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WEDNESDAY, March 20th, 1889,

10 Head of Puro Shorthorns, five Cows and Heifers, and five Buils. The Cows are all young, are in calf or have calves at foot and have all taken prizes. Meet of the Buils are choice animals and will contain the five taken and for the five taken and for the five taken and for the state of th make good stock unis. This will furnish a good opportunity to secure first-class stock at reason table prices as the list contains some of the best animals in the herd. Certificates of registration will be furnished with animals registration will be furnished with animals sold. Sale at one p. m. and no reserve.

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Little Britain, Feb. 28th, 1889 - 39.2.

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Under the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage to the vendor which will be produced at the time of sale and in payment of which, default has been made there will be sold by public auction at the McDonald House in the Village of Untergrove, in the County of Charles and Cha

SATURDAY, 30th Day of March, 1889, at 1p. m. the following valuable property.—
All and singular the South half of the East half of I ot No. 16 in the 10th Con. of the Township of Mara, County O tario, containing 50 acres more or less. Well drained; soil, clay loam; spring creek crosses north end of los. About i acres cleared, rest standing timber. Log dwelling stable and shed on property. Three miles from Uptergrove railway station, half mile from post office.

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Right on the edge of the spring season we find ourselves hampered—seriously hampered—fer needful room in our Crockery and Glassware department to accommodate our large spring importations to arrive in a few weeks. It is not necessary that the public should know what led to this state of affairs; it may suffice that the situation is pregnant with opportunities.

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We have a large amount of private funds which we desire to let out before the middle of April at PER CENT. Other terms to suit the borrower. McINTYRE & STEWART, Selicitors, etc..

Lindsay, March 9, 1889. THROAT, NOSE AND EAR.

DR. E. A. SPILSPURY Late Clinical Assistant, Hospital for Diseases of the Throat and Nose, Golden Square, and Aural Department of St. Mary's Hospital, Lon-don, England. OFFICE, 278 COLLEGE AV-ENUE, TORONTO. Oct. 17, 1888.—19-tf.

DR. SPILSBURY will be at the BEN SON HOUSE, Lindsay, on FRIDAY, April 5th, for Consultation in THROAT, NOSE and BAR CASES. -41-2.

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A Public Debate Suggested.
(To the Editor of THE Post.)
SIR,—It is not fair for all the minist denounce Mr. Hughes from their pulpits because he happened to print a paragraph in an editorial article that straight-laced in an editorial article that straight-laced people may consider not quite othodox. It is not so bed after all. Fair play is a jewel; and if the ministers want to attack Mr. Hughes let them select two or three of their number and debate the question in public meeting in the town hall. Mr. Hughes could come these with two or three speakers, and you may be sure he would stand to his gans. He would not take back water, nor would he "hit below the belt." Will the ministers face the music! I don't believe they will. They will feel safer in their pulpits. Or would the Y. M. C. A. take it upf Not much. FAIR PLAY.

[It is doubtful if any of our ministers fit is doubtful if any of our ministers would feel it to be their duty to enter upon a discussion of this kind. We fancy Mr. W. T. R. Preston would have no hesitation in taking up "Fair Play's" challenge if requested to do so in the public interest, shough we are not aware that he is a theologian. 10c. admission fee should be charged. Mr. Barron might take up the gaunales as defender of the faith.—[Ho. Peer.

> The Old Man's Sentiments. [Te the Editor of the Globe.]

SIR,-Will you allow an old man to say a word or two on article copied from the Hamilton Times on the 17th February in the Globe. I would not knowingly lay the weight of a feather on the side of disrespect to the Christian ministry, but I de esteem them highly for their work's sake, yet for all that the Times' indictment is years the character, private and public, of public. How has the pulpit deals with its With some exceptions they have passed by on the other side. Some condoned and others covered over by fulsome adulation. Wrongs and injustices that have shocked and wounded the consciences of many a Canadian were treated by the great bulk of the ministers of the gospel, as the Scotch minister with a theological difficulty who adroitly said: "Brethren, let us look the mattee bravely in the face and pass on."

