



HOW WE GOT MARRIED.

A Curate's Story. It is curious to reflect how the majority of married couples may be said to have drifted into the wedded state. Some chance meeting, some trifling circumstances, in many cases the commencement of an acquaintance that ripens into a life-long union. "That not impossible she who shall command my heart and me."

Stunned for a moment, I hastily began to disengage the bear-dress; and when I got the length of my knees with my hand free, I, to my dismay, found myself in a strange room, with two strange ladies standing opposite; one young and very pretty, the other a much older one, who stood intrenched behind a chair, in which she had doubtless been peacefully dozing until disturbed by my abrupt entry. It must have been a shock to her to be awake from tranquil repose by the sight of a strange animal crawling in at the door, nor was discovery that the animal was a strange man likely to reassure her.

doubts about my steadiness of conduct, but, although only a curate, I had a comfortable private income to offer Rose, who had hitherto been a pensioner, on her aunt, and this circumstance may have weighed in my favor. It is a long time since our wedding-day; but as I look back I feel grateful to the accident which was so instrumental in bestowing upon me the sweetest and dearest wife that ever blessed a man's home. At the same time I would not advise my readers to enter strange houses wrapped in rugs, on the chance of finding another Rose.

Home and its Queens. There is probably not an unperverted man or woman living, who does not feel that the sweetest consolation and the best rewards of life are found in the love and delights of home. There are very few who do not feel themselves indebted to the influences that clustered around their cradles for whatever good there may be in their character and condition. Home based upon Christian marriage is so evidently an institution of God, that a man must become profane before he can deny it.

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How Condensed Milk is Made.

The manufacture of condensed milk is thus described in the Scientific American: When the milk is brought into the factory it is carefully strained, placed in cans or pails, which are put into a tank of water kept hot by steam coils. When hot it is transferred to large steam heated open vessels and quickly brought to a boil. This preliminary heating and boiling has for its object the expulsion of the gasses of the milk, which would cause it to foam in the vacuum pan, and, also to add to the keeping quality of the milk by destroying the mould germs. A second straining follows, after which the milk is transferred to a vacuum pan, where a temperature below 160° Fahr. it boils and is rapidly concentrated to any degree desired. The vacuum pan employed is a close vessel of copper, egg-shaped, about six feet high and four and one-half feet in diameter. It is heated by steam coils within, and by a steam jacket without—inclosing the lower portion. In one side of the dome is a small window through which gas illuminates the interior, while on the opposite side is an eyeglass through which the condition of the contents may be observed. The pan is also provided with a vacuum gauge and test sticks.

Much of the milk used in cities is simply concentrated without any addition of sugar. The process of concentration is continued in the vacuum pan until one gallon of the milk has been reduced to a quart or a little less than a quart—one volume of condensed milk corresponding to about four and three-tenths volumes of milk. Condensed milk intended to be preserved for any length of time has an addition of pure cane sugar made to it during the boiling, and usually put up in sealed cans. This sugared or "preserved" milk, when properly prepared, will keep for many years.

Discoveries Made by Accident.

Not a few discoveries in the arts and sciences have been made or suggested by accident. The use of the pendulum, suggested by the vibrating of a chandelier in a cathedral; the power of steam, intimated by the oscillating of the lid of the tea-kettle; the utility of coal gas for light, experimented upon by an ordinary tobacco pipe of white clay; the magnifying properties of the lens, stumbled upon by an optician's apprentice, while holding spectacle glasses between his finger, are instances in proof of the fact. Galvanism was discovered by accident. Professor Galvani, of Bologna, in Italy, gave his name to the operation, but his wife is considered as actually entitled to the credit of the discovery. She being in bad health some frogs were ordered for her. As they lay upon the table, she noticed that their limbs became strongly convulsed when near the electrical conductor. She called her husband's attention to the fact; he instituted a series of experiments, and in 1779 the galvanic battery was invented.

Eleven years later, with that discovery for his basis, Professor Alessandro Volta, also an Italian, announced his discovery of the "voltaic pile." The discovery of glass-making was effected by seeing the sand vitrified upon which a fire had been kindled. The making of plate glass was suggested by the fact of a workman happening to break a crucible filled with melted glass. The fluid ran under one of the flagstones with which the floor was paved. On raising the stone to recover the glass, it was found in the form of a plate, such as could not be produced by the ordinary process of blowing.

How to Keep Your Friend.

