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Hon. Mr. Bowell has succeeded in forming a ministry, which is largely made up of old material, the two new members being Dr. Montague and Hon. A. R. Dickey. Sir C. H. Tupper is the new Minister of Justice and Mr. Dickey Secretary of State.

Artemesia is not likely to have a general election this time, unless some dark horse should trot into the ring for the reeveship between now and nomination day, which is not at all likely. As the matter stands there is likely to be an election in but two wards. Mr. Thompson will be opposed by Mr. S. Pedlar, of Eugenia, and Mr. Best by Mr. John Boyd, whose card appears in this issue. There was some talk of Mr. Kells having opposition, but nothing definite has reached us.

The Toronto Empire is no longer a government organ. It has been taken over by a company of business men and will be run more in the interest of business and less of politics. It will still, however, uphold the Conservative policy. But we fear that this support will only be accorded while the policy of the party continues to cater to the manufacturer and the interests of the directors. If they are sufficiently magnanimous to allow it free scope in advocating the welfare of the majority it will be an agreeable surprise, but we confess that at the present moment our faith is considerably shaken in the Empire's ability to advance the best interests of the masses when certain selfish interests are involved. At the same time, the influence behind it will, we fear, tend to weaken its prestige either for good or bad.

"Dot" and Her Critic.

The accomplished and highly appreciated lady writer on our staff is taken to task by a correspondent in the Markdale Standard for her contribution to The Advance on Schools and Teachers. Her critic signs himself "Citizen," and proceeds to lecture her in a most oracular style on her lack of discernment, discretion, and knowledge of the subject on which she writes. Without attempting to criticise the puerile attempt to refute Dot's arguments, it is amusing to note the pompous style put on by Citizen in stringing together a lot of wordy phrases as unmeaning and obscure as they are ungrammatical in construction. It is quite evident that something was wrong with the school system when Citizen was a child, or he would not now be so lacking in the elementary principles of composition. Citizen does not lack either in courage or conceit, however, and manufactures words which never had an existence in English or any other language, as instance the word "stulted," and which is as unmeaning as it is foolish. His splenetic reference to Dot's review of "Marceila" is another display of boorish ignorance. The book in question is one of the most remarkable literary productions of this decade, treating as it does on the greatest living questions of this age—the social inequalities of life under a professedly christian civilization, the causes of crime, poverty and want existing, as they do, in the midst of wealth, refinement and culture. It is a book that has stirred the minds of the best and deepest thinkers, both in America and Great Britain. Hundreds

of thousands of copies have been published and sold. It was written with as noble an aim, and with the object of serving as great a purpose as Mrs. H. B. Stowe's great blow at slavery. None but a fool would dare assume that Uncle Tom's Cabin did not assist materially in arousing humanity to the necessity of the hour, or that Mrs. Ward's book is not as heavy a blow to existing social evils. They are parallel works. And yet because citizen has probably never seen it, and might possibly never have heard of it in the very narrow sphere of his observation, had it not been for Dot's critique coming under his notice, he has the assumption to refer to it as a work that is of no interest to anybody! Of course he never read it, and probably never read anything about it, and is to that extent excusable. But the whole unmanly attack on Dot is evidently written to get an annual slap at ourselves, and we get it in these words: "—like the editor in chief, who sometimes writes in a spleenish cutting style only to say how brave I am, forgetting that the paper is professedly to instruct his constituents who pay for it." Citizen would possibly like to supply the "spleenish" articles himself if we would accept them. His spleen has before now received a check from this quarter, which explains many things. Dot's article was manifestly open to criticism and objections to some of her positions, but Citizen lacks the literary and cool-headed ability to perform that duty. Let some one of more modern ideas and greater liberality of mind undertake the task.

If you Don't Feel Well remember Maney's "Celery Nerve Compound, with Beef, Iron and Wine," is a Guaranteed cure for Dyspepsia, Nervousness, Mental Depression, and all weakness arising from a run down and overworked system. It has never been known to fail. Get a bottle and be healthy and happy. Sold by all druggists. 3m

Married.

GILCHRIST—STEWART—At the residence of Alex. Stewart, father of the bride, on the 12th inst., by Rev. John Wells. M. A., Andrew Milton Gilchrist to Hattie Stewart, both of Artemesia.
STEWART—QUIGG—At the residence of Patrick Quigg, father of the bride, on the 19th inst., by the Rev. John Wells, M. A., Mark Anthony Stewart to Elizabeth Quigg, both of Artemesia.
SWIFT—QUIGG—At the residence of Patrick Quigg, father of the bride, on the 19th inst., by the Rev. John Wells, M. A., Edwin John Swift, of Toronto, to Annie Quigg, of Artemesia.

