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NEWBORO

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FARMERSVILLE.—Sabbath services in the South Church at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Public prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30, in the North Church, and Young People's meeting on Saturday evening at 8.

Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Duncan Fisher, Superintendent.

LESS LOTTAS at 1:30 p. m., and SHELTON'S at 2:15 p. m., Sunday, June 13th, and every alternate Sabbath thereafter.

KLING at 1:30 p. m., and TOWNSEND at 2:15 p. m., Sunday, June 20th, and every alternate Sabbath thereafter.

WASHBURN'S and HARD ISLAND alternately Friday evenings at 7:30.

Church of England.

CHURCH.—Rev. R. N. Jones, incumbent. Service every Sunday at 1:00 p. m., excepting the second Sunday in the month, when service will be held at 10:30 a. m. Holy Communion on morning prayer, and on the 2nd and 4th Sundays every Thursday at 1:30 p. m. Seats all free.

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Sunday services at 10:30 (Jan. 23d, Feb. 20th, March 26th and April 17th omitted). Prayer and praise meeting every Wednesday evening at 7. All welcome. Rev. S. Sheldon, pastor.

Presbyterian.

Service in the Baptist Church every Sabbath Evening at 7. Rev. Mr. Roberts, pastor.

NOTES AND NEWS.

Original and Selected Items of General Interest to our Readers.

British Columbia Elections.

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 8.—E. C. Baker and Noah Shakespeare (Conservatives) were re-elected to-day to represent Victoria in the House of Commons.

An Election Fiasco.

BELLEVILLE, March 8.—Richard Arnot, who left the city after election day to avoid arrest, was fined \$35 by the magistrate to-day for assaulting several Reform voters.

Canadians in Chicago.

The first annual reception concert and ball of the Chicago Canadian Club was held on the evening of the 22nd Feb. last, in Chicago. On the reception committee was Dr. H. O. Bates, an old Leeds County boy, who has now a fine practice in that city.

Disgraceful.

In Yamaska, where the seat was given to the minority candidate, the returning-officer and many of his deputies were selected from Montreal and sent to Yamaska, a distance of 60 to 75 miles. The Conservative victory (l) was won by these imported partisans spoiling Liberal votes.

A Worthy Relic.

Mr. R. F. Cheeky, of North Augusta, has in his possession a sword which was successfully carried through the battle of Waterloo by his uncle, Mr. John Gowan. Mr. Cheeky prides it dearly, and says that he would not part with it under any consideration.

The Intercolonial Railway.

The Montreal Herald says:—"The Intercolonial Railway, under the management of the Hon. John Henry Pope, is as we have said before, a bottomless pit of iniquity. The management is disgraceful beyond all precedent. The abuses cry to heaven. The road is simply a political engine, conducted at an enormous loss to the country, manipulated so as to increase the Government's hold on power."

A Royal Temple Defaulter.

BUFFALO, March 10.—E. H. Abbott, the Supreme Secretary of the Royal Temple of Temperance, is a defaulter to the extent of \$5,000. He lived with his wife and two children at Aurora, but was in Buffalo every day. As Supreme Secretary he received \$25,000 per month in dues, and this he was required to pay over daily to the Treasurer, John Lyth, of this city. Abbott received a salary of \$3,000 a year, and had been Grand Secretary for several years.

Important Scott Act Decision.

TORONTO, March 7.—A very important decision was given on Saturday by the Chancery Division Court, in the case of the Queen vs. Fee, under the Scott Act. The point decided in this case is one of great importance, and shortly stated is, that under sec. 123 of the Canada Temperance Act, by which the accused is made a competent and compellable witness, he is not bound to criminate himself. The identical point was decided in the same way by the Supreme Court of Prince Edward Island in the Queen vs. Connolly, 4 Canadian Law Times, 801, but the Chancery Division has now reached an opposite conclusion, as it holds that the deft. in a Scott Act prosecution is bound to answer, even though by so doing he criminate himself. This will of course, be a great aid to persons engaged in working out the Scott Act, as it will render convictions much easier. From this decision there is no appeal, so that the law may be taken as settled, unless some adventurous person manages to bring the matter up on habeas corpus before the Court of Appeal. The Chancellor who delivered the judgment of the Court, dealt very exhaustively with the subject, justifying the decision upon English authority. He pointed out that it was one of Bentham's theories of law, that if the accused should be compelled to testify against himself, and quoted a remark of his upon the maxim *nemo tenetur seipsum accusare*, to the effect that if a number of burglars and highwaymen

busy to undertake all the mischief wanted, in which case a portion of it is executed by the firm of Ralph Heaton & Sons, Birmingham; in such instances coins have the letter "H" stamped upon them. Collectors have noticed that the coins turned out by this firm are usually better in workmanship than those made at the mint itself.

