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The Japanese still move forward towards Peking. The Chinese appear to be utterly unable to prevent the Japs from peekin' into any city or fort where their curiosity leads them.

The new Czar of Russia was married on Monday, and the Russians are now celebrating in vigorous style. Last week they were shedding hogsheads of crocodile tears. The reaction is great.

One of the best prohibition cartoons of the day was published in last week's Templar, of Hamilton. It represents poor, prostrate Canada as being knocked on the head with a club by a bloated whisky bottle, while the following dialogue ensues between two interested individuals who are looking over the fence:

Sir Oliver M.—Shocking, isn't it! I'm only waiting for the decision of the courts to see if I can interfere.

Sir John T.—So am I only waiting for the Royal Commission report.

Chorus of both—"Only waiting." That picture and dialogue are all point and penetrate the situation through and through.

From all The Advance can learn the coming municipal elections in Osprey promise to be lively. The present reeve, Thos. Gamey, M.P.P., has filled the chair for 33 consecutive years, and now feels like retiring. Many of his friends, however, do not like to lose his services, not alone for their acknowledged value, but because his retirement would result in too radical a change at the council board as Messrs Preston, and Clark, it is thought, would contest the reeveship, thus filling the board with new men. This might result disastrously, at least it could not result in any improvement upon the council now in office. Just what the outcome will be we cannot say, but The Advance would not be surprised if the Osprey electors should insist on Mr. Gamey being once more a candidate for the reeve's chair.

Hon. Edward Blake has intimated that he intends to resign his seat in the British House of Commons. He sees no immediate prospect of home rule for Ireland and believes now that he is wasting valuable time. These political missionaries have a thankless time of it, apparently. Mr. Blake has created much amusement among British and Canadian politicians, with his immense ideas of his own influence and powers. He will probably next turn his attention to New Caledonia, where the natives have been barbecuing white men, with the idea of reforming the cannibals, or working up a fund to provide them all with a new patent stomach unsuited to digesting human flesh. This gentleman's vagaries are such that when one looks at them soberly his repudiation of the Reform party a few years ago does not appear to imply all that it was supposed to at the time.

Ex-Reeve Hamilton, of Glen Huron Simcoe County, is dead.

Reflections for the Reflector.

Incensed with indignation Sata stood Unterrified, and like a comet burned. That fires the length of Ophiucus huge In th' Arctic sky, and from his horrid hair Shakes pestilence and death.—MILTON.

The Clarksburg Reflector man has worked himself into a perfect frenzy over the item we printed about him two weeks ago. So angry is he that we deem the above quotation peculiarly applicable. He chokes himself in attempting to find a sufficiently horrible epithet to hurl at The Advance. He calls it an "excrement," and its editor "an irregular lump of frozen nerve," "a terrestrial encumbrance," "a vacuum" and several other gentlemanly names of the Potts style. Let us remark right here that we are not just now following in the footsteps of the Reflector man, although he does insist that all other newspapers in Christendom should jump when he pulls the string. They don't jump, consequently he is angry—very. Just now it is a most amusing sight. This clever editor took sick with a new idea lately, and decided that at the new year he would institute a new feature in his business methods, and for the past two or three weeks has been solicitously clamoring for The Advance to adopt the same principal, or "jump" because he pulled the string. Now the string is not attached. There is a break. We have gone out of the marionette business entirely. It would be much wiser for the Reflector man to wait until he sees the result of his scheme before he so blatantly parades it as the acme of perfection. After he has tried the scheme it will be time enough to go into hysterics over it, and we will be happy to listen to his reasoning if he will talk "horse sense." It is experience that tells, not theory. Just here let us tell the Reflector young man that he should try to cultivate a more judicial style. He is too flippant to beget the confidence of his readers, and is bringing the press of the county into bad odor. He has not a sufficiently high idea of his noble calling. Readers enjoy a good joke occasionally, but when an editor attempts to plaster jokes over every available half inch there is weeping and gnashing of teeth at the country postoffices. Let the Reflector man try to cultivate seriousness, and hold his titillative tendencies in check. This advice is sound and intended for our confre's welfare. Before closing these reflections we must apologize for accusing Mr. Wilgress of the dirty act referred to. He does not deny it, but after all we believe it to have been his foreman who was the guilty party.