In the first place don't be too exacting. If your friend doesn't come to see you as often as you wish, or if she is dilatory about answering your letters, don't make up your mind at once that she has grown cold or indifferent, and above all don't overwhelm her with reproaches. Rest assured that there is no more certain way of killing friendship than by exactions and upbraids. It is quite possible that your friend may have other duties and engagements whose performance employs the very time you would claim, and instead of being neglected you are only waiting your turn. Perhaps she comes to you in her rare intervals of leisure to be rested and cheered and helped by your affection and sympathy. But is she likely to find cheer or comfort in your society if you meet her with doubts with coldness, or with a sense of injury, and insist upon a full account of how she has spent her time, and whether she could not possibly have come before? In nine cases out of ten she will go away feeling that she is injured by what you consider affection, and that your friendship is a trouble rather than a help.

The Luxury of Home.

Travel is pleasant. The change of air and the change of scene are beneficial alike to body and mind. It is pleasant to meet so many agreeable people, and it is delightful to look upon the varying and often beautiful scenery. Travel is instructive. It suggests new ideas, gives one a knowledge of the world to be acquired in no other way. But, after all, there is nothing so pleasant and so enjoyable as the independence and the luxury of one's own home at last. Travel is pleasant, "home is delightful."

Farm and Garden.

Canada Thistles.

The following we clip from from our American exchanges; it may be found useful to some of our farmer friends:—

We passed on to the southern extremity of the field.

"You see this large, irregular patch, differing from the surrounding land. That was a patch of well-established Canada thistles. There is not a single thistle now."

"How did you get rid of them?"

"Plowed up the land in the fall and let it lie until middle of May, then plowed every 20 days until October. The next spring I waited till June to see if any started. There were a few. Then plowed once a month through the season. Not a thistle since. Yonder was another patch. Not one now. The same treatment was given it with the same result. You see the pests don't yet have a chance to breathe. I plowed as often as said, because it seemed as often as was necessary. There is nothing arbitrary as to the number of days; all that is necessary is to keep them under."

How to tell a Good and Poor Farmer.

I believe that I can tell a good farmer by his barnyard. If I see it full of pieces of boards and rails, the wagon standing unsheltered in one corner, and the reaper under a tree in the other, the fence corners stowed with the plows nicely frescoed with mud, and harrow in the middle of the lot keeping company with the barn door, I know that farmer is not making money, complains of hard times and that if he is not careful he will soon be compelled to "out west" where the soil is rich and "they give a poor man a chance." That glance at his barn yard is enough, yet if I should go over his farm I should find more witnesses to testify to his being a poor farmer. If I should go to the house I would find the gate between the door-yard and barn-yard off its hinges, the front gate (?) a smooth rail on top of the rail-fence in front, no grass in the yard but plenty of pigs and weeds, and the house sadly in need of a coat of paint. Going out over the farm I would find the hogs in the corn field, the cattle breaking over the rotten fence, not a sign of clover pasture on the farm, and every field innocent of manure. In fact, cattle and grain will be about as scarce as clover and manure, and the only thing of value on the farm is the mortgage. Perhaps the very next barn-yard that I come to presents a very different appearance. I notice that the barn, though it may be small and even destitute of paint, is close, warm and neat, and with the sheds, affords shelter for all the stock and farm machinery. The yard is destitute of rubbish, and though the fence surrounding it may be only a Virginia rail-fence it is good and strong and as neat as such a fence can possibly be. The door-yard is clean and green, except the walks and they are clean, the gates hung on stout hinges and the house well covered with paint. Going over the farm I find it well fenced, stocked, clovered and manured, and if there is a mortgage on the farm I am it will not remain long, for where's a will there's a way. It does not take any extra facilities to tell good from poor farming, and I am sure every reader can do so.

Blasphemy.

ACCIDENT.—Martin Farrow, son of T. Farrow, M. P., was accidentally thrown from a horse which he was riding from the pasture field, and had his arm broken at the wrist. Under the treatment of Dr. Hutchinson, the arm is coming all right again.