Quarrelling Over Mr. Beecher.

CHICAGO, Mar. 7.—A most extraordinary scene took place at the weekly meeting of the Congregational ministers this morning. A topic which naturally came up was the sickness from which Henry Ward Beecher is believed to be dying. The sentiment of some of the pastors present took the shape of resolutions of condolence which it was proposed to send to Mrs. Beecher by telegraph. This was bitterly opposed by a number of the ministers, their opposition being based on the alleged heterodoxy of Mr. Beecher's views regarding salvation and future punishment. An acrimonious debate ensued, and finally the motion to adopt the resolution was lost.

The Great Freighter Dead.

NEW YORK, March 8.—The Rev. Henry Ward Beecher died to-day at 9:30 a. m. He did not regain consciousness from the time of the first attack. As he neared the end and approached the family could be heard weeping and sobbing. Dr. Beattie stood by the bedside holding one of Mr. Beecher's hands, and at 9:30 he said, "Mr. Beecher is no more; he is dead." It is difficult to describe the scene at this moment. Notwithstanding the fact that his death was looked for, that it had been expected hourly, it seemed to come with such crushing force that the family were prostrated with grief. Mrs. Beecher who had held up so bravely from the first, was utterly broken down, and when supported by her son Harry as she tottered from the room, looked as if it would not be long before she would follow her beloved husband. The news of Mr. Beecher's death spread very quickly to all parts of the city, and Brooklyn may now be said to be a city of mourning.

A Fearful Tragedy.

The following is stated to be a correct account of the recent tragedy at Grand Falls, N. B.—Two traders named Blake and Kelly have been in the habit of selling goods in the vicinity. When they last left there was some trouble with a note, and a man named Searway swore that if ever Blake came back he would beat the life out of him. On the 21st ult. Blake and Kelly returned and went into a public house. Seated in the room were two Frenchmen and shortly after Searway entered. The Frenchmen called on him to carry out his threat against Blake. Searway was afraid to attack Blake openly and going behind his back picked up a poker and struck him on the head knocking him senseless. Then he picked up the body, and jumped on it until Kelly interfered to save his partner from being murdered. Then the Frenchmen jumped upon Kelly. Searway lay on three on him, and catching him up, threw him over the table, and jumped upon his chest until it was pulp. Help came and Searway and the Frenchmen fled. The beaten men were taken to the Grand Falls Hotel, where two days later, Kelly died of his injuries, and even now Blake lies at the point of death. Searway has been arrested.

Some of our boys and girls became anxious to learn the name of your scribe; but they have quieted down, and credit the east end butcher with being the naughty man.

Thieves are again operating here. On Wednesday night Piercy Acheson, Esq., had a valuable horse taken from his stable, and has not yet got track of his property. He thinks he knows who are the guilty boys.

Some political thief entered the school room the same night, and carried away the "Bible Readings" (or "Ross Bible," if you please). Query: what will he think when he reads the command against stealing?

Our public school, under the management of Miss Beatty, is progressing nicely. She gave the boys a holiday when the "Great Chief, Sir John," came to Brockville to help his "Boy John F." The pupils enjoyed the fun immensely.

Mr. Hiram Bullis and daughter, of Brighton, are visiting friends in this place. Hiram is looking well.

The population of Glen Buell has been increased lately by the arrival of Mr. Wm. Gray, who is said to be a first-class house builder. We hear that he has three contracts in hand already in this place. Well done, Billy.

Our railroad contractors are again at work. They have a large force of men engaged in getting out timber to be used in the crib work crossing the "Fife mill pond." We think work will be pushed ahead in a lively manner as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

Considerable fault-finding and loud talk has been indulged in lately, on account of one of our local dealers refusing to receive and pay for the large number of dry cows purchased on or about the 22nd ult. Your correspondent, having heard much respecting the dry deal, thought it well to interview the man of stock. We

formed an association for the purpose of furthering the interest of their profession, *nemo tenetur*, &c. would naturally be the first rule or by-law they would pass.

