

Wellesley, Thursday, August 3rd, 1903.

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**LINWOOD**  
Aug. 3rd, 1903.  
A merry party of ladies from the Wellesley tennis club drove to this place last Friday and a most excellent time was enjoyed in visiting and playing tennis. As was expected our home players were defeated by the more experienced visitors, although we managed to capture one of the sets, as the sub-judicial score shows;  
Misses I. Bellinger and M. Zinkann (W) beat Misses Edna McKay and M. Parcell (L) 6-1, 6-1.  
Mrs. Green and Mrs. L. Zinkann (W) beat Misses Lolo Spark and Dolly McKay (L) 6-2, 6-1.  
Misses D. Berlet and A. Goetz (L) beat Misses L. Bellinger and A. Fleischhauer (W) 6-2, 5-7, 6-4.  
Misses A. Zinkann and I. Bellinger were then matched against Dr. Duggin and Mr. M. McKay, the result being a tie, 8-8.  
After the game the party repaired to the home of Mrs. G. Manser, where tea was served and a splendid time enjoyed before the visitors started on their homeward journey.  
Mr. W. J. McKinley, a handsome young bachelor recently returned from ranch life in British Columbia, acted as referee during the match, giving excellent satisfaction to the players, who, as he facetiously put it, played a very gentlemanly game, not a single dispute occurring. Our ladies are looking forward with pleasurable anticipation to the return match.

**CROSSHILL**  
Aug. 3rd, 1903.  
Council met here today and did considerable business. Early in the day Messrs. J. G. Reiner and J. W. Green, of Wellesley, visited the council re railway matters and the Board passed a resolution strongly recommending that the Dominion government subsidize the proposed Tilsonburg-Collingwood railway.  
Mr. Reiner also urged the council to take more decided action with regard to winter roads. He congratulated the Board on the liberality they showed in bonusing wire fences, but thought that was not enough in view of the imperative necessity for good winter roads since the methods of agriculture have changed and improved. He made a strong plea for the enactment of a by-law compelling the alteration of fences which now cause obstruction to winter traffic, and assured the Board that the intelligence of the ratepayers would back them up in this greatly needed reform. It might cost a little extra money, but these times demand the very best service that can possibly be given in the matter of winter roads.  
Mr. Green followed in a similar strain. The Statutes provide for a municipal by-law of this kind, and he instanced the township of East Zorra, where a strong snow-fence by-law had been enforced for the past seven years. The clerk of that township was able to write that there is now scarcely a spot left in East Zorra where the snow can impede travel; and in settling the costs for altering these fences only in one solitary instance was arbitration necessary.  
The visitors were treated courteously. The Board appears impressed with the necessity for a move along this line, and it is to be hoped Wellesley township will soon be freed from the annoyance and the losses which occur every winter through the snow-blocked highways.

**FALL FAIRS.**  
Wellesley, Ontario, Sept. 15-16  
Industrial Toronto, Aug. 27 to Sept. 19  
Western, London, Sept. 11-19  
Wilmot, New Hamburg Sept. 22-23  
Tavistock, Tavistock Sept. 21-22  
No. 10 Oxford, Woodstock, Oct. 1-2  
Drumbo, Drumbo, Sept. 29-30  
Milverton, Milverton, Sept. 24-25  
Ottawa, Ottawa, Sept. 11-19  
Berlin, Berlin, Sept. 29-30  
Guelph, Guelph, Sept. 15-17  
Stratford, Stratford, Oct. 7  
Atwood, Atwood, Sept. 15-17  
Mitchell, Mitchell, Sept. 22-23  
East Elgin, Aylmer, Sept. 7-11  
Kingston, Kingston, Sept. 8-11  
Hamilton, Hamilton, Sept. 15-17  
Palmerston, Palmerston, Sept. 23-25  
Northern, Walkerton, Sept. 22-24  
Hwy., Zurich, Sept. 23-24  
North Bantam, Paris, Sept. 24-25  
Pergus, Pergus, Sept. 24-25  
Harriston, Harriston, Sept. 25  
Wingham, Wingham, Sept. 25  
Ailsa Craig, Ailsa Craig, Sept. 29-30  
Listowel, Listowel, Sept. 30  
Galt, Galt, Oct. 1-2  
Brampton, Brampton, Oct. 2  
World's Fair, Rockton, Oct. 13-14

