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INDEPENDENT.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Gamey episode is rapidly becoming a strict Party affair. In parliament it did not take long to accomplish this. The country moved more slowly, but the electors now seem to have it figured out to suit their political conscience.

Bye elections are spelled "buy" elections because the "sell" is spelled with a "c."

Rural mail delivery has proven so beneficial and so popular in the United States that it is thought that system will be adopted in every state of the Union within the next three years. There is not a single "rural route" in Canada as yet.

The appalling list of railway casualties during the past winter should call for a governmental expert enquiry. The people of Canada are in duty bound to respect the British bond-holder, but they owe a deeper respect to their own lives. If it is true that the bulk of these accidents are the result of an effort to run our railways with less expense for labor, it is time the public found it out.

The small-pox epidemic seems to have been completely stamped out in Waterloo county. Medical science, strict quarantine, general vaccination and plenty of municipal money were the weapons used to defeat the epidemic.

Now comes the time of year when cellars, yards, wells, etc., need to become thoroughly cleansed in order to avoid the numerous contagious diseases which are carried by germs or microbes. The strictest methods of cleanliness, however, will not entirely ward off the danger from the myriads of insect life, for

"Big fleas have little fleas
Upon their backs to bite 'em
Little fleas have lesser fleas
And so ad infinitum."

Milverton has a village improvement association. Such an organization is bound to be of immense benefit to a municipality in encouraging flower growing, tree planting, cleanliness, parks, cemeteries and other graceful improvements that are much needed but which a municipal council rarely has time to do much for. If every village had such an association the Ontario of twenty-five years hence would have a world-wide fame for beauty.

The discussion on the Gamey charges in the Ontario Legislature were brought to a close last Friday evening. Three votes were taken—two amendments, and the Premier's motion that the charges be investigated by a commission of two judges. The motion carried by a majority of five on straight Party lines. The debate has been long, keen, acrimonious and exhaustive, and it ends brings a sigh of relief to all. In the solemnity of the first few hours after Mr. Gamey's now famous speech there seemed to be a general desire to purge the parliament from guilt at whatever cost, but as the debate progressed partyism gradually got the ascendancy until towards the end the idea of purity seems to be lost in the desire for factional interests. This feeling seems to be spreading from the parliament buildings to the circumference of the Province, the rural layman seeing corruption or innocence only

through the eyes of the political party to which he belongs.

Parliaments are intended to serve the people; the members of parliament are designed to be servants of the electors who appoint them. Parliaments will be pure or corrupt just as the electors choose. If the people show the parliament that there must be purity or a new government, honest service or a prompt discharge,—in fact if the people insist on remaining master of the country, there will surely be honest legislation. But let the people become slack in their demands for pure government, and wink at corrupt practices, then whichever Party happens to be in power can be depended upon to go to any lengths necessary, so long as they are satisfied that their acts will be condoned by the electors. It is an injustice to blame the government only for its corruption. It simply reflexes public opinion, and does what its supporters would do if they got the chance. Of late years it is proving a curse to Ontario that the two political parties are so nearly equal in strength. The Conservatives with a popular majority of 5000 votes behind them feel that they should have a better grasp at official power. The Reformers, with a majority in the House, believe with equal zeal that it is still their's to wield the destinies of the Province. Thus it is that the people are witnessing a struggle to the death between gladiators, a struggle that stops at no paltry question of imparity, so long as it points towards political advantage. The first step towards purification must come from the people—and it must come with a thud.

Country roads appear to have weathered the past winter badly. Ruts have become very deep and roads which were considered well gravelled seem to be covered nearly a foot deep with mud. The cause is ascribed to the light fall of snow and the intense cold having sent the frost down much farther into the wet road-bed so that in the soft spring weather the "heaving" process sank the gravel and brought the lighter dirt to the top. It is estimated that the expense for road repairing will be unusually heavy this year, the very wet summer of last year not only preventing many necessary repairs which should then have been attended to but left the undrained road-beds in prime shape to be severely damaged by the deep frosts of the winter just past. If this state of affairs teaches the lesson that a tile drain under the center of the road will keep the gravel and dirt so dry that the winter frosts cannot do serious injury, the lesson is, in the end, be worth all its cost. Road makers should have a three-fold object before them: (1) convenience, (2) durability, (3) cheapness. It is said that in the dairying districts the farmer's first care is to get a good cow, and he then conducts his whole farm business to suit the cow. So it may be truthfully said of the road: first properly drain the road-bed; then build and crown it; then use good gravel, well anchored at the sides so the wheels will pack instead of spreading it towards the ditches on either side. Thus a hard, dry, even, road is obtained which will last until the gravel is worn out instead of being lost in the mud beneath during the spring and fall wet seasons.