Riel's Coadjutors.

Michael Dumas, who escaped from the Northwest after the rebellion, in company with Gabriel Dumont, and is residing with his family at St. Charles, near Winnipeg, before the amnesty was granted, was living near the boundary, and afterwards rejoined his family. He gives an interesting description of the trip of Dumont and himself from Batoche to Fort Belknap, which occupied eleven days. They lived most of the time on antelope they shot during the trip. They never saw a white face, as they kept out of the district where civilization was likely to exist. After their release by the American authorities Dumas worked for a time on a rancho at Lewiston, Montana, while Dumont maintained himself by hunting. Then came the offer to join Buffalo Bill's Wild West Combination, which Dumas declined and Dumont accepted. During his separation from his family Dumas says four of his children died, while Dumont lost to say much about Riel, but thinks the cause of the Halfbreeds just. He thinks the Government should make him some compensation for what he lost.

County News—Letters

Received from Our Own Correspondents During the past Week.

Delta.

MARCH 11.—And still the exhibition goes on. Lively all the while.

We understand there is to be a debate in our own village shortly, on three very interesting subjects, viz.: 1st Scott Act, Temperance (that is whether Scott Act is Temperance or not), 2nd Love and Hatred, 3rd Woman's authority to preach. Admission, 20c. Receipts to go for building sidewalks. Champions, William Hicks and G. N. Young.

Mr. Harvey Brown has opened business here, and is working up a good trade in his grocery store and bake shop. We wish Harvey success, as he is a trustworthy fellow.

Again we are called upon to chronicle the death of one of our old and respected citizens, Mr. McKay. The funeral sermon was preached in the Baptist Church and his remains interred in the Forfar burying ground. He will be missed very much, as he was great

Deaths of English Sovereigns.

William the First got a bullet in the temple. A random shot from a noble knight... Henry the Second was murdered at night... Richard the First died of a fever...

SPRING FASHIONS.

Cable News of the Latest Parisian Novelties.

THE HIGH HAT TO GO. A cablegram from Paris says: March sunshine has given a new impetus to the fancies of the Parisian modistes...

JUBILEE DRAWING-ROOM.

Buckingham Palace Through with Dress and Beauty.

A London cablegram says: The Queen yesterday afternoon held at Buckingham Palace her first jubilee drawing-room...

THE AMERICAN BROTHERS.

How New World Peoples Look and Feel.

The London correspondent of the New York Sun thus describes the presentation at court of American ladies...

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

No Church of England Should be Held by a Bishop of Another Church.

The following discourse has been issued by Bishop Bell in his Diocese of Bath...

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

After Banality of the French to Show the Great Masses of Europe.

After Banality of the French to Show the Great Masses of Europe. Paris Letter in Chicago Times...

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

Remembering Life in a Prison.

Remembering Life in a Prison. Reminiscences of a Veteran in a Very Quiet Way...

IN ROSEBUD ROW.

The Way Some Girls Keep Keys in Their Checks.

Down on Michigan avenue are six houses known as "Rosebud Row." There are all in society. They constitute a clique of themselves...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Two elegant dresses worn by hostesses at two recent receptions were made as follows.

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THE HOUSEHOLD.

Lord Chamberlain's Visit to the Queen.

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THE HOUSEHOLD.

A "Spook" Disturbing Baltimore & Ohio Train.

A "Spook" Disturbing Baltimore & Ohio Train. A Tiffin, O., dispatch says: The village of Tiffin, O., which is on the Baltimore & Ohio...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

THE CANADIAN HORSE TRADE.

THE CANADIAN HORSE TRADE. A London cable says: Col. Rowland has learned last night from the Assistant Secretary of the War Office...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

What an Amiable Man Did.

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THE HOUSEHOLD.

Why They Stood Up.

Why They Stood Up. Countryman in the gallery of the stock exchange—How much did it cost, master, to do business down there?

THE HOUSEHOLD.

A Noble Wife.

