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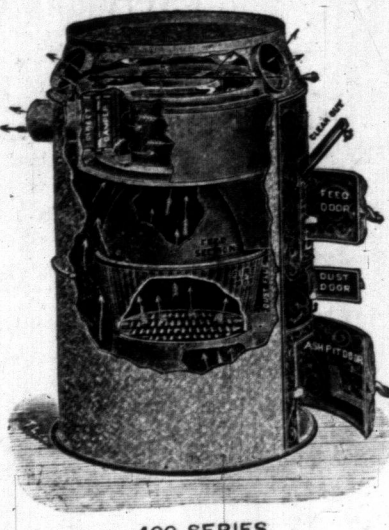
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A BIRD OF ABILITY.

By N. Y. Z.

In the vicinity of Chatham there's a very wise bird. Who can change his coat as well as his word: In the political world he's had many a scrap: And led many a man to his neatly set trap.

He first was a Tory in the days long gone by. Then turned over to Grit in the twink of an eye. Next he ran as a Patron and changed all his views. But when beaten out of sight claimed it was only a ruse.

The Temperance People next engaged him to tell What strong drink would do; it would send them to hell. For this grand, noble work, of course he was not paid. And no one suspected but that this was his trade.

At last came the day for the prohibition vote. Which placed most of men in a sort of a daze. And the great majority who from the polls stayed away Would gladly have seen it carry the day.

But this wily old friend, in his plausible style, Says the country for prohibition's not ripe yet for a while. And points to the percentage of seventy-eight. Thinking all of the time folks are taking the bait.

We now look again, and the scene it is changed. And our subject his politics has again re-arranged— He once more appears as a full-fledged Grit: Is he hoping and praying for a Government sit?

A License Inspector's berth now would he embrace. While on the fence, you know, he had no chance in the race; But now he will cry Hurrah! and shout Laus-e-y!

And sing hallelujah up to election day. While speaking of birds and all feathered kind. Some of them you would think had almost human mind: There's the sparrow, the sparrow, and the blackbird and linnet. But with the parrot, for cuteness, none of them is in it. Chatham, Sept. 11.

SAW DEATH COMING.

With His Foot Fast Between the Rails a Corry Man Watched a Train Approach.

Corry, Pa., Sept. 12.—Clyde Wynn, a young man employed by the Howard Tanning Company of this city, while on his way to work yesterday morning got his foot caught in the guard rail of the railroad track on which he was walking. While endeavoring to free himself he saw a fast freight bearing down upon him. He worked frantically to release his foot, but before he could do so he was struck and thrown from the track. His foot was badly mangled. Several ribs and his collar bone were broken.

In that condition the man walked about half a mile for assistance. He was taken to the city hospital, where it is thought that the foot can be saved.

A Husband's Oversight.

There is a young man in the Pension Office who is buying a house on the installment plan at a town somewhere between this and Baltimore, and his dear little wife lives out there. It is his wont to come in early on a morning, and to go out on his way to work. A train, when his day's work is done, he was so afraid that he had deliberately planned an evening's good time, without counting her in that he manfully resolved to deceive her. Accordingly, as he came away from the office he went to a telephone office and sent this message to her:

"Unavoidably detained. Missed 5:30 train. Will be out later."

It was a great deal later when he reached his happy home. Wife met him at the door, and there was a look in her eye that every married man learns to know and instinctively to dread.

"Did you get my message, precious?" he asked, as he kissed her tenderly, holding his breath meanwhile as a precautionary measure.

"Yes, dear," she made answer, and when a woman calls her husband "dear" that way, you can cut loose from the weather-bureau and prognosticate a few things on your own hook. "Yes, dear," she received your message. Here it is.

There is was, sure enough. It was marked as plain as could be. Received at 4:23. He hadn't thought of that.

Why He Was Anxious.

Walter Archbishop Trench was dean of Westminster, he delegated Canon Cureton to preach at the Abbey on a certain saint's day. On such days the boys of Westminster school attended service, and after service had the rest of the day as a holiday. While Mr. Cureton, on the morning of the day he was to officiate, was looking over his sermon at the breakfast table his son asked in a tone vibrating with anxiety:

"Father, is yours a long sermon to-day?"

"No, Jimmy, not very."

"But how long? Please tell me."

"Well, about twenty minutes. I should say. But why are you so anxious to know?"

"Because, father, the boys say they will thrash me awfully if you are more than half an hour."

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THE DISTRICT

LADDOE.

Miss Mabel Henry, who has been visiting friends in these parts, has returned to her home in Michigan.

Mrs. W. Sommeret is on the sick list. Revival services were held in P. O. Dawson's grove last Sunday.

The Misses See gave a party to a number of their friends on Wednesday evening.

GLENWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vipond are visiting friends in London and taking in the air.

Miss May Cottingham, of Tilbury is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chester visited their daughter in Palmyra last week.

The youngest child of Jno. Charlton died Monday afternoon after a few week's illness.

A number from here attended the peach social in Buxton last week and report a very pleasant time.

On the 9th inst., the wife of Jno. McPherson of a daughter.

TOWN HALL, DOVER.

Farmers in this vicinity are busy threshing.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of D. Faubert last week in honor of his niece, Miss Ida Morrison, of Chicago.

To Mr. and Mrs. P. Cadotte, a daughter.

Miss Jennie McLean is on the sick list.

James E. Payne, of Dover South, has asked the council to scrape the 4th Con. road as far as D. Faubert's.

Quite a number from here attended the photograph concert Friday night.