We gladly welcome discussions on road making by our local practical men, believing that the Maple Leaf can thus be of much use to the section it serves. The editor will also be pleased to receive private letters containing the writers' candid opinion on views expressed by the "Leaf" on the subject of both summer and winter roads. Let us hear from you.

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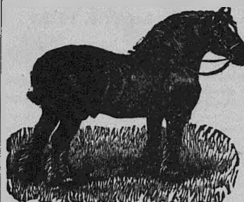
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Mr. Jos. Hayes, of Linwood, was a business caller in town yesterday.

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Photographs.—Morton's gallery—two days—April 11th and 13th—Come. C. Ottmann, jr.

Mr. Hugh McCulloch, of the Hawkesville woolen mills delivered a load of wool here on Tuesday.

Confirmation services will be held in both Lutheran churches here next Sunday at 10.30 a. m.

Messrs. Chas. Ottmann and Chris. Kennel were in Hawkesville last Thursday on a business trip.

Mr. Will Schmidt, of Tavistock, was the guest of his brother, Mr. P. Schmidt, here, for a day or two this week.

Miss Schauf commenced her duties last Monday morning, as teacher of the junior department of the Wellesley school.

See "The New Century Washing Machine," the finest washer known, at R. Kube's hardware store, Wellesley. It actually goes itself.

Union Sunday School next Sunday in the afternoon at 2.30 o'clock instead of forenoon as usual. Preaching service in English at 7 o'clock. Rev. S. R. Knechtel, of Berlin, is expected to preach.

Ratz & Fleischhauer met with a heavy loss this week in the death of a valuable Clyde horse which they paid \$160 for only a week or so ago. The animal was taken sick with indigestion and died in a few hours.

The Sunday edition of the Chicago Inter Ocean is now one of the finest of its kind on the continent. See the adv. in another column, and send a post card for a free sample copy of that great edition with colored illustrations.

If you are lover of horse-flesh be in Wellesley next Tuesday—April 7th—at the Spring Horse Show. Some of the best animals in Ontario will be among the competitors. The Wellesley Association's Clyde "Young McQueen" the champion of America, will be among the number.

The tennis grounds have been much improved for this season's play. The "clay court" has been thoroughly overhauled and is now one of the finest in the county. The two grass courts have been rolled and clipped, while the bowling green is rapidly taking shape for play. A lot of material has been purchased and the club is in a flourishing condition with a membership of about forty ladies and gentlemen.

Reiner Bros. and Co's millinery opening occurs on Saturday of this week and following days. Great preparations have been made for the event and the attractions are well worthy the personal attention of the ladies. The clerks in this store have resolved that the occasion is appropriate to show that R.B. & Co's is behind no other store in gents' furnishings, and they are accordingly making a special display of hats, ties, etc., on those days.

W. Kelterborn is giving great bargains in carpets this week.

The joint stock sale, at the Queen's hotel last Friday afternoon, drew a large crowd and the sale was one of the best of the series, a large amount of stock and property being sold.

Mr. Peter Ottmann, jr., of Toronto, is home at present on a short holiday visit. He intends to start next week for Winnipeg to try his fortune in the great west. His many young friends here would like to keep him in town.

Mr. C. Schwalm's new vehicle warehouses are now open, opposite the drugstore, although not quite finished. He is displaying a first shipment of pretty buggies and other rigs of the most modern type, and intending buyers should surely see them.

Mr. John J. Fleischhauer, wagon maker, nearly lost a finger yesterday in the planing mill. He was turning to tighten a belt when his foot slipped and in suddenly reaching out to save himself from falling his hand touched a moving band saw, and a bad cut resulted.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Altman and daughters spent the last week or so at the home of her father, Mr. A. B. Schmidt, near Amulree. A. B. Schmidt and his son, Russell, left on Tuesday for Manitoba where they will remain. Mrs. Smith and daughter expect to follow him in a month or so.

Hastings Bros., of Crosshill, have recently purchased the great Clyde stallion "Lord Charming," (imp), O. Sorby's great stock horse. He has won a reputation as a sire which few horses have attained. Last year alone his stock won seventeen 1sts and three championships at all the leading shows. He will be used in this vicinity.

A young man named William Omand, boundary line west, cut his foot quite badly on Wednesday afternoon of last week while chopping wood. The accident happened just about the same hour as young Ludwig Berg met with a similar misfortune, at Greenwood's hill on the same day, as reported in the Leaf last week. Both lads are recovering nicely, and neither will be permanently lame.

Mr. Ashton Fish, a Linwood boy, is now at Souris, Manitoba, manager and head clerk of a gents' furnishing house. Ashton has had considerable experience as a traveler the past year or so, having just returned from the South African war a short time before leaving Linwood for Manitoba. We promise that he will put life into the business with which he is connected, as well as into Souris sports.

