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MAIN LINE.	
GOING WEST	
Mixed	8.35 a. m.
Morning Express	2.51 p. m.
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On the St. Clair branch of the Canada Southern Railway the train goes

WEST.		EAST.	
From St. Thomas at 3.35 p. m.	11.30 a. m.	St. Clair Junction	3.47
		Southward	4.05
		Dunbar	4.15
		Melbourne	4.40
		G. W. R. Crossing	4.50
		Edw. R.	5.00
		Alvinston	5.35
		Inawood	5.55
		Oil City	6.25
		Bigden	7.00
		Conrigh	7.35

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News of the Week.

THURSDAY, January 25, 1877.

John Fleming, Esq., M. P. P. for South Waterloo, who was reported suffering from paralysis of the right side, over a week back, died on Sunday.

The Dunkin Act has been carried in the County of Brant by a majority of 260. The total vote was 3918. It has also been carried in the County of Oxford by a majority of 275.

PETITIONS PRESENTED.—The following petitions were presented at the afternoon session of the Ontario Legislature on Tuesday—By Mr. Watterworth—From the County Council of Middlesex, for certain amendments to the Ontario Medical Act. By Mr. Wilson—From the County Council of Elgin, to the same effect. By Mr. Tooley—From the County Council of Middlesex, for certain amendments to the School Act. By Mr. Watterworth—From the High School of Strathroy. By Mr. Tooley—From the County Council of Middlesex, for certain amendments to the Assessment Act, with respect to statute labor. By Mr. Watterworth—From the County Council of Middlesex, for certain amendments to the Medical Act. By Mr. McDougall (Middlesex)—From the County Council of Middlesex to the same effect. By Mr. McDougall (Middlesex)—From the Township Council of Adelaide, that an Act may pass to authorize them to sell certain property.

No expenditure for additional Normal Schools is to be proposed.

SHEEP FROM CANADA.—Alluding to the fact that two steamers have arrived in the Mersey from Canada, having between them 1,139 head of live sheep on board, the London Globe remarks: "Here, then, we have the commencement of what may be almost esteemed a boon to the English people of means. The capabilities of the Dominion for raising sheep are practically unlimited. During the last few years the annual exportation of sheep from Canada to the United States has averaged half a million, and this in spite of the trade being hampered by a 20 per cent. duty. It is estimated that this 20 per cent. more than equals the total cost of bringing sheep from the Canadian ports to Liverpool. Hence they could be sold for the same price in England as they fetch in the United States. This, we believe, considerably less than existing rates in the United Kingdom, and the effect of such importations if carried out extensively, must be to bring down our market to a level with the American. It would be too sanguine to expect much relief from this source for some time. A trade of such magnitude as this would need to be produced any effect on prices could not be established in a day.

In Sweetsburg, Quebec, which has the Dunkin Bill, the landlords on their licenses being cancelled, at once got petitions for temperance licenses, and did not close their houses for a single day. Most of the hotel keepers in the county followed the same course.

The Supreme Court of the Dominion of Canada is in session. There were ten cases of appeal to be tried. A curious omission in its constitution has been brought to notice. It is this, that there is no provision for any officer to enforce the orders of the Court.

FOREIGN NEWS.

London, January 25.—A Vienna dispatch announces that communication between Trieste and Vienna has been interrupted for three days by a tremendous landslide. Some eighty thousand cubic metres of rock and earth fell on the Trieste Railway track, and into the River San, destroying the road and blocking the river. Two houses, containing families, were overwhelmed and the inmates are still buried.

Pesth, January 20.—The landslide is near Sleinbruck. It is now estimated

that two million metres of earth has fallen, and the movement continues. The railway, for 200 miles, is covered to the depth of 50 feet. It will be blocked for a week. The river has overflowed the banks in consequence of the stoppage of its waters.

A Berlin telegram says that the outbreak of the inderpest in Germany is officially confirmed. The necessary measures have been taken to prevent it spreading.

The Times' Vienna dispatch says, notwithstanding the departure of the ambassadors, no apprehension seems to be felt of an immediate collision. On the contrary, both Turkey and Russia may attempt to initiate diplomatic communication in this connection. Turkey, through her Ambassador, has already expressed the hope that the failure of the Conference might not altogether terminate the negotiations. Russia's initiation, on the other hand, would, in the first instance, aim at ascertaining the positions which the various Cabinets may take in the face of Turkey's refusal, with a view to uniting them for a common movement against the Porte. Russia will only act independently if common action should prove impossible.

A Berlin correspondent of the Times remarks that if peace is not concluded before the end of the armistice Turkey will probably resort to her original demand that certain Servian fortresses be destroyed and others surrendered. Constantinople, Jan. 24.—It is stated positively that Russia, since the failure of the Conference, has again endeavored to negotiate a special treaty with Turkey. Midhat Pasha, as yet, opposes such a course.

At the close of Moody and Sankey's revival services in Chicago, \$67,000 was contributed to pay off the debt of the Young Men's Christian Association in that city.

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JOHN E. LAUGHTON, Secretary. Strathroy, Jan. 15, 1877.

STRAYED.

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