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LETTERS TO THE ADVERTISER

"TURN THEM OUT."

To the Editor of The Advertiser: It is not fully in harmony with what I said at the Dundas Center meeting on Wednesday evening for you to say: "Llewellyn A. Morrison expressed his anxiety to see the Liberal Government at Toronto turned out." We were discussing the license bill, as brought down, and were not discussing the opinion that it came far short of fulfilling promise to the temperance people by both Sir Oliver Mowat and Mr. Hardy. My remarks were: "If the membership of the Christian churches would vote according to conviction, and not as Grits and Tories, this domination of iniquity and fruitful source of every national vice and social evil would soon be banished from this 'Land of God,' but the trouble is, we talk and talk, and then go to the polls and vote Grit or Tory, without reference to anything else. I for one, if Mr. Hardy's Government cannot keep faith better than this would vote to 'turn the rascals out.'"

On this question of temperance legislation, however, I certainly could not support the present Opposition, with their nerveless, flexible, no-opinion policy. The attitude and route of the temperance people at this juncture has helped to a better bill today, and if they will do, not less today, but more work in the future, and put into active operation every optional element of prohibition in the bill, it may be found that good substantial progress is being made. Yours faithfully,
LLEWELLYN A. MORRISON.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

All kinds of watch, clock and jewelry repairing done by W. T. Peetham, 201 Dundas street. Give him a trial. Satisfaction guaranteed. Moderate prices.

Hunt & Sons' old established feather bed and mattress cleaning factory, manufacturers of goose feather pillows, mattresses and spring beds. Ticks filled with feathers and delivered. Stoves bought, sold, or exchanged, 623 Richmond street, north, opposite Victoria Park and Central Avenue. Telephone 597.

The Wabash Railroad. If you are contemplating a trip to the gold mining country, please consider the merits of the Wabash Railroad, the short and true route via Detroit, Chicago, and St. Paul, to all points in the Kootenai district. Passengers leaving London and points west by a.m. train, reach St. Paul next day at noon, where direct connections are made for all points in the gold fields. Quickest and best route to Hot Springs, Ark.; Old Mexico, Cal.; Moravia, and all western points. Tickets and time-tables of this great railway from any railroad agent, or J. A. NICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, northeast corner King and Yonge streets, Toronto.

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FAIR—MILDER—RAIN AT NIGHT.

Toronto, Ont., March 28-11 p.m.—High pressure is general throughout the lake and eastern districts, which is accompanied by fine weather to the west of the lakes. Throughout the Northwest, and stretching southward to the Gulf of Mexico, a general decrease in pressure is taking place, giving a tendency for an inflow of milder southerly winds. These conditions are near the lake district.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Calgary, 22-38; Prince Albert, 15-30; Qu'Appelle, 18-28; Winnipeg, 23-38; Port Arthur, 22-36; Parry Sound, 10-28; Toronto, 24-38; Ottawa, 10-40; Montreal, 30-40; Quebec, 24-36; Halifax, 30-36.

PROBABILITIES.
Toronto, March 29-1 a.m.—Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lakes region: Becoming decidedly milder; fair during the day; rain in many places tonight.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday were 35 above and 18.5 above; on Sunday, 42.5 above and 22.5 above.

CREOLE
5c straight. Best cigar in the city for the money.

JOE NOLAN, Masonic Temple.

STRUOK IT RICH.

A Good Gas Well Developed at Leamington.

An excellent gas well was struck at Leamington on Friday morning on the farm of Robert Lamash, county councillor for Leamington and Mersea.

Pieces of rock and small stones are hurled from the well to a height of 100 feet. When the well is shut with a plug, glycerine it is expected that the pressure will be over 400 pounds. Last year a company was formed in Leamington to explore for oil, which is believed to exist in large quantities in this vicinity. Lippis Bros. were engaged to do the drilling. Some weeks ago they started at the first well, half a mile north of the town. At the depth of 300 feet a small flow of oil was obtained, but not in paying quantities. Again, at a depth of 700 feet, a pocket of oil was found, but the drilling continued until, early on Friday morning, at a depth of 1,040 feet, a strong pressure of gas was struck.

ANOTHER RECORD-BREAKER

On the Grand Trunk—Between London and Windsor.