A Noble Wife. A noble wife of a noble man. When Eastern people read Pauline's signs which are claimed to be taken from court-rooms on West, they imagine that the signs are baroque...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

The Household Carries the Point.

The Household Carries the Point. Apropos of the movement on foot at present to encourage American girls to enter the army...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Widely Prid.

Widely Prid. We had called Jennie and I, on a bright young bride, and very bright she was, with sparkling eyes and laughing lips...

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A Place for Surplus.

A Place for Surplus. Lawyer—You are entitled to a pension? Applicant—Yes, sir. Lawyer—What battles were you in? Applicant—I wasn't in any battles. I stayed at home and yipped and yapped for the basement. I think you will be a good defender of women and children...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

A Natural Mistake.

A Natural Mistake. Amateur Arctic Explorer—Well, well, the looks are all right. I thought these people dressed in eskalans. Native—Oh, no! Ordinary fur is good enough for us. English—What did you learn? English—English. English—What did you learn? English—English. English—What did you learn? English—English...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

An Explanation.

An Explanation. Customer—I must say I don't like this milk. Milkman—Why? What's the matter with it? Customer—It's not what you see that it is. It's what it is. It's a little darker than usual. What is the cause of it? Milkman—It's the weather. It's the weather. It's the weather...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Cheerful View.

Cheerful View. Gentleman (looking at dates)—I am afraid my wife won't want to come up as high as this. It's the tenth story, isn't it? Landlord—Yes, tenth story, including the basement. I think you will be a good defender of women and children...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Dr. Gould's Discovery.

Dr. Gould's Discovery. Dr. Gould has recently discovered a new walking stick, resembling in the repidity of its change the famous Algor, which the Arabs regarded as a sort of demon in the sky...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

God Father in Halifax.

God Father in Halifax. A Halifax dispatch says: The continuous strike of coal miners in this city and very serious results will ensue if the strike continues much longer...

THE HOUSEHOLD.

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THE REPORTER.
 FARMERSVILLE, MAR. 16, 1887.

FARMERSVILLE AND VICINITY.
 Our Reporter's Note Book Turned Inside Out for the Benefit of the Public.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The first public entertainment of the Farmersville High School Literary Society will be held in the North Church on the evening of Friday, the 25th inst. Look out for something rich.

SHORT MENTIONS.—An immense number of saw logs are being drawn to Saunders' mill. Cordwood is being drawn to the village in large quantities. A large number of lots are being piled with lumber, stone and other building material. Never in the history of the village, have there been such extensive preparations for building as are being made this winter.

REMEMBRANCE.—Mr. Johnson, Head High School, has been in the past week attending to the funeral of his father, who lived in Potrolia. A resolution was unanimously passed by the High School Literary Society on Friday afternoon last, of which reference is made in our notes of that meeting.

It is with pleasure that we recommend our readers to try West's Cough Syrup. You will find it especially useful in all the various forms of cough, colds, chest coughs and lung and throat troubles. All druggists.

PREBYTERIAN.—One of the items of business before the Presbytery of Farmersville at its session Monday, was a petition from Farmersville, asking for the services of the Rev. Mr. Pullar, an ordained minister, to be associated with Mr. Richards in the pastoral oversight of Farmersville, Cantown, Mallorytown, Lyn and Fairfield. The members of the Presbytery were gratified at the unanimity of the petition and agreed to its request. Mr. Kellogg was instructed to obtain financial aid from the Home Mission Committee, which meets in Toronto this month. Mr. Pullar was unable to give his decision at once, but took it into his consideration, and will give his approval or disapproval at the next meeting.

REVIVAL.—Mr. Porter, Principal of the school, was called away by a telegram Monday morning, to attend to the funeral of his aunt, living near Elbe. As yet no particulars have reached us. Mrs. M. Morris, of Alpena, Mich., left for home on Monday, after spending nearly two months visiting relatives and friends in this section. Mrs. Miller, of Parry Sound, and Mrs. Levitt, of Brockville, who have been visiting at Mrs. Chamberlain's, left yesterday for their respective homes. Mrs. Chamberlain accompanied the party to Brockville. Miss Judd, of Mallorytown, has joined the Band of Christian Workers under the Rev. Mr. Savage, and goes to Toledo this week to assist in a series of meetings. Miss Bertha Boyd is visiting her sister, at Mrs. Loverin's. Mrs. T. Koyle, Brockville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cornell. Mr. Ed. Donovan is home after an extended and successful commercial trip.