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**Too Small to Marry.**  
When a certain couple were married the wife was sixteen years old and big and buxom. The husband was two years her senior, but slim to thinness and not up to the average in height. Ten years passed, and the couple got along as well as many couples do, but the wife was hard to manage. With the flight of time she became larger, while her theoretical lord and master added not an inch to his stature nor an ounce to his weight. One day he wanted her to do something, and she refused, at first quietly, then vehemently and finally explosively. "I'll not do it," she declared, "and I'd like to see you make me."  
"But, Marla," expostulated her husband, "when you married me didn't you promise to obey me?"  
"I did," she replied. Then, rising up his diminutive proportions, she added, "But I expected you'd grow."

**How to Make Pine Woods.**  
Farmers in the West, who have discovered, or learned, what farmers elsewhere are slow to ascertain, is that if you top off the lower limbs of balsams when they are young the limbs will not grow again. Thus the tree as lumber will be improved. It will be free of knots.  
Certain hotel owners, desiring pine lands near their hotels on account of healthfulness, asked a government forester how to get them. The reply was: "Cut off the hard woods, then turn the cattle in to pasture for three years. That will keep down the shoots of the hard woods, and the pines, which eat the avoid, will grow up, and their needles will keep down other growths."

**Tricky Dynamite.**  
"Perhaps nothing is more uncertain in the line of accidents than dynamite," said a doctor in the dangerous stuff. "You might drop a cartridge out of your hand, and it would explode and tear your body to atoms. Another cartridge taken out of the same case might be hurled from the top of a tall building and would land on the pavement like so much harmless wax, to be ground up under the wheels of heavy trucks and to be exploded with frightful havoc by the soft cushion tire of a bicycle."  
**Painful.**  
"As a general thing," says a lawyer, "one doesn't expect to find a sense of humor in the employ of a prison. Yet I know of a rather catchy reply made by a prison guard to the query of a visitor whether the existence of the guards was not a painful one."  
"Painful," echoed the visitor. "I should say it was when you consider what a number of felons we have on our hands."

**Man Should Live Long Enough to Welcome, Not Dread, Death.**  
From twenty to fifty a man should live for himself and his family, from fifty to 100 for science and humanity and after a hundred for the state. Honored, useful, in full possession of all his faculties at six score years and ten, the gray beard of the approaching future will be among the most enviable of unkindly, for the fear of death is an aberration.  
The fact is that only one man in a million at present dies a natural death. We should live till 140 years of age. A man who expires at seventy or eighty is the victim of accident, cut off in the flower of his days, and he unconsciously resents being deprived of the fifty years or so which nature owes him. Leave him a little longer and in due time he will desire to die, as a child at dusk desires to sleep. The sunnidan will pass!  
All our instincts drop from us one by one. The child craves for mother's milk. The idea of such an ailment is repugnant to the adult. The desire for sweets, for play, for love and leavening, for long walks and adventures are all impulses that have their day and pass, and the wish to live is an instinct which falls also into disuse. Only a prescient none of us lives long enough to be satiate with days - Prof. Messner's "Studies in Human Nature."

**Science and Old Age.**  
An ingenious woman.  
The fault of this generation of humankind has been found in the case of a Wichita man. His wife makes him wear tucks in the sleeves of his nightgowns, trimmed with pink ribbon so that the baby won't know the difference when he walks the floor with it in the night.  
**Against Logic.**  
A bit of reasoning of the "I made de Dumak ascribed to Bostell, "I don't desire to eat spinach, and it is very fortunate I don't, because if I did like it I should eat it and I can't endure it."  
**Costly!**  
Teacher - And what happened to Lot's wife?  
Scholar - She was turned to salt.  
Teacher - Into a what of salt?  
Scholar - Why - er - a sort of job lot of salt, I guess.  
**His Art.**  
"Why do you say he's a wonderful actor?"  
"He sat through an amateur dramatic entertainment and actually made people think he enjoyed it." - Chicago Post.

