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partment.

A Judgeship for Brodeur and a
Speakership for Geoffrion—
Tarte's Crack at Blair.

Montreal, Nov. 3.—The latest political gossip is to the effect that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has persuaded Quebec Liberals to allow the Hon. Jas. Sutherland to take over the Public Works Department. Raymond Prefontaine, M. P., is, it is said, to be Minister of Marine. Mr. Brodeur will go to Sicily as Judge, in place of Judge Gill, and Victor Geoffrion will become Speaker. This is what the friends of Prefontaine are saying. Brodeur's friends say he must receive a portfolio or he will remain where he is.

TARTE AFTER BLAIR.
Although the Sunday paper Les Debats claims that it is not sold to Hon. J. Israel Tarte, the leading article of yesterday's issue is evidently written by the former Minister of Public Works. Incidentally he has a crack at Hon. A. G. Blair, and speaks in these terms of the Department of Railways:—"That department where everything the Liberal party's business as well as others, are conducted in the devil's way."

PIONEER CALLED

One of the oldest and most respected residents of the Maple City passed away yesterday, in the person of Mrs. Eliza Alcorn, Head street. Deceased has been ill for the last year, but until lately her condition was not considered serious. Death was caused from old age.

Deceased was 96 years of age and has been a resident of Chatham for over 25 years. She was born in Scotland, and came to this country with her husband in 1834. They settled down at North Hope, where they lived together for 29 years. In 1866 Mr. Alcorn died and a few years later Mrs. Alcorn moved to Chatham with her son William.

Although she had been ailing for some time she has just been confined to her bed since Thanksgiving Day. One son, William, is left to mourn her loss. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock to Maple Leaf cemetery. It will be private.

GOOD CONCERT

The anniversary entertainment and informal tea at the United Baptist church last evening was a huge success, being well attended and highly successful from an entertaining point of view.

The ladies, who served and helped in the getting up of the tea and concert, deserve the greatest of praise and credit for their unceasing labor.

The tables, laden with good things, presented a very tempting appearance. The program was a very select one, among those taking part were Mrs. Bogart, Mrs. S. C. Walker, Dr. Russell, Star Oldershaw, and Miss Daisy Colville, pupil of Margaret Houston.

Mrs. Bogart sang very sweetly "Angel Voices." Mrs. S. C. Walker sang with great expression "In Heaven and Homeland." Dr. Russell was at his best and had to respond to an encore. The other numbers were thoroughly enjoyed.

Misses Haynes, Bogart and Mrs. Tena Baird were accompanists.

PLEW, 700 MILES.

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—About two months ago Charles Gallagher, of Stewart street, gave a cousin of his, residing at Chatham, the present of a pair of pigeons. The birds at that time were about four months old and were taken to their western home in a box. A few days ago Mr. Gallagher went to the pigeon coop and was surprised to find the birds at their old home again. The pigeons had flown from Chatham here, a distance of nearly 700 miles. This is a marvellous feat for birds of their age, being less than six months old.

RELIEF FUND IN AUSTRALIA.

London, Nov. 3.—Owing to the drought, says the Melbourne correspondent of the Times, it is estimated Australia's exports for the ensuing year will be reduced by £5,000,000 worth of foodstuffs. There is much suffering among the smaller settlers, and a relief fund has been opened at Melbourne.

Mme. Melba has decided to open a separate fund, and has asked the world's greatest financiers to contribute to it.

BACK FROM HARVEST FIELDS.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—During the last two or three days many young men who went west for the harvest have returned to Toronto, and expressed themselves as greatly delighted with their experiences in the west. They say the lowest wages paid was \$40 a month for harvesting and \$2 per day during threshing. They were at work in southwestern Manitoba, along the line of the Canadian Northern, and state that when they left farmers had finished their threshing and had commenced fall plowing.

It is easy to find a man who can keep accounts, but hard to find one who can keep his own conscience.

MR. FLEMING THE CHOICE

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conducting any criminal prosecutions that may be necessary. The Guarantee Co's representative asked that the warden be appointed to act for the Council in this matter should it be necessary to take proceedings.

Mr. McCoy asked if the Guarantee Co. hadn't taken the deeds of certain lands belonging to the late treasurer for the purpose of securing themselves against loss.

The agent said he thought they had but he didn't know whether the value of the deeds would cover the loss or not.

Rules were suspended and the by-law amended by-law No. 528, which appointed Mr. Shumblau was read the first time. The Council then went into committee of the whole, with Mr. Sifton in the chair.

