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WEST YORK TRIAL.
Lots of Whiskey drinking, but "it was his custom."
The Petition dismissed with costs.

On Tuesday and Wednesday of last week the West York Election Trial was continued in the Court House, Toronto, before Justices Burton and Osler. Charges of treating at Kleinburg, Maple, Woodbridge and other places were gone into and some of them, at least, amply proven, but they were dismissed because "it was Major Gray's custom to treat." Space will not permit our giving the evidence in full, but the following may be taken as a sample of how the election was carried on, though scarcely as a sample of the evidence, as on some of the charges it was apparent that the witnesses were pretty well stuffed. The following extract from the evidence refer to proceedings at Maple:

Robert Hoyles said he saw Major Gray early in the evening come into the hotel, followed by another; after a short conversation, in course of which he said he was on the "warpath," Major Gray went into the sitting room; shortly after a treat was called. Witness went on—I said I didn't want anything, I'd had plenty, but the landlord, Mr. Palmer, said "Come on, Mr. Gray's treat"; I stood up, and there was a man standing near the end of the bar, to whom I was introduced; the landlord spoke of the man as Major Gray's driver; I don't know who the man was, and I don't know that I would recognize him if I saw him; there was six or seven people in the room when the treat was called of which I speak.

Jonathan Nye, who was in the bar at the time spoken of by last witness, corroborated what had been said regarding the general drink, said to be Major Gray's treat; while the treat was going on there was some talk about the election.

"What talk?" asked Mr. Kerr.
"Well, Mr. Trench drank a toast to Major Gray being elected by four hundred behind." (Laughter.)

Mr. McCarthy—That seems to establish a corrupt motive.
Mr. Kerr—Who paid for the drinks?
Witness—Major Gray's driver.

Mr. Kerr—Would you know him. (To young Mr. Gray, in the body of the court) Is that the man?
Witness—I couldn't say.
Mr. Kerr—Does he look like him?
Witness—Yes.

Henry Rumble, who was also present said the only person who came with Major Gray was said to be his son; young Mr. Gray looked like him; he corroborated the evidence regarding the treat, and that the landlord said it was Major Gray's treat; witness saw Major Gray's son pay for the drink.

William Kirby swore he was at Palmer's hotel one night in February, about ten o'clock, after the meeting broke up; there was a good many people there; he was treating but not general.

Mr. A. L. Skeele also testified that at O'Neill's Hotel, Kleinburg, Major Gray invited all hands up to "have something" and that the drink was duly paid for by the Major. This was corroborated by a number of other witnesses.

Mr. P. Duck, Edgely, testified having received from Major Gray \$5 for use of hall, two meals, attention to horse and three treats for all hands.

Charges of treating personally and through agents at Brockton, Parkdale and other places were not so clearly established, as much of the evidence had to come from Major Gray's own supporters, and not one of them could remember anything about drinking on the various occasions. Their memories utterly failed them only on one occasion when a Reformer happened to treat.

The matter of illegal votes having been cast was gone into but dismissed by the Judges.

In delivering judgment the Judges admitted a large amount of treating, and that Major Gray placed himself in a very perilous position, but as "it was his custom to treat" the dismissed the petition with costs.

The decision will be appealed against, the necessary deposit having already been made and the appeal entered with the Registrar of the Court of appeal.

Of far more importance than the National Policy or the Irish Question is the question of restoring health when lost. The most suddenly fatal diseases incident to this season are the various forms of Bowel Complaint, for all of which Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is specific.

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School Board.
Board met on Tuesday, 2nd inst., at 2:30 p.m. Mr. Marsh in the chair. Members present, Rev. I. Campbell, Messrs. Boyle, Switzer, Brown, Duncan, Crosby, Teffy, Trench and Savage. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

COMMUNICATIONS.
From Education Department, stating that the Intermediate had been regularly conducted and the Examiners were entitled to usual fees.

From Principal of Public School, calling attention to the disreputable state of the Public School buildings, and stated that during rains the floors in some of the departments were flooded.

The chairman stated that the object in calling the meeting was to consider the representations of the Head Master of the High School with regard to the necessity of additional assistance on the teaching staff. On motion, Mr. McBride was heard on the matter. He showed by figures that by engaging an additional female teacher money could be saved.

He also showed to the satisfaction of the Board that there was abundant work for an additional teacher, as fourteen required classes were yet unorganized and it was impossible to do so without additional help. He also showed that is the necessary accommodation was provided the attendance could be increased by at least twenty. He delivered an able address on the position and prospects of the school Mr. Burns, Assistant Master, was also heard, and ably endorsed the Head Master's statements with regard to the necessity of additional help.

PETITIONS.
A petition was presented by the pupils, praying the Board to take immediate action with regard to the appointment of another teacher, signed by the pupils of the school.