OMYX.—One by one the old pioneers of this county are passing away, and soon the link between the past and the present will be gone. On Thursday morning last Mr. James Messer, Sr., of Morrisbank, peacefully passed away. Deceased had been in fair health till a few weeks ago, when he began to give way to disease and old age. Mr. Messer was born in Berwickshire, Scotland, in the year 1801, and was consequently 80 years of age. Emigrating from his native land, he, with his wife and six of a family, came to Canada, and settled at Morrisbank, where he continuously resided for 27 years. One son died shortly after their arrival here, and another, the late John Messer, died about eighteen months ago. The remaining four still reside here, viz: W. Messer, mer, chant; Jas. Messer, Morrisbank; Mrs. Geo. Aitchison and the widow of the late John Thynne. Mr. Messer, although in politics a reformer, took very little interest in matters political, and cast but one vote in Canada. He was a consistent member of the Presbyterian Church, and always attended in his place while able to do so.

An artesian well struck at Comber threw up a column of water nearly fifty feet in height. So much gas escaped with the water that a man passing with a lantern set, in a blaze.

The Ottawa mill hand named Beatty, who was struck on the head by a falling plank while working in the yard of J. R. Booth's mill on Wednesday, died Friday night from the injuries received.

"The curricula is reported to be making dreadful havoc among the plum trees in this section."—Petroleum Advertiser. Yes friend Richard, and the curricula have also been making dreadful havoc among the candidates for examination at the different schools and colleges this summer.

COUNTRY SCHOOL HOUSES.—The following from a contemporary hits off the custom prevailing in some sections in the matter of school accommodations:—

"It seems to be the fate of country school houses that they shall not only be painted a glaring and unsightly white, and be allowed to grow a sickly gray, but that they shall be erected in wretched waste places. Light may be desirable, but it seems to be hard on children that when the school house might have a background of woods it is built on some barren, unshaded spot, where in summer the sun beats upon it piteously, and no huge tree at "play spell" affords protection. The trustees, usually because they are economical in school matters or because they have no idea of comfort or picturesqueness, manage to select some bare, open meadow, or a stretch of useless sand waste. Anything they think is good enough for a school house. How much influence the wretchedness has on the souls of the children is incalculable."

"No," said Mrs. Goodington, casting her eyes over her specs to the silhouette of her lamented Daniel, "I can't say as I like to see a man too stout, but just a little inclined to portulancy, you know."

Fred Vokes recently saved an overturned canoeist from drowning at Lake George. After sinking the second time, the drowning man clung so tenaciously that Vokes stunned him with a blow from his fist and brought him to shore. The canoeist now threatens Vokes for assault and battery.

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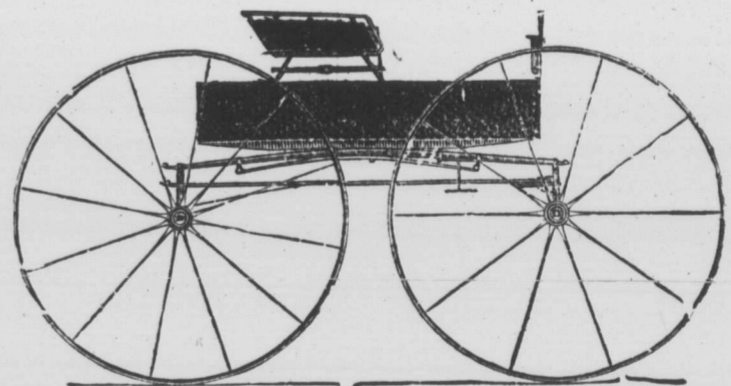
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Mr. A. Smith is on a trip to the Western States. Lucy got second money at Mystic Park races last week. Mrs. Christopher Shannon is visiting relations in town.

FRANKFORD, Mich., Sept. 12.—The steamer Columbia, of the Northeastern Line, was caught in a gale on Saturday night. The cargo shifted at a quarter to eleven on Sunday morning...

PASTOR AND PEOPLE. Ordination and Induction in Knox Church, Goderich.

Rev. J. A. Turnbull, B. A., Duly Installed as Assistant Pastor. The unanimous call tendered to John A. Turnbull, B. A., to officiate as assistant pastor to Dr. Ure over Knox Church, Goderich, and the congregations of Leeburg and Frederick Township...

righteous, and unless they repent they shall all likewise perish. Telling the truth may make enemies and alienate friends; but if he is a true ambassador he must tell the truth however unpopular it may be...

prayermeetings, etc., there will always be in his mind some discourse in preparation or in the matter of social opinions. He must have his inner circle of friends. Even our blessed Master had his. You all have your own.

THAT LASS O' LOWRIE'S. Will be commenced in our next issue. Don't let it read it. It is full of interest. HELP WANTED. "Thirty-one townships overrun by fire, 1,000 persons burned to death, and 12,000 people homeless, hungry, and almost naked..."

