stock of machine-made boots and shoes, while in the rear part of the building he assists, on with the help of several assistants, a large business in hand-made work. The upper flat of the building is occupied as a dwelling by G. A. McClary, head clerk at J. P. Lamb's drug store. One half of the ground floor of the largest building shown in the cut is occupied by Geo. Balford, tailor, who learned his trade

the outward as well as in the inside appearance that made in the dry goods, grocery and millinery establishment of M. K. Brees & Son. During the summer, the whole building has been thoroughly overhauled and at the time of our visit was filled with a fine stock of goods. The millinery show room is fitted up second to none in the county, and if the fair saleswoman who occupied the room during our visit could be persuaded to remain, we know that if another line of goods, that of gents' furnishings, were added, that the proprietors would soon have a large increase in the number of customers.

FARMERSVILLE RACES.
The third annual fall meeting of the Farmersville Trotting Association was held on their fine track here, on Tuesday and Wednesday last, and was in every respect successful. The attendance on the first day was not so large as was desirable, but on the second day there was a large number present, so that the Society will have a net profit of about \$60. Sporting men were present from Oshawa, Ottawa, Montreal and other distant places, and the members of the Association have every reason to feel satisfied with the degree of popularity which their track has attained in so short a time. The entries were full, and every event was keenly contested. Below is the record:—

GREEN RACE.

Billy-go-easy	1	1	1
Young Black Hawk	2	2	2
Bell Wilson	6	3	3
New Comer	3	4	5
Queen S	4	5	4
Ben Rysdick	5	6	6
Time—2.40 1/2—2.46 1/2—2.45.			

2.37 CLASS.

Chestnut Hill	1	1	2	3	2
Nettletop	3	2	1	1	1
Joe Long	2	5	3	2	5
John L.	4	4	4	4	9
Billy Parker	5	3	5	5	4
Time—2.40 1/2—2.40 1/2—2.39—2.41—2.40.					

3-MINUTE RACE.

Black Dick	6	6	6	
Billy-go-easy	1	6	1	1
Young Black Hawk	2	1	2	2
Chestnut Hill	3	2	3	3
New Comer	4	4	4	
Time—2.41—2.41—2.44—2.44.				

OPEN RACE.

Star	3	1	2	1	
George Haight	1	1	4	2	1
Bessie L.	2	2	2	3	3
Nettletop	4	4	3	4	4
Time—2.40, 2.42, 2.44, 2.36, 2.34.					

Judges: M. Patterson, Brockville, David F. Wood, Smith's Falls, and R. B. Alguire, Farmersville. Timekeepers: John Kelley, Almonte, and John Culbert, Brockville.

THE UNIONVILLE FAIR.
Continuation of the List of Successful Competitors.

LEICESTER SHEEP.—Ram, C. W. Dickinson, Hugh N. Morrison, John Forth & Sons. Shearling ram, Hugh N. Morrison, John Imerson, C. W. Dickinson. Ram lamb, John Forth & Sons, Joshua Gilroy, Jas. Cavanagh. Ewes, John Forth & Sons, Hugh N. Morrison, O. P. Arnold & Co. Shearling ewes, C. W. Dickinson, Hugh N. Morrison, John Imerson. Ewe lambs, John Forth & Sons, John Imerson, H. N. Morrison. Society's special for best pen of sheep, C. W. Dickinson.

Downs.—Ram, E. J. Booth, W. H. McNish, R. B. Webster. Shearling ram, Byron Blancher, E. J. Booth, W. H. McNish. Ram lamb, E. J. Booth, Byron Blancher, S. M. Booth. Ewes, Joshua Gilroy, S. M. Booth, Byron Blancher. Shearling ewes, B. Blancher, E. J. Booth, S. M. Booth. Ewe lambs, Byron Blancher, S. M. Booth, E. J. Booth. Society's special for best pen of sheep, Byron Blancher.