How have they treated our provincial premier, Mr. Mowat? How many et them have commended his private life, his Christian character and the morals of his pelitics? Have not the ultra Protestant ministers joined in the hellow cries of "Rose bible" and his "subserviency to Roman Catholic influence" to drive him from office, to be replaced by whom? Just think of it. The appointee of Sir John Macdonpublic. How has the pulpit deals with it?

of it. The appointee of Sir John Macdon-ald! It may be obtu-eness on my part, but I am forced to this conclusion, that our clergymen are not the kind of watchmen that I was taught to look for, and also that they are not to-day the leaders of Christian men in truth and purity in the politics of our country. I can only account for the waning influence of the Christian minister

on the above ground.

Will you pardon this—it pays to be loyal to our Dominion government. Listen to Mr. Drummond, the sugar man, and all the other manufacturers. See the processions to Uttawa. Surely, oh! surely, it cannot be that that baneful influence blinds or dulls their sensibilities. AN OLD MAN.

A Family Discussion About the Warder's Infidelity.

[To the Editor of THE POST.] DEAR Post, - When I read your article on the infidelity of the Warder, Sam Hughes' paper, I made up my mind to write and let you know what pa and ma said about the same article and the Warder generally.

Ma-Did you see that article in to-day's Warder, John?

Pa-What article do you refer to Ma-That article in which Sam Bughes says that Mahommetanism, Buddhism or any other paganism is as good as Christianity as a means whereby people can go to heaven. You know I never liked the Warder as a family paper because I did not think the tone of it was either pure, gentlemanly or Christian enough for our children; but that article convinces me that it should not be allowed inside of our door,

should not be allowed inside of our door, and I hope you will stop it.

Pa—Well, I agree with you that the general tone of the paper is not the very best, but I have been taking it so long I hate to give it up. It is the tory organ of this county, and I like to support it as a part of the party machinery. Besides, Hughes is such a rough and I fear vindic tive fellow that if I gave it up he would some day under some pretence or another

tive fellow that if I gave it up he would some day under some pretence or another attack me in his paper. You know he makes the paper a personal organ.

Ma-If you must take the paper these reasons I wish you would not bring it to the house. Leave it at the store or use it for wrapping paper. I do not want our boys to be tainted with infidel views. As for Mary—meaning me—there is no danger of any harm to her, for she is with me so much and we talk about those things a good deal.

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Pa I entirely agree with you that it is not desirable our boys should think there is nothing in Christianity, for that is really what Hughes means, and it is very wonderful the influence for good or evil a newspaper has with young people. They think everything in a newspaper is true, as it ought to be. I shall not bring it up to the house any more, but I suppose the children should get some local tory paper and I will subscribe for the Watchman. It may perhaps counteract the influence of The Post in politics.

You know, Mr. Post, we all read your paper every week, for we borrow it from our next door neighbor, and that is how I saw your article. I wish pa would subscribe for The Post. I will miss the Warder, for ma and I used to take a good deal of fun out of it correcting the bad grammar. Ma used to teach school, and she says the editorials are about as good as real exercises in false syntax. She makes a good deal of fun of Hughes when he talks about his high qualifications as a school teacher. She says he must have got his certificate a long time ago. The last sentence we had for correction was where he said "that these tracts are fit for settlement is long ago practically demonstrated." You know "is" should not be used with "long ago." It should be had "bad been," so ma says," and I guess she knows. He also says "on the same latitude" instead of "in the same latitude." Ma says that no scholar would use that phrase, and she attributes it to his having for so long a time as a teacher thought of latitude and longitude only on the map and does not now think of them astganomically. I guess ma was a gretty good teacher in her day.

Now, Mr. Poer, you are not to tell who wrote this letter. If you do I will never write to a newspaper again, and you will not put my surname to it. It will do to subwribe my Christian name. Many.

