









WESTERN ONTARIO.

BRANT.

Brantford's chief of police is indignant because Evangelist Schivere has referred to that city as a "moral graveyard."

BRUCE.

On Sunday evening, at her residence in Wingham, Jennie Bray, widow of the late W. L. Bray, and only daughter of Crowell Wilson, died. Her husband was formerly a druggist in Chatham.

ESSEX.

The sale of the Barnum Iron Works Company's assets to Mr. Neveu, of Windsor, has fallen through, and the property will again be placed upon the market by the assignee, E. R. C. Clark.

ELGIN.

Mrs. Betsy Timewell died in Fingal Monday, aged 89 years. Her maiden name was Mary, and she came to this country from England about 50 years ago and had resided at Fingal for about 45 years.

OXFORD.

W. Coventry was elected councillor for St. Andrew's Ward, Woodstock, on Monday, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of councillor Harwood by a majority of 53 over Dan Miller.

PERTH.

Simpson vs. Zilliox, tried at the Perth Assizes, was an action for slander brought by the plaintiff, a lively stable keeper of Listowel, against the defendant, an hotel-keeper at the same place.

ST. CATHARINES.

Mrs. John McDonald, mother of A. J. McDonald, ex-governor of Ontario, died suddenly Monday, aged 80, near Duart.

ST. THOMAS.

At Osgoode Hall, in the case of the county of Halton vs. the G. T. R. Company, judgment has been given on appeal by the defendants from the judgment of the Common Pleas Divisional court affirming the judgment of the county court.

WATERLOO.

R. B. Osler, Q.C., Toronto, has been retained to defend Reinhardt, the Little Germany murderer, at the trial which comes off on April 5 next.

WELLINGTON.

Dr. Keating, medical health officer, Guelph, has tendered his resignation to the City Council. The reason given was the refusal of the Council to pay the salary demanded \$200 a year.

WENTWORTH.

Although R. B. Osler is too ill to conduct the Assizes at Hamilton it is yet expected that he will be so far restored as to be able to conduct the Heppel murder trial for the Crown.

WINDSOR.

Miss Sarah Ann Heslop has applied for power to administer the balance of the estate of her father, the late John Heslop, of Ancaster. The property is valued at \$20,000, and was administered by the late Mrs. Elizabeth Heslop excepting \$8,775.

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D. B. Armstrong has purchased the Martin mill property in Fletcher.

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he Canadian Farmer is Out of Pocket.

nent Horse Buyer's Opinion—Canadian Farmer Pays the City on the Horse Shipped to the States.

rdis, of Boston, shipped two carloads of horses from here to the United States a week ago. The animals were collected in a paddock—London Free Press.

ove hardly bears out the oft-exaggerated claims of the Free Press that the Canadian market is utterly unexplored. However, it is quite different from the trade restrictions, and as he is the most prominent horse buyer in the Province of Ontario he knew whereof he speaks.

a good many Canadian horses for to the United States," he told an reporter the other day, "and not for the nonsensical tariff wall, and a good many more. The Canadian farmer loses \$200 every horse he sells; in other words there is no tariff between the States I could pay the man from my pocket the extra amount 'goes into the customer's pocket.' Now I have to deduct the amount from the money I pay him, simply nonsense to talk about the loss of the American market to Canada, and how so many of them utter rubbish is more than I can utter. There is no tariff between the States I could pay the man from my pocket the extra amount 'goes into the customer's pocket.' Now I have to deduct the amount from the money I pay him, simply nonsense to talk about the loss of the American market to Canada, and how so many of them utter rubbish is more than I can utter. There is no tariff between the States I could pay the man from my pocket the extra amount 'goes into the customer's pocket.' 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A Dark Horse Appears in the English Derby Betting—General Sporting News.

**HORSE MATTERS.**

The Buffalo Park Association intends to make this year's grand circuit meeting greater than ever. In the past few years the purses have aggregated about \$35,000, but for the meeting that will take place Aug. 2, 3, 4 and 5 of this year, the association will hang up at least \$40,000. Three stakes will form the features of the meeting, and they have been decided on. They will include a \$5,000 stake for 2:27 class trotters, a \$5,000 stake for 2:23 class trotters, and a \$3,000 for 2:27 class pacers.

A dark horse has made an appearance in the betting on the English Derby. This is the Cellarer, a bay colt by St. Simon, out of Stadia, by Scottish Chief. He is the property of the Duke of Portland, and he has never yet sported silk. He is well spoken of at Newmarket, and has been backed down to 25 to 1, which fact speaks for him. Ome is now quoted at 9 to 4, while 7 to 1 is the best on offered at 9 to 4, while 100 to 1 is against the other son of Ormonde, Goldfield.

English and European Governments will not buy a horse for cavalry purposes unless he has been docked and officers are not allowed to ride them on parade, even if they be private property.

