

STANDARD TIME.

The change of time which took place on Monday morning by the cities, telegraph lines and railroads throughout the continent, has, we believe been made universal by all classes.

OBITUARY.

It becomes our duty this week to chronicle the death of one of the pioneers of this district, in the person of Mr. Alex. Rutledge, who departed this life on Sunday evening last, 18th inst., at the age of fifty-seven years.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

MAPLE CREEK, NOV. 10th.

DEAR SIR,—Having been a resident of the N. W. Territory for the past six months, perhaps a few ideas regarding the climate and general appearance of this western country would be interesting to the readers of the STANDARD.

Many people of Ontario have imagined the far west to be equally as good, if not better, as a grain producing country, than that of Manitoba, but they who form such an opinion make a great mistake.

tember, no rain was seen at all. This accounts for the barren appearance of the prairie, even as far east as Moose Jaw farming has been very unsuccessful this year.

of the Jury, Constable Fields was dispatched to make search of any medicines or drugs which might be found in the house where the deceased came to her end, or in the possession of her husband.

POISON

The Cause of the Sudden death of Rosannah Leppard.

Verdict of Coroner's Jury.

To-day (Thursday) the inquest into the death of Rosannah Leppard, which was adjourned two weeks ago in order to obtain an analysis of the contents of stomach, was resumed.

COLD-BLOODED MURDERS, having been committed in our neighborhood, that has ever stained the annals of crime in our country.

BLIND COOK TEETS. While going through his chest he found a bottle, half-filled, labelled—

"STRYCHNINE—POISON!" This he secured, also a Life Policy on the life of Rosannah Leppard for four thousand five hundred dollars, payable to Cook Teets in the event of her death.

VERDICT OF CORONER'S JURY: The verdict of the Coroner's Jury was as follows: 1st.—That Rosannah Leppard came to her death by poison.

PERSONALS. Mr. Jas. Bowes, jr., Reeve of St. Vincent was in Markdale Monday.

CHATSWORTH. From a correspondent. Sleighing is gone.

GREY FALL ASSIZES, Continued from Last Week. MONEMAN vs. YOUNG.—This was a case of seduction, the plaintiff residing in Arran and the defendant being a school teacher in the Algoma district.

MAXWELL. From our own correspondent. Lots of snow and good sleighing.

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FARM FOR SALE. Lot 89 and 90 second range west of T. & S. Road, Glenelg, 100 acres, 85 of which are cleared and under cultivation fit for reaper and mower to work on.

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