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Hon Wilfred Laurier will address a public meeting in the town of Durham on Monday, September 18.

THE HOME RULE BILL.

The Irish Home Rule Bill has passed its third reading in the British House of Commons, and now only remains to be endorsed by the House of Lords. Those who have been relying upon that august body to bark the measure are very likely to have had that reliance misplaced, and it is quite within the probabilities that the next year will witness this second great Irish William triumphant "king of the castle." A cable despatch from London to the New York Times says: All this talk about the House of Lords throwing out the home rule bill again and again and still again, which really sounded quite formidable yesterday, has become obvious and unmitigated bosh over night. There is no precedent in the history of modern England for the failure of any great measure to become law when once the Commons had said it should be. The deceased wife's sister bill is the solitary concession made to the Lords spiritual and temporal. They are annually allowed to worry, shake and growl over this and finally throw it out, but this is merely to amuse them. They know well enough that there is a very peremptory, sharp-edged limit to what they may safely do. In this line they know they have got to pass the home rule bill within the next year or two as certain as fate. Everybody else recognizes this now. The only question open is how much sport their Lordships will dare to show before they take their medicine.

A Cycle Trip.

MAPLE VALLEY—DUNEDIN—THE BLUE MOUNTAINS—A FEW MEMORIES OF THE PAST BY THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL EDITOR.

Our agricultural and archaeological editor took an interesting journey into south-eastern Osprey and through a portion of Nottawasaga on Thursday afternoon of last week which the said A. and A. editor considers worth talking about. Leaving Flesherton at 12 m. the first stop was made at Maple Valley, 2 1/2 miles east of Badjeros, on the town line Osprey and Nottawasaga, 21 miles from Flesherton. This portion of Osprey is the finest farming section of the township which we have yet visited. From Badjeros eastward the farms show evidence of thrift and prosperity. Magnificent brick residences, orchards well kept, farms well tilled and with all modern appliances, including wind mills for water-raising purposes, make this section of country a pleasant abode. Among the most prosperous of husbandmen may be mentioned the Gibson family, who have several magnificent farms adorned with beautiful residences and surroundings. There are also many other prosperous farmers here whose names we did not learn. Maple Valley contains a post-office, kept by Mr. Locke Bowerman; a blacksmith shop, and until a few weeks ago a general store, the proprietor of which removed to Singhampton lately to sell to the Patrons. It is said there is a good opening at Maple Valley for a general store.

From this point the Ag'l editor sunk his identity and the Archaeological quali-

fications asserted themselves. Pointing the pneumatic eastward a steep descent was soon entered upon and the "blue mountains" encountered. The road winds down and down among the hills until the level of a little river is reached. Following the course of this river through its narrow valley for about three miles we arrive suddenly upon a small village nestled between the towering hills which protect it on all sides. This is Dunedin. Upon a first view one feels like dropping the first syllable. The children were tripping home from school, and if one were not to make too close an inspection it would require no great stretch of the imagination to deem them the cherubic guardians of this Edenic vale. A greater intimacy, however, and closer view would reveal evidences of their human, mud-pie loving qualities, and that they revelled in the same mundane element in which the archaeological editor did when a boy. Calling at the residence of Mr. Jude Bowerman, one of the early pioneers, we were treated to an interesting half-hour's conversation with that gentleman upon early times in that vicinity. When the first settlers arrived here the whole country presented the appearance of having been cleared at one time, and only small trees were growing. Two hundred and forty years ago this was the home of the Tobacco nation of Huron Indians, and they were an agricultural people, growing corn, pumpkins, tobacco, and other native vegetables. This accounts for the park-like appearance of the country when European settlers first entered it. It is now 244 years since the last Huron was expelled from what is now the county of Simcoe by their terrible foe, the Iroquois. Two miles north of Dunedin we visited an old Indian ossuary which was dug over years ago, and out of which were got three copper kettles, beside many other curiosities. This visit we made under the guidance of a handsome little golden haired maiden of fourteen, who appeared to take quite a keen interest in the subject. The pit still contains a large number of bones, beads, etc. It is on the apex of a hill overlooking Creemore, and what are called the pine plains. The prospect is magnificent. A mile below runs the H. & N. W. railway, and away to the east at New Lowell can be seen the smoke of Northern engines as they speed across the country. Let us sit down and discuss the great transformation scene. Early in the 17th century this country was peopled with a primitive people who lived by agriculture and the chase. In 1649 they were annihilated by the Iroquois. Then for nearly two centuries the place remained a waste. After that came the Irishman, the Scotchman and the Englishman, when the waste places "blossomed as the rose" and civilization gave place to solitude. The early pioneers discovered remnants of the aboriginal inhabitants in ossuaries where their dead were buried, and unearthed their rude implements of warfare or domestic use, and in some cases the remains of their villas, as were discovered by earth-covered beds of ashes and embers. It was at a Huron village among these blue mountains that Father Garnier, the devoted and heroic Jesuit priest, was murdered by Iroquois in 1649, along with the entire village, he having refused to quit his mission, though knowing the danger that threatened. In the same year Breboont and Lalemant paid the penalty of death for their zeal, and Daniel the year before. Bloody scenes were witnessed among these towering hills in those days. Now all is smiling peace, and hill and valley answer to the ploughshare point in golden harvest. We were told that among these hills, though difficult to till, a failure of crop is unknown. A good yield is always assured, and when the yield is fair elsewhere it is bountiful here. But while we linger gazing upon the peaceful landscape spread before us, old Sol sinks behind the western crest of hills, and parcelling up a few curios which have been secured, we mount our wheel and scurry away westward over hill and valley, arriving at home about 10 p. m.

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Flour.....	\$3 35 to \$	68
Fall Wheat.....	65 to	65
Spring Wheat.....	30 to	30
Barley.....	38 to	38
Oats.....	54 to	54
Peas.....	17 to	18
Butter.....	11 to	11
Eggs, fresh.....	75 to	75
Potatoes 100 lbs.....	7 00 to	7 25
Pork.....	6 00 to	6 00
Hay per ton.....	3 00 to	3 00
Hides.....	50 to	1 00
Sheepskins.....	10 to	8
Goose.....	15 to	12
Turkeys.....	50 to	40
Chickens per pair.....	75 to	70
Ducks per pair.....	17 to	16
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ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE.
—Regular Council meets every Tuesday evening in Sproule's block at 8 p. m. Select degree (insurance) meets monthly, the Wednesday preceding the 22nd of each month.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—This sect meets in Dr. Christie's Hall every Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Visiting brethren invited. Insurance in connection.

PRINCE ARTHUR LODGE No. 333, A. F. & A. M. meet in the Masonic Hall, Strain's Block, Flesherton, every Friday on or before the full moon. A. S. Vandusen, W. M. R. J. Sproul, Secretary.

J. B. SLOAN

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WM. CARR,
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AUGUST 28, 1893.

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Board can be obtained on reasonable terms at Mount Forest.
W. O. Macgregor,
Mount Forest, Aug. 11th, 1893. Secretary.

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