W. H. McLaren, of Hamilton re-visited childhood scenes in and around Goderich during the week. He likes the Amnition City. The splendid Clydesdale stallion "Drayman," valued at \$1,600, the property of D. & J. P. Fisher, injured himself in his stable so that he cannot possibly recover.

Friday—Sch. Tecumseh, from Buffalo, with coal for W. Lee. Saturday—Prop. Quebec, Duluth, p. & f. barge Enterprise and schr. Dauntless, Chatham, merchandise. Sunday—Prop. Saginaw Valley, Bay City, p. & f.; steam barge Tecumseh, Chicago, 26,000 bushels corn; schooner Blazing Star, Chicago, 17,000 bush. corn.

On Sunday morning Rev. Nathaniel Paterson, of Bayfield, occupied the pulpit of Knox church. His sermon was based on the events narrated in the last four verses of the 1st Kings. He dwelt upon the wisdom of Adonijah in accepting hold on the horns of the altar, and how the minister must also go and look after the lost.

At the conclusion of the sermon the members of the Presbytery gathered around the candidate, who knelt upon the platform, and put their hands upon his head. Rev. Dr. Ure then, in an earnest prayer, asked the richest blessings of God to come upon the newly appointed minister and all his charge.

cutting clo farm work. The average of our school. Bush and I socially to fence. Water is springing up, spring has drooped it. CROP AVE acre, 25 bush 60; peas, 54. The drought will and fall the farmers f fruit trees.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1881. OUR NEW STORY. That Lass o' Lowrie's.

SIR RICHARD CARTWRIGHT intends to address the electors of Centre Huron next month. A pressure of interesting local news crowds out editorial matter this week.

NEWS ABOUT HOME. "A child's amany ye, takin' notes. An' faith he'll prent it."

TOWN TOPICS. If you want a first-class cooking stove, call and see G. N. Davis variety. Also American and Canadian oil for frying use. Something new—the magic fluting machine.

Through the courtesy of Major D. W. Crane, late of the U. S. army, information has been obtained from the military headquarters at Fort Lewis, Col., in regard to the reported killing by Indians of Mr. Wm. Jordan. The information is to the effect that the man Jordan does not appear in any list of the killed, wounded or missing.

Presbytery of Huron. The Presbytery met at 11 a. m. on Tuesday, Sept. 13, in Knox Church, Goderich. Rev. Mr. Glendenning, of Grand Bend, Moderator, in the chair. Ministers present: Moderator Dr. Ure, Messrs. Barr, N. Paterson, I. Pritchard, A. D. McDonald, P. Musgrave, J. G. Thomson, A. Stewart, J. McCoy, Colin Fletcher and Charles Fletcher.

After an exceedingly long and formal examination before the Presbytery, during which the candidate was required to preach and expound for the edification of one or two clerical critics particularly, that body put on record its approval of Mr. Turnbull's abilities and scholarship.

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THE RED COATS. The 33rd Huron Battalion Under Canvas. The Boys in Good Spirits and Settling Down to their Work. On Tuesday afternoon the 33rd Battalion assembled on Attrim's Island for their annual twelve days drill.

Mr. Samuel Detlor, has gone off on a two weeks vacation, accompanied by his wife and family. They purpose visiting Burlington Beach and other points. A. O. U. W.—We understand that a lodge of this Order will shortly be instituted in Lockwood, by the Deputy Grand Master, assisted by brethren from Goderich.

The Minister of Public Works, in writing to Mayor Horton, among other remarks made, says that his receipts all over the country were of a very flattering nature; that he had many kind ones for coming to Goderich and many kind ones after leaving here, but at no place were such lasting impressions of an agreeable nature made upon his mind as at Goderich upon his birthday.

The N. P. was to be a great boon to the farmers. They were told that if they voted for the N. P. they would have higher prices for their produce, and they believed what was told them. They are now gradually awakening to the true sense of the position, and are beginning to perceive how they have been deluded.

The spread is as follows: No. 1, Goderich—Capt. J. R. Miller, Lieut. Beck. No. 2, Wingham—Capt. B. Willson, Lieut. Elliott. No. 3, Seaford—Capt. Wilson Lieut. Wilson. No. 4, Clinton—Capt. Sheppard, Lieut. Parr.

