

The Governor and the Model Farm.

The London Free Press, following the example of the Guelph Herald, has its little fling at the Model Farm in connection with the Governor-General's visit to our town, and like its Guelph confrere does not scruple to tell as many lies as might be necessary to give a show of consistency to its story. It says:—

"When the Governor-General was at Guelph it was but natural that he should have expressed a wish to visit the Agricultural College—that monument of Grit statehood and foresight. So it was arranged that a visit to McKellar Hall should be included in the programme. But when word was sent up to 'the farm' that the Governor was coming, there was a terrible commotion. Everybody tumbled over everybody else amid the prevailing confusion, and when the scuffling was over, and some approach to reason had re-established itself, the true position was realized. And this was, that everything was in such disorder inside the building and so disreputable outside of it, that in order to avoid public exposure the Governor must be asked not to come. So he did not go; and His Excellency was thus deprived of an instructive lesson."

Now, the fact is that the Governor-General did not express a wish to visit the College. After his arrival in Guelph on Saturday, the Mayor, in speaking to him about Monday's programme, suggested that he might visit the Farm, and some other farms in the vicinity of the town where he could see some first-class stock. But His Excellency having heard a great deal about our manufacturing establishments, expressed a wish to see them, and as there were only two hours at his disposal on Monday, there was not sufficient time to visit the factories and the Farm, and so he preferred going to the former. The "terrible commotion" which the Free Press says was caused at the Farm when word was sent that he was coming, is also purely imaginary. No word was sent to the Farm that His Excellency intended to visit it, no preparations were made for such visit, there was no commotion of any kind. On the contrary, the ordinary routine of work and study went on uninterrupted. At the same time, he would have received a cordial welcome had he gone there, and the students and everybody about the place were disappointed that he did not find time to visit it.

That "everything was in such disorder inside the building and so disreputable outside of it" is equally untrue. The building inside and outside are models of cleanliness and good order, and the work on the Farm is being carried on with spirit. We have the testimony of an unprejudiced stranger, who visited it last week, and who stated to many in Guelph, that after reading the accounts in the Tory papers about its condition, he was surprised and delighted to find everything about it in such excellent order, and he left most favorably impressed with all he saw about the place.

Of course it would be useless to ask the Free Press or the Herald to correct their wilful misstatements. To speak the truth is about the last thing they think of, when they have any political purpose to serve. They follow closely the tactics of the Mail and every day attack some public institution, or some member of the Government, in the belief that some deluded readers will believe their falsehoods and echo their assaults.

THREATENED LIBEL SUIT.—The Hon. Mr. Crooks threatens the Mail with a libel suit for alleging that in 1861 he had intrigued to get himself appointed Solicitor of the Colonial Trusts Corporation, through which Corporation was negotiated the sale in London of the Municipal Debentures handed over to the Ontario Government in payment of the debts of the Municipality to the Municipal Loan Fund. It is well known that the Mail has in vain been trying to make out a job of some kind in connection with the sale of these Debentures, and failing that, has now called in question the propriety of Mr. Crooks' course in employing the Corporation, of which he is solicitor, to sell them in London. Mr. Crooks, after explaining how he came to be appointed Solicitor for the Association, which came to him unthought and unasked, closes his letter as follows:—

"I have a right under the circumstances to require your immediate withdrawal of any apology for the words I have quoted from your article. As to the attacks on my political position, they will be answered at the proper time and before the Legislature to which I am responsible. If it pleases you to continue them I am indifferent, but any unfounded statements which may injuriously affect my personal or professional character will be answered by calling on you to establish them before a legal tribunal."

Mr. HENRY SMITH has been selected by the Conservatives of Kent to run for that County at the next Ontario election.

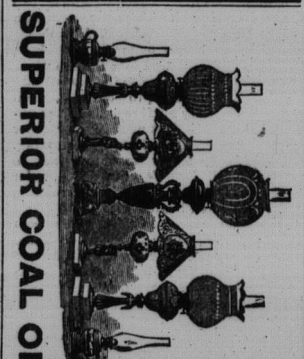
Milk as a Diet, and its Effects upon the System.