P. S.—If I have made any mistakes in grammer I wish you would correct them, as ma says you always write good English.

Shooking-Monstrons,

-When a neighbor brought me opy of the Warder to show me an article and ask my opinion about it, and about letting such reading get into our family circles, poisoning the minds of our young folks, and leading them to think disrespectfully of the Christian religion, I could not believe that a paper would print such stuff except to condemn it. I could not believe it until I read it a second time.

This is the article I refer to: "As amatter of "fact, if the aim of religion be simply to "reach Heaven, then any of the old heathen forms, or Mahometanism, Buddhism, etc., "will land the sin-struck soul in the happy hunting grounds just as astisfactorily as will any form of Christianity or the modern paganism — Romanism. The only practical value belonging to either "Christianity, or Romanism, or Mahometism, or Buddhism, is the benefit conferred on mankind in this world of sin and misery. One is as good as the other in the next for the pious believer." Now, sir, such stuff as that is shocking and monstrous. No wonder Dr. Potts was horrified. Dr. Potts ought to come and tell us what he thinks of such doctrine. People must be on ther guard against spreading it. The Lindsay preachers may preach against such scepticism if they wish, but our leaders will I trust, not simply condemn it but pray for the spiritual enlightment and salvation of the person whe could circulate such pernicious and dangerous notions. I hope that he may not have to rely on the broken staff of Buddhism or Mahometanism at the last day. Mariposa Matheodist. not believe it until I read it a second time.

Compassion for the Scotter.
[To the Editor of THE POUT.]
SIB,—Poor Sam Hughest Are these three words enough? We may well feel compassion for him. For some time past a suspicion has found a place in many minds that he was an infidel. For myself I was "true, pity 'tis, 'as true." For over thirty not prepared for his public denial of the doctrines of Christianity. But he rejects our Dominion premier has been before the | Christ when he places "any of the old heathen forms or Mahometanism, Buddhiem, etc. on an equal with Christianity. He claims that all the good that flows from Christianity is just as mighty in heathenism. Will Christians agree with him? I

think not. Did not Christ establish Christianity, and is it not the evidence of His power and goodness? Is it not a perpetual witness of his presence on the earth? Are Christians to agree with him that all the good in religion "is the benefit conferred on mankind in this world of sin and misery?"

Are Christians to believe that religion here Are Christians to believe that religion here will not benefit them hereafter? It seems he wants no Christ, Mahomet is just as good for him. He wants no Redeemer, Buddha will de him just as well. He wants no Savieur, Diana of the Ephesians is anough for him. He wants no Leed and enough for him. He wants no Lord and Master, the "Golden Caif" will suit him quite as well and better for "this world of sin and misery," as he could melt it down.

Alasi poor Sam. At the moment of your death your worldly property will be taken from you, and if you do not then inherit the redemption purchased by the blood of our Lord, alasi alasi indeed you will be peor Sam: Yes, very, very poor, and will have learned that heathauism is "not" as good for the next world as the Christianity you have scoffed at in this world.

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Will the Ministers Let this Go Unchallenged.

[To the Editor of THE POST.] SIR,-I have read the Warder for a number of years, as I am a conservative by conviction, but I must say that I was never more surprised in my life than I was when I read Sam Hughes' attack on Christianity in his issue of March 1st. To say that I was shocked only partly gives expression to my feelings. Uan it be possible that in in our midst we have an editor who is an infidel, an atheist, a believer in Buddhism and all forms of idolatry? And can it be and all forms of idolatry? And can it be possible that we have been allowing a paper, the editor of which is a wicked and profane unbestever, take our homes to be read by our hiddres. Are we living in the nimiteenth with the hiddres. Are we living in the nimiteenth with the hiddres. Are we living in the nimiteenth with the hiddres we will our ministers, the whom we fook to for so much, allow utterances of this kind to go unchallenged? Really I hope not. Talk about Bob Ingersoll and Tom Payne and other infidels, by the Warder of last week I fully believe they are no worse than our "own Sam." I have simply been a reader of the Warder and have paid but little heed to the war being waged between you two editors, but now that Mohamedanism and Buddhism and infidelity are being forced apon us and read in our homes I think it time to be up and doing. His attack on the Methodist ministers some time since was simply disgraceful and way, I believe, resented by all right thinking people. How long will this be tolerated is a question that each of us should ask ourselves. Editors should be teachers, and any paper especially a local one that enters largely into our homes. I see that the Globe has taken the matter up and it has gone over all Canada that in Victoria county, the county bearing the name of our Queen, there is an editor who believes that Mohammedism, Buddhism and paganism are equally as good as Christianity and will as readily find our sin-struck souls a place in heaven. The injury done our county and the town of Lindsay will be irreparable, and it is more in sorrow and sympathy than anger that I write,—I enclose you my address.