The Montreal Witness.

One of the sights of Montreal is a visit to the 'Witness' office, which, for internal elegance, convenience and completeness of equipment has few rivals anywhere. One's attention is arrested on the sidewalk by seeing through a window a Chinaman patiently turning a crank with the air of one who has a contract for a century of faithful labor, and means to fulfil it. The Chinaman is made of wood, and for steady, patient, endless toil commend us to a wooden Chinaman. Making bold to go in we find ourselves in an enviable public office with tiled floor, hot house flowers and what not. Then we are piloted up a spiral stair, through the great editorial room, to the battery of linotypes which are the marvel of the nineteenth century as Gutenberg's movable types were of the awakening life of the fifteenth. The great Hoe press of the 'Witness,' which prints almost any number of pages, from two to thirty-two, is the very most complete machine anywhere. Close beside it you are shown upon enquiry, a patch on the floor which marks the spot where exploded the famous bomb some months ago which the 'Witness' doubtless owed to its active and effective war against gamblers and bunco steerers, a class which by exposure and clever caricature it has managed to drive from the city, or at least to deprive of the open tolerance and public freedom, which they had before enjoyed at the hands of sympathetic officials. The stand for law and order taken by the 'Witness' lately resulted in an investigation of the police and detective system of Montreal, which has revealed the need of some revolutionary change. The paper is devoted to temperance and all good things. It aims to be independent in politics and has certainly opposed with equal vigor the Conservative government at Ottawa and the Liberal Mercier government at Quebec. It is at all events a clean family paper, very carefully edited and one of the prettiest in get up and typography that comes to our office.

Division Court.

Judge Morrison held Division Court in the Town Hall on Wednesday of last week. There were twenty-four cases before him, including judgment summonses. Following are the more important cases tried:

Sillifant v. Bennet, action on account. Plaintiff lives in Montreal. This case has occupied the board for nearly a year, and was finally in favor of plaintiff for \$78.65 and costs. The costs will be large, as there were a couple of examinations by commission.

Brenner Bros. v. Yiirs—Action on account for \$22.80. Judgment for full amount.

McKinnon v. Adair—Plaintiff claimed \$99.79. Garnishee. Judgment for primary creditor for \$97.54 and costs.

McKinnon v. Adair—Garnishee suit. Parties live near Badgerow in Osprey. Plaintiff claimed \$99.79. Judgment for primary creditor against primary debtor for \$97.54, with costs. James Adair was added to the suit as claimant to money garnisheed. There were five garnishees who admitted indebtedness and four who denied. Judgment for primary creditor against claimant, Jas. Adair.

R. Cook v. Jas. Watson—Action on promissory note due 1st Oct. 1888, upon which there was a payment of five dollars endorsed in Dec. of the same year. Defendant pleaded statute of limitation and swore that he borrowed \$4 from one Ballard in September and made the payment in that month, which, if it were true, would have placed the note beyond the power of collection. The judge, however, refused to believe the defendant and gave judgment for plaintiff for \$24.15.

Crawford v. Paul—Action on contract for lambs, about which there was a disagreement. The judge decided the difference by giving judgment for plaintiff for \$8 and cost.

Morgan v. Scutt—An Interpleader case; J. D. Morgan, primary creditor, John Scutt, primary debtor. Eliza Ann Scutt and John Wilson, claimants. Judgment in favor of John Wilson, claimant, only.

Hoy v. Hopper—Action on contract. Judgment for plaintiff for \$5.

Adams & Burns v. Yiirs—Alex. Hannah and Wendell Britz, garnishees. Judgment for primary creditor against primary debtor for \$102.02. Adjourned to next court as to garnishees, garnishees to file particulars.

A Fatal Explosion.

The Grand Valley Tribune of last week says: "About four o'clock yesterday afternoon the sad intelligence reached town of a terrible explosion that occurred at Mr. T. E. Essery's mills, Monticello, resulting in the death of Mr. R. D. McQuarrie, of Orangeville, and seriously injuring Messrs. Bowers, Hendriches and Darrah, of same place. Operations had been resumed after dinner, and about half-past two the boiler exploded. Fireman McQuarrie, who was standing near, was thrown some distance and when picked up life was extinct. Mr. Bower's injuries are so serious that little hope are entertained of his recovery, having received a severe wound in the head. We are unable to ascertain the exact nature of the injuries of the other two, but they are not less serious, however. Drs. Gaviller and Hopkins were summoned and immediately started for the scene of the accident.