BLACK—CARTER—At the Methodist parsonage, Flesherton, on the 18th inst., by Rev. E. S. Rupert, M. A., Robert Black to Emma Carter, both of Artemesia.

We Will Oblige, Certainly.

Mr. W. H. Thurston
I want you for to Put this Item in the paper as I write it if not throw it in the waste Basket & I will put it in another paper next week. Your truly.
You are wrong again Maxwell correspondent. Clark is not Selling, or going to Sell Soft drinks or cigars, you are what I would consider a very poor prophet, or yet would I take you for a Son of a prophet, as you have prophesied away Out of the Mark this time the Maxwell correspondent cant coax Clark worth a row of Pins take it all back as he dont take or give Blarney as the Maxwell cor does, Tailor Clark never considered himself away dangerous nor Yet he does not considered that the Maxwell correspondent is away very dangerous person if he do wear pants
A B Clark
Maxwell
p.s If I dont see it in the paper this week I will send it to some Other paper next.
your truly
A. B. C

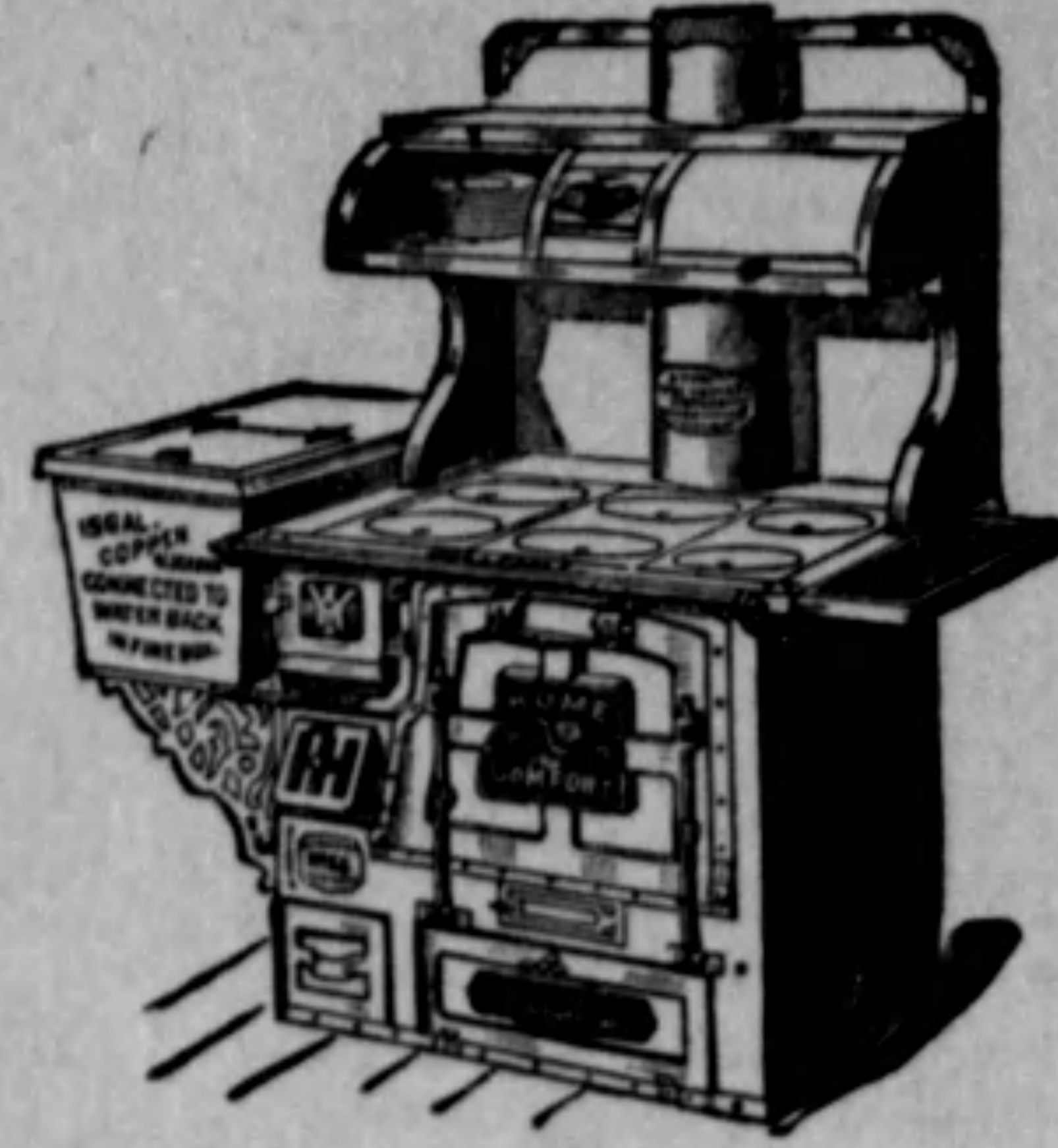
Daniel Ritz, Proprietor and Publisher of the Hamburg, Ont., Independent says: "I was suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver trouble, I took a few bottles of Shiloh's Vitalizer and it cured me. I can heartily recommend it."
Dr. Sinclair, Toronto, the well known and most successful specialist in the treatment of all diseases of the lungs, heart, kidneys, women's diseases and dropsy arising from diseases of the heart treated with perfect success. Dr. Sinclair will be at Munahaw's hotel, Flesherton, on Friday, Dec. 28th inst. Consultation free.
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.