Ennellon Subscribers.

Cambray, March St. 1888.

—T. Granger Stewart, M. D., F. R. S. E., possible that we have been allowing a

T. GRANGER STEWART, M. D., F. R. S. E., Ordinary Physician to H. M., the Queen in Scotiand, Professor of Practice of Physician the University of Edinburgh, writes: "Hypertrephy of the heart is almost always pressent in cases of advanced cirrhotic disease of and also in the advanced stages of the inflammatory affection. One may trace in patients the gradual development of this hypertrephy advancing pari passu (together) with the pregress of the renal (kidney) affection." In a large number of these cases the kidney disease is entirely overlooked and the trouble ascribed to heart disease as cause, when in reality the kidney disease is the cause and the heart trouble the effect. This error is made easy on account of the kidney disease having no local manifestations in the majority of cases. The kidney disease can be cured by the timely use of Warner's Safe Cure and the consequence avoided.

-The Chas. L. Andrews Company "Michael Strogoss, the Courier of the Casr," to a fair audience in Bradburn's opera house Wednesday evening. The play was bright and attractive and the leading parts were excellently taken. The fact that the lenten season is now on no doubt accounts for the poor attendance of theatre-goers.

LAND PLASTER (ground by F. Beamish, Port Hope,) in bags and barrels at A. CAMPBELL'S, BOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

BEXLEY.

(Correspondence of The Post.)
FIRE.—Mr. Ball met with quite a loss by fire recentir. He had just moved into his new house, and the old one was used for stowing away machinery. He had taken up ashes and had thrown them in and they had smoldered away for two days before the fire broke out. The loss is estimated at \$100.

BASKET SOCIAL.—A large and sociable company gathered at Mr. N. Peci's last Friday evening, where a basket social was held. The evening passed by quietly and pleasantly. Proceeds, \$14.50.

BLACK WATER. [Correspondence of The Post.]
CHANGE OF BUILDING.—The G. T. R. are CHANGE OF BUILDING.—The G. T. R. are enlarging their waiting rooms and will use the present lunch rooms for that purpose. At the same time they will build a large refreshment parior where more accomodation will be given. Mr. Connor, the present manager is getting quite celebrated for the choice spread he provides.

FIME LIVERY.—In order to extend the convenience of eur village, Mr. Joseph Ruddy has opened a fine livery here and passengers coming by all trains will be transferred to their proper destinations.

WILFRID-BROCK. ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.—A pleasing surprise took place at our weekly Thursday evening prayer meeting, in which our junior minister, Rev. Mr. Raley, was presented with a handsome watch and purse and the following address: Rev. J. H. Raley, Dear Brother,—We are pleased to greet you this evening with words of appreciation and encouragement. We recegnise your faithfulness in your work, and can assure you of our confidence and affection. Your efforts to discharge earnestly and zealously your duties aince coming amongst us have borne fruit in that God has blest your work of faith and labor of love. We rejoice with you in the prosperity et God's work in our midst, and we have fer some time past been devising some means by which we could in a tangible manner give expression to the sincere love which exists between you us and as pastor and people. And in coming to you we ask you to accept from us this watch and purse as a slight token of our respect with the assurance that the entire congregation join with us in the gift; and we come praying that your life may long be spared in the work of God and that you may still continue to be the instrument in God's hands to garner many souls to lay as trophies at the fact of the Honor we love; and when the great harvest of insathering shall take place you may rejoice with us in haying the Master pronounce the welcome applause upon you, "Well done good and faithfus servant, enter thou into the congregation of thy Lord." Signed on behalf of Wilfrid congregation:—M. E. Hamell,

Geo. W. West,

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Mr. Raley although completely over-come by surprise made a suitable reply to the above address.

