

OUR DAILY BREAD.

(Written for THE EXPOSITOR, by J. S. Lawson.)
JANUARY 29.
Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord.—Psalm cxv. 6.

Sing to the Lord: your voices raise
In humble gratitude and praise
To Him who claims our highest songs,
Whose goodness all our lives prolongs.

JANUARY 30.
I shall be satisfied when I awake with
Thy likeness.—Psalm xvii. 15.
While travelling through this world be-
low,
Though griefs and sorrows oft betide,
My soul looks forward, for I know
In that bright land to which I go
I shall be satisfied.

JANUARY 31.
For what is your life? It is even a va-
pour, that appeareth for a little time, and
then vanisheth away.—James iv. 14.

Our life is swiftly gliding by,
'Twill very soon be past;
O may we live each day as though
It were to be our last.

FEBRUARY 1.
Looking unto Jesus.—Hebrews xii. 2.
Still may I look to Thee
Thou Lamb of Calvary;
Thy grace alone
Be my support and stay,
Thou shalt hear Thy prayer—
"Though I be well done."

FEBRUARY 3.
Behold the Lamb of God which taketh
away the sin of the world.—John i. 29.
By faith behold the Lamb of God,
Who shed for thee His precious blood;
Wash in that cleansing stream, and be
Free from all the stains of sin made free.

FEBRUARY 4.
If ye love me, keep my commandments.—
John xiv. 15.
While I profess my Lord to love,
His truth O may I ever prove,
By strict obedience to His Word,
Thus showing that I love the Lord.

Verbum.—In "Daily Bread," Jan. 20,
"not a faithful business" was misprinted
by putting "spirit" for "business."

OUR EXCHANGES.

THE Manitoba Gazette says THE EXPO-
SITOR "is a neat and cheap home paper,
well-edited and full of news."

THE Peterborough Times has completed
its first year. It is a local paper, being
neutral, not independent, in politics.

THE Phenological Journal for February
comes out as crisp as a new bank bill. We
have already made frequent reference to
its merits. S. R. Wells, Publisher, 389
Broadway, New York, U. S.

THE Farmer's Advocate is a very differ-
ent publication from the paper which bore
that name two or three years ago, and the
changes have been steadily for the better.
The Editors appear to be thoroughly im-
bued with the principle enunciated in the
motto, "persevere and succeed." Pub-
lished by Wm. Weld, London, Ont.

THE Editor of the Manitoba Gazette re-
ceived a New Year's gift in the shape of a
write to attend the Court of Queen's Bench
to answer a charge of libel preferred by
the Editor of the Liberal. The Editor of
the Manitoba has received a similar token
of remembrance from his irate brother of
the quill. Notwithstanding these "amenities"
of the Press, "the proscribed journal-
ists" pursue the even tenor of their way,"
with a calmness which makes the action
appear all the more ridiculous.

A MENTION INTEREST.—We have hither-
to been under the impression that the in-
dependent journalist was one who wrote
his own individual opinions, untrammelled
by mere party considerations. But there
is a different view expressed in the follow-
ing choice extract from the Peterborough
Times, a paper professing for its aim to
"either live or die with honour":—"The
Guelph Herald has dubbed us Grit. We
rejoice in the title. The position we have
taken is an independent one, and whatever
our own private opinions may be, we will
not allow them to appear in the columns
of the Times." We have no doubt the
Herald will promptly withdraw the offen-
sive epithet, for it is impossible to con-
ceive of an individual who could pen such
a statement being possessed of the manly-
ness necessary for "grit" in anything.

THE Dominion Parliament is summoned
to meet for dispatch of business on the 5th
of March.

HE who reigns within himself, and rules
his passions, desires, and fears, is more
than a king.

WE often live under a cloud, and it is
well for us that we should do so. Unin-
terrupted sunshine would parch our hearts;
we want shade and rain to cool and refresh
them.

A MOTION to fix the pay of Councillors
at \$1, and an amendment that it be \$1.50,
per diem, were introduced in the Council
of Draper, Ryde and Oakley. The amend-
ment was adopted.

