

THE WELLESLEY

Maple Leaf

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

In just three weeks from to-day Ontario will vote on the prohibition question. In some parts of the Province considerable excitement is being worked up. This question offers a good opening for oratorical effort.

Berlin is importing a large number of Chinese to work in the best sugar fields. Between the bad crops and the scarcity of labor the county town is having quite an experience as a pioneer in sugar manufacture.

Postmaster-General Muloch has astonished the natives by announcing a surplus of \$5000 in his department. He may think he is entitled to all the credit for this but he will scarcely get the members of the 'fourth estate' to share the opinion with him. Much of the credit belongs to the publishers, out of whom this surplus is squeezed by the grinding rules he has imposed on newspaper postage in various forms. It is a gratification, however, to know that the press has been able to stand this sort of thing without going stone broke.

The election courts have, so far, unseated two Conservatives, and Ross' minority has now reached the handsome sum of 3. Although not yet out of the woods, his temptation to crow must be getting strong.

The State elections held in the United States on Tuesday last week resulted slightly in favor of the Republicans, who now control the House of Representatives and the Senate, while the President also is a member of that Party. The vote was very close, however, and had a Presidential election been on the results might easily have been reversed.

The United States has the advantage of Canada in that their elections are decided on election day, while the Dominion has to wait until the election counts decide which party is in power.

The people of the present day are apt to look with awe upon the engineering feats of past ages and to think that the pyramids, the Chinese wall, the Sphinx, etc., are marvels that the science of the world will never again be able to equal. But to-day is more than holding its own. The pyramids look puny beside the immense stone dam a mile and a half long across the river Nile near by, while the biggest sphinx must blink his eyes with envy every time he looks at the modern Suez canal. The wall of China is a play-house when compared to the Cape-to-Cairo railway or the cable which now carries messages around the world in a few minutes. No harm is done by throwing those things into the face of the Egyptian mummies which are touring the world in large num-

bers these modern days and which might be getting too gay if not occasionally reminded that they are not the only sugar coats in the field. As a matter of fact the history of ancient works can be recorded in an ordinary sized book, while the marvels of the nineteenth century in discovery, science, development and engineering could scarce be contained in the largest library. Don't worry because you are not an ancient. Be glad because you're alive now, and try to appreciate the sound view taken by the Irishman who asked "What's the world to a man when his wife's a widdy!"

V. R. BERLET.

MERCHANT TAILOR, LINWOOD.

HELLO, JACK!

Where are you going in such a hurry?

Why, don't you know, John, that V. R. BERLET, THE TAILOR, at LINWOOD, Selling Suits at quite a Reduction

Just now. That is where I am going to get an

Up-to-date Suit and Fit.

V. R. BERLET, Merchant Tailor, Linwood.

PHOTOS

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ARE THE KIND YOU ALWAYS GET WHEN YOUR ORDER IS FILLED AT

GREEN & CO'S - ART STUDIO -

BERLIN ONTARIO

HORSE HIDES WANTED!

Also other hides and skins bought by

F. BERDUX & SON

- WHOLESALE & RETAIL -

B-TCHEERS, WELLESLEY

50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE PATENTS

TRADE MARKS, DESIGNS, COPYRIGHTS & C. Agents sending a sketch and description may receive our opinion free, whether an invention is practically feasible. Confidentiality strictly maintained. Headquarters of Patents sent to the United States for securing patents. Patents taken through Spain & Co receive special notice, without charge, in the Scientific American. A handsomely illustrated weekly. Lowest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms \$3 a year; four months \$1. Sold by all newspapers. MUNN & Co, 311 Broadway, New York. Branch Office, 55 P. M., Washington, D. C.

Wellesley Stage.

Leaves Wellesley for Berlin every morning 11 o'clock returning immediately after the arrival of the Toronto Express.

Passengers and Express Parcels carried. Goods carefully delivered. Baggage and all kinds of freight handled with promptness at all reasonable rates. Draying done.

PETER OTTMANN, PROPRIETOR.

ESTRAY SHEEP

CAME onto the premises of the subscriber last week, North Easthope, one-half mile East of Amherst, about the 20th of July last, ONE WHITE FAWN AND TWO LAMBS. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away. W.M. COOK, Amherst, P. O. 29th Aug. 1902.

Horse Strayed or Stolen

On Saturday night, Aug. 2nd, 1902, a Bright Bay Horse, weight between 1100 and 1200 lbs., one white foot in front; had a halter and snaffle on when he left my place. Finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving word, or returning the animal to JOHN SCHWEITZER, DOCK.

Farm for Sale.

