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THE SENATE UNDER FIRE

Mr. Findlay, M. P., for South Bruce, Progressive, says he will move at the next session of Parliament for a plebiscite on the proposal to make the Senate elective, or, as an alternative, to end it.
 The constitution of the Senate was seriously and exhaustively discussed in the pre-Confederation debates. The elective principle was opposed by the Fathers on the ground that it would make the Second Chamber as powerful as the House of Commons, and that the existence of two Houses of co-ordinate rank and with the same elective basis would not tend to smooth working of the new Governmental machinery. The appointment of Senators by Provincial Legislatures was not overlooked in the examination of methods, but Parliament had fresh in mind the experience of the United States before the Civil War, and the plan it adopted conformed to the desire to make the Canadian Federal system more centralized than that which was temporarily disrupted in the Republic.
 Probably Mr. Findlay will not press his resolution before he sees how the Government proposes to deal with the same question. The Premier and some of his colleagues have declared that the present irresponsible position of the Senate, used for obstructive purposes, is inconsistent with democratic principles of government, and that they intend to ask for a constitutional amendment which will assure the supremacy of the popular Chamber. It is inferred that they will frame a measure resembling the British Parliament Bill

which nearly fifteen years ago deprived the House of Lords of its absolute veto power. Whether changes in the method of choosing members of the Senate will be proposed or not is left to conjecture. It is certain that Senate reform has ceased to be only a matter for academic debate, and has become an issue in practical politics. The coming session will bring it to the front.
 —Globe

OTTER CREEK

Miss Eleonora Hossfeld of Detroit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hossfeld.
 Wedding bells are ringing in this burg.
 Miss Mina Widmeyer and Miss Winsom Grabel of Walkerton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hossfeld.
 The Otter Creek Literary Society re-organized for the coming year with the following officers:—President—Arthur Litt; Secretary—Miss Jennie Long; Treasurer—Miss Elven Hossfeld; Auditors, Misses Katharine Hossfeld and Pearl Gress; Editor of the "Otter Creek Interviewer"—Wilfred Gress; Assistant Editor—Gertrude Fritz.
 A number from Otter Creek took in the 40-year Jubilee of Mr. and Mrs. John Ernst, near Walkerton.
 We are sorry to report that Mr. Charles Jasper sr., is in a critical condition. Mr. Jasper is over ninety years of age and has been in good health until recent years. We hope Mr. Jasper will recover from his present affliction.

AMBLESIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Obermeyer visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Herbrun, near Teeswater, last Sunday.
 Miss Amelia Steffler visited at her grandmother's, Mrs. Lambertus, in Walkerton last week.
 Mr. Andrew Detzler has purchased Mr. Herb Steffler's hundred acres of land.
 Mr. John O'Malley of near Teeswater, who purchased a Ford tractor from the local agent, Mr. James Kirby, was busy chopping in the neighborhood last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schnurr visited at Joseph Detzler's on Sunday.
 A number from this district attended the meeting of the Carrick Farmers' Co-operative Co. Ltd., last Monday night in Mildmay.
 We notice Mr. Clem Steffler making his usual trips East on Sundays.
 Mr. Joe Doerr was cutting wood for the Millen last week.
 Wedding bells are ringing. We understand now why Clemence walks down from church with Mike.

LAKELET

Many of the cisterns are dry and a number of the farmers have to draw water for their stock.
 The Sessions of Belmore and McIntosh decided not to take a vote on the members having a vote if they consider it feasible. There has been a foretaste of union in these congregations during the past years and it has worked so harmoniously that all or nearly all are satisfied. Some few years ago the Methodist church at Belmore was closed owing to the few in attendance and those left went over to the Presbyterian church. At McIntosh there have been quite a few Methodist families attending for a time and result have been so satisfactory to all that no one wishes to have it otherwise.
 The U. F. O. of this place held their annual oyster supper in Caudle Hall on Friday last. All the members with their families were out, and they go tawny with two gallons of oysters and other dainties provided by the ladies. A short program followed by a social hour brought the proceedings to a close.
 The township council met at a close on Monday for their first meeting of the year. They appointed a road superintendent, a new invocation for this township. It appears the government pays 50 per cent of the superintendent's wages and 30 per cent of all work done under his inspection. He gets \$4 a day and pays his own expenses. They also appointed Earl Corbett of Beverly as Assessor in place of Beverly Nash. Mr. Robert Edgar, who lives south west of Fordwich is the Superintendent.

WALKERTON.

The organ recital in the R. C. Church on Sunday evening was largely attended by music lovers and they were not disappointed in their expectations of a musical treat. Mr. More, Bursar and Organist of Toronto University, was the organist.
 Mrs. S. A. Rife went to Detroit on Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Merritt, whose health is not as good as friends would wish.
 Miss Violet Bush, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bush of town, was married in the R. C. Church on Friday morning at six o'clock to Mr. Rafferty of Kitchener, Rev. Father Maloney officiating. The young couple left for their honeymoon on the 7.05 train for Niagara Falls and other points. They will reside in Kitchener where the groom is engaged in the baking business.
 Messrs. Fisk & Privat, who have been conducting the hardware and plumbing business for over a year have dissolved partnership. Mr. Privat is taking over the business. Mr. Fisk will work with Mr. Jas. Gowman in the selling of Brantford Roofing. We wish them both the best of success.

The Church Union question is still uppermost in the minds of many. What will they do now or next is heard from many persons. No doubt time will solve the problem. There were good congregations at both Methodist and Presbyterian services on Sunday.

The Lutheran congregation, which has been without a regular pastor since last fall, will take a vote in the near future on who is to be their new pastor. A man capable to preach in both English and German is wanted and no doubt this will enable the work to be carried on more successfully.

Mr. W. J. Craig has sold his 100-acre farm, lot 9, concession 5, to Mr. Voigt of Brant's Corners. The price was in the neighborhood of \$10,000.

Another state governed by woman is the state of matrimony.

It is estimated that if all the law violators were caught the courts would be 17 years behind.

A man is settling down in life when he isn't ashamed to ask the clerk for something cheaper.
 "A fig tree bears fruit in downtown Toronto," says a heading. Apparently some of the women have discovered the tree as a source of clothing supply.

"Surely, Miranda, you're not going to marry again when the Lord just took your fourth husband?" asked Mrs. Smith.
 "Yes, I shuh am," replied Miranda. "As long as the Lord takes 'em so will I."

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