

The Toronto World

THE SOW THISTLE.
Did you ever hear of the sow thistle, the, or the swine thistle? If you are a farmer or the friend of a farmer, you have of course heard of the sow thistle, for you well know it is the most menacing weed the Ontario farmer has to face. It and its ravages cause alarming talk on the farms.

The World proposes beginning right now to alarm the members of the Ontario cabinet, the members of the legislature, members of the municipal councils, and all others supposed to have the welfare of our farms and farmers at heart. No greater menace to the value of the agricultural lands in Ontario exists than that of the sow thistle.

What is the minister of agriculture doing against it? What is your member accomplishing to rid Ontario of this rapacious weed?

What do you know about the sow thistle? How have you or your own family tackled this problem? The World will be glad to publish your views regarding this noxious weed, your experience with it, whether you have beaten it or it has beaten you, and what you think the Hon. Jim Duff should do about it. Death to the sow thistle is the slogan.

WHITNEY AND HIS FRIENDS.
Sir James Whitney's magnanimity has been misinterpreted as weakness by the clique that engineered his defeat prior to 1905, who also pretended to be his friends while they subsidized his enemies.

A royal commission in 1905 would have made clear by whom and by what means the electric power franchises were obtained from the Ross government, and who it was that made it easy at Ottawa for the Niagara Power Co.'s friends and those who subsequently followed their example.

The covert opposition to the cheap public power policy carried out by Sir James Whitney emanates from those who never dreamed there would be a Sir James Whitney to thwart their corporation plans, and who did not count on the loyalty of the people to their own interests, and to the man who undertook to serve those interests.

Sir James' loyalty to the people is good politics, as well as honest statesmanship, and there are not a few in his train who follow him on account of the former, rather than the latter reason. Sir James will do well to discriminate between the two classes. The difference marks the distinction between true friends of the Whitney public ownership policy, and the false friends or secret enemies who are prepared to wreck it if occasion offered.

The Evening Telegram, very properly and very accurately called attention on Tuesday evening to the conditions under which Premier Ross in 1906 granted the franchise which the misguided London Economist now declares to be violated by Sir James Whitney. The Economist is inspired by one of the men who played Premier Whitney for a sucker in 1905, but who are now chagrined to find they have landed a whale. Sir James may well consider whether he has any other supporters willing to play both sides of the game.

The Globe, responding to The Telegram's challenge, declares that it accepts the cheap public power policy of Sir James Whitney, but deplores the fact that Sir James failed to give the City of Toronto power to expropriate the Toronto Electric Light Co. It is not yet too late to remedy the omission, and perhaps Sir James will oblige The Globe on this point also, if it is really in earnest.

"THE LORDS OF SILENCE."
In a recent article in The London Daily Mail Mr. J. Henniker Heaton, the constant friend and advocate of cheap postal and telegraph services, writes strongly about the necessity for state owned cable and wireless communications. He points out that in the United Kingdom itself the fullest provision is made for the encouragement of business and social intercourse among the various classes of the population, "so that a man in Middlesex may conduct his business with another resident in Donegal or Sutherlandshire with practically as much certainty, speed and economy as if the two were living five miles apart." The illustration is apt and it can be drawn equally from the practice and experience of the other British self-governing communities. Here in Ontario, too, the necessity for easy and rapid communication is being exemplified in the case of Cobalt. What is true for Ontario is true for Canada and for the empire, but the imperial application has weightier issues behind it, because it is universally recognized that the facilitation of business and social communication is an invaluable link in the chain that binds together the British states.

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BROCKVILLE'S OLDEST CITIZEN
Mrs. Fannie Hickey is Dead at Age of 98—Facilities Good to Last.

BROCKVILLE, Sept. 15.—(Special).—A mischievous boy named Dunn kept the Brockville fire department on edge for an hour this morning. Weighing the end of a large stone, he threw a rope over two wires, and commenced pulling. The wires coming into contact with each other, created a circuit and caused the bell to ring. The men at the central fire station, as well as the town electrician, were mystified. Finally a carter discovered the lad at play.

MOTORMAN SEIZED WITH FIT CAR WRECK; ONE KILLED
READING, Pa., Sept. 15.—Winfield Weidner, a conductor, was killed, and six passengers were injured here today, when a trolley car was wrecked at the bottom of the hill. Weidner was married last Monday. It is believed the motorman was seized with a fit and fell from the car. The car dashed down the grade, jumped the track and ran into a telegraph pole.