OTTER BREEDS.—Ram, Hugh N. Morrison, John, M. Keeler, W. W. Miller. Shearling ram, O. P. Arnold & Co. Ram lamb, John Imerson, Jas. Cavanagh, John Forth & Sons. Ewes, Clarence Blanchard, John M. Keeler, John Forth & Sons. Shearling ewes, Clarence Blanchard, Ewe lambs, John Forth & Sons, John Imerson, Clarence Blanchard. Society's special for best pen of sheep, John Imerson.

Roots.—Potatoes—early rose, Geo. Dudley, Henry Lee, John Rappell; beauty of Hebron, Geo. Dudley, A. W. Shepherd, H. Lee; early Ohio, Frank White, Jas. McDougal; snowflake, Levi Church, R. M. Brown; the any kind, John M. Keeler, Henry Lee, Levi Church; Clark's No. 1, George Dudley. Carrots—white, L. N. Brown, John Forth, John Rappell; yellow, long red, John Forth, B. and A. Bissell, John Johnston; globe, John Forth, Frank Wiltse, Jas. Warner, Turnips—white, John Forth, A. W. Shepherd; yellow, Srd, A. W. Shepherd. Squash—mammoth, Jas. Warner, B. and A. Bissell, Lewis King; winter keeping, Wm. Neilson, D. W. Hazen, Geo. W. Mott. Pumpkins—Geo. H. Latham, John Mackay, Thos.

NEWBORN FAIR.
Tuesday last, the opening day, was all that could be desired. The lady members of the fair, with commendable zeal, soon filled the hall with the product of their handwork. If the male members of the Newborn Fair had shared half the pluck of their lady friends, we would not be compelled to write that the fair of 1887 was inferior to that of previous years. On our arrival on the grounds on Wednesday morning, we made our way at once to the shed in the eastern corner of the enclosure, and found that the collection of grain, roots, vegetables, etc., was, comparatively speaking, all that could be desired. The number and names

of the exhibits would place the managers of the show in a false position, for we feel that the blame for the small number of entries does not rest upon their shoulders. If the agriculturalists around Newboro have not enterprise enough to go to the trouble of collecting and exhibiting the products of their farms, gardens and dairies, they must not complain if the public, who go to the fair to see something to interest and amuse them, become disgusted and stay away in the future. The show of cattle was fair, although the quantity of grades predominated over all the other varieties. Jesse Knowlton exhibited his two-year-old Holstein bull. A two-year-old Ayrshire and a grade bull were the only animals of that class on the ground. Some very fair Ayrshire cows and heifers and a few grade Holsteins were also noticed. The Gananogue Carriage Co. had a fine display of their carriages on the ground. A Little Maxwell self-binder, and a few rakes, drills, and other farming implements made up the show to respectable proportions on this part of the grounds. As we said at the commencement, the hall was well filled, but as our guide was not posted as to the names of the principal exhibitors, we are unable to give the names of the fortunate prize-takers. However, we will be pleased to publish the prize list in full as soon as the secretary can get it ready for the compositor. The show of horses was good, and some very fine animals were exhibited in the ring. Here, again, we shall have to refer those interested to the prize list. The great attraction of the Newboro fair this year was the family of French Guineas and their bear. The family consists of the father, mother, and some four or five ragged and dirty children. A covered vehicle answered the three-fold purpose of parlor, kitchen and dining hall. The bear was confined in a rudely constructed cage, mounted upon two wheels and drawn by the sorriest specimen of horse-flesh that could be seen in a day's travel. The crowd was called by a few toots on a trumpet improvised out of a cow's horn. "Tirty dime" was the price demanded for an exhibition of the antique show, and for that sum the manager agreed to let the bear and the wagon indulge in a "great big bloody fight." The tirty dime not being forthcoming, the manager declared the fight off.

In strolling around the village, a person is struck with the steady, substantial growth of the village. Quite a number of new buildings are in course of erection, and others have been rebuilt and remodelled until they have lost all semblance of their former appearance. Amongst the many new buildings, we noticed the fine, new brick school house and a large, commodious sample room nearly completed by J. Hart, of the Ontario House. But probably the greatest change in

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Kerr. Smart's special for collection of roots, John Forth.