**COST OF TRAIN LUXURY.**

The Reason That Railway Passenger Rates Are So High.  
It may be asked why the railway locomotive does not pull passengers at a lower rate. Because it gives passengers 80 much room, comfort and high speed that it has to carry a ton of dead weight for each passenger. A locomotive weighing 100 tons pulls at 45 miles an hour 12 cars weighing 600 tons and containing 750 people weighing 50 tons, assuming the passengers to be men, women and children, but chiefly men, and to average 131 pounds each; 1,400 pounds of dead weight per passenger when every seat is taken. But cars cannot average more than seven-tenths full.  
The railway carries five the passenger's 150 pound trunk and sends with him toilet rooms, heating stoves and fuel, smoking rooms, dining rooms and bedrooms. These bonuses on wheels and the locomotive which draws them have to be made very heavy in order to get the great strength made necessary by high speed.  
If the railway could dispense with these comforts and luxuries and carry passengers packed closely inside and on top of low roofed, ramshackle, un-labeled vehicles like the old stage and at slow speed it could pull passengers at one-tenth to one-twentieth the price of the old stage - Engineering Magazine.

**North Pole For Bald Heads.**  
"Talking of hair restorers," said the captain of a steamer who has been a whaler, "none of them is in it with the air of the arctic regions. A man with this hair who falls to get a new crop if he goes within the arctic circle is a hopeless case. I have seen whalers who got bald when they stayed at home for a year or two and got a new crop of hair every time they went toward the north pole on a whaling expedition.  
"How do I account for it? The farther you go north the land animals get plougher. It is a provision against the cold. When the arctic winter approaches, the reindeer, the bears and other animals get a thicker coat of hair or fur. Similarly the hair on the human head thickens when you go far north.  
"It is a fact. Now, I don't want you to think that once the follicles of the hair are dead new hair always comes, even in northern regions. Sometimes, when a man is apparently as bald as a billiard ball, the follicles are not dead, and there is hope for him."

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**Cleora and His Daughter.**

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One of the most beautiful instances was the love of Cleora for Tullia. She was a woman of high attainments and exalted character, with qualities of heart and mind that peculiarly fitted her to be her father's intimate companion.

After her death he could find neither consolation for her loss nor distraction for his grief. Affairs of state, weighty matters of political and personal interest, even the sympathy of Brutus and Caesar, could not dispel the melancholy that settled down upon his soul and forced him for a time into retirement. He wrote of her in these touching words: "A daughter I had in whose sweet conversation I could drop all my cares and troubles. But now everything is changed." "It is all over with me, Atticus. I feel it more than ever now that I have lost the only being who still bound me to life."

**An Exclusive Elevator.**

There is perhaps no elevator in the world more exclusive than that provided at the capitol for the supreme court of the United States. That elevator can be used by exactly eleven people, and no one else would for a moment consider entering it except as the guest of one of these eleven privileged gentlemen. The fortunate eleven are the nine justices of the United States supreme court, the clerk and the marshal of the court. The elevator goes from the ground floor of the capitol to the main floor, on which is located the supreme court of the United States. It is a small elevator, so that, with its conductor, three portly forms of justice of the supreme court of the United States would fill it. It is one of the very latest designs of electric elevators and is finished in magnificent style.

**Separations.**

If two persons raise their glasses to their lips simultaneously they are indicating the return of a friend or relative from foreign parts. The same intimation is conveyed by bubbles in coffee or by the accidental fall of a piece of soap on the floor.

A flickering flame in the fire or an upright excretion in a burning candle is interpreted as predicting the arrival of a guest, whose stature is judged by the length of the flame or excretion.

If one drains a glass of the contents of which some one else has partaken he will learn the secrets of the latter.

**Mighty Cheerful.**

Mamma had told her little daughter that she could not go out to play, but the little maiden determined to make one more plea. "Please, mamma, it isn't very wet."

"No, you cannot, Dorothy," said mamma pleasantly, smiling a little at her daughter's persistency. Dorothy regarded her mother aggrievedly and then said, "Well, seems to me you're mighty cheerful about it."