EVERY act of sin is more injurious to
him who commits it than it can possibly
be to any other who suffers by it; it will
surely return into the conscience and per-
form a strange work there.

PAT'S EXPLANATION.—"I say, Pat, is it
true that you have taken the pledge?" said
Mike to his friend. "Indeed it is true, and
I'm not ashamed of it either," replied
Pat. But Mike, thinking himself well
qualified, sought to convert Pat. He said,
"And did not Paul tell Timothy to take a
little wine for his stomach?" "So he did,"
replied Pat, "but my name's not Timothy,
and there's nothing the matter with my
stomach."

DARWIN has recently been seriously
mortified. Having applied for admission
to the French Academy of Sciences, he was
rejected by a large majority. The reasons
given for his rejection were solely scienti-
fic. M. Moigno said "the author of the
Origin of Species" and "The Descent of
Man" has too far sacrificed science to re-
nown, and reason to imagination, to de-
serve a place in the first rank of earnest
scientists. Unhappy descendant of an ape!

PEN AND SCISSORS.

DO NOT kick every stone in the path.
More miles can be made in a day by going
steadily on than stopping.

THE Hope Cheese Factory Company
had \$8,509.80 profits from last year's busi-
ness, to be divided amongst the stock-
holders.

AT the Annual Meeting of the Share-
holders of the Midland Railway, held on
the 21st ultimo, the Board of Directors
was re-elected.

MACAULAY Township Council has re-
solved to limit the number of tavern li-
censes to seven, and to issue no shop li-
censes, this year.

WRONG-DONING is a road that may open
fair, but it leads to trouble and danger.
Well-doing, however rough and thorny at
first, surely leads to pleasant places.

THE ladies belonging to the several Pro-
testant denominations of Port Hope, we
learn from the Times, are moving for the
establishment of a "Protestant Home,"
for the aged, the infirm, and helpless or-
phans.

A CORRESPONDENT of the Bobcaygeon
Independent observes, "If a prince get
drunk, he is said to be 'exhilarated,' if a
gambler, he is 'elevated,' if a gentleman,
he is 'inebriated,' if a farmer or a
tradesman, he is 'intoxicated,' if a poor
man, he is 'in a brutal and disgusting
state of drunkenness.'"

A PORTLAND fruit dealer caught an ur-
chin stealing nuts the other day, and pro-
ceeded to administer condign punishment.
The boy begged to be released, because he
had been recently vaccinated fresh from
the cow. "What has that to do with it?"
shouted the infuriated fruit dealer. "She
was a hooking cow, and it got into my
blood."

DEPUTATIONS from Bracebridge attended
the meeting of the several Councils of the
municipalities of Muskoka Tp., Watt &
Cardwell, and Draper, Ryde & Oakley,
to urge the desirability of those and other
northern townships petitioning to be for-
med into a County. They are reported as
having got one signature at the meeting in
the municipality last named above.

A DEPUTATION from Muskoka has been
in Toronto, to wait upon the Government,
relative to county formation. The Gazette
says they report the result of the interview
with the members of the Government as
quite satisfactory. Amongst other bene-
fits which will arise from the visit, will be
the erection of a new bridge at the Falls,
in this village. We are also informed that
taut encouragement was given by Mr.
McKellar, to the "County Agricultural
Society."

RISE HIGHER.—When the birds are fly-
ing over, and the fowler lies in wait for
them, if they fly low, at every discharge
of the fowler's gun some fall, some are
wounded, and some, swerving sideways,
plunge into the thicket and hide them-
selves. But you will find that immediately
after the first discharge of the gun the
flock rise and fly higher. And at the next
discharge they rise and fly still higher.
And not many times has the plucking shot
thinned their number before they take so
high a level that no longer the fowler aims
at them, because they are above the reach
of his shot. When troubles come upon
you, fly higher, and if they strike you, fly
still higher. And by-and-by you will rise
so high in spiritual life, that your affec-
tions will be set on things so entirely above
that these troubles shall not be able to
touch you. So long as the shot strikes
you, so long hear the word of God saying
to you, "Rise higher."

