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BEAR LINE.

Our local hog buyer, John Stacey, is doing a rushing business. Fred Hind had a beet drawing sugar beets last Thursday. John Doolittle is all smiles—it's a boy. Some sneak thief entered Mr. S. Chapple's kitchen and carried away about 40 lbs. of beef. Geo. Stacey, butcher, of Chatham, was out to his Dover farms on Sunday.

Hind's choir assisted at the new St. Andrew's Church Sunday morning. Percy McGregor, of Collegiate Institute, visited his parents Sunday. Dr. McFarlane has purchased a pair of imported colts. Mr. W. Colman, of Chatham Township, has moved on the Dickenson farm. Mrs. Bishop and daughter, Mrs. Brooke, and Miss Bishop, of Chatham, visited at Mr. S. Chapple's and Mr. W. Chapple's, recently. Misses Mary and Drusilla Hinds are visiting at the "Burg". Mr. Shem Hind is busy tiling. Mr. Jas. Smith has finished shedding his corn.

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JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Miss Edith Peck spent Saturday and Sunday at her home here. Mrs. McKie returned on Saturday from the General Hospital, Chatham, very much improved in health. Miss Laura Creech attended the Model school at Home on Friday evening. A number from here were Maple City visitors on Saturday. Miss Cecelia McGregor, of the Model school, Chatham, spent from Friday to Monday the guest of her parents. The football field is covered with small mountains of sugar beets. The

factories are unable to handle them fast enough. There are many fields of beets yet to be pulled. S. T. Martin, of Chatham, was here last week on business.

Only the river fishermen were able to ship on Monday. Several from Chatham will assist in the cantata "Santa Claus' Defenders," to be given in the U. S. S. Hall.

Messrs. W. Shaw, E. L. Smith, A. Garbutt, W. McGregor and James Simons, commissioner of the F. D. works, were in Chatham on Monday attending the case of McKough & Trotter vs. Tilbury East Township.

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ZONE CENTRE.

Mr. Wm. McGaffey returned from the West, where he has been for a few months. Mr. and Mrs. Eastlake, of Ridgeway, were the guests of Mrs. John Tinney on Sunday. Messrs. Golding and Randall, of Bethwell, and George Lidster, of the Centre, spent Wednesday hunting quail. Mr. Richard White, county councillor for Zone, is finishing up his work for this year.

Joseph Bourne put a furnace in the L. D. Saints new church last week.

George Tinney is having some repairing done to his dwelling house. Rev. W. H. G. Colles, I. P. S., spent Wednesday afternoon at our school.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eberle and daughter Elsie spent Sunday last in Thamesville.

Miss Lizzie Gordon has gone to London, where she has secured a position.

Mr. Terry and family moved into the new house at Gilbert's mill.

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THE MODUS VIVENDI

Newfoundland Was Too
Late In Making
Objections

ELGIN TAKES NO BLAME

London, Dec. 10.—(C.A.P.)—The correspondence respecting the Newfoundland fisheries has just been issued. On Aug. 19 Governor MacGregor telegraphed to Lord Elgin that the Newfoundland Government deprecated any provisional arrangement with the United States, adding that the committee of council strongly urged the issue of a proclamation to bring into force the Foreign Fishing Vessels Act of 1906.

Lord Elgin replies that His Majesty's Government could not but feel that the Newfoundland Government had failed to appreciate the serious difficulty in which its policy had placed both Governments. He pointed out that the proposed modus vivendi would not in any way infringe the assistance given by Mr. Labouchere to the colony for the modus vivendi was not for the purpose of making new treaty arrangements, but simply for the purpose of ascertaining what the existing treaty engagements were.

Elgin Did Not Approve. In another cable to MacGregor, Lord Elgin said the foreign fishing vessels act did not come within the category of the colonies' international affairs, and further, that, like his predecessor, he had never approved the policy embodied in the act nor had he ever indicated that he was prepared to advise His Majesty to bring into operation the amended act of 1906. Lord Elgin subsequently reminded Governor MacGregor that it was not until the modus vivendi had been submitted to the United States Government that his Ministers had evinced any readiness to consider the proposal and make suggestions, and that in such circumstances no blame could fairly be imputed to His Majesty's Government.

Chasm Is Unbridged. London, Dec. 10.—(A.P.)—The correspondence between the State Department and the Foreign Office, here and there between Newfoundland and the Colonial Office, detailing the circumstances leading to the establishment of the fisheries modus vivendi, was published here Saturday. While the tone is conciliatory it shows that a wide chasm remains to be bridged. The despatches contained in October, 1905, with letters from Secretary Root to Ambassador Durand, dated Oct. 12 and Oct. 19, asking for an early interview on the subject of the fisheries and explaining the views of the United States of her treaty rights and urging that Great Britain take steps to secure the repeal of the Newfoundland laws conflicting therewith. Foreign Secretary Grey, Feb. 2, last, through Ambassador Reid, dealt at length with Mr. Root's observations and said he regretted that he was unable to assent thereto without important qualifications. Mr. Reid notified Secretary Grey, July 20, that Mr. Root disagreed with him.