**Bureau of Publicity.**

Mrs. Naggus—What an odd, interesting piece of furniture! It looks like an antique. Is it a chiffonier or a bookcase?

Mrs. Borus (wife of struggling author)—Neither. It's my husband's writing desk. He calls it his bureau of publicity.

**His Part.**

The Doctor—You regard society as merely a machine, do you? What part of the machinery do you consider me, for instance?

The Professor—You are one of the cranks.—Exchange.

**Retreated His Love.**

Friend—What's the matter, old man? Doesn't she return your love?

Blinded One—That's just the trouble. She returned it and told me to give it to some other girl.

**Boards and Russians.**

Clean shaven Russians are very uncommon. Nearly every man wears a beard. At one time it was the general belief in Russia that a beardless man was soulless.

**Trinidad's Lake of Pitch.**

The Great Lake of Trinidad covers ninety-nine acres and contains millions of tons of so called pitch. This is in reality a mixture of asphalt and oil, which is continually oozing up through cracks and crevices beneath the pressure of the strata of rock above.

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MONDAYS—noon at J. B. Smith's, night at J. Wahl's, North Easthops.

TUESDAYS—noon at Krenzweiser's hotel, Wellesley; night at Jacob Bueck's, St. Clements.

WEDNESDAYS—noon at Martin's hotel, in Hawkesville; night at A. Bueck's, con. 13.

THURSDAYS—noon at Geo. Hewitt's; night at his own stable, lot 5, 9th line, Wellesley.

See Route Bills for pedigrees, terms, etc.

**To Horsemen!**

The High-Stepping Sweepstakes Hackney Stallion,

**"Grand Fashion" No. 7583:**

Will be at—

Phillipsburg—every Monday noon.

Mayer's hotel, Wellesley, every Monday night.

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R. Hyde's, Hatzburg, every Tuesday noon.

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**To Horsemen.**

The Pure Bred Clydesdale Stallion, owned by the Wellesley Clydesdale Horse Breeders' Association.

**Young McQueen**

Will stand as follows:

MONDAYS—noon at Joe. Bushard's; night at Mayer's hotel, Wellesley.

TUESDAYS—at Mayer's hotel all day.

WEDNESDAYS—noon at Jno. B. Lichty's; night at Joe. Gier's, 5th line.

THURSDAYS—noon at Jas. Hagar, 5th line; night at Spahr's hotel, Linwood.

FRIDAYS—noon at Hahn Bros., 11th line; night at G. Forewell's hotel, Hawkesville.

SATURDAYS—to his own stable to remain over Sunday.

See posters and cards for pedigrees, terms, etc.

**To Horsemen!**

The Standard Bred Trotting Stallion,

**"DAN RING,"**

By Gold Ring 2, 12 1/2

MONDAY—noon at Friedman's hotel, Linwood; night at his own stable.

TUESDAY—noon at K. K. Krenze's hotel, Wellesley; night at his own stable.

THURSDAY—noon at Chalmers', Honey Grove; night at Kelly's corner, North Easthops.

FRIDAY—noon at Witte's hotel, Baden; night at market Hotel, Berlin.

SATURDAY—noon by way of Josephsburg and Bamberg.

See Route Bills for pedigrees, terms, etc.

**To Horsemen!**

The Canadian Bred Shire Stallion.

**"BAY CHAMPION"**

Will be at—

W. M. Yost, lot 2, con. 4, Wellesley every Monday noon.

Toppling hotel every Thursday noon and night.

John P. Lichty's lot 6 con. 5, Wellesley every Friday noon.

His own stable, Crosshill Friday night till Monday morning.

See Route bills for pedigrees, terms, etc.

**To Horsemen!**

The Pure Bred Clydesdale Stallion.

**"LORD CHARMING,"**

2264, 7564.

MONDAYS—noon Spahr's hotel, Linwood; night at Portway hotel, Hawkesville.

TUESDAYS—Via St. Clements to his own stable, Crosshill.

WEDNESDAYS—noon at Wm. Bigham's 11th line; night at Chalmers', Honey Grove.

FRIDAYS—noon at A. W. Robertson's, Northhops; night at Krenzweiser's hotel, Wellesley.

SATURDAYS—to his own stable.

