WESTERN ONTARIO.

BRUCE.

Miss Alexander, the newly-appointed teacher of the lower room of the Tiverton school, has resigned.

Three bodies were brought to Ripley for interment last week. Alexander McLeod, of Vancouver, B. C., broke his leg in the bush and contracted inflammation of the lungs from exposure before being found. He died in the hospital, was brought home, and interred with A. O. F. honors. Malcolm Smith, of Ripley, working at Alpena, Mich., was felling a tree when it struck another and rebounding struck Smith on the temple, killing him instantly. His remains were brought home to Ripley. Alex. Smith, a teacher, formerly of Ripley, whose parents live there still, was accidentally hurt about Christmas at Caleden near Owen Sound. He died from the effects and was brought to Ripley for burial.

The new warden of the county is L. B. D. Lapierre, South Dumfries, who was elected by acclamation.

A good looking young lady, daughter of a well-known farmer, recently deceased, sues a young farmer living with his father in the neighborhood of Mt. Vernon, for $2,000 for breach of promise of marriage. The young people and their parents are well known and highly respected. They have been keeping company for some three years and it is said arrangements had been made to bring on the marriage in March next. The young man, however, has transferred his affections to another young lady, and is not disposed to wed the first young lady.

Daniel Durham, St. George, when driving out of Brantford Tuesday, was struck at a crossing by a G. T. R. train. One horse was killed, and the other was unharmed. Durham had an arm broken but is otherwise unhurt.

ELGIN.

The Municipal World is a new monthly venture, published in St. Thomas by W. K. McKay, county clerk of Elgin, and A. W. Campbell, P.L.S., St. Thomas, and H. F. Jell, solicitor, Rodney.

Lee McConnell has been fined $5 (and costs, $9 30) for ill-treating a horse at Aylmer.

The roof of the sheds at McPherson's foundry, Fingal, fell in from the weight of snow on Sunday night.

C. J. Newman, late organist of the First Methodist Church, St. Thomas, has, through his solicitor, entered an action for slander against W. H. Murch, St. Thomas, bookseller, claiming $4,000 damages. It is alleged in the bill of particulars that Mr. Murch, in a conversation with Rev. R. J. Treleaven, which was overheard by several others, stated that while Mr. Newman was at Aylmer on May 21, 1891, with others from St. Thomas taking part in a musical entertainment he was intoxicated and incapable of performing his professional duties and had to be assisted across the street to the Brown House. He claims damages on the ground of loss of his position as organist of the First Methodist Church, loss of pupils, and loss of reputation. Mr. Murch denies having made the alleged statement.

Proceedings have been commenced by Robert Donnelly, of the township of Essex, against Ed. Holden, hackman, of St. Thomas, claiming $5,000 damages for alienating his wife's affections. The woman, it is understood, was married to the defendant some six or seven years ago, but the plaintiff claims that if she is Mrs. Holden she was previously Mrs. Donnelly, and she was never legally relieved of the bonds which bound her to him.

ESSEX.

A new $6,500 Methodist Church is to be built in Amherstburg.

KENT.

The final vote for warden of Kent was 21 to 14 in favor of Mr. Cameron, reeve of Harwich, over Mr. Morrison, reeve of Raleigh. Messrs. McDonald and Kimmerley were also candidates.

J. W. Knight has shipped 700 cords of hardwood to Detroit from Kent Bridge.

LINCOLN.

A Lincoln county sock raiser had a number of thoroughbred bulls to dispose of, and took them to St Catharines, where he secured the services of the Nineteenth Battalion Band, which leaded a procession through the streets. The animals sold readily afterward.

MIDDLESEX.

The first and final dividend of 18¾ cents on the dollar has been declared on the estate of Adam Allisc, who absconded from Belmont.

At the annual meeting of the Delaware Agricultural Society in Delaware the following officers were elected for 1892, viz.: President, R. Gibson; vice-president, Samuel Sutherland; secretary, T. Boles; treasurer, C. J. Fox directors, H. C. Johnston, A. Parfitt, John Ackland, James Bradt, Robt. Stevens, Wm. Scott, Stephen Weld, W. M. Baker and E. Howlett; auditors, R. Hammond and N. Bodkin. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were very satisfactory and showed a balance of over $90 carried over.

NORFLK.

The M. C. R. will harvest 1,200 car loads of ice this year at Waterford, for use on the Canada division.

OXFRD.

It required ten ballots to decide the wardenship of Oxford and the last vote stood: E. L. Sutherland, West Zorra, 21, and Dr. Williams, Ingersoll, 14.

Miss Pearl Campbell and Miss Queen Mary Campbell, infant stepdaughters and heirs of the late Mr George B. Alderson, of Ingersoll, have brought an action against the trustees of the stepmother's estate, namely James Chambers, of Ingersoll, and Thomas Dunn, of St. Louis. The young ladies sue the trustees for an account of their dealings with Mrs. Alderson's estate, and to have it declared that they are not entitled to the possession of a fund of $1,100 insurance money, which is in the bank to the credit of the deceased. Upon a recent examination in the case James Chambers refused to answer certain questions as to his dealings with moneys belonging to the young ladies. Walter Read moved before Master Winchester at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, for an order striking out the defendant's statement of defense or to compel Chambers to attend for examination at his own expense and make full disclosure. Mr. Winchester made the order as asked and ordered Mr. Chambers to attend and answer. The young lady plaintiffs are attending college in Toronto, and their estate is valued at $30,000.