**FOOTBALL.**

The Scottish Collegiate Institute Football Club has been reorganized for the coming season with the following officers: Honorary president, D. D. Wilson; president, Charles Clarkson; vice-president, George Shortreed; secretary-treasurer, John A. Jackson; captain, H. J. Crawford; committee, H. W. Crosswell, John Vaughan, J. Page. It was resolved to join the Western Association and enter for the Hough Cup, new held by Galt.

**THE WHEEL.**

Fifty Canadian wheelmen, who have removed to Chicago, intend forming a Canadian wheelmen's association.

**ATHLETICS.**

The Olympic Club, New Orleans, has agreed to offer a purse of \$25,000 for a fight between John L. Sullivan and Charley Mitchell, to come off the first week in October. The articles for the fight were drawn up and forwarded at once to the two men.

A letter from a Woodstock man in Mexico states that Boyd, of that place, and Coyne, of Chatham, two of the fastest foot-racers in America, are running their "mutual consent" foot race in that country now, and that on a recent job they accepted a cool \$30,000.

**SARNIA'S CROOKS.**

Hand Collins, the Stealer, Committed for Trial—A World-Be-Sharp-Exposed.

SARNIA, Ont., March 9.—Hand Collins, who slashed Geo. Kyle's throat with a razor, was to-day committed for trial. A. E. Cullis, a young Sarnia man, was to-day committed for trial on a charge of attempt at fraud. He registered a letter to Thos. Sanderson, Melburn Bay, purported to enclose \$10. When the letter reached Sanderson there was no money in it, and the matter was placed in Inspector Fisher's hands. On investigation Cullis admitted he did not enclose the money, and Chief Wielder placed him under arrest. He pleaded guilty.

**The New Corridor Express.**

LONDON, March 10.—The Great Western Corridor Express for Oxford, in imitation of the vestibule trains of the American roads, left London for the first time on Monday. The carriages are joined by a closed passageway on one side. On the train are lavatories, a library, smoking parlor, etc. The train is heated by steam, and will make much of the trip at the rate of 60 miles an hour.

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**SOME THIN EXCUSES.**

Judge Elliot Cornered by Mr. James Magee, Q.C.

A Queer Explanation for Going Back on a Previous Judgment.

The following argument at the close of the extraordinary judgment of Judge Elliot, declaring the bogus voters good, reveals some of the methods of procedure of this strong partisan functionary:

Mr. Magee—Your honor has given judgment in the case of Lewis Allen. Are we to understand that it is to apply to all the other appeals as well? Our reason for inquiry is this: Your honor has dealt with the original notice given to Allen. His was the only case in which an amended notice was not served. The revising officer directed that the notices given by Mr. Lilley should be amended, and pursuant to his directions amended notices were given in every case but that of Allen, who by some oversight was omitted. Your honor has just now overruled the judgments in the Queen's Bench Division and the Court of Appeal, delivered in this very case of Allen on the question of the original notice. You wish to know if by applying your decisions in Allen's case to all the other appeals in which amended notices were given, your honor overrules also your own judgment that you had no power to interfere with the discretion of the revising officer in allowing the amendment.

Judge Elliot—What judgment do you refer to?

Counsel—When this question first came before your honor on the interim appeal in November last, you held that the original notices were invalid, but that you could make no order, as you could not interfere with the revising officer's powers of amendment. Your honor's judgment is reported in the Ontario reports in the case of Lilley vs. Allen.

Judge Elliot—I do not regard the amended notices as before me at all. I go by the statement of the revising officer that in which you had no power to interfere with the discretion of the revising officer in allowing the amendment.

Counsel—How could that be so when amended notices were given? He must proceed as the facts were. Even if he had not done so, your honor must on these appeals deal with all the facts as they exist. Now, amended notices were given, and the fact cannot be ignored, and we are entitled to judgment as to them.

Mr. J. H. Fraser—I distinctly stated at the time that I proceeded under the mandamus on the original notices.

Mr. Magee—The revising officer certainly directed amended notices to be given. Mr. Macbeth, myself and other counsel were present. For the revising officer to say that he proceeded upon the original notices is idle. The mandamus directed him to proceed even on the original notices. But in fact the amended notices had been given, and that could not be ignored, and your honor also must here deal with that fact. In the case of Allen, in which you have just given judgment, there was no amended notice given. I ask you now whether your judgment applies to the others as well, who were furnished amended notices.

Mr. Helmutz said the mandamus was issued ordering the revising officer to proceed upon the original notices. If his honor had allowed it in the case of Allen he must allow it in the case of others.

Mr. R. Bayly also had a little to say to the effect that Mr. Magee could not have heard the judgment.

Mr. Magee—It is a thing unheard of that the judgment of two superior courts be reversed in this very matter should be here overruled, and we are justified in asking if your honor also overrules your own former judgment and what your honor says about these other cases.

Judge Elliot—It would be difficult to make it plainer.