Mr. Crosby, seconded by Mr. Teffy, moved that the matters of accommodation and additional help be referred to a committee composed of Messrs. Teffy, Brown, Boyle, Trench and Crosby.—Carried.

Mr. Crosby thought we should wait until the end of the year to make the change.

Mr. Marsh thought it should be proceeded with at once, if at all.
Mr. Brown thought all this unnecessary and that the present accommodations were necessary.

The matter was left over until the meeting of the Board on Saturday when the committee shall report.

Mr. Crosby, seconded by Mr. Savage, moved that the representatives of the publishing firms of Gage & Co., and Campbell & Son, be heard concerning the School Reader question.

The representative of the Royal readers said that a representative of Campbell & Son had visited the village and it was unnecessary for him to say more than that he wished the Board to consider the books on their merits.

The representative of the Canadian Readers addressed the Board at some length on the merits of the series.

Mr. Duncan, seconded by Mr. Boyle, moved that we resolve ourselves into a committee to examine the books before next meeting.

The Chairman explained that if they resolve into a committee they must do their work at once.

Mr. Crosby, seconded by Mr. Duncan, moved that Mr. McMahon, Principle Public School, be heard on the merits of the two series of Readers.

Mr. McMahon said he was scarcely prepared to express a definite opinion on the matter. He had not had an opportunity of examining the Third and Fourth readers in Campbell & Son's series. He liked the Canadian series as far as he had examined them.

Mr. Crosby, seconded by Mr. Boyle moved that a committee, composed of Rev. I. Campbell, and Messrs. Marsh and Switzer, examine the Readers and report on Saturday.

The Board adjourned until Saturday, Oct. 6th, at 9 a. m.

LASKAY.
(From our own Correspondent)
The people in this vicinity are busy digging their potatoes which are turning out considerably below an average crop.

Mr. W. Bowes is settling down to married life. Both he and his charming young wife appear quite happy, and why should they not?

Mr. B. Rolling is, we presume, doing a rushing business. He drives to Toronto once a week with produce and brings home a load of goods for his store.

After a long absence, Mr. Isaac Gordon has again returned home. He is looking thinner than usual as he has just recovered from a long illness. His many friends are happy to see him again. It is thought he will probably be spending the winter at home.

THORNHILL
(From Our Own Correspondent.)
The would-be factory dam was somewhat tried by the rain of Monday last. The brick walls of Mr. McDonnell's new blacksmith shop are rising rapidly and will, in a few days be ready for the roof.

Our assistant teacher, Miss Bell, has signified her intention to our trustees of resigning her position, for which we are sorry, as she gave such good satisfaction, yet we could not expect anything else; for teachers are, as a general rule, poorly paid. It is to be hoped she may find a position where mon(e)y can be made faster. She is qualified for many offices and it is desirable that she be kindly persuaded to remain amongst us to move in a higher and nobler sphere, so that her departure may be indefinitely postponed.

The Harvest Home Festival in connection with Trinity Church was fairly successful. The church was very tastefully decorated by the ladies of the congregation. After service the audience withdrew to the grounds of Mr. Langstaff, where the Rev. Dr. Scadding gave an elaborate history of Trinity Church from 1823 to the present time. By this time a goodly number had collected on the grounds waiting for tea, which was duly served in the usual good style. The ladies predominated in numbers on the grounds showing that the busy season of the farmers is not quite over. Games and swings were provided for the young people. Quite a number were present from the other churches of the village, showing that the members of Trinity Church are a very sociable congregation, and must have largely patronized the teas, socials and anniversaries of the other churches.

WILLOWDALE.
(From Our own Correspondent.)
Your many readers in this vicinity are not at all pleased that your correspondent should refrain from keeping you informed of the local events of our village.

Meeting a member of the "Willowdale Mutual Improvement Association," the other day, he gave me a report of the ninth meeting, held at the residence of Mr. F. R. James. Between forty and fifty of its members met on Friday evening, 28th ult. at 8 o'clock, where they "improved" themselves for some time in general conversation. In the absence of the President, Rev. Mr. Lynch, pastor of the M. E. Church, Mr. Peter Gibson, jr., occupied the chair, and under the able management of Miss Gooderham a very good programme was placed in his hands. The entertainment consisted chiefly of music, vocal and instrumental, rendered by the Misses Stonge, Jackson, A. Jackson, Bilton and Harrison, Mesdames R. Lackie, and J. E. Stonge, and Mr. F. R. James. A few remarks by some officers of the Society brought the programme to a close. Parlor games were engaged in for a short time. This Society has been dubbed by some wag the "Starvation Society," as no refreshments are allowed to be given the company during the evening.

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