OMEMER.

Big Tree.—Last week Mr. Jas. Graham felled two elm trees on Mr. A. McQuade's farm west of Omemee, one of which, when cut, made nine cords of wood. Now, we would like to hear from some one who can produce a single tree that will make so much wood. Next.

Team Sold.—On Wednesday last Mr. John Bannan of Emily sold to Mr. John Williamson of Regina a fine team of horses for the handsome sum of \$300. Mr. Williamson will take the horses to Rogina when he goes back.—[Herald.

Hymenbal.—The Winnings Free Press OMEMEE.

HYMENBAL. - The Winnipeg Free Press says: Mr. Ernest J. Wood, M. P. P. for Cypress, was married yesterday morning in All Saint's church to Miss Evelyn Louise Jones, daughter of the late Rev. Henry Jones, formerly pastor in Grace church, Toronto, and years ago rector of Onemes. The comments ago rector of Onemee. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. S. Field, actor of All Saint's church. Only intimate friends and members of the local legislature were present. Shortly before ten o'clock the contracting parties took their places at the chancel. The bride was attended by her brother, Mr. S. Percy Jones, manager of the Chicago and Northwestern railway at Chicago. She was attired in a magnificent and costly She was attired in a magnificent and costly dress of heavy Ottoman silk, richly trimmed with honiton lace, and word a wreath of Orange blossoms. A beautiful bouquet of flowers was carried by the bride, the gift of Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Schuitz. After the ceremony the guests adjourned to the residence of Capt. Cottingham, where the health of the happy couple was treated. the health of the happy couple was toasted. Owing to the legislature being in session, Mr. Wood and bride intend remaining in the city for some time, but an extended tour of the continent will soon be taken. A handsome set of silverplate was presented from the members of the house.

COLDWATER. [Correspondence of The Post.]

A FRIEND IN NEED.—Rev. S. Arkels,
who served a term in our ministry in conacction with the Methodist church here, has been suffering with an enlargement of the spleen for some time past. He has gone to a noted New York physician to undergo an operation, which all here who know the rev. gentleman hope may be successful. The Rev. Mr. Bedford, the present minister, has interested himself very greatly in soliciting and obtaining abscriptions towards liquidating the great expense the unfortunate clergyman is at, and we are glad to say through his energy and influence about \$300 has been sent to New York.

THE SHANTIES.—These are now prepar ing to close after the most successful season we believe ever known. The mills around about us must this season be very busily engaged, therefore if wages keep right there will be a good time for the men and necessarily also for the village generally. BORLAND HOWSE.—The proprietor has now got a billiard room for the use of travellers and visitors. The table is a fine one and is well patronized.

ENGLISH CHURCH SOCIAL PARTY.—To welcome Rev. C. H. Shutt, B.A., to the mission in connection with this district a very nice entertainment and tea were arranged by the ladies in connection with St. Mathias' churchin this place. Between two and three-hundred partook of a tea which has certainly never been surpassed if equalled in this village, set out in the new and handsome store lately erected by Mr. G. Caswell. The entertainment was held in the handsome music hall above, Mr. G. Caswell. The entertainment was held in the handsome music hall above, which is very convenient as well as large. Mr. J. C. Steele introduced the rev. guest, who was forthwith made chairman, and through the happy speech he made was soon it home with one and all. Rev. J. Jones of Orillia also addressed the audience in his usual happy and humorous style, causing everyone to wish that he was more amongst us. Music, recitations, etc., were given by a number of ladies and gentlemen. Altogether we may say that the whole was a credit to every one concerned. We have omitted to notice the clever speech of the Methodist minister, Rev. L. Bedford, who gave both the new minister and the congregation some very good advice, which we trust will be acted upon. A new era seems now breaking in on the fortunes of the English church, which we trust may not be interfered with by dissensions in their midst. Rev. Mr. Shutt is a young man, but although he has hard work before him there is no reason to doubt he will prove a rising ornament to his vocation.

his vocation.