Miss Pearl Wonnacott has returned home from Raleigh.

Miss Myrtle Fleming was the guest of Miss Jennie McLean Sunday last.

W. Cook, of the River road, took a trip out to Bear Line last night.

T. Leigh, our esteemed teacher, was seriously indisposed last week, and unable to attend his duties on Monday and Tuesday, owing to a wetting he got at the bay on Sunday.

Mrs. Leigh was obliged to take his place. T. Faubert has purchased a new cider mill. He is always abreast of the times.

GLENWOOD.

Mrs. McGee and Miss Edith spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Alice Estabrook is visiting at Stuart this week.

Misses Ada and Sophia Brown have returned to Detroit, after visiting at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of Wheatley, are the guests of Mrs. Wm. Vipond.

Miss Jennie Shepley is visiting in Chatham.

Rev. Mr. Fox returned to Woodstock Monday, where he will resume his studies. During the time he has labored here he has made many friends and will be much missed.

A party of young people wheeled to the home of Miss Rhoda Kendall, Lake Shore, where they were well entertained and spent a very pleasant time last Tuesday evening.

A. Deschamps has rented L. Ainslie's farm, and moved into the village last week.

HARWICH CENTRE.

Corn harvesters are in high demand. Those operating them have more than they can do.

S. Whit has opened a general store at Fargo. It is very convenient.

Miss Nellie Mosey starts in a few days for the Deser and Dumb Institute there for some seven years and is making very satisfactory progress.

On Sunday last anniversary services were held in Bethel Presbyterian Church. Rev. Mr. Lindsay, of Dresden gave two very practical sermons to crowded congregations.

The chicken social given by the ladies of Zion Methodist Church on Mr. Chatterton's lawn, Creek road, was quite a success, being well attended in spite of the busy season.

Arrangements are being made for the Huffman Church anniversary, to be held Oct. 7th and 8th. Rev. J. Galoway, of Dresden, is expected to preach.

WHEATLEY.

Wheat is a poor yield.

Mrs. T. S. Dalmage is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Watson, of Mersa street.

Dr. and Mrs. George Wright, of Detroit, who have just returned from England, are visiting here.

Mrs. Joseph Featherston, of Zone, is seriously ill with heart trouble. Geo. Wigle spent Sunday in Ruthven.

A. F. Jones has returned home from a two weeks' visit in Michigan.

Rev. T. H. Blatchford has returned from his vacation trip two weeks up the lakes.

Messrs. Moosy & Campbell have opened their new furniture store in the brick block built by J. J. White.

The chicken social held at Geo. McLean's on Tuesday evening was a grand success, \$46.83 being realized. The chairman was P. A. Salem.

MORPETH.

J. R. Smith and his sister, Miss Smith, spent last week in Toronto.

Mrs. John Duck is slowly regaining strength, after her recent illness.

Earnest Leibeser and A. R. McRitchie, left last week to resume their duties at Orillia and Caledonia respectively.

James Wilkinson left on Tuesday of last week for Chatham, where he will attend the Model school.

Miss Hattie Goff, Talbot street, who has been in poor health for some time, is at present in the Public General Hospital at Chatham, where, we understand, she is rapidly regaining her health.

Wm. Wood, who has been visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity since the meeting of the old boys here on the 6th and 9th ult., has returned to his home in Sparta.

Affred Spenser and wife, of Talbot street, are rejoicing over the birth of a son on the 31st ult.

Mrs. Grey and family, of Toronto, who have been spending the heated term with Mrs. Grey's parents, Fax-

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ton Kimmerley and wife, returned home on Monday last.

John Gillies, of Fort William, conductor on the C. P. R., is at present on a visit to his parents, Alex. Gillies and wife, Hurst, B. A., was quietly married on Tuesday, 28th ult., to Miss Nina Fowler, of Aylmer. Mr. and Mrs. Hurst, after spending a few days at Aylmer, where they will spend a few days before leaving for Pecks-

kill, New York, where Mr. Hurst has a position on the staff of the Pecks-

kill Military Academy.

It is our sad duty to chronicle the death of William Walters, an old and highly respected resident, which occurred at the family residence on Friday morning, after a brief illness, at the age of 69 years. He was a kind and indulgent husband and father, and the grief-stricken family have the heartfelt sympathy of their many friends. A widow, two sons and two daughters survive him.

Wm. A. and Albert Walters, Talbot St., the daughters are, Mrs. James D. Teetzel, of Detroit, and Mrs. D. Beedie. The remains were interred in the family plot at Trinity Church cemetery last Sunday afternoon, and were followed to their last resting place by a large concourse of friends and relatives. The pall-bearers were: John Smith, David Desmond, William Sif-

Smith, John Taylor, Wm. Westcott and Isaac Mason. The service was conducted by Rev. John Downing, of Watford, assisted by Rev. J. G. Hooper.

NORTH BUXTON.

On Saturday morning a very sad fatality occurred at the home of Fred Slade. Their infant child, Edith May, was one year and eight months old, was playing in the orchard and by accident with its older sister, when by accident the little one got its head through a small rope swing and lost its balance.

When the playmate gave the alarm Mrs. Slade was horrified to find the baby dead. The funeral took place Sunday to Merline cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Slade and family have the deep sympathy of a host of friends in this sad bereavement.

Mrs. (Dr.) F. E. Grant, of Athens, Mich., was the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. H. Shupe, for a few days this week. Quite a number from here took in the Western Fair yesterday.

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