Apples—cooking, A. W. Shepherd, W. D. Cogswell, Jas. Dickey; keeping, A. W. Shepherd, Jas. Dickey, Geo. P. Mott; table, A. W. Shepherd, Jas. Dickey, Wm. D. Cornell, grafted, A. W. Shepherd, Wm. D. Cornell, Jas. Dickey. Grapes—blue, A. W. Laid, J. W. Horton, Wm. Neilson; white, A. W. Shepherd, J. W. Horton, Wm. Neilson. Water melons, Wm. Neilson, Jas. Miller, R. W. Littlejohn, Musk melons, Jas. Miller, Wm. Neilson, J. W. Horton. Assortment of fruit, A. W. Shepherd. Canned fruit, Wm. Hillis, A. W. Shepherd, John A. Rappell. Canned vegetables, William Hillis, A. W. Shepherd, Mrs. E. DeWolfe. Pickles (variety), A. W. Shepherd, Mrs. E. DeWolfe, William Hillis.

Discretionary.—Vegetable marrow, Geo. P. Mott. Catsup, John A. Rappell.

VEGETABLES.—Blood beets, James Warner, John Forth, John Pattimore. Cabbage—white, John Orby, A. W. Shepherd, Jas. Warner; red, James Warner, A. W. Shepherd. Cauliflowers, Jas. Warner. Onions—white, A. W. Shepherd, Jas. Warner, Wm. Neilson; red, R. Barlow, R. Chant, A. W. Shepherd; yellow, (error in judges' report for first, unattractive), R. Barlow, Parsnip, Robert Chant, Jas. Warner, John Rappell. Celery, Wm. Neilson, A. W. Shepherd, James Warner. Carrots, John Forth, Levi Church, R. Barlow. Tomatoes, A. W. Shepherd, Jas. Warner, L. N. Brown. Citrons, S. Y. Brown, Jas. Warner, Wm. Hillis. Vegetables, (greatest variety), Wm. Neilson.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.—Butter—firkin, H. B. Brown, A. Coad; crock, H. B. Brown, W. Miller, John Forth; roll, H. B. Brown, Wm. Hillis, Salah Arnold. Factory cheese, (judges' report for first, unattractive), A. W. Shepherd, Geo. Dudley. Honey—in jar, John Kendrick, F. L. Moore, O. Moore; in comb, John Kendrick, F. L. Moore, Morton Kendrick. Bread, Wm. Patterson, D. McLean, Richard Arnold. Maple sugar, Wm. Pennock, John Pattimore, W. W. Miller. Maple syrup, W. H. Osborne, A. W. Shepherd, John Pattimore. Vinegar, John Mackay, W. Miller, John Singleton. Hard soap, John Singleton, R. E. Foster, John Rappell, soft soap, Wm. Pennock, R. M. Brown, John A. Rappell. Society's special for honey, John Kendrick, Morton Kendrick, F. L. Moore.