BUILDING.—As usual there are plenty of reports as regards handsome stores and houses to be erected, which no doubt there will be. When they are on the way we will notice them. Mesers. Black Bros., our local contractors, say they are prepared for a busy season, orders so far on hand being very promising.

weolen knitted goods. We should set that the pecuniary result to the parties will not encourage them to pay us another

Business.—The stores report a very good winter, expecting an equally successful spring. We have a new tailor, a barber and a new store since the last month has

GAMEBRIDGE.

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[Correspondence of The Post.]

LECTURE ON PALESTINE.—On Sunday,
March 3rd, the Gamebridge congregation turned out in large numbers to listen to the sermon of Dr. Wad-el-Ward, who was announced to speak on that day. The people were well repaid, as it is seldom that they have an oppertunity of listening to one who has spent most of his life in the land where most of the events recorded in the bible were enacted. Dr. Ward is a native of Jerusalem who was educated in Edinburgh, and who afterwards became a Christian.
On the following evenings—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—he delivered very eloquent and interesting lectures on Palestine and the habits and custems of the people of the country.
The lectures were well attended.

PERSONAL—Miss Kate Simpson of this village has gone to Toronto to spend a couple of weeks with her sisters, who are residing there.

We hope her visit may be a most pleasant one.

DOWNEYVILLE. [Correspondence of The Post.]

A Note of Frotion. —A great novelist has risen up amongst us. He asserts that a man played a violin in North Elmfield, whereas the violinist was in Elmdale that avening. "Truth is attractors than design."

whereas the violinist was in Elmdale that evening. "Truth is stranger than fiction." The case is reversed this time.

DEBATE.—The regular meeting of our literary society disposed of the following weighty subject "Resolved that doctors are more useful to mankind than lawyers." The chairman decided according to the arguments that the lawyers were the more useful class of men. Our society purposes to meet the Eimfield society in a public debate at an early date not yet announced. Keep yourself disengaged for the evening as a rare display of elequence is expected. Home Again.—Messrs. E. Downey and J. Houlihan arrived home from the mills last Friday, where they have been working during the past season. Mr. Houlihan was in the employ of Mr. D. Scully, and while away disposed of Mr. Scully's team to the Tonawanda Lumber Company for a handsome sum.

MANSE GROVE-ELDON.

(Correspondence of The Post.)

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LECTURE.—Rev. C. Chiniquy will lecture in St. Andrew's church here on We dnesday March 20th, at 7 p.m., under the auspices of the evangelical and missionary society of this place. Let there be a full house to hear the rev.genticman on the burning questions of the day. Admission, the usual fee.

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STORM.—Last Saturday we were favored with the roughest weather we have had this winter, rendering the roads in all directions impassible on Sunday, but they were opened up on Monday for traffic. Much credit is due the people who turned out to help in this work.

MUSICAL.—An entertainment will be held in St. Andrew's church here on Monday evening, March 18, under the auspices of the singing echool of this place. No pains will be spared to make this entertainment one of the meet interesting events of the season. Let there be a good turn out. Now, boys, den't come alone; bring your girls along.

CONGREGATIONAL MRETING.—An adjourned meeting of St. Andrew's church congregation was sheld in the church on Tuesday of last week. The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed and the reports showed the congregation to be in a flourishing condition.