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NO PAPER NEXT WEEK.

Following our custom of taking a midsummer holiday the Maple Leaf will not be issued next week. Back subscriptions have not come in lively enough this year to warrant us in being present at the crowning of the new Pope next week so we'll have to disappoint 'em. Creditors are notified that our business manager will spend the week in the dark depths of Hill's bush. Debtors—well it does not appear to be much use saying anything to them these days.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Snook the "Conductor's Panoh" or it always gives satisfaction.

Mr. LaCourse, photographer, was in Berlin on a business trip yesterday.

Miss Tena Ratz, of Tavistock, is visiting relatives in this village at present.

Buy a "Johnny Canook" cigar when you want a really good one. They all sell it.

Wellesley always wins at tennis. See report of the ladies' match at Linwood on first page.

Messrs. Rich'd Freemann and W. Bell, of Shakespeare, called on Wellesley friends on Monday.

Messrs. George Kube, Alfred Bellinger and John Austin, of Waterloo, were in town on Sunday.

Mr. Davis, the famous breeder, of East Zorra, was a visitor to the Wellesley Stock Farm, last Thursday.

Misses Hermina Koehler and Bertha Altman left yesterday for a week's visit with relatives at Warton.

Mr. Boyd Morton wheeled up from Toronto last week for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

The Wellesley Junior foot-ball club went to Milverton last evening to play the return match. A telephone message says our boys were beaten 1 to 0.

His many friends will be glad to learn that Mr. E. J. Arnott, late teacher of the New Prussia school, was very successful at the Trinity College exam. in Toronto. He captured the scholarships for first year in Political Science and English.

The Wellesley Fall Show Prizes List will be in the hands of the Secretary tomorrow. Among the premiums is a generous purse of \$15 for the collection of local wild flowers, pressed and named. The competition is open to the schools of the two townships. This premium is a novel, but very commendable one, drawing the attention of the children to our native flora.

### THORO'BRED PIGS SOLD.

Three brood sows were selected from the Wellesley Stock Farm by American breeders and shipped to Ohio, where they will be fitted up for showing at State Fairs this fall. A high price was paid for these animals, one of which captured two first prizes in Toronto a year or so ago, while the others were also prize winners. Mr. Hill is replacing these animals with two recently imported Improved York-shire sows, to give in a short time, when he have seven of these famous bred hogs in his pens.

Extra refined cream separator oil for sale at Mike Erb's.

Masons are at work on the stone foundation of Mr. Fred Bivour's new residence.

Mr. E. McEachern, accountant of the Tavistock Milling Co., spent Monday in town.

Mr. John Luft has resigned as baker at Dingwall's. His place has been taken by Mr. Walker of Guelph.

Mrs. Sutor and her daughter, Miss Mollie, of Gadshill, were the guests of relatives in this village early this week.

Mrs. Straebel and son, of Hesse Street, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heimpel, in this village a week ago Sunday.

Messrs. Ernest and Peter Bellinger, of Toronto, with their families, were visiting their brother, Mr. George Bellinger, here, on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heimpel and Miss Huehn were in Cassel a week ago Thursday attending the funeral of a relative, the late Mrs. Shipping.

Messrs. Geo. and William Pepler of Tavistock, and Harry of Lindsay, were the guests of their brother, Mr. John Pepler in this village on Monday.

Mr. W. C. Sheir, B. A., principal of the Bracebridge public and high school, is spending a couple of weeks of his holidays among his many friends in this village.

Mr. C. Shelter, of Jordan, Ont., is in town on a visit to his mother. He agreeably surprised his friends by bringing a bride with him. The marriage occurred last February.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bell, Miss Jessie Bell, B. A., Dr. and Mrs. Steele and little Marjory Steele, of Tavistock, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Green on Thursday last.

A railing should be placed on the west side of the street where the new cement mill-race culvert was recently put in. A drowning accident might easily occur at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McDonald, of Toronto, arrived at the home of her father, Mr. Goreslitz, here, this week. Mr. McDonald has returned to the city, but his wife will remain for a couple of weeks.

Prospective purchasers should not fail to inspect Reiner Bros. & Co's stock of stoves and ranges, wood and combination (wood and coal). The best selection in the county. Prices moderate.