PERTH.

Walter Thomson has issued an open letter to the farmers of Perth advising them to give more attention to the selection of seed grain and change it oftener. He also asks that the growing of short, thick-skinned oats be abandoned, as they do not yield the quantity of meal to the bushel that the long, thin-skinned ones do, and are therefore not so good either for milling or feeding purposes. Such varieties as the Bavarian Banner, White Case, Early Gothland, Victoria White, Magnet, Rordale and August White are highly spoken of.

WENTWORTH.

John Boyd, a farmer of Ancaster, was arrested by Sheriff's Officer Robert Stewart on a capias and taken to Hamilton. The arrest was at the instance of Alberta Jane Vansickle, of Ancaster, who claims $2,000 from Boyd for breach of promise. Boyd was liberated on bail.

A Study for Dairymen.

Cheese makers have known for years that foul water would play sad havoc with the milk, causing floating curds and tainted cheese. Yet with all their preaching there were always a host of patrons who either did not care or else were perfectly indifferent as to what water their cows drank. But here is a lesson that relates to the life of the cattle themselves. It will be a profitable thing to read and remember, for it teaches a very important principle in cow management, viz., the imperative value and necessity of providing pure water for the stock.

In a recent bulletin of the Iowa Experimental Station, Dr M. Stalker, veterinarian of the station gives the following interesting account of an outbreak of malignant diseases among live stock:

"During the latter part of the summer of 1890, I had occasion to investigate a severe outbreak of diseases on a farm in one of the counties in Iowa. The animals, including horses, cattle and pigs, were all affected in the same way. The local symptoms were largely confined to the throat. There was a swelling, partial paralysis of the walls of the upper air passages and painful and difficult breathing. The animals attacked uniformly died after an illness of about two days. The disease I could not recognize as belonging to any of the well-defined types with which I was acquainted. Here were horses, cattle and pigs sick and dying with disease, showing the same symptoms in all. There are few, if any, of the specific forms of disease that spread as epizootic from the widely differing species of domestic animals. I could not classify the disease, and at once set about the task of discovering, if possible, some common source of exposure.

The pastures, buildings and water supply were each in turn subjected to careful scrutiny. The buildings were such as are to be found on ordinary Iowa farms, fairly comfortable and clean. I could find no clue the quantity or quality of feed that promised to lead to a solution of the difficulty. On investigation of the water supply, I found that most of the animals on the farm drank from a small creek that ran a zigzag course through the premises. The stream was in part supplied from a series of springs and in ordinary seasons afforded a fair amount of water which ran at least for a portion of its course, over a gravelly bed. The present dry summer, with several previous ones, showing an abnormally light rain-fall, has so reduced the amount of water, that it has ceased to run. On making examination and conducting inquiries, I ascertained that it had been the custom on the farm to throw carcasses of animals down the steep bluffs into the bed of the stream.

I further learned that during the summer chicken cholera had prevailed on the farm and that a large number of chickens had died and been thrown over the bank. I was also informed that the hog cholera has caused the death of a considerable number of swine, the carcasses having been treated in a similar manner. The several yards occupied by horses, cattle, pigs and barn yard fowls, were on the hillside with abrupt drainage into the creek. In addition to this large heaps of fermenting manure were deposited about the foot of the hill near the edge of the stream, where the animals went to drink. A few of the animals on the farm had not had access to the stream—had been watered from a well. None of these had shown signs of sickness, though they had been in daily contact with those that had their water from the pools in the bed of the stream, and even with some of the sick. On looking up the local geography of the neighborhood, I found that a number of farmers had built their homes along the banks of this stream, and had been accustomed to make use of it in much the same way as the farmer above referred to. Inquiry elicited the fact that on no less than four farms situated on the banks of this stream, animals had died showing symptoms identical with those on the farm first investigated. I regarded the evidence as sufficient to make cut a strong case against the impurity of the water and gave an opinion accordingly.

The above is but a single instance out of many that have come under my observation. It is one of the most glaring, but by no means one attended with the greatest degree of loss. One another occasion where a high rate of mortality had prevailed among the cattle running on the open prairie, I was able to trace the cause to contamination of surface water. An animal dead from anthrax had been drawn into a basin on the open prairie. Later the rain filled the basin with water, and about 1,000 cattle on the range had access to the pond for water supply. The result was that 10 per cent. of all the animals having access to the impure water died from anthrax. The teachings of these object lessons are sufficiently obvious. These animals are endowed with organizations not unlike our own, and the manifest laws of being and health can no more be violated with impunity by them than by ourselves.

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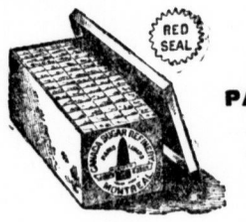

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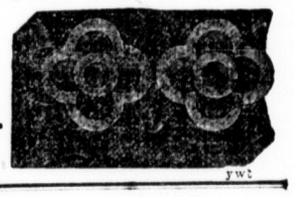

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