BALSOVER. ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.—The people of the Presbyterian congregation in Balsover surprised their pastor on the evening of the 4th March by presenting him and Mrs. Perrin will a purse of money and some beautiful presents and the following address:—To the Rev. L. Perrin.—Rev. AND DEAR SIR,—We, the undersigned, in behalf of your many friends in the Balsover congregation, having learned with deep regret that you are about to leave us for another field of labor, desire to convey to you some slight token of our esteem and appreciation of your earnest and faithful labors among us for the last four years. During that time your devotion to the Master's work and your genial deportment have won for you the good will of all, particularly the young people among whom your labors have been specially blessed. We further desire that you will accept these small presents as a tangible evidence of our admiration. We know you will not regard them for their intrinsic value, but for the feelings which prempted their presentation. We all join in wishing yan and Mrs. Perrin abundant success, whatevas position in the Lord's vineyard you may in future be called upon to occupy, knowing that "in due season he shall reap if we faint now—Signed en behalf of Balsover congregation.

H. FOLLIOTT.

R. P. PALSLEISE,
D. C. McDougale.

Balsover, March 4th, 1888.

Mr. Perrin replied as follows:—My Deep Pro-[Correspondence of The Post. ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION. - The peo-

R. P. DALGLEISE.
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Mr. Perrin replied as follows:—My Deer Prople.—I thank you sincerely for your work of
encouragement and manifestation of your love
to me. I have only skriven to do my duty in a
humble way to my Lord and Master. To Him
I would give all the glory for the success which
has followed my labors among you. My dear
people, I feel the separation about to take place
between us Were I to consult my feelings and
attachment to you I assure you I would remain
with you. Tou are aware that only want of
strength to keep up the work in this large and
important field would induce me to leave it.
My prayer is that the Lerd may very coon send
you an under shepherd who has not the fear of
man but of God. Mrs. Perrin wishes me to
thank for your many many acts of kindness to
her. She will ever remember the pleasant intercourse she had wish you. May the Lerd
hless you and keep you all as we journey over
the tempestuous sea of life.

BEAVERTON.

|Cerrespondence of THE Post.| SPRING. -The show is fast cleappearing n this vicinity. ENTERTAINMENT. - The entertainment held in the Methodist church on Wednesday evening of last week, under the management of the Young People's Christian Association, was largely attended and a great success in every respect. PERSONAL. — Dr. Walter Hamilton is home again after spending two months in New York attending lectures, visiting the hespitals,

TEMPERANCE LECTURE. - Miss Phelps of St. Catherines, the talented temperance lecturer, will be here on Monday, the 18th March, and will speak on the evils of the liquer traffic, in the basement of Knox church, at 7.30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

RETIRED FROM FAR: NG.—Mr. William Fountain has left his farm and taken up his residence in Beaverten.

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CARNIVAL.—On Thursday of last week we had another carnival—the last of the season—at the "Twin Brothers" rink. Notwithstanding the cold and stormy night about 300 ladfa and gentlemen were present, some minety in fancy costumes. The band also attended and rendered some fine music during the evening. Some disappointment was felt when it was found that McNabb of Orillia and Booth of Bradford did not attend to take part in the two-mile championship race. Hagely, the Gravanhurst man, however, was present and succeeded in winning, having a very good second in J. Cameron, a 13-year-old hon of our respected post-master. When we say that the two miles was composed of 32 laps of the rink, and that Hageley only beat the youngster by one and a half laps, we think he can't but acknowledge he had a good opponent. Indeed some of those present appeared to think that if two more rounds had to be taken the boy would have beaten the man, the little fellow coming in quite fresh while the elder party was postty well blowed. Only two entries for fancy attaining, Messrs. Hudson of Beaverton and Slaven of Orillia. Both are very good, but in the opinion of the judges the home man was the most graceful, and consequently they awarded him the prize. The other events on the program were well contested and the decision of the judges, Messrs. Don. McNabb, Will Harrison and Jos. C. Jennett, gave every satisfaction.

HOTEL-KEEPER's MEETING. We understand there will be a meeting held at the Hamilton house on Wednesday of this week of all hotel proprietors in the county, we presume to arrange certain matters relative to the shoott act repeal vote, coming off 4th prex.

DIPHTHERIA is not cleared out yet from this neighborhood. Another case is reported and a bad one at that. There is little hope of the patient recovering.

just received at A. CAMPBELL's __ 20-2