DOMESTIC WARE.—Stockings—cotton, Rich. Arnold, L. N. Brown, Abel Scott; woollen, S. Y. Brown, William Pennock, Jesse Miner. Socks—woollen, Wm. Pennock, John Singleton, Albert Gile; cotton, E. N. Brown, Rich. Arnold, John Pattimore. Mittens—gents, A. W. Shepherd, Frank Wiltse, R. E. Foster; ladies', Mrs. E. DeWolfe, L. N. Brown, Rich. Arnold. Carpet—rag, S. Y. Brown, Wm. Pennock, Geo. Dudley; stair, Jesse Miner, S. Y. Brown, Richard Arnold; woollen or union, Wm. Pennock, Abel Scott, J. E. Johnston. Padded cloth, Chas. Tackaberry, Abel Scott, Wm. Pennock. Flannel—woollen, colored and pressed, Wm. Pennock, S. Y. Brown; kersey woven, Wm. Pennock, (error in judges' report on 2nd), S. Y. Brown; cotton and wool, James Moore, Cyrenus Stowell, Abel Scott. Knitting yarn, R. E. Foster, S. Y. Brown, A. W. Shepherd. Blankets—woollen, not milled, Wm. Pennock, Robt. Barlow, Mrs. E. DeWolfe; cotton and wool, Wm. Pennock, A. W. Shepherd, W. H. Osborne. Horse blanket, George Dudley, Robt. Barlow, R. E. Foster. Union coverlet, Mrs. E. DeWolfe, G. Dudley, Geo. F. Purvis. Home-made shawl, L. N. Brown, Wm. Hillis, G. H. Latham. Counterpane—quilted, Wm. Pennock, John Singleton, Jesse Miner; knitted, Abel Scott, (error in judges' report on 2nd), John Pattimore; knotted, John Singleton, Abel Scott, S. Y. Brown. Quilt—patch-work, J. E. Johnston, Wm. Pennock, L. W. Barber, pieced, Riley Stott, L. N. Brown, Cyrenus Stowell; silk, Mrs. Frank Arnold; crocheted, L. N. Brown, Abel Scott, H. B. Brown. Home-made flannel shirt, Wm. Pennock, S. Y. Brown, R. E. Foster. Mat—yarn, S. Y. Brown, Abel Scott, R. E. Foster; rag, Abel Scott, Wm. Pennock, R. E. Foster.

Concluded next week.

Widows and Orphans.

We are sorry to chronicle the death of Mr. P. McKinn's youngest daughter, and the infant son of Mr. H. Tracy who died last week.

Mr. Donson railway contractor and his men are with us again. Charles English, Civil Engineer, returned from Providence, R. I. last week. He will be connected with the railroad works here. We are glad to see his smiling countenance once more.

Mr. J. E. Webster is having grand success with his stores and furnaces. Many sales were made last week. The Ottawa boys break camp this week. They are jolly good fellows, and we shall miss them.

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THIS ORIGINAL DOCUMENT IS IN VERY POOR CONDITION

UNTIL
OF 1888 FOR A DOLLAR

Our subscription list has increased so fast during the past few weeks that we have come to the conclusion that everybody wants the paper from now until the end of 1888. We have decided to offer the small sum of one dollar for the year. It is our intention to place our subscription list at one thousand or over before the first of January, and we think that this offer is a very liberal one. If a small portion of our present subscribers would each secure one new subscriber, or better still, order the paper to be sent to their friends, our object would be attained. We expect to move our office to its permanent location on Main street in a very short time, with increased space and additional facilities, we shall be able to give our readers the newest and best paper in the County.

THE REPORTER.
B. LORAIN, Editor and Proprietor.
Guaranteed Circulation, 600.
FARMERSVILLE, SEPT. 27, 1887.
LOCAL AND OTHER NOTES.
From the Pencil of our Own News-Gatherer.

The REPORTER from now until the end of 1888 for one dollar.
The 17th of November will be Thanksgiving Day this year.
Merriekville is to have a musical convention, on the 4th 5th and 6th of October.
The third prize for large beans in last week's issue should have been credited to Wm. Hillis.

Mr. Wm. Parish has the contract for building a stable at the rear of Mrs. Miller's residence.
The Presbyterian service will be held in the town hall on Sunday morning, at half past ten o'clock.
A man and a monkey publicly conducted a gambling game on Main street last week. Our village law-guardians, where were they?
The man who does not advertise displays as much good sense as the man who dons his Sunday clothes to climb a barbed wire fence.
Mr. Ambrose Logan, near Frankville, recently lost his barn and stable by fire. There was \$600 of insurance, but the loss was twice that amount.
The Quarterly Services of the Society of Friends will be held in their meeting house on Saturday and Sunday next, beginning at 11 a.m. each day.

We understand that the Presbyterians have concluded the purchase of the North Church from the Methodist body, the price being \$2,200.
Mr. Fairclough, late of the Brockville High School staff, proceeded to Toronto last week, where he enters upon the duties of Greek professor in the University.
The return match between the Prescott and Mallorytown lacrosse teams was played at Mallorytown last week, when the Prescott club sustained a three straight defeat.
On Saturday last, Mr. J. P. Lamb visited Brockville, and paid \$1 and costs for indulging in the too forcible expression of his opinion while the crickets were being made on Wednesday.