Mr. Fraser—I desire to state here that at the sittings of the Court of Revision held under the mandamus, the question was asked, and I stated most clearly that I was trying the cases under the original notices only. I think the counsel who were present will bear me out.

Mr. Macbeth—I was present, and I positively deny—

Judge Elliot—Who is counsel in this case?

Mr. Magee—Mr. Macbeth is acting with me, and he was present.

Mr. Macbeth—Let me ask the revising officer whether, in compliance with his order of Nov. 16, amended notices were filed with him.

Mr. Fraser—Yes.

Mr. Macbeth—And did we not submit evidence to you that we had so served the amended notices on the parties as directed by you?

Mr. Fraser—Yes.

Judge Elliot—It is immaterial to me whether amended notices were served or not. The question is whether you add that to the judgment that it is immaterial to you.

Judge Elliot—No.

The proceedings here closed.

**A BIG RUSH.**

People Surging Into the Store at 155 Dundas Street—A Big Business the First Day.

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**THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.**

The London Family Compact. To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

Can you confer a favor on numerous readers by answering the following queries: 1. Is it true that Judge Elliot, in addition to being charged with revising the work of the revising officer of this city, is himself a revising officer, drawing a salary from the Dominion Government?

2. Is it really true that Judge Elliot is an active partisan, notwithstanding he is a judge?

3. Is it true that Revising Officer J. H. Fraser was once Conservative M. P. for London?

4. Is it true that Revising Officer Fraser is a son-in-law of Judge Elliot?

5. Is it true that Revising Officer Fraser is a pronounced partisan?

6. Is it true that a son of Judge Elliot was given the lucrative position of census commissioner for this district last year?

7. Is it true that Judge Elliot is the political partisan of a more pronounced type than most private citizens. Revising Officer Fraser was once Conservative M. P. for London. Revising Officer Fraser is an active partisan, and despite his political position appeared on Conservative platforms in the recent contests. A son of Judge Elliot was census commissioner for this district. —EDITOR ADVERTISER.]

**STRUCK A BROKEN RAIL.**

Accident on the Canada Southern—Two Passengers Slightly Injured.

WINSTON, Ont., March 9.—The Canada Southern passenger train, which left Detroit at 9:20 last evening, struck a broken rail two miles south of Rockwood, and three coaches and a sleeper left the track. Two passengers were slightly injured, but their names could not be learned at the Michigan Central offices to-day.

Another train had passed harmlessly over the same rail half an hour before the accident.

Under Forty Feet of Water. EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 10.—The steamer Geo. Blocker sprung a leak yesterday and sank in 40 feet of water, one mile below Ashbyburg, on the Green River. No lives were lost. Loss on vessel and cargo, \$26,000.

Gang of Grain Stealers Discovered. ST. CATHARINES, Ont., March 9.—Fifty bushels of wheat were stolen from the barn of Wm. Ridge, of Binbrook, on March 2, and the theft was traced to John Crosby, of Caister, who has confessed, implicating others and exposing an organized band of robbery, which has been practiced on the residents of the neighborhood during the past winter. All of the gang will be arrested.

Hon. Edward Blake as a Humorist.

TORONTO, March 10.—Hon. Edward Blake came out in a new role here last evening, giving an evening of humorous readings under the auspices of the North End Club, of which Rev. G. M. Wrong, a son-in-law of Mr. Blake, is president. There were about 500 present, and all were delighted with his selections. Mr. Blake's happy manner of rendering Sam Weller's letter to his valentine caused the greatest merriment, and when he sat down at 10 o'clock even the smallest child was sorry. Although he had been reading for an hour and a half he did not appear to be in the least exhausted; his voice was as clear as in his opening sentence, and his face was beaming with pleasure.

**BORDER STATE BRIEFS.**

Mrs. Mary Dangles, colored, of Jackson, has fallen heir to \$500,000 left by North Carolina relatives.

The Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. has celebrated its 26th anniversary. The association has a membership of 500.

Deputy Game Warden Prince arrested 10 men one day last week for fishing at Long Lake in the upper peninsula.

A miniature salt plant is being constructed at Saginaw City for exhibition in the Michigan Salt Association's exhibit at the World's Fair.

An experimental celery farm has been started at Palmyra, and as it proved successful, farmers there will develop that industry.

Ninety-nine saloon keepers have gone out of business in Detroit. It required \$500 to purchase a license to sell anything except malt liquor.

Mason county will vote at the coming election on the question of bonding the country for \$50,000 to erect public buildings at Lexington.

Martha Schurath, of Detroit, who was so nearly killed by a shot from Charles Kerrow, her jealous lover, now wants to marry him. He is in jail awaiting sentence for the deed, and she is now anxious to secure his release.

George Delmer, hauling logs near East Jordan, was run over by a sled load of logs and instantly killed. On a down grade the horses fell. Delmer unhitched them, and as they were pulling the sled he was killed. Delmer could get out of the way. He was 28 years of age.