OWEN SOUND, Sept. 12.—Mr. P. Larkin's dredge, No. 4, and tug Eric Belle arrived from Southampton this morning in charge of Captain Caron. He reports that the schooner Regina, laden with salt, from Goderich, and bound for Owen Sound, foundered off Cove Island on Saturday night in the gale and went down with all on board.

Industrial Quebec 14 to 23. North Pe and 16. Mitchell 1 Sept. 22 and Northern and 20. Hullett I and 21. Province Turnberry and 23.

Unusual Occurrence.—The services of M. Nicholson, a doctor, were called into requisition on Friday last, to extract a tooth from the infant son of Mrs. Hood Goderich Twp. at the early age of 4 weeks. The tooth was observed at the baby's birth and lacerated its tongue, hence the extraction.

Mr. Goldwin Smith has been appointed President of the Economy and Trade Department by the Social Science Congress to be held in Dublin.

Ben Miller. Sorghum.—A correspondent writes us to the effect that Sorghum cane should be crushed a few hours after cutting, and not kept for a couple of weeks as stated in a recent number of THE SIGNAL.

Rev. Lachlan Taylor, D. D. the well-known lecturer, is dead.

MARRIED. Dewtown.—Newly by the Rev. G. A. Francis, at the residence of the bride's father, Goderich, Sept. 14th, 1881, Mr. William Dewtown to Miss Mary Newell.

SABBATH Picnic in Mid-Sept. 8th. Pleasant, as the of rain had fallen. Everything was a-pace, and the first table was taken of date taken to a of the lake on the Sunday 8th. The affair was successful in every respect, and brought to a close one of the most auspicious introductions to a pastorate that any minister could wish for.



The Poet's Corner.

Only a smile. On the crowded street one day! But it pierced the gloom of my saddened heart...

"I'll Try." You will? Well, that's a good resolve: Now keep it, little man. In everything you undertake...

Dr. Andrew Clark on Alcohol. Dr. Andrew Clark lately delivered an evening address on alcohol, in the Great Portland street school-room, London...

Many young ladies who submit to and permit such manners, or ill-manners, on the street from their escorts don't know any better...

The English Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has issued a very useful little placard to hang up in the stables...

Mrs. Ira Mullholland, Oakville, writes: For several years I have suffered from off-recurring bilious headaches, dyspepsia, and complaints peculiar to my sex...

Many of the worst attacks of cholera morbus, cramps, dysentery and cholera come suddenly in the night, and the most speedy and prompt means must be used to combat their dire effects...

ing himself for premature decay and death. He had no means of finding out how many victims alcohol claimed each year, but certainly more than three-fourths of the disorders of fashionable life arose from the drug of which he was speaking...

Jennie Cramer is the name of a young, beautiful and attractive lady whose dead body was found mysteriously floating in a stream at New Haven, Connecticut, a few weeks ago.

Her parents never seemed to have conceived the idea of her falling under evil influences, or much less that her reputation or life were in danger until called to drag her dead body out of the stream.

How she came by such an end is an inquiry still shrouded in mystery. By some she is supposed to have been foully dealt with by her male companions, by others that she committed suicide.

This fact is pressed home upon any one who observes of thousands of young men and ladies promenading the public streets of our city at all hours of the evening—we were about to say all hours of the night...

The use of the word "elegant" for "fine" strikes English ears as strange. For instance, if you say to an American, "This is a fine morning," he is likely to reply, "It is an elegant morning," or perhaps, "It is a very nice morning."

There are some Americanisms which seem more than defensible—in fact, grammatically more correct than our English usage. Thus, we seldom hear in America the redundant word "not," etc.

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English and American English. An American friend of mine, in response to the question by an Englishman (an exceedingly positive and dogmatic person, as it chanced), "Way do Englishmen never say 'I guess,' replied (more wittily than justly)...

Among other familiar Americanisms may be mentioned the following: An American who is interested in a narrative or statement, says "Is that so?" or simply "So?" The expression "Possible" is sometimes but not often heard.

The American use of the word "quit" is peculiar. They do not limit the word, as we do, to the signification "take leave"—in fact, I have never heard an American use the word in that sense.

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Ashfield.

Fires.—Bush fires are raging in the western part of Ashfield, near the Lake Shore. The fire has eaten nearly three feet deep into the ground in places, and there it smolders until a wind arises, when it is fanned into flames and sweeps the district around. People are watching their premises, lest a spark should catch and the devouring element sweep away all their property.