We are pleased to state that Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Slack, their daughter Mattie and son Charlie, who have been sufferers from typhoid fever for the past six or seven weeks, are now recovering.
Mr. Harvey Wing, of Hard Island, received word on Saturday evening, of the very serious illness of his brother Wilton, who has been engaged making cheese during the summer at Vankleek Hill.
After a lingering illness of many weeks Mrs. Elizabeth Stevens, wife of Abel Stevens, died on Monday morning, in the 43rd year of her age. Deceased was an estimable lady, and her death is regretted by a large circle of friends.

About 10:30 on Tuesday night a lamp exploded in the lamp-room of the Armstrong House, and quite a serious blaze ensued. Fortunately, there were a large number of guests at the house, and the fire was soon got under control, but not before considerable damage was done by fire and water.
Attention is directed to the advertisement in another column of Philomen Pennock, proprietor of the Elgin Nurseries. Mr. Pennock's goods are stocked with trees of desirable varieties and true to name. He has been in very poor health for some time, and has concluded to sell all his stock as mentioned in the advertisement. Those who want a few trees to stock up with could not do better than to drive out and select what they require on one of the days mentioned.

The following paragraph we clip from the Brockville Eagle:
Mr. G. M. Atwood, buyer of the sheep from A. D. Matthews & Sons, has accepted a position as salesman for the Chappaque Company, of Chappaque, N. Y., and will open an office in New York. Mr. W. C. Griffiths, assistant buyer of Westchester & Abraham's shoe department, is to be Mr. Atwood's successor.
Mr. Griffiths, a former resident of Brockville, has obtained deserved success in the great mercantile houses of Gotham, and we are pleased to note this latest preferment.

The Methodist congregation at Temperance Lake surprised Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Wednesday evening last, by an apple donation. The friends brought with them bags of apples, jarring machines, willing hands and cheerful spirits, and soon had so many apples prepared for drying that a hall had to be called. Then the cider was stocked with apples and even some baskets added to the preacher's pile.
The next in order was a record prepared in rich abundance and a record by the ladies, who made Mrs. Rogers the richer by some of the donations they left behind. After vocal and instrumental music, the pastor led in prayer, and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers bade good-bye to their warm-hearted friends.

The quarterly review of the Methodist Sunday School was conducted by Superintendent Fisher in the church on Sunday evening, in lieu of the regular service. The children, arranged in classes, occupied seats near the pulpit, and answered very readily the many questions asked relative to the lessons of the quarter. In the answers delivered by the classes in choruses, the bold, declamatory tones of the sweet and low voices of the girls, and the singing a pleasing modulation was obtained by allowing the infant class to repeat the choruses alone. The quarter's lessons were on the Sermon on the Mount, and in the second part of the exercises the congregation was invited to join, and from the manner in which they responded it was evident that they had not taken advantage, to any great extent, of Mr. Fisher's oft-repeated invitation to attend the regular meetings of the school. The services were altogether of a pleasing character.

The Methodist church at Greenbush was formally reopened on Thursday last. This church is one of the oldest sacred edifices in the county, the present year being the fiftieth anniversary of its erection. The recent alterations and improvements make it one of the best and most comfortable of country churches. The recent alterations and improvements make it one of the best and most comfortable of country churches. The recently gallery has been torn down, and the old fashioned tall pulpit has given place to a modern platform and desk. The general effect of the interior is handsome, and the work has all been carried out in a creditable manner. New driving sheds and a dining hall have also been erected, making the total cost of the improvements about \$1,000, the greater part of which is covered by subscriptions. The success of the work undertaken must be exceedingly gratifying to the popular pastor, the Rev. D. C. Sanderson. The re-opening exercises comprised a public service in the afternoon, and a harvest home festival in the evening. The hymn was preached by the Rev. W. H. Graham, of Carleton Place, who is an earnest and eloquent minister. The supper was a gratifying success, and was followed by an excellent programme. The Rev. Mr. Sanderson filled the chair, and the speakers were the Rev. Messrs. Graham, Gusholm, Pearson, Brown and Hill.