Sunday was a red letter day for the Cornum M. E. Church. The society has just expended \$1,300 in refitting the church with new chairs, carpets, paper, etc. Rev. Washington Gardner preached the reopening sermon to a crowded house, raised the money for all the repairs, and had some left over.

There is a horrible rumor about to the effect that an absent-minded woman in Waco, Tex., in a recent hurried preparation for church, took from the closet a pair of her husband's trousers for a doloan, threw the garment over her arm, and did not discover her error until she had hung it over the pew in front of her. —[Niles Star.]

Professor W. A. Weeks is dead at Ypsilanti. The deceased was about 35 years of age. After graduating from the Normal he filled the chair of assistant in Latin and Greek in that institution. In 1889 he accepted a call to St. Louis, Mich., where he remained as superintendent for two years. Since then failing health, caused by consumption, had made it necessary that he give up all work.

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ND "HORSE-SENSE."

Canadian Farmer Is Out of Pocket.

ant Horse Buyer's Opinion—Canadian Farmer Pays the y on the Horses Shipped to the States.

lis, of Boston, shipped two carloads from here to the United States a n. The animals were collected in rhod.—[London Free Press.

re hardly bears out the oft-ex-tension of the Free Press that an horse market is utterly use- Canadian farmer. Mr. Dardis' over, are quite different from trade restrictionists, and as he most prominent horse buyers in the Province of Ontario he now whereof he speaks.

good many Canadian horses for a the United States," he told an reporter the other day, "and of for the nonsensical drift want ndle a good many more. The Canadian farmer loses \$20 every horse he sells; in other there were no tariff between the ries I could pay the man from y the horse the extra amount goes into the customs officials' ow I have to deduct the amount from the money I pay him.

ny nonsense to talk about the tical American market to Can-ers, and how many of them utter rubbish is more than I ut. Free trade relations with would create a big boom in the The results of the present bye-ave disgusted me. Why under Canadian stock breeder can e policy of the present Govern-eyond my conception. He is tting his own throat.

had unrestricted reciprocity I only afford to give your farm- y for his horses, but he would be a lot of trash that is now dead his hands. This question as to he buyer or the seller pays the tical American market is an un- international commerce is an un- I think it would be both waylin; but as far as the importation horses into the United States sed the Canadian pays it—or of it, at any rate."

dis is an alderman of the city of Mass., near Boston. He says lly that the enactment of the ley would be a blessing to Can-ould give her her natural market ricultural products, develop her and stimulate her trade. The he Government, he declared, is the country's best interests.

his Queen." action at the Grand Opera House today evening is that ever wel-rite, Mattie Vickers, who will r the first time in this city her most successful play, "The teen." The play is of the type musical farce, comedy drama, ed plot, and fun and pathos run and. It is said to be genuinely well worth seeing. Miss Vickers a wayward child who leaves her e her father's cruelty, an a circus, a vendor of pretzels, and all of which she fills most accept- The performance contains num-asing interruptions in the way of ne songs and lively dances. It with specialties, all bright and Plan opens Monday.

Order of Shepherds, at Earl Town Hall was filled to g last evening, the event being rap concert given under the f the Ancient Order of Shepherds. amme was carried out in a man- ding great credit on those who The chairman's address by Mr. erture, Messrs. Jackson, Little Kipp; selections by the phono-ecation, Gilmour Band; recitation, ed selections, Messrs. Jackson, and Kipp; and Highland Fling, alson, were given. Wm. Elliot's recitation which was immedi-duced by the phonograph, a earning to be an Actor," by ennan, Watts and Shaw was also gramme, and kept the audience i laughter. After the concert the floor was cleared and a good pent in dancing.

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### CHAPTER X.

On the afternoon of the following Sabbath, as I have said, something strange happened in the Auld Licht pulpit. The congregation, despite their troubles, turned over and peered at it for a while, but had they seen into the inside of it they would have weaved few webs until the session had sat on the minister. The affair baffled me at the time, and for the Egyptian's sake I would avoid mentioning it now, where it is not one of Gavin's misadventures, but the first of his memorable sermons against Womon.

I was not in the Auld Licht church that day, but I heard the sermon before night, and this, I think, is as good an opportunity as another for showing how the gossip about Gavin reached me up here in the Glen school-house. Since Margaret and her son came to the manse I had kept the vow made to myself and avoided Thursdays. Only once had I ventured to the kirk, and then, instead of taking my own seat, the fourth from the pulpit, I sat down near the door, where I could look at Margaret without her seeing me. To spare her the benediction was pronounced, thus scandalizing many, for with Auld Licht it is not customary to retire quietly from the church after the manner of the godless U. P.'s (and the Free Kirk is a little better), who have their hats in their hands when they rise for the benediction, so that they may at once pour out like a burst dam. We came our seats, look straight before us, clear our throats and stretch out our hands for our own benefit, to put our hats into them. In time we do get out, but I am never sure how.