MINGLING WITH STRANGERS.—The ef-
fect of mingling with new people, who have
new ideas and new methods of thought, is
very salutary. Always to see the same peo-
ple, do the same things, feel the same way,
produces a stagnant condition of the mind
and heart that is very distressing to be-
hold. There are thousands of invalids
who might be greatly benefited by get-
ting away from home, if only for a short
time, to mingle with strangers, and to be
fouled with the magnetism of the great
world as it courses in its accustomed rounds.
And there are mental and moral invalids
who need the same change to get their
minds and hearts enlarged, and let in a
little more of the great light of life. Out-
side influences are very valuable to those
who at home have been very well trained
by healthful influences in early youth, so
that they can avoid the snares and pitfalls
into which these often so blindly fall.

THORAX COUNCIL met on the 20th in-
stant. By-Law passed appointing Mr.
Thomas Glasford, Assessor; Mr. John An-
derson, Inspector of Licenses; Messrs. N.
F. Paterson and George F. Bruce, Audi-
tors. The time for the Collector to return
his Roll extended until the 1st of March.
Certificates for Tavern Licenses granted
to Messrs. Hamilton, Glover, McNabb,
Munroe and Brennan; and Shop Licenses
to Messrs. Davidson and P. D. McArthur.
By-Law passed repealing clause 4, sec. 5
of By-Law No. 6 of 1861 and substituting
the following: That the Inspector of Li-
censes shall institute proceedings against
all parties selling liquors without license,
and against all parties committing offences
against the By-laws of the Township or
the Statutes of the Province, relating to
Inns and Houses of Public Entertainment,
when required to do so by any person who
will furnish evidence of the offence, or upon
his being personally cognizant of the facts
of the case, and that he shall at all times
use all diligence to prevent infractions of
the By-laws and Statutes regulating Inns
and Houses of Public Entertainment. It
was ordered that fifty copies of the amended
By-Law be printed. Mr. Angus Gillespie
was authorized to take two pine trees on
the bank of the Lake on the allowance for
road between the 2nd and 3rd Concessions,
upon his paying the sum of One Dollar
therefor. Accounts to the amount of
\$55.38 presented and ordered to be paid.
Council adjourned until Monday, 1st of
March.

Our Wheat Prospects.

Our wheat, which looked remarkably
well when the snow covered it on the set-
ting in of winter, is now in a precarious
position. The thaw and heavy rains that
set in between the 8th and 14th of Janu-
ary, turned the snow into water, and the
frost setting in again before the water
could escape, has coated the wheat fields
in this locality with a sheet of ice. This
is one of the most dangerous positions our
wheat can be in, and we fear much dam-
age may be done to the plant. At the
same time we do not say that our pros-
pects are hopeless. Our wheat crop is in
a position of great danger, but all that is
in danger is not lost; it may yet do well.
But threatened danger should make us
act with prudent caution in all our specu-
lations. If our wheat should be a short
crop, a depression will affect the money
market, and many enterprising farmers
may fail unless they act with caution in
entering into liabilities. Land has gone
up to a high price, and many are purchas-
ing to hold. We would suggest that great-
er caution be taken this year than usual.
Remember the old adage: "After a storm
comes a calm," and not vice versa. You
have had a long calm lately. Put a reef on
the expenses in time. There are not many
of our readers that may require this hint,
still some may perhaps heed it when too
late, as we are impressed with the belief
that a depression in the value of most
kinds of property will take place before
many months pass away.—Farmers' Ad-
vocate.

LAST YEAR 28 births, 5 marriages and 5
deaths were registered in the township of
Draper, Muskoka.

HARMONY exists in difference no less
than in likeness, if only the same key-note
govern both parts.

In private watch your thoughts. In the
family watch your temper. In company
watch your tongue.

A Young Men's Christian Association
has been formed in Lindsay. They begin
with only thirteen members.

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