Dunstanon.

Rev. Jas Caswell and lady returned from Grimsby last week much strengthened and improved by their holiday trip. Ed. Caswell, son of Rev. Jas. Caswell, left here for Toronto, on Tuesday to seek his fortune in the city. We wish Ed success. The school well is being deepened and repaired by Messrs. Lowrey and Kilson. For the present the children have to carry their water from the village, a distance of nearly half a mile.

Stanley.

The Show.—At the meeting of the Directors of the Stanley Branch Agricultural Society held at Bayfield last week, it was decided to hold the Society's show in that village on Monday and Tuesday, October 10 and 11.

OBITUARY.—Mrs. Jane Gibson, relict of the late Robert Gibson, Esq., one of the oldest residents of Stanley, died at the residence of Mr. Malcolm Fisher, her son-in-law, on Friday last. She had attained the unusual age of 83 years. She was a native of Roxborough, Scotland. She came to Canada over 60 years ago, and settled in Fredericton, New Brunswick, where shortly after she was married to Mr. Gibson. Forty-five years ago she removed to Huron with her husband and settled on the London Road, Stanley, within a mile and a half of where Brucefield now stands, and she has continued to reside in Stanley ever since. The country was then one vast wilderness, but Mrs. Gibson was spared to see it one of the finest and most prosperous sections of Canada. She was in the fullest sense of the term a kind, generous, Christian lady, and to know her was to esteem her. Many of the early settlers were not a little indebted to her for her kindly advice and counsel, and she was always ready with more substantial aid when it was required. She was ever a smart, vigorous woman, and until within a few days of her death was able to be about, and only a week previously she visited her son, Mr. John Gibson, and spent the day with himself and family. She was always cheerful and contented, and it was a real pleasure to meet and converse with her. Her husband died about ten years ago, and they now rest side by side in the Brucefield cemetery. She has a brother and two sisters living in this country, the latter being her seniors. She also leaves behind a large family, all of whom are grown up and settled in life. She was mother of Mr. John Gibson, of the 2nd concession of Stanley, also of Mrs. Malcolm Fisher of the same township, and of Mrs. Wm. Murray, of Tucker-smith, all of whom are well known to many of our readers. The funeral took place on Sunday last, and was one of the largest that has taken place in this section for a long time, the procession being composed of between sixty and seventy conveyances.

Lucknow.

FAILED.—Mr. J. F. Fraser, who has been carrying on the carriage business for the last two years in this town, owing to financial embarrassment, was forced to close up his establishment. He has made an assignment of his stock, etc., to Mr. L. C. MacIntyre.

S. S. CONVENTION.—A convention of scholars and teachers of the various Sunday schools in connection with the Ashfield circuit of the Methodist church, will be held in Zion church on Thursday, 29th inst, when several addresses will be delivered by reverend gentlemen and others.

HONORS.—The following which we clip from the Lindsay Post, refers to Mr. W. Campbell, son of M. Campbell, Esq., of this village.—Mr. Walter Campbell, law student with Mr. John A. Barron, of this town, passed a very successful second intermediate examination at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, last week.

ACCIDENT.—On Thursday evening of last week a man on horseback rode up to the residence of Dr. Mackid, and informed that gentleman that a man was lying on the roadside in a dying condition, a short distance north of the "Grey Ox" Hotel. The doctor at once started for the place in company with several parties from the village, and on arriving at the scene of the accident, the wounded man proved to be Tom Miller, of this village. The doctor ordered his removal to a farm house close by, but while doing so, Tom came to—or at least sobered up sufficient to understand what was going on—and commenced cursing and abusing at a terrible rate, so much so, that the doctor's horse becoming frightened, ran away and smashed the buggy. It appears that Miller was driving from Holyrood to Lucknow, when the horse ran away, and threw him out of the buggy, his head striking against the fence, he was rendered insensible. Miller was greatly under the influence of liquor when the accident occurred, and his reckless driving no doubt, caused his horse to run away. He was brought to the village the same night, not much the worse of the accident.—[Sentinel.

The best joke of the season has been perpetrated by the London, Eng., Telegraph, which ascribes Canada's prosperity and increase of population to "the beneficent rule of the Marquis de Lorne aided by the excellent management of that most sympathetic official, Col. De Winton." On this the Kingston Whig shrewdly observes: "The Marquis has undoubtedly contributed as much to the prosperity of the country as he has to the increase of population."

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