TENDERS WANTED!
For a Supply of Cedar Rails.

Tenders wanted for 1500 sound, straight, 19-foot-long cedar rails to be delivered on premises, lot 34, on 11. Artemesia, the same to be left in small piles from north fence of clearing south for 100 rods in the centre of said lot. The same to be delivered before 1st March, 1895. Tenders received to 16 January, 1895, by Jas Stewart, Kimberley P. O., Ont.

Four Gold Medals at New Orleans Exposition, 1885,
Six Highest Awards at World's Columbian Exposition, 1893,
Six Gold Medals at Midwinter Fair, San Francisco, 1894

—WERE RECEIVED BY THE—
WROUGHT IRON RANGE COMPANY
—ON—
HOME COMFORT



Steel
HOTEL AND FAMILY RANGES,
Carving and Steam Tables,
Broilers, Malleable Waterbacks,
ETC., ETC.

This Style Family Range is sold only by traveling salesmen from our own wagons, at one uniform price, throughout the United States and Canada.

Made of MALLEABLE IRON and WROUGHT STEEL, and will last a lifetime if properly used.

SALES TO JANUARY 1st, 1894 277,188

Made Only by WROUGHT IRON RANGE CO., Manufacturers of
Hotel Steel Ranges, Kitchen Outfittings,
and "Home Comfort" Hot-air Furnaces.

Office, Salesroom and Factory:
WASHINGTON AVENUE, 19th to 20th STREETS, ST. LOUIS, MO.
70 to 76 PEARL STREET, TORONTO, ONT.
Founded 1864. Paid-up Capital, \$1,000,000.

Wrought Iron Range Co.,
Toronto, Ont.
GENTLEMEN:—We purchased of your salesman, E. G. McDowell, a "Home Comfort Range," and are pleased to say it gives entire satisfaction, it takes up less room, sets to better advantage in the kitchen, is the best baker and cooker I ever used, is a great heater and saver of fuel. I would not part with my "Range" for \$100 and go back to using the cast stove. This certificate you can use in any manner as you see proper.
Very Respectfully,
MRS. JOHN LEITCH
Hornung's Mills.

We are also authorized to use the names of Mrs. Geo. Little, Elba; Mr. and Mrs. A. Brimmer, Canilla; Mr. and Mrs. John Britt, Primrose; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pattison, Shelburne; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Perry, Shelburne, Mrs. Jas. Brockler, Shelburne; Miss Jennie Snyder, Shelburne; Mrs. G. T. Printice, Honeywood; Mrs. Wm. Hutchinson, Lorvine; Mrs. John Hutchinson, Lorraine; Mrs. J. Stinson, Lorvine; Mrs. W. H. Werry, Shelburne. In recommendation of the Home Company Range the above are all

well-known parties in the farming and business community of Dufferin and can be referred to at any time.

Wrought Iron Range Co.,
Toronto, Ont.
GENTLEMEN:—We purchased of your salesman a "Home Comfort Range" and are pleased to say it gives entire satisfaction, it is a first-class cooker and baker and does not burn one-half the fuel of former stoves to do the same work. This certificate you can use in any manner you see proper.
Very Respectfully,
MRS. GEORGE BAILEY,
Shrizeley, Ont.