COUNTY NEWS-LETTERS
Received from Our Own Correspondents During the past Week.
Spring Valley.
Mrs. George Fletcher is slowly recovering from an attack of erysipelas. Mr. Alex. Lanz has gone on a trip to Copenhagen to visit his brothers and will call at several other places.
Mr. Archie Meakin has taken the contract of finishing the carpenter work on the house erected on the McCrea farm.
Elgin.
The special services are still in progress in the Stone Church. Rev. D. Coates left here over a week ago, but the good work is still going on.
A favorite pastime has been indulged in for some time past, viz.: some of our young ladies going out hunting. One of them succeeded in capturing a large one this week. On Monday last at the residence of the bride's father, B. L. Halliday, Herman Coon and Allura Halliday, Herman Coon well satisfied as he has taken a Halliday for life. The happy couple took a trip to the Toronto Industrial getting back in time for the reception at Coon's on Saturday evening. We wish them happiness and success. Also that the other young ladies who are on the hunt may be as fortunate.
Another one of our Elgin girls has entered the ranks of the married. Miss Helena Pennock to John Denny, of Phillipsville.
Miss Kate Barrett, of Mitchell, Ont., has been visiting friends here for some time past. We are sorry to say good-bye to Kate. The time has been spent so pleasantly. Hope she will favor us again.
Front of Yonge.
The pumpkin and watermelon fairs will soon come to an end.
We had a friendly visit from the Rev. Mr. Coats, of Cardinal, last week. Mr. James Tennant, of Caintown, took first prize on his young stallion at the University fair, instead of a Mr. Dixie as reported.
Mr. McNish, of Lyn, is manufacturing a large number of land rollers for next season's trade.
O. L. L. Potter & Co. have a contract for the delivery of 2000 dry measures. These will foot up the nice little sum of about \$1,500.
A tramp was seen on the streets of Mallorytown, dead drunk. His pants were badly ruptured, into which a doctor had put a stitch and on his head he wore a 16 carrot hat.
We sincerely hope that the Farmersville trouble may be speedily and amicably settled.
The Brockville and Westport R. R. is being laid with ties in the vicinity of Lyn.
Mr. James Cummings, of Lyn, is doing an extensive trade.

Belt.
On Tuesday the 29th inst., George Morris' two horses and steers were completely destroyed by fire, together with sixty tons of hay and all the grain from his large farm, and many valuable articles. His valuable horse-also perished in the flames. The

cause of the fire is unknown. George is a first-class fellow, and has the heartfelt sympathy of all his neighbors, who should turn out and assist in putting up new buildings for him. Court was well attended here on Tuesday. There are a great many courtiers, of all ages, in this vicinity. The brass band are doing it up well. That's right, boys, practice makes perfect.
Mr. Charlie Lambert has returned from his trip to Montreal with horses. He took with him some very fine specimens for carriage and draught purposes. Charlie has moved into the village, and Dame Rumor says he is about to take to himself a partner of his joys and sorrows. Che whizz! Charlie, that is good.
The three mile race between Lady Lightfoot, owned by Alanson Baker, and Black Pug, owned by Norman Brown, was won by the former by ten seconds.
We have heard of fishing being a very poor speculation in some parts, but not so here. Lower Lake is a great place for fish of all kinds.

Verbora.
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One of our young stove clerks should carefully study the tobacco market before expecting to get "two for cigars" in Farmersville or "two for five cents".
Our genial merchant, T. K. Preston, spent most of last week in Toronto, and we may look for something fine in the dry goods line soon.
Breece's store is finely illuminated evenings, and the front is the finest in town. Mrs. Breece lately returned from Montreal with fall styles in the millinery line.
Mr. Shaver, carriage manufacturer, is repairing and remodelling his works. The buildings will be a credit to our village.
We would like to report the exploits of two of our young gentlemen on the boat last week, but as we cannot get hold of the details we must defer the pleasure. S. L. C. S.

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