LOT 23, and part Lot 22, Concession A, Wellesley, comprising 120 Acres, known as the Old John C. Becker Homestead, 4 miles from Elmer's, 4 miles from St. Jacobs', and 1/2 mile from Hawkeville. The land is all well drained, fences in first-class condition and no waste land. Four Acres of good orchard. There is a good brick post-office, bank, tavern and hotel, with cement floors, wind power and modern improvements throughout. Also a wind mill for water on the premises. This section school is built on the premises. For full particulars as to terms and conditions apply on the premises, or write to the undersigned proprietor. IRVIN C. HALLMAN, Hawkeville P. O. 30-31

WET FEET

Don't worry people who buy their Foot-Wear at

C. HAMMER'S The Fall Stock

Of Boots, Shoes, Over-shoes, Rubbers, etc.,

is now in. You will find the very latest things for Ladies, Gents and Children. They are splendid qualities and marked at prices to sell. REPAIRING as usual.

C. Hammer.

THE NORDHEIMER

IN ONE OF THE MOST Reliable Pianos Manufactured In Canada.

It is made in the Nordheimer Piano Factory, by the most skilled workmen that money can hire, and is recommended everywhere as the

Leading Piano of THIS COUNTRY. Renowned and successful piano makers, having long very often a line class of Pianos, are frequently known to make honest statements against this truly excellent instrument, knowing that wherever the Nordheimer is offered for sale, and merit is left to win their own merits of filling the power of Pianos in general. Of course those who know there is a much larger profit in the cheap piano as is evidenced by the fact that they never sell two of the same but take all they can get from every buyer with. Every NORDHEIMER PIANO HAS A STRAIGHT PRINTED PRICE the lowest that such quality can conscientiously be sold at. YOU KNOW that your money buys as good value as any other music.

Our Stock includes-

STEINWAY, NEWCOMB, NORDHEIMER, WORMWITHE, HAINES & Co. and BELL.

There is not a better choice offered in Canada. Piano from \$175 up. Wanless Music Store, BERLIN.

Fall Suitings and Overcoatings

Now In

See them when in the Village.

C. D. KOEHLER,

Merchant Tailor,

Next door south of post office,

Wellesley

Ready,

AYE

Ready!



With full Lines of SEASONABLE GOODS!

READY-MADE CLOTHING of every description in Men's, Boys' and Youths', including special values in Men's Dress Overcoats and Ulsters. (On all cash purchases of Ready-Made Clothing from now till New Years a special discount of 10 per cent. will be allowed,

UNDERWEAR---Complete stock in Men's, Women's and Children's. Special lines of Men's heavy-weight, natural-wool regular \$2.50 suit, now \$2.00.

Waist silks, French flannel blousings and Heavy-weight Dress Goods in full assortments in the leading shades and Fabrics.

We have also just received some special lines of Ladies' fashions, such as:

- Patent tip Dongola Lace, at \$2.00.
- Box cuff lace, wool-lined, at \$1.75.
- ditto unlined, at \$1.75.
- A Special Dongola lace, at \$1.50.

Also full lines of Men's, Boys and Children's.

Among this week's arrivals are full lines of

Dried Fruits in season, and all kinds of Canned Goods, such as Salmon, Sardines, Tomatoes, Corn and Peas.

Don't fail to see Christmas Goods. our stock of

Reiner Bros. & Co.

Wellesley Roller Mills.

NOW IN FULL OPERATION.

Highest Cash Prices Paid for all kinds of Grain. SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO GRISTING AND CHOPPING.

The Mills are now fitted throughout on the most modern Plans.

A TRIAL ORDER SOLICITED.

CIDER MAKING and Apple Jelly Cooking while you wait. Cooking Mondays and Thursdays. FRED. DEBUS, Manager.



The Maple Leaf,

WELLESLEY.

Prints all the Local News, Reaches the best homes.

Is the best advertising medium in this section.

\$1.00 per year. Clubs with the Leading Canadian Journals.

JOB WORK.

FROM THE HEAVIEST POSTER TO THE FINEST CARD. NEATLY AND PROMPTLY DONE.



SAVED HIS CAPITAL.

A Bank President Who Did Not Forget His Old Time Friend.

"Come in in the morning, and the bank will have something for you to do," said the president of a Broadway bank to a meek looking man whose hair was white and whose eyes were marked by deep crow's feet as he left the office, with a bright look of satisfaction on his face that had not been there before.

"Let me tell you a story," said the president as he motioned to me to remain. "I was living in Iowa, and three city lots composed the capital that I looked to give me a start in business. I held on to them for a long time while working for \$35 a month in a real estate office until they had advanced in value to \$3,000, when I sold them to a St. Louis man.