There is a considerable difference of opinion on the subject of a milk diet. It is surrounded by a mass of whims, or prejudices, and of mistaken ideas, which are based more on individual fancies than upon certain facts. To one, a glass of milk imbibed is believed to be a sure prevention of a bilious attack; to another, a disordered stomach; to a third, drowsiness; and so on, through such a category of simple, though disagreeable ailments that we look against at the farmer who drains cup after cup of the fresh, pure liquid, time and again during the day, and wonder at the resisting powers which his organization must possess. The truth is, however, that milk is not unwholesome. On the contrary, it contains good substantial bone, muscle,

fresh and brain producing substances which, assimilating quickly, act rapidly in building up the body. Naturally, we assert it is nourishing; that it does bring on certain troubles, is nevertheless true, but the cause is in the individual stomach, not in the milk, provided, of course, the latter be fresh and sweet. The Commercial Advertiser of recent date had some excellent remarks on this subject which are well worthy of repetition: "Milk diluted one-third lime water," it said, "will not cause any one biliousness or headache, and, if taken regularly, will so strengthen the stomach as to banish these disorders. It may be taken with acid of some kind when it does not easily digest. The idea that milk must not be eaten with pickles is not an intelligent one, as milk curdles in the stomach nearly as soon as it is swallowed. When milk is constipating, as it is frequently found to be by persons who drink freely of it in the country in the summer time, a little salt sprinkled in each glassful will prevent the difficulty. When it has an opposite effect, a few drops of brandy in each goblet of milk will obviate its purgative effect. As milk is so essential to the health of our bodies, it is well to consider when to take it, and how. It is a mistake to drink milk between meals or with food at the table. In the former case it will destroy the appetite; and in the latter it is never proper to drink anything. After finishing each meal a goblet of pure milk should be drunk; and if any one wishes to grow fleshy, a pint taken before retiring at night will soon cover the scrawniest bones. In cases of fever and summer complaint, milk is now given with excellent results. The idea that milk is 'ferocious' has exploded, and it is now the physician's great reliance in bringing through typhoid patients, or those in too low a state to be nourished by solid food."

THE HERD LADDIE.—Mr. Naismith received a telegram to day, which states that the Herd Laddie will be in Acton to-morrow.

Fall Exhibitions.
CENTRAL—Guelph, Sept. 15 and three following days.
NORTH HERON—Blyth, Sept. 17 and 18.
PROVINCIAL—Toronto, Sept. 21 and four following days.
WESTERN—London, Sept. 29 and three following days.
ERAMOSA—Rockwood, Tuesday, Sept. 29.
NORMANBY—Ayrton, Wednesday, Sept. 30.
SOUTH WATERLOO—Galt, 30th and 31st September.
WEST FLAMBOURNE—Dundas, Oct. 1 and 2.
WELLINGTON—Cresshill, Friday, Oct. 2.
ESQUERRE—Friday, Oct. 2.
MINTO—Harrison, Wednesday, Sept. 30.
CENTRE WELLINGTON—Fergus, Friday, Oct. 2.
NORTH BAY—Port Elgin, Friday, Oct. 2.
CENTRAL—London, Tuesday, Oct. 6, and three following days.
MITCHELL, Oct. 6 and 7.
SOUTH BRIDGE—Huron—Exeter, Oct. 6 and 7.
ERIN—Erin Village, Wed. Oct. 7.
WOLWICH—Elmira, Wed. Oct. 7.
NASSAUVALE—Hiltonville, Wed. Oct. 7.
ELMIRA—Wolke, Wed. Oct. 7.
SOUTH BRIDGE—Huron—Exeter, Oct. 7 and 8.
WEST GARAFRAXA—Douglas, Thursday, Oct. 8.
GALTON—Charleston, Oct. 8 and 9.
NORTH WELLINGTON—Drayton, Friday, Oct. 9.
SHERBROOK—Holstein, Friday, Oct. 9.
PUSHNIC—Aberfoyle, Friday, Oct. 9.
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REFERENCES:
FROM THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS, KINGSTON, ONTARIO.
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