Another Grand Trunk record was broken yesterday. Engineer George Phipps, with engine No. 759, made the run of 110 miles between London and Windsor in two hours and three minutes, which is just 11 minutes ahead of the best previous time. The engine was drawing a special train of four cars, having on board the "In Gay New York Company," en route for Chippewa Falls, Wis. The actual running time was 111 minutes, and on parts of the run the rate of 70 miles an hour was reached.

The run from Fort Erie to London was also made in good time by Driver Gagehart, of Fort Erie. The 133 miles was made in 139 minutes, including stops.

Engines No. 759, which did the work, has a six-foot wheel, which is six inches more than that usually in use, and it has also greater steam power than the other locomotives of the G. T. R.

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS

And Sons—Quarterly Meeting—The Famine Fund.

At the regular quarterly meeting of the City Union of King's Daughters and Sons, held in the "Y" rooms, Mrs. Tilley presided, and gave a very instructive Bible lesson "Stewardship." Mrs. (Rev.) Sage and Mrs. F. Lawson gave interesting reports of the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women, held on Feb. 15. Mrs. Tilley and Mrs. (Rev.) Sage were appointed delegates to represent the King's Daughters on the public committee.

The Dominion convention of the King's Daughters and Sons which was held in Ottawa on Oct. 8 to 12. It is hoped that each circle of the city will be represented. The sum of \$27.50 was handed to the treasurer for the India famine fund. It is requested that the secretary of each circle will send a copy of their annual report to the recording secretary, Margaret C. Brown, 516 King street, not later than the first week in May. The annual meeting of the city union will be held on Friday evening, June 4.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effective. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

I had severe attacks of gravel and kidney trouble; was unable to get a medicine or doctor to cure me until I used Hop Bitters, and they cured me in a short time.—A Distinguished Lawyer of Wayne County, N. Y.

COLORLESS AND COLD.—A young girl deeply regretted that she was so colorless and cold. Her face was too pale, and her hands and feet felt as though the blood did not circulate. After one bottle of Hop Bitters had been taken she was the rosiest and healthiest girl in the town, with a vivacity and cheerfulness of mind gratifying to her friends.

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The Slater \$3 Shoes.

Dollar bills talk! The Slater \$3, \$4 and \$5 Shoes talk. Prices plainly stamped on soles at factory, which means standard of merit. Why buy inferior American shoes sold in Canada at higher prices (from \$1.50 to \$2.50 extra per pair) while taking the money from our workpeople who need it?

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In the Dining-Room.

TUESDAY, MARCH 30.

BREAKFAST—Stewed dried peaches. Hominy and cream. Whitefish. Bannocks. Coffee.

LUNCHEON—Shepherd's pie. Bread and butter. Cakes. Canned strawberries. Cocoa.

DINNER—Savory soup. Breast of veal baked with tomatoes. French fried potatoes. Scalloped corn. Sweet cucumber pickle. Amber pudding. Coffee.

Cut these recipes out and paste them in your scrapbook.

Bannocks—Two teaspoons of oatmeal or barley meal sifted with two teaspoons baking powder; add to two beaten eggs one tablespoon of sugar, one pint of milk, one-half teaspoon of salt, sift in the oatmeal or barley. Bake on a griddle.

Shepherd's Pie—Take one quart of any kind of cold meat, cut it up fine and season with one teaspoon salt and one-quarter teaspoon pepper. Put the meat into a well-buttered pudding-dish. Thicken a scant pint of gravy or stock with one tablespoon of flour rubbed smooth with half a tablespoon of butter; grate fine one small onion (if flavor is liked), add to the gravy and pour it over the meat while hot. Have ready eight potatoes, parboiled and mashed; add to them a half-teaspoon of salt and a dash of pepper, one tablespoon of butter and a dash of rich, sweet milk. Beat all well together, then spread the potato thick over the top of the meat. Bake slowly for half an hour, having the potatoes a light brown. Serve hot in the same dish.

Savory Soup—Put a soup bone on the fire in two quarts of cold water, simmer three hours. One-half hour before serving add one-half cup of rice (which has been soaked in cold water until soft), three tablespoons of oatmeal, one teaspoon of salt and one-half teaspoon pepper. Boil for one hour and serve hot.

Breast of Veal Baked with Tomatoes—Take a nice breast of veal, wipe it off with a wet cloth and cut it into a dripping-pan and brown it quickly in a hot oven. When the veal is browned, pour one pint of cream over it, and bake until the veal is well done. Take it up with the tomatoes on the same dish and serve hot.

