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**CORINTH.**  
We regret to record the death of Mrs. James Bird who, after an illness of five months was called to her heavenly home on Saturday morning April 20th, at the comparatively early age of 44 years. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. Falls of North Dorchester, but has resided in this place for over 18 years. She was a consistent member of the Methodist church and bore her sufferings with christian fortitude. She was of a retiring disposition but never hesitated to do what duty demanded, and her hand was ever extended when help was required. She was a devoted wife and loving mother and will be very much missed in the home. Besides a sorrowing husband, she leaves one son Byron and two daughters, Flossie and Iva to mourn her loss. The funeral took place on Monday the Rev. L. W. Reid preaching a very feeling sermon from John 14th to the

23rd verse. Her remains were interred in the cemetery east of the village, the following neighbors acting as bearers viz—Messrs H. Best, J. Clarke, R. Donaldson, W. Firby, J. McKenney and H. Ellsworth. The bereaved family have the sympathy of their many friends.

Mr. Painter, G. T. R. agent, is the happiest man in town. "It is a girl.

Mrs. McConnell, of British Columbia is the guest of Mrs. J. McKenney at present.

Mrs. Burns and Mrs. Lindsay, of Buffalo, are spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. Connor.

Miss Susie Ford left on Thursday for Alma College where she intends taking a course in that institution.

## Children Cry for CASTORIA.

The Rev. George Mason, whose sudden death has already been recorded, was a native of London, Eng, born Feb. 14, 1841. While young he removed with his parents to Avon Dassett near Banbury. When 17 years of age he went to Birmingham where he was employed by a tube manufacturing company until leaving for Canada. Of strong, intellectual parentage George partook of their nature, and, although deprived of the privilege of school, was by no means unlearned. He read widely and a retentive memory, which remained with him through life, stored his mind with a great deal of useful knowledge. In 1864 he was married to Ann Thacker, who through all these years has been a faithful devoted wife. His conversion took place the year after his marriage at the Circus Chapel, Bradford street, Birmingham, under the ministry of the Rev. Mr. Barnett. This was the turning point of his ambitions. He began work at once in connection with the young men's Bible class. His essays on Bible themes at that early period in his experience revealed a very promising spiritual insight into the Word of God.

In 1870 Mr. and Mrs. Mason came to Canada. They landed in Pt. Hope in April and Mr. Mason soon found employment with Wm. Craig of that town. Through Mr. Craig's influence and kindly aid he was enabled to carry out a long cherished desire to fit himself for the gospel ministry. Feeling the way was of the Lord he accordingly left Port Hope and entered Woodstock College in the autumn of '72, graduating in '77. His college career was a successful one. Under the wise and spiritual training of Dr. Fyfe his soul grew apace with his mental powers, and much of the spirit of that devoted man of God was imparted to him. His was a life-long devotion to the one whose life and teaching had been such an inspiration to him during college days. As student-pastor he preached for three successive summers at Ailsa Craig, Parkhill and Bobcaygeon.

Upon graduation in 1877 he received a call to the pastorate of the Calton and Malahide churches. The long years of useful service on these fields has proven that his was a divine call to a work, the greatness of which only eternity shall reveal. His ordination took place soon after his arrival at the Calton church. For fourteen years he was pastor of the two churches. His earlier work was one of large additions. While in later years not so many additions were made. His work in building up christian character was by no means less earnest, or less important. Due largely to his indefatigable efforts the commodious church home at Calton was built and dedicated free of debt.

In 1890 a little home was purchased near the Malahide church, and Mr. and Mrs. Mason moved from Calton. For the past ten years he has had charge of only the Malahide church, the esteem and love of which continued strong until the day of his death, and now that he is gone, his memory shall remain a benediction to everyone who knew him.

Pastor Mason will be missed not only by the church that has enjoyed his pastoral care, but by the association and denomination at large. Since '95 he has been clerk of the Elgin Association, and due to his long residence, knew the various fields as most of the pastors do not. Nor was his influence confined to the Baptist denomination. Wherever George Mason was known he was respected and loved. The general testimony heard again and again since his death is that he was a good man. He was the essence of kindness, of generosity, of humility, of sound judgement, and underneath all was the spirit of his Lord, Christ, whom he followed faithfully, lovingly and joyfully to the last. He was a rare student of the Word. He revelled in the wonderful thoughts of God. Those who were privileged to sit under his preaching were always given a rich spiritual feast. His was a great desire to see his people strong men and women in Christ Jesus, and faithfully he did his part in giving them the food by which they might become such.

The call came to him suddenly. Though quite unwell for some time previous to his death, the end came when least expected, at a wedding, some miles from home. The funeral service held on Saturday, April 6th, was conducted by Rev. Geo. Cross, assisted by Professor Farmer, of McMaster University, Rev. Dr. Spencer, of Brantford, Rev. M. Bosworth, of Grande Ligne, Rev. J. J. Baker, of Sparta, representing the pastors of the association, and Mr. Veale, Methodist Church. The large attendance expressed the sorrow of the many who felt that in the death of Pastor Mason they had lost one of the truest friends they had ever known. His remains, borne by six of the pastors of the Elgin Association, were interred in the Richmond cemetery.