To End Interference. Mr. Root said: "I am instructed to ask for such action as will prevent any interference on any ground by officers of the Newfoundland Government with American fishermen when they go to exercise their treaty rights on the Newfoundland coast during the approaching fishing season."

Hopeless of Settlement. Secretary Grey, replying Aug. 14, said he observed "with much regret that the wide divergence in the views of the two Governments disclosed by the correspondence makes it hopeless to expect an immediate settlement." But he was ready to confer with the United States Government with the view of arranging a modus vivendi applicable only to the ensuing season.

On Sept. 12, Mr. Reid wrote Secretary Grey to the effect that the Government of the United States "hears with the greatest concern that the divergence of views renders an immediate settlement impossible," and suggesting the terms of the modus vivendi. These were accepted by Secretary Grey Sept. 25, whereupon Mr. Reid was authorized to ratify them.

25 WERE LAID OFF. May Cause Further Street Car Trouble In Hamilton.

Hamilton, Dec. 10.—The action of the Street Railway Co. in laying off 25 of its conductors and motormen Saturday morning will probably lead to further trouble. The union thinks that the company is violating the award of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board and will appeal to the board again.

James Leitch, chairman of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, has written to Mayor Biggar, complimenting his worship on the stand he took during the street railway trouble. Mr. Leitch in part said, in the letter: "Now that it is all over it is a great satisfaction and pleasure to me to be able to state that nothing could have surpassed your wisdom, common sense and discretion in preventing bloodshed in the city. Had you not been firm and discreet, and permitted yourself to be stampeded by inconsiderate and hot-headed criticism, the result would have been appalling. The citizens of Hamilton owe you a debt of gratitude for your judicious management of one of the most difficult and critical episodes in the history of the city."

Suicided In Train. Victoria, B.C., Dec. 10.—Lee Sing, a fugitive Chinese, fearing apprehension, committed suicide in a railway train Saturday.

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CLEARVILLE.

James and Walter McDonald are at Thamesville attending their father, Peter McDonald, of that place, who is ill.

Mrs. Robert Wood is visiting relatives in Aldboro.

John Cochrane shipped a carload of cattle one day last week.

Mrs. Geo. Pidgeon, who has been visiting relatives of this place, has returned to her home in Flint, Mich.

Mrs. Wm. Carnie and Miss Edna, of Morpeth, were the guests of Mrs. C. Shields Friday last.

Miss Tallmay, of Rodney, is the

guest of Miss Annie Jones.

Miss Viola Garton, who has been visiting in Muirkirk for the past two weeks, has returned home.

Ferguson brothers have added a fine new kitchen to their house.

John Cochrane will ship a carload of sheep from Muirkirk on Wednesday.

Roy Guyitt has purchased two fine Plymouthcock roosters from Dr. Marr, of Ridgeway.

Walter Guyitt visited Chatham friends last Saturday.

Mr. Crosby, of Highgate, placed a new smokestack on St. David's church last Thursday.

PERE MARQUETTE

BUFFALO DIVISION			
Leave Chatham	Express	Express	Express
Alenham and West	8:15 a.m.	4:50 p.m.	
Alenham and East	9:10 a.m.	6:10 p.m.	
Sarnia	9:35 a.m.	6:30 p.m.	
Arrive in Chatham			
From			
Walkerville	10:25 a.m.	7:35 p.m.	
St. Thomas	9:35 a.m.	6:30 p.m.	
Sarnia	9:10 a.m.	6:10 p.m.	

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ELECTRIC SERVICE			
Time Table No. 4. In effect Wednesday, May 1st, 1906.			
CHATHAM	WALLACEBURG	CHATHAM	WALLACEBURG
LEAVE	ARRIVE	LEAVE	ARRIVE
6:00 a.m.	8:30 a.m.	7:30 a.m.	7:00 a.m.
9:00 a.m.	11:25 a.m.	10:15 a.m.	10:10 a.m.
1:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.	12:30 p.m.	12:30 p.m.
2:15 p.m.	4:45 p.m.	1:45 p.m.	1:45 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	6:55 p.m.	3:45 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
5:45 p.m.	8:15 p.m.	4:55 p.m.	4:55 p.m.
7:00 p.m.	9:25 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
9:30 p.m.	12:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.

Extra cars on Saturday leave Chatham 7:15 a.m., 1:10 p.m. Leave Wallaceburg 9:00 a.m., mid 2:15 p.m.

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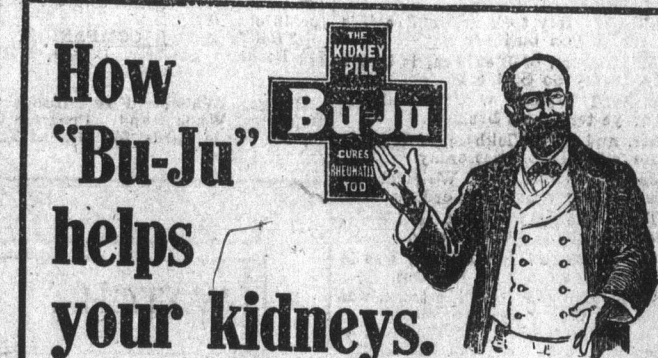
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