Amber Pudding—Into a quart of boiling milk stir a teaspoon of cornmeal and a quart of sliced sweet apples; add a half-teaspoon of salt and a teaspoon of molasses. Mix thoroughly. Add two quarts of milk; pour into a large buttered dish and bake in a slow oven four hours. When cold a clear, amber-colored jelly will have formed throughout the pudding, and the apples will be of a rich dark brown.

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A steel plate has been turned out by an English firm that is said to be the largest ever made. It weighs 15 tons, and measures 7 feet 8 inches by 5 feet, and six-tenths of an inch thick, is without flaws, and weighs five and a half tons.

FAGGED OUT.—None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressing, miserable feeling it is. All strength is gone, and knowledge has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel that they are going to give up. For there, however, is a cure—one box of Parment's Vegetable Pills will be in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parment's Pills.

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A Local Budget

—For all classes of job printing send to The Advertiser Job Department.

—Mrs. Wellstead and her niece, Miss Linam, of this city, are the guests of Mrs. (Rev.) Grigg, William street, Chatham.

—Belleville Sun: "Mrs. Cameron Brown and Master Vernon Brown, left yesterday for a month's visit to Toronto, Hamilton and London."

—Miss A. Milne, trained nurse, who has been ill with typhoid fever in St. Joseph's Hospital for the past five weeks, will soon be able to return to her home.

—Mr. Wm. Wilson, the well-known horse trainer, who is employed by Mr. Adam Back, was kicked in the knee Friday by a horse, and will be laid up for several weeks as a result. The bone was slightly splintered.

—The splendid mustache that has adorned the genial face of P. C. Dick Rains for some years past on Saturday disappeared during an interval in duty, and his many friends experienced some difficulty in figuring out his identity.

—A meeting of the St. Andrew's Society was held in J. W. Jones' auction rooms on Saturday evening, and Dr. McLaren (president) and Mr. Robert Reid were appointed to represent the society on the jubilee celebration committee.

—Rev. Mr. Pedley told his congregation yesterday that if any satisfactory arrangement could be arrived at, he would be pleased to continue his labors in London. A meeting is to be held on Wednesday evening to consider the matter.

—Between 25 and 30 members of Hamilton Rose Croix Chapter of Masons of the Scottish Rite, together with other brethren from various sections of the west, will arrive here tonight to take part in the reunion at the temple. The Hamilton brethren will do the work and the visitors will be tendered a banquet at the close.

The members of London Rose Croix Chapter, 18 degrees, are expected to attend in large numbers.

The Sarnia Observer says: Messrs. Cunningham and Jones, of the G. T. R., held a regular field day of investigations at the tunnel station on Friday, when a number of employees were asked the "whys" and "wherefores" regarding a number of minor happenings which have occurred lately. No serious consequences resulted from the levee. As a result of their visit, five G. T. R. crews have been reduced.

This practically means the doing away with the employment of fifteen men.

—The remains of the late Florence Matilda Hoare, daughter of Mr. Richard Hoare, head miller for Hunt Bros., were interred at Woodland Saturday.

Rev. Archdeacon Davis officiated. The pall-bearers were: Wm. Stewart, Mat. Brown, Wm. Hart, Sam. Thorpe, Ed. Thorpe and John McDonald. The deceased was a member of St. James' Anglican Church and Sunday school, and her classmates sent a very handsome floral tribute. The young ladies of Smallman & Ingram's drygoods store and Miss Rankin's dressmaking establishment also sent beautiful floral designs.

—An exciting runaway took place 12:30 p.m. yesterday. Dr. McLaren of Queen's avenue, was making a professional call on Mallard street, between Pall Mall and Piccadilly streets, and while in the house tied his little 4-year-old Billy to a telegraph pole. Shortly after the doctor had left him, the horse took fright, probably as the result of the tie-trap slipping down the post. He ran down Mallard to Princess avenue, thence down Colborne to Queen's avenue, and along Queen's avenue at a terrific pace, to the bewilderment of the people returning from church. When between Wellington street and Park avenue he tried to turn down a lane to McAdam & Ferguson's livery, where he was kept. The sharp turn was too much for him, and horse and rig turned upside down. No further damage resulted than a broken shaft and damaged cover. The horse is a handsome thoroughbred (Ranelly & Webster).