Mr. John moved, seconded by the Warden, that the name of J. C. Fleming, the present clerk, be inserted in the by-law, he to be treasurer of the County of Kent.

This motion carried.

Mr. Yeater moved, seconded by Mr. VonGuten, that a clause be added, fixing the treasurer's salary at \$1,000 instead of \$1,200, which latter sum the late treasurer received.

After some discussion this matter was left in abeyance, and the Council adjourned to meet at 7.30 p.m.

TO-DAY'S SESSION.

The County Council resumed this morning.

On motion of Mr. Johns, seconded by Mr. VonGuten, the council went into committee of the whole, with Mr. Sifton in their chair. The chairman reported that by-law appointing a new county treasurer had been passed in committee, and blank had been filled in with the name of J. C. Fleming.

On motion of Mr. Johns, seconded by Mr. VonGuten, the report was adopted.

This by-law was given its third reading, and finally passed.

On motion of Mr. Ross, seconded by Mr. Somers, the by-law appointing a new county clerk was read.

The resignation of Mr. Fleming as clerk was accepted, and on motion Mr. Fleming was appointed clerk pro-tem.

On motion of Mr. Sturgis, seconded by Mr. Ross, the council went into committee of the whole on the by-law to appoint nominating officers for the county.

Applications for the position of county clerk were received from Peter Crawford, Dover Tp., Col. Matthew Martin, city, H. J. French, Jonas Gosnell, J. D. McPherson, Glenheim, A. A. Wilson, Tilbury, Matthew Bonkin, Dover Tp.

The council decided to take the nominations for the position of county clerk by ballot.

The following was the result of the balloting, the low man each time dropping out:

First ballot—Gosnell 4, French 3, Rankin 2, Macpherson 2, Crawford 1.

Second ballot—Gosnell 5, French 3, Wilson 2, Macpherson 2, Rankin 1.

Third ballot—Gosnell 5, Wilson 4, French 4, Macpherson 1.

Fourth ballot—Gosnell 6, Wilson 4, French 4, Macpherson 1.

Fifth ballot—Gosnell 4, Wilson 4, French 6.

Sixth ballot—Gosnell 6, Wilson 4, French 4.

Seventh ballot—Gosnell 5, French 5, Wilson 4.

Eighth ballot—Gosnell 8, French 6.

This decided it and in accordance with the vote Mr. French moved, seconded by Mr. Sifton, that the blank in the by-law appointing the Clerk be filled in with the name of Jonas Gosnell. The by-law was finally passed and Mr. Gosnell is the new Clerk of the County of Kent.

The discussion over the treasurer's salary was quite animated for a while. It was finally fixed at \$1,200. After some discussion the council decided to fix the Clerk's salary at \$800.

AN UNPLEASANT EXPERIENCE

Has it ever been your unhappy lot to be told by your physician that you must go to a hospital and submit to an operation? If so, you remember with what dread and shrinking you awaited the day when you must endure the knife. The present day surgeon appears to be possessed by a mania for operating, especially in cases of hemorrhoids or piles, and while the greater number of the profession do not recommend this "last resort" unless they honestly believe it necessary, the fact remains that much needless operating is done, and the patient put to much expense and suffering for what? To obtain a possible temporary relief; these words are used advisedly, because in nine cases out of ten the affliction returns and the patient is just where he started from. Oftentimes he could be cured much more simply and cheaply by the use of a remedy as the Pyramid Pile Cure; this has come to be recognized as the best remedy on the market for the painful disease named, and the druggists now sell more of it than all other pile remedies combined. The writer personally knows people who were afflicted with the worst form of bleeding and protruding piles and who were permanently cured by the use of Pyramid Pile Cure. In every one of these cases the attending physician had assured the sufferer that only by an operation could he rid himself of the disease; so much for the infallibility of the doctors. This remedy, which is sold by fifty cents, is in suppository form, is applied directly to the parts affected, and performs its work quietly and painlessly. The Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., will mail free to any address a book telling all about piles or hemorrhoids, their cause and cure.

A suggestion is offered that if the reader is afflicted, or knows anyone who is, this book be sent for, as it will be found invaluable.

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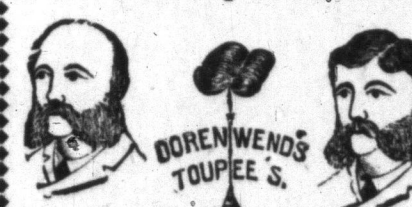
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