There'll Be No War.
RIO JANEIRO, Sept. 15.—The Journal of Commerce says that telegrams from the Pacific coast announce that an agreement between the governments of Peru and Bolivia on the recent boundary dispute, which at one time threatened to plunge these states into war, is about settled.

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AT OSGOOD HALL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

High Court of Justice.
Osgood Hall, Sept. 15, 1909.
The presiding judge will take chambers on Thursday after court motions. Any motions for Friday not heard Thursday will stand over till 21 inst.

No appointment having yet been made in place of Mr. Justice Anglin, and the list of fall work being so large as to require all the time of all the judges, the profession are requested to co-operate with the judges in saving time by being ready to go on with their cases when called. It is not yet known what arrangements can be made to fill the appointments allotted to the judges who will take Mr. Justice Anglin's place.

Single Court.
Motions set down for hearing for Thursday, 18th inst., at 11 a.m.
1—Bean v. Stratford.
2—Saskatchewan v. Leadlay.
3—March v. Remington.
4—Re Jones Trust.
5—Ross v. Vokes.
6—Johnson v. McCleary.
7—Green v. Hamilton.
8—Wintover v. Ennschillen.
9—Harris v. Saunby.

Master's Chambers.
Before Cartwright K.C., Master.
Arnold v. Strothers—J. T. White for plaintiff moved to add Thomas Gaby as a party defendant. R. F. Seggeworth for defendant. Order to go, costs lost or occasioned by the order to the defendant in any event.

Keating v. Hamer—W. R. Wadsworth for plaintiff moved to amend statement of claim as to damages for false representation. Plaintiff resides at Barrie, defendant at Lindsay, where from the nature of this case the evidence as to falsity of representation will be found and the trial ought to be at Lindsay. If, however, the plaintiffs undertake not to impeach the character of the horse in 1908, but are content to rely on the alleged misrepresentation as to age and as to his being still efficient when he was sold in February, 1909, then there would not appear to be any reason for making a change in the place of trial. The plaintiffs will signify in six days what course they prefer to adopt and the order will issue accordingly with costs in the case.

Faragher v. Bagg—F. Aylesworth for defendant, on motion to change venue from Barrie to Lindsay. A. McL. Macdonell, K.C., contra. Judgment. The action is for damages for false representation. Plaintiff resides at Barrie, defendant at Lindsay, where from the nature of this case the evidence as to falsity of representation will be found and the trial ought to be at Lindsay. If, however, the plaintiffs undertake not to impeach the character of the horse in 1908, but are content to rely on the alleged misrepresentation as to age and as to his being still efficient when he was sold in February, 1909, then there would not appear to be any reason for making a change in the place of trial. The plaintiffs will signify in six days what course they prefer to adopt and the order will issue accordingly with costs in the case.

McGreth v. Village of Bur's Falls—R. McKay for defendants on motion to change venue from Ottawa to Parry Sound. R. Clute for plaintiffs. Judgment. Plaintiff's property in Bur's Falls was burnt in June, 1908. They seek to recover from the municipality and the fees the value of such property above what was received for insurance. Plaintiffs allege that the municipality was bound to have an efficient water supply and charge that they did not do so. This seems pre-emptively a case for trial at Parry Sound, as the whole evidence as to the conduct of the reeve and all the facts connected with the fire must be found at Bur's Falls. Perhaps the defendants can make admissions which would dispense with the necessity of calling the insurance adjusters or giving proof of plaintiff's title. If so it can be so stated in the order. Cost in the cause.

Judge's Chambers.
Robinson v. Robinson—W. Laidlaw, K.C., for defendant. W. A. Robinson, moved for a staying of judgment for purpose of amending defence by pleading chancery and maintenance, and for leave to serve notice of motion to amend pleadings. Order made. Costs reserved to hearing.

Single Court.
Before Meredith, C. J.
McLeod v. Town of Aurora—R. D. Moorhead for applicant, asked for enlargement of motion by way of appeal from award of the arbitrator. T. H. Harris v. Saunby—W. E. Middleton, K.C., for plaintiff, asked leave to serve short notice of motion to continue injunction for Thursday. Leave granted, the notice to be served Wednesday, 15th inst.