In the minutes of the Wellesley council published a few weeks ago an error occurred which made it appear that 200 bbls. cement had been used in building the culvert at Reiner Bros. & Co's store. It should have read 100.

Mr. Chas. Dahms, of the Third Line, brought some stalks of oats into the village last week which measured 5 feet 5 inches in length. This is a remarkable growth even for so good a year, and far eclipses the much vaunted Tavistock record. Mr. D. stated that he had a field of eleven acres in which the oats was so tall that a man would be hid in any part of it while standing erect.

### THE RAILWAY.

The charter for the Wellesley extension railway passed the Senate last week. The Company will organize at once, and in a few weeks the bonus by-laws will be submitted with a view of commencing operations this fall.

### GREHM'S FLATS.

A meeting of the townships and counties interested is to be held at Grehm's flats at 2 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon to make final arrangements for the repair of the road at that point. The work is to be started as soon as the tenders can be let, so that this long-neglected strip of road will at last be put in proper shape. This matter was in a hopeless muddle a month ago, and but for the efforts of the Maple Leaf they would have been in that condition yet.

F. Keil's "Conductor's Panoh" and "Johnny Canook" cigars for sale everywhere. Try one; they're dandies.

A fine boy baby arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Knapp, near Berlet's Corners, a week ago last Friday.

### TWO CLUBS.

Here are a couple of "clubs" which ought to hit the reading public:

The weekly Mail and Empire (with 2 premium pictures) and the Maple Leaf from now to Jan. 1, '04.....80c  
The Family Herald & Weekly Star (with premium picture) and Maple Leaf from now to Jan. 1, '04.....60c

### LOCAL MARKETS.

To-day's quotations are:  
Wheat.....70c to 70c  
Oats.....28c to 29c  
Barley.....40c  
Peas.....65c  
Corn.....65c  
Other products are bought at these prices:  
Butter.....14c  
Lard.....12½c  
Dried Apples.....4c

### CANADIAN PACIFIC.

Farm Laborers Wanted.

Farm Laborers Excursions  
Will be run to stations on CAN. PAC. in Man. and Ont. and stations North (except north of Toronto) and south of Toronto on North Bay Section.

One-way tickets to Winnipeg only will be sold with a certificate extending to the 1st of August 1904, without additional cost, to other points in Manitoba and Saskatchewan as above. If purchase enroute as farm laborers will work not less than 30 days at harvest, and produce certificate to that effect, they will be returned to original starting point at \$1.00 on or before Nov. 30th, 1903. Tickets not good on "Imperial Limited." For further particulars and tickets apply to nearest railway agent.

A. H. NOTMAN,  
Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, Toronto.

## New PHOTO GALLERY

In Wellesley. I beg to announce that I have opened a gallery in

MORTON'S BLOCK, where I am prepared to take all kinds and sizes of photographs in the latest and highest styles.

Special attention paid to family groups. Am prepared to take outdoor views of residences, stock, etc. on shortest notice.

I have come to Wellesley to do as good work as can be got in any of the cities and towns in this section, and at as low, if not lower prices. A trial will convince you of this.

J. D. LA COURSE.

## Special Bargains.

From now until the 1st September  
I am offering;  
\$18.00 Suits for \$14.00  
\$14.00 Suits for \$12.00  
In order to clear out the spring and summer stock of suitings, and make room for Fall Goods.

### COME AND SEE!

This is your chance for bargains in up-to-date goods.

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MERCHANT TAILOR,  
Next door south of post office,  
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## Farm For Sale.

A First-Class 100-acre Farm,  
LOCATED on the Section Line at the corner of the 2nd con. one mile south of Crosshill and three miles north of Wellesley Village, contains eight acres of land. Ten acres are now in fall wheat. Balance all in good state of cultivation. Two acres of good orchard with best marketable fruit. Never failing water at house and barn. And running across in field. Land well drained and fenced on the property is a good, low, gravel built house, with frame summer kitchen and wood shed. Large barn with stable doors throughout; driving shed, pig stables and out-buildings.  
For particulars as to terms, etc., apply to the proprietor on the farm.  
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Proprietor,  
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W. B. WEST,  
MANAGER.