One may gossip in a Glen on Sabbaths, though not in a town, without losing his character, and I used to await the return of my neighbor, the farmer of Waster Lunny, and of Birse, the Glen Quarhy post, at the end of the school-house path. Waster Lunny was a man whose care in his leisure hours was to keep from his wife his great pride in her. His home, Catlaw, on the other hand, he told outright what he thought of it, praising it to its face and blackguarding it as it deserved, and I have seen him, when completely belittled by the lute, sit down before it on a stone and harangue. "You think you're clever, Catlaw, my lass, but you're mista'en. You're a thraven limmer, that's what you are. You think you have blood in you. You ha'e blood! Gae awa, and let a man ye'reen that kent your mither, and says she's a feikie." (Feikie, our particular fashionless besom. What do you say to that?)

As for the post, I will say no more of him than that his bitter topic was the unreasonableness of humanity, which treated him graciously when he had a letter to it, but scowled at him when he had none, "aye implying that I ha'e a letter, but keep it back."

On the Sabbath evening after the riot, I stood at the usual place awaiting my friends, and saw before they reached me that they had something untoward to tell. The farmer, his wife and three children, holding each other's hands, stretched across the road. Birse was a little behind, but a conversation was being kept up by shouting. All were walking the Sabbath pace, and the family having started half a minute in advance, the post had not yet made up to them.

"It's sitting to snaw," Waster Lunny said, drawing near, and just as I was to reply, "It is so," Silvia slipped in the words before me.

"You wassa at the kirk?" was Elspeth's salutation. I had been at the Glen church, but did not contradict her, for it is established, and so neither her nor there. I was anxious, too, to know what their long faces meant, and therefore asked at once.

"Was Mr. Dishart on the riot?"

"Forenoon, y' afternoon, no?" replied Waster Lunny, asking round his wife to get nearer me.

"Domine, a query thing

happened in the kirk this day, sic as—

"Waster Lunny," interrupted Elspeth sharply, "have you on your Sabbath shoon or have you on your Sabbath shoon?"

"Gid care you took I should ha'e the dagont onnany things on," retorted the farmer.

"Keep out o' the gutter, then," said Elspeth, "on the Lord's day."

"Him," said the man, "that is forced by a fool's woman. You wear gaited latic-sided boots canna forget then till he takes them aff. Wassa's the extra reverence in wearing shoon twa sizes over sma'?"

"It mayna be mair reverent," suggested Birse, "to when Elspeth's kitchen was a pleasant place, 'but it's grand, and no canna expect to be baith grand and comfortable."

I reminded them that they were speaking of Mr. Dishart.

"We was saying," began the post briskly, "that—"

"It was me that was saying it," said Waster Lunny. "So, Domine," I interrupted Elspeth. "You've been roaring the story to one another till you're hoarse."

"In the forenoon," Waster Lunny went on determinedly, "Mr. Dishart preached on the riot, and fine he was. Oh, domine, you should ha'e heard him lashing it on to Lang Tammas, 'but by name bus in sic a way that there was no mistaking what he was preaching at. Sal! oh losh! Tammas got it strong."

"But he's dull in the uptake," broke in the post, "why what I expected, I spoke to him after the sermon, and I says, just to see if he was properly humbled: 'Ay, Tammas,' I says, 'them that discourse was preached against wima think themselves seen for men for a while again.' 'Ay, Birse,' he answered, 'and glad I am to hear you admit it, for he had you in his eye.' I was fair scunnered at Tammas the day."

"Mr. Dishart was preaching at the whole clan-jam-fray o' you," said Elspeth.

"Maybe he was," said her husband leering; "but you needna cast it at us, for my certie, if he men got it frae him in the forenoon, the women got it in the afternoon."

"He redd them up most mighty," said the post. "Thae was his very words or something like them. 'Adam,' says he, 'was an erring man, but aside Eve he was respectable.'"

"Ay, but I wassa a' women he meant," Elspeth said, "for when he said that, he pointed his finger at 'nowhead's lassie, and I hope it'll do her good."

"But, I wonder," I said, "that Mr. Dishart chose such a subject to-day. I thought he would be on the riot at both services."

"You'll wonder mair," said Elspeth, "when you hear what happened afore he began the afternoon sermon. But I canna get a word wi' that man o' mine."

"We've been speaking about it," said Birse, "ever since we left the kirk door. Tod, we've been sawing it like seed a' along the glen."

"And we meant to tell you about it at once," said Waster Lunny; "but there's aye so muckle to say about a minister. Dagont, to ha'e ane keeps a body out o' langour. Aye, but this breaks the drum. Domine, either Mr. Dishart wassa weel or he was in the devil's grip."

This startled me, for the farmer was looking serious.

"He was weel enough," said Birse, "for a heap o' fowk spiered at him if he had taken his porridge as usual, and she admitted he had, but the lassie was skeered herself, and said it was a mercy Mrs. Dishart wassa in the kirk."

"Why was she not there?" I asked anxiously.