Elbe Mills.
 MARCH 14.—Miss Jennie Tweedy, who has spent the winter in Barrie, has returned here, and reports very severe weather in the west.

Me-srs. Fay and Chapman have purchased a tamarac and cedar lot from Thos. Dixie, and have men and teams drawing timber to the mills at this place. The timber is for railway purposes.

Charleston.
 MARCH 14.—We are pleased to hear that our friend Mr. Duffield is recovering. He was able to take a drive the other day with one of our pleasant young men, and went as far as the great railway dump at Phillipsville.

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Clow, watchmaker, of this town, to Miss Emma Percival. Miss Vina Bishop, formerly of Addison, acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Fred. Bristow performed the duties of groomsmen. The Rev. E. P. Crawford performed the marriage ceremony. The bride was dressed in white with lace trimmings and pearls, and the bridesmaid in cream sun's veiling, and both are said by connoisseurs to have looked "just lovely." The bridal presents were numerous, handsome and costly, and testified to the esteem in which the happy pair were held by a large circle of friends. After the ceremony a sumptuous repast was taken of by the party, after which all repaired to the G. T. R. station, to see the happy couple off on the wedding tour. The Reporter but voices the popular sentiment when it wishes them long life and prosperity.

Chilblains and frosted feet and hands cured with a few applications of West's World's Wonder or Family Liniment. All druggists.

SUDDEN DEATH.—A few days ago, Mr. Charles Johnson, residing near Elbe Mills, received word of the sudden death of his brother Marcus, at Umatilla, Oregon. From a private letter received by Mr. Johnson, written by a friend of the deceased, we extract the following: "The coroner's jury decided that he came to his death by heart disease. Judging from appearances he died without a struggle, as he was lying in bed as though asleep when death came." The following extract from an Oregon paper throws additional light on the sad event:

"Last fall he [the deceased] bought the Glasgow ranch on lower Little Butter Creek, and being a bachelor he has been living there alone. He had a flock of sheep, but they have been kept camped in charge of Mart McCumber some miles away from the home ranch. Monday afternoon two of Geo. Watson's boys went to Mr. Johnson's ranch, and were horrified to find him lying dead in bed near the kitchen stove, where he had removed his bedding. Some days before he had been complaining of a numbness of his left arm."

Mr. Johnson left here on Thursday last, to look after his brother's estate, which is said to be valuable.

HIGH SCHOOL LITERARY SOCIETY.—A large audience, composed of pupils and a good sprinkling of visitors, assembled in the principal's room on Friday afternoon, the attraction being the usual fortnightly entertainment. The programme is to be commended highly, and reflects great credit on Mr. J. Patterson, under whose direction it was prepared. Mr. W. Lewis, president in his characteristic manner. We have not space to criticize the various numbers, some of which were excellently rendered, and must be content with the simple enumeration of the pieces and the performers' names, as follows:—

Opening Chorus. Reading, "Lightning," J. A. Dolan. Recitation, "The Drummer's Daughter," Miss Maggie Johnson. Quartette, "The Misses Minnie and Flora Slack," Miss Addison and J. Patterson. Reading, "The Drummer," E. Barry. Instrumental solo, W. Chapman. Recitation in character, Miss Nellie Blanchard. Recitation in character, Miss Johnson and Miss Moore. Dialogue, "The Hole in the Carpet," Miss Bellamy, T. Spence and J. Patterson. Piano-forte solo, Mrs. A. W. Blanchard. Recitation, "The Setting Sun," Mr. Patterson. Comic Chorus, "Recitation," "Pass Under the Rock," Miss Flora Slack. Recitation, "Trouble in the Amen Corner," Miss Nora Stevens. Closing chorus.

At the conclusion of the programme the chairman called upon the Rev. W. Service and Mr. B. Loverin, who each gave brief speeches. On motion of Mr. Eaton, seconded by Mr. Barry, a resolution of sympathy with the Principal in his bereavement was unanimously carried. It was announced that the Society would probably give a grand public entertainment on the evening of the 25th inst.

Elbe Mills.
 MARCH 14.—Miss Jennie Tweedy, who has spent the winter in Barrie, has returned here, and reports very severe weather in the west.