Since the above has been written Mr. Darrah has died, his injuries having been more serious than at first supposed."

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Duncan Corbett, son of John Corbett, Melancthon, had his leg crushed by being caught in a horsepower. The member was amputated at the knee and Corbett is recovering.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day—South American Rheumatism Cure, for Rheumatism and Neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by W. E. Richardson Druggist.

The Kingston Provincial election petition and cross petition will be tried at Kingston Dec. 17.

Daniel Ritz, Proprietor and Publisher of the Hamburg, Ont., Independent says: "I was suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver trouble. I took a few bottles of Shiloh's Vitalizer and it cured me. I can heartily recommend it."

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50 cents.

The Chesley Enterprise says the Patron lodge there is defunct.

Sir John Thompson will be sworn in as a member of the Imperial Privy Council Dec. 4.

Relief in 6 Hours—Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise and delight on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by W. E. Richardson, Druggist.

OUR CLUBBING LIST.

The Advance will club with the following periodicals this year at the figures given below:

The Advance and Toronto Daily News, a daily and a weekly paper one year for.	\$1.80
The Advance and weekly Globe.	1.80
The Advance and weekly Empire.	1.80
The Advance and Montreal Star.	1.80
The Advance and Farmers' Sun.	1.35
The Advance and Ladies' Journal.	1.25

The Markets.

Carefully Corrected Each Week

Flour.....	\$ 3 15 to \$ 3 65
Fall Wheat	55 to 55
Spring Wheat	55 to 55
Barley.....	31 to 31
Oats	27 to 27
Peas	50 to 50
Butter	13 to 14
Eggs, fresh	14 to 14
Potatoes bag	50 to 50
Pork	4 25 to 5 00
Hay per ton	6 00 to 6 00
Hides	3 00 to 3 00
Sheepskins	25 to 25
Geese	4 to 5
Turkeys.....	6 to 7
Chickens per pair.....	20 to 30
Ducks per pair	40 to 50
Wool.....	15 to 16

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House and Lot For Sale.

For sale cheap and on easy terms in Flesherton. Splendid large, solid brick dwelling, with good stone cellar, summer kitchen and wood-house, also good frame stable, brick lined. Premises contains two large lots and good young orchard, bearing. House and out-buildings are exceptionally well finished and very conveniently laid out. Apply to R. J. SPROULE, Flesherton.

FOUND CAME ASTRAY.

Came to the undersigned on the evening of 6th inst., and followed home on 7th. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. GEO. LATIMER, Flesherton, Nov. 19, 1894.

BOARS FOR SERVICE.

The undersigned has two well bred boars—one young Berkshire and one Yorkshire white—for service on lot 33, con. 7, Artemesia. Terms, \$1, strictly cash at time of service. Flesherton, Nov. 21, '94. JOS. FENWICK.

BOAR FOR SERVICE

First class boar, cross between Yorkshire and Berkshire, for service on lot 174, 1st W. T. & S. R. Artemesia. Both parents took first prize at county show. Terms 75 cents. Flesherton, Nov. 22. M. G. Orr, proprietor.

HEIFER STRAYED.

Strayed from the premises of Mr. J. Adams, Flesherton, about the 5th inst., one yearling heifer, all red excepting white tip on tail and a little white under belly. Information thankfully received by the owner, R. SMITH, or MARK WILSON, Flesherton.

M. RICHARDSON & CO.

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The really beautiful designs in ladies' fur capes for the season have met a hearty appreciation from our lady customers; our sales in this department are very encouraging. We have tried to bring new stylish goods within the reach of those whose purchasing means are limited. We do not look for fancy profits, but buying closely and carefully we aim to make a quick turn over at as close a margin as possible.

We invite comparison of our stock and prices with any other stocks. Such tests have been so decidedly in our favor so far that we feel assured we can give exceptional fine value to our customers in this line.

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