FERRIS-DAHMS.

A very pretty horse wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dahms, Third Line, Wellesley, on Wednesday, March 25th, at 4 o'clock, p.m., when their daughter, Miss Susan, was united in marriage to Mr. Selby J. Ferris, a popular and prosperous young farmer of Crosshill. The bride entered the room, supported by her father, dressed prettily in white organdy trimmed with valenciennes lace, carrying a bouquet of roses and carnations. The knot was tied under an artistic arch of evergreens, Rev. R. F. Cameron, of North Easthope, officiating. Mr. Eck. Reiner, of Wellesley played the wedding march. After the ceremony all sat down to the sumptuous wedding dinner. The bride's present from the groom was a beautiful gold watch with chain. The evening was spent by the guests most happily in enjoying music, games, etc. Mr. and Mrs. Ferris have taken up their residence on the groom's farm, where they will be "at home" to their friends after April 15th. Guests were present at the ceremony from Dublin, Sebringville, Gadshill, Millbank, Milverton, Etors, Crosshill, Poole and Wellesley, there being about 60 in attendance. The best wishes of their hosts of friends are extended to the happy young couple.

I have a full supply of Robertson's mixed paints. None better. W. Kelterborn.

A jolly party, comprising a couple of dozen young people from the village attended a "sugaring off" party at Mr. Dan Lebold's on Tuesday afternoon and evening. They were initiated into the mysteries of the sugar-making process, from the sap to granulated sugar, under the chaperonage of Mr. W. B. West (who, by the way, is manager of our local "sugar" house). A splendid time was enjoyed by all.

ST. CLEMENTE

(Continued from First Page.)

Mr. Jacob Busch and recently occupied by Mr. David Hergott.

Mr. Amb. E. Baugh is renovating what was generally known as Schummer's old store and will move into it in the fall.

There are still a few vacancies in dwellings and anybody wishing to locate here can apply to the mayor of the town and rest assured, of steady employment in this the manufacturing center of Wellesley township.

Mr. John Boegel contemplates erecting an up-to-date residence on Factory street, between Helm's shoe establishment and Mr. Chas. Forier's residence.

The local saw mill is a scene of great activity these days. Work started about two weeks ago and the immense amount of logs to be sawed will keep the present big staff of men busy for some months. The planing mill which is also run in connection, has also been started and a busy season can be expected by the proprietor, Mr. H. E. Ratz.

LOCAL MARKETS.

To-day's quotations are:

Wheat	67c to 70c
Oats	28c to 29c
Barley	40c
Peas	55c
Corn	65c
Other products are bought at these prices:	
Butter	16c
Eggs	10c
Lard	11c
Dried Apples	4c

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Lot 26, Con. 12, North Easthope. Lately owned by Jas. McDonald, jr. 100 ACRES, no clearing. Bank barn, with good stabling, place and driving shed. Log house. Small orchard, two never failing wells. Farm well fenced and drained. Eight acres under fall wheat. Full plowing done. No better land in North Easthope. For particulars as to sale or rent apply to the proprietor, LUCIAN DEWAR, Wellesley P. O.

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An Elmira old boys' reunion is to be held this summer.

Perhaps the oldest mill in Wellington county, located at the famous Elora falls, collapsed on March 20th and was partly wrecked. It stands on the edge of the ravine and the recent high water had undermined the wall. The world-famous lone rock which is poised in midstream at the top of the falls, was not touched by the falling wall or the accident might have cost Ontario one of its most marvellous natural sights.

Drayton town hall is to be lighted by acetylene.

It is reported that Mr. Geo. Reid, G.T.R. agent at Thorndale, is to be removed to Tavistock.

J. Israel Tharpe spoke at the Board of Trade banquet in Galt on Tuesday evening.

"The Grange," a magnificent private residence near Hespeler which cost \$8,000 to build, was totally destroyed by fire the other evening.

Hespeler is to organize a Board of Trade.

S. D. Martin, a former South Waterloo license inspector, died at his home in Michigan last week.

Berlin expects a great building boom this season.

The residence of John Devitt, Waterloo township, was destroyed by fire on Tuesday night.

Jas. Warrell, a wealthy Howick township farmer, committed suicide last week. His mind was weak since last fall, the result of an accident.

John Berlot, of Wallace, committed suicide on the 26th by hanging. He was 65 years of age and owned 350 acres of land.

Joseph Hugill, of McKillop, was instantly killed near Bayfield on the 22nd by the kick of a colt he was examining.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Present poverty is often the forerunner of future power.

The girls who use extravagant language is often made feel cheap.

When men build air castles they never think to put in the troubles.

If you expect to succeed don't be continually squeaking, but root.

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We should be as careful about how we invest our time as our money.

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