Before Magee, J.
Times Printing Co. v. The Mail Printing Co.—N. W. Rowell, K.C., for plaintiffs, renewed his motion to continue the injunction restraining defendant from printing account of the voyage of Robert B. Peary to the north pole. J. B. Clarke, K.C., for the defendant, contra. Motion enlarged until Thursday, 18th inst., at 12 m. Information called for to London, to be brought before the court. Plaintiffs undertaking to produce Stewart Lyon for examination before John Bruce, special examiner, at 10 a.m., on Thursday, 18th. Injunction continued meantime.

Election Court.
Before Magee, J.
West Peterboro Controverted Election. Burnham v. Stratton—Grayson Smith, for defendant, Stratton, moved for an order that John Hampden Burnham

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Lennox, K.C., for defendant. Enlarged until 23rd inst.

Rose v. Rose—J. E. Jones, for petitioner. W. M. Douglas, K.C., for respondent. Petition enlarged until 20th inst.

Chisholm v. Herkimer—W. E. Middleton, K.C., for petitioner. H. E. Rose, K.C., for respondent. Asked enlargement to answer to two weeks. Affidavits in answer to be filed on or before 22nd inst.

Tower v. Martin—J. M. Ferguson, for plaintiff. McGregor Young, K.C., for defendant. Plaintiff not being ready to proceed, enlarged until 22nd inst.

Grinston v. Martin—J. M. Ferguson, for plaintiff. McGregor Young, K.C., for defendant. Enlarged until 22nd inst.

Ontario Bank v. Toronto General Trusts Corporation—E. W. Boyd, for the T.G.T. Corporation, moved for judgment against defendant by third party notice. Enlarged until 20th inst., to produce further material.

Carriek v. Port Arthur—R. C. H. Cassels, for plaintiff, moved to continue injunction. Grayson Smith, for defendant, asked enlargement to produce instructions. Enlarged for the week. Injunction continued meantime.

Smith v. Allith Manufacturing Co.—J. D. Montgomery, for plaintiff, moved to continue injunction. A. E. Knox, for defendant, asked enlargement to answer three of the questions he refused to answer. Not compellable to answer fourth question. Costs in the cause.

Re Pickard Estate—A. Rowland, for executor. Grayson Smith, for W. J. Pickard. G. B. Strathby for husband of Mary Howson. Motion for construction of will enlarged at parties' request for two weeks.

Grant v. Thompson—Eric Armour, for plaintiff, on motion to continue injunction. A. E. Knox, for defendant. Injunction continued meantime.

Hadley v. Westman—M. Wilson, K.C., for plaintiff, moved to continue injunction to trial. O. S. Lewis, K.C., for defendant, contra. Motion enlarged to trial. Injunction continued meantime. Plaintiff to bring action on for trial at first practical moment.

Ellis v. Ellis—W. E. Middleton, K.C., for plaintiff, moved to continue injunction. W. H. Irving, for defendant. Motion enlarged to trial. Injunction continued meantime.

Alan v. Hammer Mills Co.—J. E. Jones, for plaintiff, on motion to continue injunction. H. D. Gamble, K.C., for the company. T. D. Delamere, K.C., for defendant, Patterson. Enlarged until 23rd inst. Injunction continued meantime.

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be committed to the county jail of the County of Peterboro for contempt of court, in refusing to answer certain questions asked him on his examination for discovery on the petition and cross-petition, and his refusal to produce certain documents, and in the alternative for an order that the said John Hampden Burnham do attend, at his own expense, on the adjournment of the said examination, on Sept. 20, inst., before W. F. Johnston, the examiner, and answer said questions and produce the documents. Order that the said John Hampden Burnham do answer all of the questions objected to except the first and the third questions set out, and do produce the documents in question. Costs to the cross-petitioner in the cause in any event, unless the trial judge otherwise.

REJECTED SUITOR SHOTS GIRL AND KILLS HIMSELF.
MONTREAL, Sept. 15.—An attempted murder and successful suicide occurred on Labelle-street, after Miss Victoria Forget had refused to wed Hector Charland. Charland pulled a revolver and shot the girl in the arm, and then blew his brains out.

Lost Pearls in Plunge Bath.
NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Mrs. Martha McGuerin, said to be the wife of a rich Montreal railway man, went in swimming at the Pileman Bath with a friend and omitted to check her pearl necklace. After her first plunge she found that the platinum wire had snapped and the pearls were lost. Of the 30, 25 were recovered in a short time from the tank by her friend, Mrs. John Lucile, an expert swimmer who however, having placed the biggest one in her mouth for safety, accidentally swallowed it.

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