"It was nearly 2 o'clock, and I hurried to the bank. I made out the deposit slip and laid it, with my gold and bankbook, in front of the receiving teller.

"It is closing time now," he said, "and you had better not make your deposit until morning."

"Charley," I said, for I knew him well, "that is ridiculous. It is a half minute before closing time, and I insist that you take my deposit. I don't want to be robbed of all that I have on earth before morning."

"I will fix it for you," he said as he gathered up the money and bankbook and disappeared in the vault with them. In a minute he was back, and I was astonished at his actions.

"I have put it in my private box," he continued, "where it will be safe, and in the morning you can make the deposit if you want to."

"Next morning the bank's failure was announced.

"I hurried to Charley's house, which was near by, and asked him about the bank.

"Yes, it has failed and won't pay a cent," he said. "Just five minutes before you came in with your money yesterday the directors decided not to open this morning. I was told to give out no information until business hours today, and that is the reason I didn't tell you. If you had made your deposit, the money would have all gone. Now it is safe in my box, and you can have it any moment you please."

"I did get it, and it was the foundation of my fortune. The man who was just here is that Charley and was the teller who saved my capital for me."

POULTRY POINTERS.

Pure water is more essential than clean grass.

Even though turkeys are good foragers it will not pay to let them go without proper feeding.

Everything in the rearing of young poultry depends upon their care and management at least until well feathered.

Fowls inclined to fatten too easily are not good layers. The flesh they carry makes them lazy, and this never promotes laying.

Middlings make a good food for poultry, but if wet up alone it is too sticky. The better plan is to mix with bran or corn and wet with milk or scalding water.

Whitewash is better than paint on the poultry houses, for the reason that it costs less, and has a purifying influence. It may be applied as often as once a month to advantage.

The properties of sunflower seed are peculiar, and a small quantity fed at the proper time will essentially aid in imparting to the plumage of adult fowls a gloss that no other grain will produce.

Gainsborough and His Career.

One of the earliest members of the Royal Academy, it was Gainsborough's custom to have his pictures conveyed to the metropolises by a prosperous London carrier, a Mr. Willsbire of Shroveton, near Bath. This man refused to accept payment on the ground that he loved pictures too well. He was not, however, allowed to go unrewarded, for Gainsborough presented him with six of his best works, and some idea of their photogenic value may be gained from the fact that when at length they were sold the National Gallery secured two, "The Parrot, Clerk of Bradford-on-Avon," for 500 guineas, and "The Harvest Wagon," for £2,500, these prices being considered low. Later "The Sisters" from another gallery realized close upon £10,000.

Nature and Poetry.

Environment aids poetry, but does not create it. Nature is the grand agent in making poetry, and poetry is present wherever nature is. It sparkles on the sea, glows in the rainbow, flashes from the lightning and the star, peals in thunder, roars in the cataract and sings on the winds. Poetry is God's image reflected in nature, as in a mirror, and nature is present wherever man is.

The Boston Boy.

"Lookin' for a bird's nest, sonny?" asked the good natured westerner of a seven-year-old boy whom he met in Boston Common.

"No, sir," replied the intellectual prodigy as he continued to gaze up into the tree. "I am merely endeavoring to correctly classify this tree as a botanical product."

Have You Tried Fletcher Johnston's SHOES?



We carry a big stock of all kinds. Recently we made a big purchase of STRAP SLIPPERS! Over 100 Pairs!! To sell for 99 cents a pair. These Slippers are worth \$1.25. All the leading styles.

Watch for the Brown Stone Front. Next to British Mortgage Loan.

Stratford

Figuratively SPEAKING!

We are just Now offering these Bargains:

Fresh Labrador Herring.....	25c per dozen
Prunes.....	8c. per pound
Apricots.....	10c per pound. 3 pounds for 25c
Force.....	15c per package
Salmons.....	10c per box. 3 boxes for 25c
Pl wider Japan Tea.....	10c per pound
Artema Mixed Tea (regain price, 25c).....	now 18c pr lb
Blue Ribbon Tea. 25c per lb, Salada Ceylon, 25c	

Plenty of other Bargains.

Highest prices paid for BUTTER AND EGGS.

AT **H. K. FORLER'S.** Wellesley, Ont.

Ink Splashes

ARE BUSINESS WORKERS—THAT IS, IF YOU

SPLASH IN THE RIGHT PLACE! THE WELLESLEY

Maple Leaf

Is scattered in golden showers all over this section every week. It is a message of profit to the reader, and a vehicle of profit to the advertiser.

We splash on the LEAF in ink; it returns to you in gold

Everybody reads the MAPLE LEAF. Everybody will see your Advertisement.