The memorial sermons preached by Dr. Spencer on the Sabbath following were much appreciated by the bereaved church. His texts were Matt. 25:21, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things. Enter thou into the joy of thy Lord," and Pal. 37:23, "The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord; he delighteth in His way." One heart is more lonely than all others. Mrs. Mason is left alone. May the God of all comfort comfort her as only He can in this sad bereavement.

### A Card.

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Tuesday, April 30.—Sale of household furniture, the property of Mrs. C. Oaks, lot 24, con. 1, Malahide, at 1 o'clock, the following: 1 parlor suite, 4 bedsteads, 2 comedes, 1 dresser, 1 centre table, 1 extension table, 1 sewing machine, 7 common chairs, 2 rocking chairs, 1 bureau, 25 yards of wool carpet, 1 bedroom carpet, 25 yards rag carpet, 1 parlor stove, 1 cook stove, 1 stone churn, 3 large stone corks, 1 dish, 1 6-pail kettle, 2 stove kettles, 1 pork barrel, 1 vinegar barrel, quantity of vinegar, glass jars and sundry other articles also 20 hens, 1 good top buggy, 1 set of single harness and one goat robe. R. H. Lindsay and M. T. Moore, auctioneers.

Wednesday, May 1st.—Auction sale of farm stock and implements, the property of Mrs. Sheldon Ward, just west of Roger's corners, at 1 o'clock, the following: two horses, good drivers, 1 nine and 1 ten year old, 1 cow, 5 years old, springer, new set double harness, 1 road cart, 1 set single harness, 1 top buggy, buggy pole, 1 cutter, 1 lumber wagon, 1 plow, set iron harrows, sulkey hay rake, nearly new, 30 bush. oats, 60 Leghorn hens, 1 ton hay. R. H. Lindsay and M. T. Moore, auctioneers.

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Corn, per bushel ..... 45 to 50  
Rye, per bushel ..... 40 to 48  
Bran, per ton ..... 16.00 to 17.00  
Shorts, per ton ..... 17.00 to 18.00  
Chickens, per lb. ..... 10 to 12  
Eggs, per dozen ..... 10 to 10  
Butter, per lb. ..... 14 to 16  
Potatoes, per bushel ..... 20 to 25  
Hay, per ton ..... 6.00 to 8.00  
Stave, per load ..... 2.00 to 2.50  
Apples, per bushel ..... 6.00 to 8.00  
Dried Apples, per lb. ..... 3 to 4  
Chickens, per lb. ..... 8 to 9  
Turkeys, per lb. ..... 10 to 11  
Geese, per lb. ..... 6 to 6  
Ducks, per lb. ..... 6 to 6  
Live Hogs ..... 6.35 to 6.35  
Dressed Hogs ..... 6.00 to 6.00

**ST. THOMAS MARKETS.**  
Wheat, per bushel ..... 65 to 65  
Oats, per bushel ..... 38 to 39  
Barley, per bushel ..... 40 to 40  
Corn, per bushel ..... 40 to 50  
Peas, per bushel ..... 50 to 55  
Butter, per lb. roll ..... 20 to 20  
Eggs, per dozen ..... 10 to 10  
Chickens, per pair ..... 40 to 60  
Ducks, per pair ..... 50 to 60  
Turkeys, per lb. ..... 9 to 10  
Geese, each ..... 35 to 70  
Potatoes per bag ..... 35 to 40  
Onions, per peck ..... 30 to 35  
Cabbage per head ..... 5 to 5  
Cauliflower per head ..... 5 to 5  
Celery per bunch ..... 5 to 5  
Hay p.r. ton ..... 8.30 to 8.00  
Wool, short, per cord ..... 3.00 to 3.25  
Wool, long, per cord ..... 4.00 to 4.50  
Live Hogs ..... 6.35 to 6.35  
Dressed Hogs ..... 7.35 to 7.35

**LONDON MARKETS.**  
Wheat ..... 64 to 66  
Oats ..... 25 to 30  
Peas ..... 54 to 60  
Barley ..... 36 to 40  
Rye ..... 39 to 36  
Corn ..... 44 to 47  
Live Hogs ..... 6.50 to 6.50  
Dressed Hogs ..... 6.00 to 6.00  
Butter, roll, per lb. ..... 18 to 20  
Eggs per doz. ..... 11 to 12  
Potatoes per bag ..... 30 to 33  
Hay p.r. ton ..... 8.00 to 9.00  
Chickens, per pair ..... 60 to 85  
Ducks ..... 60 to 75  
Geese, each ..... 60 to 75  
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