MRS. R. McLEAN, Shelburne.
MR. AND MRS. EDGAR, Brownridge.
MRS. JOHN McKIBBON, Shelburne.
MRS. T. S. OSTRANDER, Reddickville.
JAS. BROWN, Melancthon.
J. E. RINN, Auguston.
MR. AND MRS. JOHN CHISLETT,
Maxwell.
MRS. KEZIAH HERON, Maxwell.
MR. S. KERTON, Maxwell.
RICHARD DAVIDSON, Wareham.
MRS. D. M. CUMMINGS, Riverview.
MRS. J. R. LIVINGSTON, "
J. R. CLARK, Riverview.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of Martin J. Somers, of the village of Flesherton Station in the County of Grey, hotel keeper.
Notice is hereby given that the above named Martin J. Somers has made an assignment to me of all his estate and effects for the general benefit of his creditors, under the provisions of Chap. 124, R. S. O. 1887 and amending acts.
A meeting of the creditors of the said assignor will be held at my office in the village of Flesherton in the County of Grey, on Wednesday the second day of January, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.
All creditors are hereby required to file their claims, verified by affidavit as required by said act, with me on or before the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1895, after which last mentioned date I shall proceed to distribute the same estate, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice, and I will not be responsible for the assets of the said estate, or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim or claims shall not then have been filed.
A. S. VANDUSEN,
Assignee.
LUCAS & WRIGHT, Owen Sound, Solicitors for Assignee.
Dec. 24, '94.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of Sarah Somers, of the village of Eugenia, in the county of Grey, a married woman and hotel keeper.
Notice is hereby given that the above named Sarah Somers has made an assignment to me of all her estate and effects for the general benefit of her creditors under the provisions of Chap. 124, R. S. O. 1887, and amending acts.
A meeting of the creditors of the said assignor will be held at my office in the village of Flesherton in the county of Grey on Wednesday, the second day of January, 1895 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of said estate.
All creditors are hereby required to file their claims, verified by affidavit as required by said act, with me on or before the 2nd day of January, 1895, after which last mentioned date I shall proceed to distribute the same estate, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice and I will not be responsible for the assets of the said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim or claims shall not then have been filed.
A. S. VANDUSEN,
Assignee.
LUCAS & WRIGHT, Owen Sound, Solicitors for Assignee.
Dec. 24, '94.

TO THE ELECTORS!
OF WARD NO. 3.

GENTLEMEN:
I am again a candidate seeking reelection for the year 1895, and if your confidence in me as your representative has not been wavered during the past year I would again ask you for your support at the coming election.
JAMES BEST.

TO THE ELECTORS!
OF WARD NO. 3.

Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for the election of John Boyd as councillor for the year 1895.
Flesherton, Dec. 24, '94.

BUY YOUR HARNESS

—NOW—
Good Stock,
Good Workmanship,
Low Prices.

Curry Combs, Brushes, Harness Dressing, Sleigh Bells, Goat and Cowhide Robes, Axle Grease, Blankets, and everything in my line constantly on hand.

Leave orders early as we are always rushed in the fall season.

W. Moore - Harnessmaker
FLESHERTON.

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of Johnston Little, of the village of Maxwell, in the County of Grey, Blacksmith.
Notice is hereby given that the above named Johnston Little has made an assignment to me of all his estate and effects for the general benefit of his creditors, under the provisions of chapter 124, R. S. O. 1887, and amending acts.
A meeting of the creditors of said assignor will be held at my office in the village of Flesherton, in the County of Grey, on Thursday the 13th day of December, A. D. 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.
All creditors are hereby required to file their claims verified by affidavit as required by said act, with me on or before the second day of January, A. D. 1895, after which last mentioned date I shall proceed to distribute the same estate, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have notice, and I will not be responsible for the assets of the said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim or claims shall not then have been filed.
LUCAS & WRIGHT, A. S. VANDUSEN, Assignee, Owen Sound, Flesherton.
Dated November 23rd, 1894.

FLESHERTON ROLLER MILLS

Are now complet and are running regular.

CHOPPING done every afternoon as usual.
P. LOUCKS.

Snaps!
for
Christmas
—AT—
RICHARDSON'S.

For Christmas trade we have purchased a special line of teas which are offering at Importer's wholesale price. Get samples.

We have a large stock of new fruits in currants, raisins, figs, prunes, etc., at lowest prices.

Some special drives in Boots this week Women's glove buff balmorals, 98c. per pair; men's strong lace boots at 75c. per pair; men's long felt boots, \$1.50; men's grain kip waterproof, \$1.85. All sizes in rubbers and overshoes. A big stock

A lot of Imperial washboards, 2 for 25c.

Another lot of those cheap frieze overcoats. Good styles and grand value.

A large consignment of Christmas goods suitable for presents.

Dress Goods

Our stock was heavy but as the assortment gets broken we cut prices to clear lines out. Some of the newest things came late and have to be sold.

Furs.

We are headquarters for Fur Capes in Seal, Opposum, Sable and Astrachan; prices low as the lowest goods guaranteed.

Christmas

Fruits and Groceries all on hand now at
Richardson & Co's.

Hardware Dept.

Christmas Goods

Have all arrived and we are showing something very nice in Table Mats, Carvers, Bread Boards, Spoons in Cases, Bread Knives, Silver Knives and a large assortment of Silverware.

Fancy Goods.

Our stock of Fancy Glassware is very large. We would like to show you the new designs in vases, lamps and other novelties. Call and see them.

Headquarters for X-Cut Saws and Axes and 15c. Washboards.

M. RICHARDSON & CO.