PHOTOS

That Please

ARE THE KIND YOU ALWAYS GET WHEN YOUR ORDER IS FILLED AT

GREEN & CO'S

—ART STUDIO—

BERLIN ONTARIO

Waterloo Marble Works

Monuments, Headstones —AND ALL KINDS OF—

MARBLE, GRANITE & STONE WORK —MADE TO ORDER—

GEO. B. SCHAEFER, Prop.

HORSE HIDES WANTED! Also other hides and skins bought by

F. BERDUS & SON

—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL—

BUTCHERS, WELLESLEY

proved, beyond the possibility of a doubt, by the most Scientific Men of the day, that to Lengthen Life, and to keep in a state of perfect Health, you must destroy the Germs of Disease which are constantly accumulating in the system of every living being, and producing all kinds of disease; and there is nothing in the world, they say, so far discovered, that will do this but to get **ELECTRICITY INTO THE SYSTEM.** This the

LIQUID ELECTRICITY

Thoroughly does, hus immeasurably Prolonging Life, Keeping it Vigorous, Strong, Active and Healthy.

THE NEW WONDER!!!

The Blood is the Life; Electricity Life of the Blood

The most marvelous discovery of modern times is the (relating into use of)

Liquid Electricity,

THE

Lightning CURE for all PAINS and DISEASES.

Without an equal! The Great Remedy for Pains—Internal and External. Its use as a Quick Cure for Pain has never been paralleled since the day when the Great Savior of Man was enabled to dispel pain by laying His hand on the afflicted spot. **LIQUID ELECTRICITY** is the dead shot Cure for Pain. Every PAIN immediately relieved by one thorough application. Sprains, Bruises, Stiff Joints, Headache, Toothache, Pain in the Side or Limbs, Contracted Muscles, Lame Back, Pain in Chest, Lumbago, Sciatica, are banished like magic. Read every word of the following and find out its surprising Electric influence on the human system.

Rheumatism and Neuralgia:

The Liquid Electricity surpasses all other remedies in the wonderful power it possesses over Paralysis, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Deafness, Pains, Old Chronic Lameness, Female Diseases, also all Nervousness, Sore Throat, Stiff Neck, Catarrh, Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Laryngitis, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, Asthma and Difficult Breathing. This most excruciating pain instantly stopped. Allays Inflammation, Whooping Cough, Euphorbia, Moulds, Heart Disease, Cures Congestion, whether of the Lungs, Stomach or Bowels, by a few applications, as water quenches fire. Nothing equals it for Burns, Scalds, Eruptions, Chlores, Insect Bites, Frost-bitten Feet or Ears and Sore Feet; Bowel Complaints relieved in a few minutes; Cures Cramps, Spasms, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Summer Complaint, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cuts, Wounds, Cholera Morbus, For Horses and Cattle it is equally good.

Thousands who are using it—It is the best medicine on earth for Aches, Pains, and a General Remedy; and no family should be without it in the house in case of emergency. Life is too short to suffer pain. We have enough trouble in this world—no use to add pain to our ills: The **LIQUID ELECTRICITY** is the Lightning Cure for Pain. It is the greatest CURE for Pain, whether internal or external, ever discovered.

We all know that Pain, if long continued, will bring a general demoralization of the nervous system, producing nervous prostration. Not only does the **LIQUID ELECTRICITY** cure all pain, but its administration produces most novel effects upon the sensations, something indescribable, a younger and lighter feeling, a buoyancy of spirits, a happiness of body, elastic step, leaping impulses. The novelty of feeling makes it incredibly new. Those who find themselves with wasted strength, melancholy thoughts, restless nights, sorrowing and vainly longing for a renewal of life's glorious prime, here find a means of ransoming those golden days, when the first of life burn with brilliancy. The most delicious sensations permeate the body. The Electrical Force goes through every vein, asserts its power in unknown feeling comes to the patient, renewing vital prostration, pleasant to the palate, makes young again in the aged and feeble, and rejuvenates the old and debilitated.

Nothing is stated here but what is absolutely true, all statements being deliberately and honestly made and vouched for by hundreds of testimonials. The mind staggered at the immensity of the discovery and the wide application of its use.

Liquid Electricity Given AT ONCE with its Magical Power.

As said in one of the testimonials from the

No family should be without a bottle of this **LIQUID ELECTRICITY.** It should always be kept in the house. Its use will prove beneficial on all occasions of Pain and Sickness. There is nothing in the world that will stop pain or arrest the progress of disease as quick, no matter how violent or maddening the Pain, the Bedridden, the Rheumatic, Infirm, Crippled, Nervous Neuralgic or prostrated with disease may have suffered.

For Sale at the WELLESLEY DRUG STORE.