## For Spring

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Bananas,  
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Wellesley, Ont.

## Notice.

Residence for Sale in Wellesley.

THE fine two-story brick residence next east of my harness shop in Wellesley. There is a good cellar and the rooms are well laid out. Good well and cistern. One-third of an acre of land, with fruit trees, garden, etc. Everything first-class.  
For liberal terms and full particulars apply to the proprietor,  
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Harness Maker, Wellesley.

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**WAYS OF WINGED WOOLERS.**

**Incidents Illustrating the Conical Side of Bird Life.**

Wooling time brings to the front the conical side of bird life, and methods are as varied among our feathered neighbors as among ourselves. The extraneous of dignified courtship and disreputable scrimmages were shown by two well known birds, when the presence of a rival intensified affairs.

Two purple finches, nesting for the favor of the same sparrowlike maiden, placed themselves on each side about a foot from her and offered a musical contest. First one burst into rapturous song, flying up into the air, feathers fluffed out and snowy breast and rosy shoulders more lovely than ever. The solo finished, he dropped back to his perch and politely waited, while his rival poured out his madrigal. This alternate display continued several minutes, and apparently the umpire found it hard to choose for the eventful decision by taking flight—both suitors following.

Different was the method of two orchard orioles, one in the immature plumage of the second year, the other in the full glory of maturity. This was a wrangle, accompanied by scolding and avian vituperation from beginning to end. If the theory of selection by fine dress be true, decision should have been easy, but after a whole day's trial the fair one ended it by a truly feminine scorn of theories, eloping with her plainer suitor, leaving the gorgeous elder to console himself with another bride—which he did before the sun went down.—Collier's Weekly.

**War.**

There is, besides a pleasure in order, a very real fear of disorder. A mob, a fire or a runaway horse arouses a sensation of terror in the spectator quite apart from their potentiality of harm to himself. Mere force is not, as is supposed, the last argument of man. A civilized war would have more terrors for the stockjobber than the cottager were it not for the threat of un-governed force veiled behind the punctilio of Christian fighting. We are never quite certain of an army. The disciplined brigade which nowadays captures the enemy's capital as tenderly as it would guard its own has, nevertheless, the same badges on its buttons as those which were fouled with the mud of San Sebastian and the murder of Bazailles. It may drown its manners at any moment in a torrent of blood and tears, and statesmen and others never forget the fact. War is but the crust of the volcano. Fires of unutterable horror burn beneath. The very perfection of the discipline which controls them is evidence of man's dread of disorder, for it is only fear that welds so strongly the furnace doors.—Blackwood's.

**Diplomatic Permanence.**

It is likely to be the case in America that as time goes on and our relations with foreign powers become more and more complicated and pressing permanence in consular and diplomatic office, based upon knowledge and proved fitness, will be the rule. This may mean that it will not be so common a practice to take scholars and authors from private life and place them suddenly in foreign consulates and missions. Even so then it is likely that our literature will be enriched by the work of men who have become authors while enjoying the opportunities for new studies and broader observation afforded by the foreign service of their country. But even that if Alberto literature has contributed to diplomacy heretofore we shall see our diplomacy contributing to our literature, as has not infrequently already been the case.—Century.

**The Roman Lupetto.**

The Roman Lupetto, which is almost indistinguishable from the so called Pomeranian dog, invariably tries to bury or cover over any food given him which he does not like. If fed on a loose doghouse he will skillfully cover up the obnoxious food; if the carpet is nailed down so that he cannot do this he goes through the exact process with his nose which would turn over the plate if it were movable. The Lupetto has a general contempt for any but meat diet, and though he may descend to accept bread and milk out of deference to his owner (many of them would not make this concession), he is sure to go through the form of protest first.

**Bird-Kin Garments.**

Eskimo women wear the most curious kind of underclothing, its peculiarity being that it is made of the skins of birds. These skins, before being sewed together, are chewed well by the women in order to make them soft. About a hundred skins are required to make a shirt, and the labor of chewing the skins which form their garments is quite enough to account for the massive, well developed jaws of Eskimo women.

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