"On, he wina let her out in sic weather."

"I wish you would tell me what happened," I said to Elspeth.

"So I will," she answered, "if Waster Lunny wad hand his wheest for a minute. You see the afternoon diet began in the ordinary way, and a' was right until we came to the sermon. 'You will find my text,' he says, in his piercing voice, 'in the eighth chapter of Ezra.'"

"And at these words," said Waster Lunny, "my heart gae a loup, for Ezra is an unca ill book to find; ay, and so is Ruth."

"I kent the books o' the Bible by heart," said Elspeth, scornfully, "when I was a six-year-auld."

"So did I," said Waster Lunny, "and I ken them yet, except when I'm hurried. When Mr. Dishart rose out Ezra he a sort o' puzzled round the kirk to find out if he had puzzled onybody, and so there was a kind o' a competition among the congregation who should lay hand on it first. That was what doited me. Ay, there was Ruth when the wassa wanted, but Ezra, dagont, it looked as if Ezra had jumped clean out o' the Bible."

"You wassa the only distressed critter," said his wife, "I was ashamed to see Egipie McEwan looking up the order o' the books at the beginning o' the Bible."

"Tibbie Birse was even mair brazen," said the post, "for the sly cuttle opened at Kings and pretended it was Ezra."

(To be Continued.)

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Better than rank, a thousand fold,  
Is a healthy body, and at ease."  
And simple pleasures that always please.

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The Keeney cure for dipomania is to be tried in the soldier's homes.

Laziness grows on people; it begins in colic and ends in iron chains. The more business a man has to do the more he is able to accomplish, for he learns to economize his time.

To keep house successfully use SROXO'S Baking Powder; 25 cents per pound. Made and sold only at SROXO'S drug store, 184 Dundas street.

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The best cure we know of for Constipation and Headache is the pleasant herb drink called Lane's Family Medicine. It is said to be Oregon grape root, combined with simple herbs and is made for use by pouring boiling water onto the dried roots and herbs. It is remarkably efficacious in all blood disorders, and is now the sovereign remedy with ladies for clearing up the complexion. Druggists sell the packages at 50c and \$1.

Sometimes it is hard to tell whether a man is firm in principle or simply obstinate; while the man himself never expresses any doubt.

The great lung healer is found in the excellent medicine sold as Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the throat and air passages and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain or soreness in the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in consumption.

It is always a sign of poverty of mind when men are ever aiming to appear great for they who are really great never seem to know it.

A man's wife should always be the same especially to her husband; but if she is weak and nervous and uses Carter's Little Liver Pills, as they will make her feel like a different person, "ay, so they ailsay, and dear husband say so, too."

While two fishermen were engaged at their work in the bay near Seattle recently, a large devil fish eluded their small open boat, and was killed only after a hard battle.

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In a New Hampshire grave yard there is a large marble shaft on which the following words are carved in relief: "Sacred to the memory of three twins."

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Catarrh in all its various forms cured by their new method, which consists in breaking up the cold-catching tendency, to which every person suffering from catarrh is susceptible.

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Hours from 9 a.m. to 5, and from 7 to 8 p.m. Sundays, from 2 to 4 p.m.

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J. Fulcher, riding master, has removed his business to the Gustin House stable on Dundas street. Saddle horses will be sent to any part of the city, and riding lessons will be given as before. Telephone 715.

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## RAILWAY TIME TABLES

CORRECTED TO NOV. 15, 1901.

## MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

North Shore Limited (daily) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

N. Y. Express (daily) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

American Express (except Mondays) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Atlantic Express (daily) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Mail (except Sundays) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

N. Y. and Boston Express (daily) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Accom'dn except Sunday 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

North Shore Limited (daily) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Chicago Express (daily) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Chicago L. & N. Exp. (daily) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

American Express (except Mondays) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Mail (except Sundays) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Pacific Express (daily) 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Accom'dn except Sunday 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Trains arrive in London at 8:30 a.m. 12 m and 6:40 p.m.

(Note: No trains to or from London on Sundays.)

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## GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division

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**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS**  
**BORN.**  
OSBORNE—In this city, on March 7, the wife of W. W. Osborne, of a son.  
LESLIE—At 103 Center street, London, West, on March 8, the wife of Alex. Leslie, of a daughter.  
BINGHAM—At 114 George street, Hamilton, on March 8, the wife of the late Dr. J. G. Sinclair, of a daughter.

**DIED.**  
POOK—On Wednesday, March 8, Edith Ellen, eldest daughter of Geo. Pook, aged 19 years and 5 months.  
Funeral from the family residence, No. 29 Oak street, East London, on Saturday, at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.  
Torgue, Devon, England, papers please copy.

**LEWIS**—In this city on March 9, Alice Mary, the only daughter of William and Elizabeth Lewis, aged 18 years.  
Funeral will leave the family residence, 704 Queen's avenue, on Saturday morning, at 11 o'clock, to the Grand Trunk station, for Hamilton. Service 11 o'clock; funeral 11:30.