Me-srs. Fay and Chapman have purchased a tamarac and cedar lot from Thos. Dixie, and have men and teams drawing timber to the mills at this place. The timber is for railway purposes.

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Elgin.
 MARCH 14.—An old resident, Mrs. Thompson, has passed away, aged 79. The funeral service was held by Rev. T. McGannon, Methodist minister. Her remains were placed in the vault.

We are pleased to learn that our enterprising friend Mr. R. G. Murphy, has decided to remain on the farm, in spite of all the allurements of Southern California.

The Wagon Glee Club gave a concert here on Thursday night. People were very much pleased with the singing of Mrs. Frank Reynolds. The play "Bols and Bars" was well acted. The little girls who sang "Buy a broom" acquitted themselves nicely.

Proceeds \$23.00, which we understand will be given to the English Church, Westport.

Mr. Gershon Wing has secured the position of cheesemaker in the Union factory, Elgin. He has also formed another Union by taking to himself a wife in the person of Hattie Wood. He is now the happiest looking man to be seen on the streets of Elgin.

The New England Tea held here on February 14th was a great success. Proceeds, \$100.00, to be applied on parsonage fund.

REAR OF YOUNG AND ESCOTT COUNCIL.
 The municipal Council of Rear of Young and Escott met on the 5th inst., at 2 o'clock p.m., all the members being present. The following papers were read by the Reeve and laid before the Council: Petition from Wm. Foley and other ratepayers of road division No. 19; bill of auditors for auditing the township and high school accounts for 1886, amounting to \$10.00, also the Report of Auditors.

Moved by Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Halladay, That Frank Wiltse and Jas. Brown be allowed to do their statute labor in road division No. 17; also that S. Y. Brown be allowed to do his statute labor in road division No. 20, and that the clerk notify the several road overseers of same. Carried.

On motion of Mr. Halladay the following changes in the appointments of pathmasters were made:—Road division No. 21, J. W. Mallory in the place of Geo. Latham; road division No. 5, Owen Heffren in the place of Jacob Morris; road division No. 23, John Spence in the place of Jas. Spence. The auditors report was formally received and adopted.

Mr. Moulton moved, seconded by Mr. Halladay, That the account of Messrs Wiltse and Algire for auditing, amounting to \$10.00 be paid. Carried.

Mr. Halladay moved, seconded by Mr. Moulton, That the Reeve Clerk and Mr. Berney be a committee to revise by-law No. 86, "To define the duties of certain township officers;" also to prepare a by-law "To commute statute labor within the limits of the police village of Farmersville," and to report at a meeting to be called by the Reeve. Carried.

The Council then adjourned till the 25th of May, at 10 o'clock a.m., then to meet a Court of Revision, unless sooner called by the Reeve.

JAS. H. BLACKBURN, Clerk.
CURRENT PRICES.

GRAIN.—Oats, peas and buckwheat are called for. Oats, 30c.; peas, 50 to 55c.; buckwheat, 35 to 40c.

CHEESE.—A few wanted at 12c. BUTTER is in demand, and sells from 18c. for fair to 20c. for prime. EGGS are plentiful at 15c.

LARD.—There is demand for a quantity at 10 to 12c. HIDES fetch \$4.25 to \$5.25; pelts, 50 to 80c.

HAY sells for \$8 to \$9. MEAT.—Beef, \$4 to \$5; fresh pork in good demand at \$5.50 to \$6 for medium size. Pork retail at 8 to 10c. Smoked hams wanted at 10c.

POULTRY.—Chickens are in demand at from 50 to 35c. per pair; ducks, 6 to 7c. per pound. Turkeys are wanted at from 8 to 10c.

APPLES.—Cooking, in demand at from 30 to 50 cts. per bushel; Eating Apples wanted at from 75 to 80 cts. POTATOES.—These tubers are in demand at from 45 to 50c.

RUTA BAGAS.—A few bags would find quick sale at 35c. BEANS range from \$1 to \$1.10. WOOD.—Dry hard wood, \$8; dry soft wood, \$2 to \$2.25. OSAGE wanted at 90c to \$1.

Information was received in Toronto on Sat. that Burk, Lib., was elected in Algoma by eight majority.

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