DISEMBARRASSING. "Nothing," says Scribner, "is more disconcerting to a man than the discovery that he has married a woman who is too good for him."

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City Church Circles

Recognition Day at the Hill Street Methodist Mission.

Rev. Richard Hobbs' Little Mishap—Other Religious Notes.

Rev. Richard Hobbs preached at the First Methodist Church last night. He spoke with customary vigor, and most of the time clutched a communion chair in front of him. In the midst of a spirited declaration, an unusually violent wrench of his arms pulled the back off the chair. "Never mind, friends," said Mr. Hobbs, with great composure. "It will go back again." And, suiting the action to the word, the muscular divine jabbed the severed part of the chair into its former place.

RECOGNITION DAY

The Hill Street Methodist Church was well filled yesterday afternoon, nearly 400 being present, the occasion being Recognition Day of members of the home department of the Sabbath school. The orchestra of the Dundas Center Sabbath school were present, and contributed not a little to the success of the meeting. The singing by the messengers of the home department was also very good. Addresses of welcome on behalf of the church were given by Rev. H. J. Uren, and the Sabbath school by the superintendent, Mr. Frank Parker. Addresses were also given by Messrs. J. Arthur, city missionary; J. H. Dickson, and Rev. Mr. Miller, Westminster. The secretary's report showed that since the reorganization of the home department in December, 1895, 88 members had joined, of which number some had joined the school proper; others had left the city, and a few had died, leaving a net membership at the present of 56. There are also eight visitors (or teachers), eighteen messengers, a library for their exclusive use, of 125 books, a weekly distribution of papers, and collection of about \$15. Mr. John Stock, the energetic and earnest superintendent, is an enthusiastic believer in the work of the Sabbath school work, and his success is almost entirely due to his untiring efforts and unflinching zeal. This church, though the youngest of the Methodist Churches in the city, is thoroughly up to date in church and Sabbath school work, and with its popular young pastor, Rev. H. J. Uren, is a power for good in that part of the city. The evening service was notable for its fine musical features. Miss Willis Sparkman was the soloist.

NOTES

Owing to the illness of Archdeacon Davis, the services at St. James' Church, South London, yesterday were conducted by Rev. Prof. Burgess in the morning and Rev. Canon Dann in the evening.

Rev. E. Sotley, jun., has resigned the parish of Kingsville. It is understood that Rev. T. Beverly Smith, assistant at All Saints' Church, Windsor, will succeed Mr. Sotley at Kingsville. The Auditorium men's meeting was addressed yesterday afternoon by Mr. Joseph Gibson of Ingersoll, an old favorite with London.

Rev. E. B. Lancelotti and Rev. Dr. Danforth, preaching at St. James' Church, at the Askin Street Methodist Church yesterday.

Rev. Dr. Baile, a minister of the Waldensian Church, Italy, preached at St. Andrew's Church last night, and the prosperous work in that church.

Rev. Thos. Wilson conducted services at the hall yesterday.

A number of Latter Day Saints were baptized by Elder Howlett last night.

Shoulder to Shoulder.

Concerted Action of the City Wheeling Clubs.

They Unanimously Resolve to Work Hard to Secure the C. W. A. Meet.

A large meeting of wheelmen representing the London, Meteor, Forest City, Y. M. C. A., Conservative and others, was held at the City Club, on Saturday night to discuss the all-absorbing topic among wheelmen at present, the coming C. W. A. meet. Mr. Chas. Ellis, of the Forest City Club, was moved to the chair. Speeches were made by Wm. Payne, Thos. Jones and Wm. Abbot, of the Meteor Club, R. Kirkpatrick and F. Scraton, of the Y. M. C. A. H. C. McBride, Dr. Belton, Ad. Stevens, of the Forest City Club, and others, in which the desirability of working hard with a view to securing the meet was enthusiastically set forth, and just as enthusiastically assented to by all present. The attendance numbered about 30. On account of the position of the London Club in regard to the track, it was agreed that that club should assume the responsibility and bear any financial benefits that might result from the big event. All of the other clubs were pledged to assist the London Club all they can. The great unanimity prevailed, and it is certain that there will be a concerted action of all the clubs. Dr. Balford and

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