**SCHNEIDER**—In this city, on March 5, Catherine, wife of J. Schneider, turned, aged 59 years and 5 months.  
Funeral from her late residence, 398 Ridout street, on Friday at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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**THE WEATHER.**  
TORONTO, Ont., March 9—11 p.m.—  
The depression over the Middle Atlantic  
States yesterday is now over the Gulf of  
St. Lawrence, and the cyclone, then in  
Minnesota is now central over Northern  
Michigan. A strong gale, with decidedly  
cold weather and snow, has prevailed in  
Manitoba. Further west it is fine and cold  
and in Alberta the temperature is inces-  
santly falling, with local falls of rain or  
snow, are reported from the lakes and  
eastern districts.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:  
Calgary, 6°-34°; Winnipeg, 18° below  
0° below; Qu'Appelle, 8° below—zero;  
Port Arthur, 30°-38°; Toronto, 32°-43°;  
Kingston, 32°-38°; Montreal, 32°-38°;  
Quebec, 30°-46°; Halifax, 34°-48°.

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Fine old 4-year old Whiskey, \$2.40  
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Fine old Hennessy Brandy.  
Fine old Jules Robin, \$1 per bottle.  
Fine old Club Whiskey, \$1.  
Fine old 5-year old, 75c large bottle.  
De Kuyper Gin, \$1 per bottle.  
De Kuyper Gin, 60c per bottle.  
Finest Jamaica Rum.  
Finest old Santa Cruz Rum.  
Fine old Port, 7-year old, \$1 per  
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Finest old Port, 10-year old, \$1.25.  
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275.....Job Department.

**LONDON AND ENVIRONS.**

—A. D. Learoyd, of Stratford, is at the  
Grip.

—Mr. J. W. Metherall and family have  
departed for the Pacific coast.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Ranaahan and child  
left last evening for Seattle, W. T., their  
future home.

—W. J. McIntosh slept a good deal  
during last night. He is improving slowly  
and surely, but is very weak.

—Dr. Dixon, of Galt, president of the  
Ontario Union, S. C. E. will give an ad-  
dress in St. George's school house, London  
West, to-night.

—Wm. T. Kuehl, advance agent for the  
Mattie Vickers Company, is in the city.  
The company—said to be one of the best of  
the kind on the road—appears here next  
week.

—H. S. Rose, drygoods merchant of  
Stratford, has assigned to Campbell &  
May, of Toronto, with liabilities of about  
\$15,000. The assets are said to be largely  
in excess of that sum.

—Chief Roe, of the fire department, was  
able to call on "the boys" at the central  
hall yesterday. He is recovering rapidly  
from the effects of the recent accident and  
expects to resume duty shortly.

—A correspondent, writing from Eastern  
Ontario, says: "I have a great curiosity to  
see Mr. Hymen. The unfairness to which  
he is being subjected is rapidly making  
him one of the most popular men in Cana-  
da."

—Thos. Weld's (London, Ont.) Firefly,  
1,779; dark brown, foaled May, 1885, sire,  
Fireway, 249; dam, Nancy, 1,291, by  
Pottinger, etc., was awarded second prize  
yesterday in Toronto at the Provincial  
Horse Show.

—Miss Mary Fraser, of Chicago, arrived  
here yesterday, having been summoned  
to the aid of her brother, the  
late Angus Fraser, Mr. Mackenzie, of  
Detroit, brother-in-law of deceased, is also  
in the city. The body has been handed  
over to the relatives for burial.

—At Osgoode Hall, the case of McGill  
vs. G. R. K. Company was dealt with.  
Judgment on appeal by the plaintiffs from  
the judgment of the County Court of Mid-  
dsex dismissing the plaintiffs' application  
to set aside the non-suit entered at the trial  
of the action was reversed.

—The case of the City of London v. The  
City of London, was heard by the  
Ontario Court of Appeal yesterday. The  
case was argued by Mr. J. H. W. Marshall,  
for the plaintiffs, and Mr. J. H. W. Marshall,  
for the defendants.

—A large number of the national songs of  
Turkey.

**POLITICAL POINTS.**

The recent in the East Simcoe by-  
election was concluded Tuesday at Barrie,  
Mr. Bennett's majority of sixteen being  
confirmed without going into the reserved  
ballots.

A largely-attended meeting of West  
Huron Liberals was held at Clinton on  
Tuesday to take steps towards protesting  
the election of Mr. J. C. Patterson. The  
delegates unanimously resolved to enter a  
protest, and at once raised the money  
necessary for that purpose. The convention  
was enthusiastic and animated.

**AMONG THE PRESBYTERIES.**

The Presbytery met at Clinton on March  
8. A call was sustained from the congre-  
gations of Hullett and Lonsdaleborough in  
favor of Rev. J. A. Hamilton, of Lynedoch.  
Principal Caven was nominated for the  
moderation of the next Assembly. A  
motion was adopted disapproving of Sab-  
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## TURKEY AND THE TURKS.

Merob Baghdasarian Addresses a  
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The basement of the First Congrega-  
tional Church was crowded last evening,  
when Merob Baghdasarian, a Turkish  
missionary, delivered an interesting and at  
times humorous address on "Turkey and  
the Turkish People." He was clad in his  
native costume, in the garb of the wealthy  
populace of that remote region. Rev. Robert Ayl-  
son, pastor of the church, introduced the  
speaker.

Merob Baghdasarian said he was not  
going to speak about the turkey that the  
children were so fond of for dinner, but of  
a large country. The Turkish time of prayer  
was at 7 o'clock, according to Turkish  
time, or 1 o'clock by European time. The  
speaker illustrated the way in which the  
Turk prayed, which would seem rather odd  
and surely, but is very weak.

—Mr. J. W. Metherall and family have  
departed for the Pacific coast.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Ranaahan and child  
left last evening for Seattle, W. T., their  
future home.

—W. J. McIntosh slept a good deal  
during last night. He is improving slowly  
and surely, but is very weak.

—Dr. Dixon, of Galt, president of the  
Ontario Union, S. C. E. will give an ad-  
dress in St. George's school house, London  
West, to-night.

—Wm. T. Kuehl, advance agent for the  
Mattie Vickers Company, is in the city.  
The company—said to be one of the best of  
the kind on the road—appears here next  
week.

—H. S. Rose, drygoods merchant of  
Stratford, has assigned to Campbell &  
May, of Toronto, with liabilities of about  
\$15,000. The assets are said to be largely  
in excess of that sum.

—Chief Roe, of the fire department, was  
able to call on "the boys" at the central  
hall yesterday. He is recovering rapidly  
from the effects of the recent accident and  
expects to resume duty shortly.

—A correspondent, writing from Eastern  
Ontario, says: "I have a great curiosity to  
see Mr. Hymen. The unfairness to which  
he is being subjected is rapidly making  
him one of the most popular men in Cana-  
da."

—Thos. Weld's (London, Ont.) Firefly,  
1,779; dark brown, foaled May, 1885, sire,  
Fireway, 249; dam, Nancy, 1,291, by  
Pottinger, etc., was awarded second prize  
yesterday in Toronto at the Provincial  
Horse Show.

—Miss Mary Fraser, of Chicago, arrived  
here yesterday, having been summoned  
to the aid of her brother, the  
late Angus Fraser, Mr. Mackenzie, of  
Detroit, brother-in-law of deceased, is also  
in the city. The body has been handed  
over to the relatives for burial.

—At Osgoode Hall, the case of McGill  
vs. G. R. K. Company was dealt with.  
Judgment on appeal by the plaintiffs from  
the judgment of the County Court of Mid-  
dsex dismissing the plaintiffs' application  
to set aside the non-suit entered at the trial  
of the action was reversed.

—The case of the City of London v. The  
City of London, was heard by the  
Ontario Court of Appeal yesterday. The  
case was argued by Mr. J. H. W. Marshall,  
for the plaintiffs, and Mr. J. H. W. Marshall,  
for the defendants.

—A large number of the national songs of  
Turkey.

**POLITICAL POINTS.**

The recent in the East Simcoe by-  
election was concluded Tuesday at Barrie,  
Mr. Bennett's majority of sixteen being  
confirmed without going into the reserved  
ballots.

A largely-attended meeting of West  
Huron Liberals was held at Clinton on  
Tuesday to take steps towards protesting  
the election of Mr. J. C. Patterson. The  
delegates unanimously resolved to enter a  
protest, and at once raised the money  
necessary for that purpose. The convention  
was enthusiastic and animated.

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Miss Maria Brown, of Chatham, formerly of  
Quebec, says she has much pleasure in test-  
ifying to the merits of Barkwell's Sure Corn  
Cure; that of fine corn which gave her great  
trouble, and which she had been unable to  
remove for many years, she removed in a  
few days, and she is now free from all  
trouble of the corn for this celebrated corn  
cure.

**Letter from Springfield.**  
W. S. Barkwell, Chemist, Dear Sir:—When  
in London I got a bottle of your celebrated  
Sure Corn Cure for a corn which I could get  
nothing to help. I have suffered from it for  
the last 16 years, and thought I would never  
get it cured, but yours acted like a charm and  
it is completely removed. I am gratefully  
yours, Alvin Pray, Springfield, March 1, 1888  
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No. 34. Richmond and Bathurst.  
No. 35. William and Hill.  
No. 36. Maitland and Pall Mall.  
No. 41. Dundas and Adelaide.  
No. 42. Ridout and Fullarton.  
No. 43. Richmond and Maple.  
No. 45. William and Bathurst.  
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No. 63. Elizabeth and Lorne avenue.  
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No. 71. Dundas and Quebec