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Vote for Ball, Borden, Bigger industries, better home markets, and better British connection.

Sir Allen Aylesworth has decided not to contest North York, and T. C. Robinette is likely to be the Liberal candidate.

The political candidates are busily engaged in their canvass, and up to the close of the election on the 21st of September, they will spend very few idle moments. Both candidates in this constituency are good workers, and very few stones will be left unturned. The issue is a big one, and never has more general interest been taken in Dominion affairs. In Mr. Ball, the Conservatives of South Grey have a man they need not be ashamed of. His character, his morals, and his business ability, are unquestioned, and should be elected to a seat in the Dominion Parliament, his influence will always be on the side of right. The careful way in which he managed his own affairs spelled success for him in business, and it would be well for the country if many more such men were elected to our legislative halls.

CHOOSE BETTER MODELS

We have a somewhat lengthy article in this week's issue from the Toronto News. The News is opposed to the Reciprocity Agreement, and believing the News to be right, we give our readers the benefit of the article. The News has an able, and we think, fair editorial writer, and an opinion from such a source should be of greater weight in the community than the opinions of most of our local journalists. The Owen Sound Sun, the Mt. Forest Confederate, and the Durham Review, undertake frequently to criticize the News, but to many we believe their opinions are not considered of much weight, or the reading public have not a sufficiently high sense of appreciation to give them credit for the merit they would like to lay claim to. We prefer the opinions of the News, and are willing to accept them on a big subject in preference to those of most country weeklies.

We have another article giving the opinions of Hon. Clifford Sifton. Mr. Miller will criticize him and give opinions diametrically opposed to those of Mr. Sifton. Now, Mr. Sifton has long been a leading Liberal, and is still a Liberal of very pronounced type. He said in his parliamentary speech on reciprocity that he was a strong advocate of reciprocity twenty years ago, but had come to the conclusion before the end of the campaign that he was wrong. Since then he has been opposed to it, and is opposed to it to-day, more strongly than ever before. Without going any further into the position taken by Mr. Sifton, we ask our readers to look over the article, and think over it for themselves. Mr. Miller will oppose Mr. Sifton, but we are willing to accept Mr. Sifton's view in preference to any opinion that has so far been offered by Mr. Miller.

FARMERS AND RECIPROACITY.

From The Toronto World, July 27. Nearly every day now, live stock from the United States is brought into Toronto, the Canadian duty paid thereon, and then sold again Canadian animals.

Yesterday, 289 sheep from the States were sold on the Toronto market at 5 1/2 cents a pound. They weighed 64 lbs., and brought \$3.52 each. The duty was 88 cents. Canadian sheep brought 16 cents less than the Americans were preferred. That is, American sheep of better quality can be brought into Toronto, pay freight, 25 per cent. duty, and compete with the home animals. Sheep on the Buffalo market sell for from two to four and a half cents.

With the duty off, and reciprocity will take the duty off. Toronto Live Stock market would be flooded with American sheep, and prices would drop about a dollar a head. What is true of sheep is true of hogs and cattle. It is up to the Ontario farmer to bear this in mind. With say, 30 sheep and 40 hogs a year, this means a straight loss of \$60 a year, a sum sufficient to pay his annual taxes.

What is all the talk for reciprocity compared with these facts against it! Ponder it over, Mr. Farmer.

Reciprocity, according to some of its advocates, will give the farmers higher prices for all farm products, and give the working man cheaper food stuffs and clothing. We have never been able to see clearly the force of such a political paradox. It simply isn't true, and any attempt to prove it otherwise will be an effort to catch the votes of the unwary. It amounts to something like this: The farmer will get more for the wheat he has to sell, and the same farmer will buy his flour cheaper.

The big shipments of lambs that are coming from the United States to Toronto, notwithstanding a duty of one dollar a head, does not give much encouragement to farmers of a benefit arising in the lamb trade, should reciprocity come into effect, and the tariff walls be taken down. The Toronto World during the past few weeks, has gone into the situation practically, and instead of caricaturing the situation, has been giving photographs of the American lambs dumped into the Toronto markets. There is not a shadow of doubt about the adoption of reciprocity being an injury to the Canadian lamb producer. So long as the American farmers are producers and exporters of the same goods Canadians produce and export, it is the most foolish kind of nonsense to talk of reciprocity giving a wider market to the Canadian farmer.

FLESHERTON.

Mr. W.A. Tucker, a respected resident of this place, who has been in failing health for some time, died on the 29th ult., at the home of his daughter in Toronto, where he had been taken for special treatment. On the following Monday, the funeral took place in Toronto, where Mrs. Tucker will reside. The deceased spent most of his life in Flesherton and vicinity. For a few years he ran the Flesherton-Durham stage line, and later for a time conducted the Park House here. Besides his widow, two sons and four daughters survive, viz., Richard and George, in Toronto; Mrs. — and Mrs. Lee, Toronto; Mrs. Levi Betts, near Flesherton, and Miss Minerva, at home.

A very pleasant event took place at the residence of Mr. Jas. Park, Rock Mills, on August 2nd, when his daughter, Miss Victoria Park, was united in marriage to Mr. Robert E. Lee, of Owen Sound, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J.H. Kelly, of Flesherton.

Miss May Reid, of Guelph, arrived on Monday to visit her uncle Mr. Claudy Ekins.

Mrs. Scott, of Owen Sound, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Buskin, and other relatives.

Mr. Jos Henderson, of Robroy, visited relatives on Saturday.

Miss Annie Flynn is visiting her brother at Berkeley.

Miss Binnie, of J. & W. Boyds' staff, holidayed last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Field, and Mrs. Field, visited relatives over Toronto's Civic holiday.

Mrs. Robt. Graham, of the Valley, and daughter, Miss Wilhelmina, home from Toronto on a short holiday, called on friends here on Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, matron of the boarding school at Norway House, Keewatin, paid relatives and old friends a short visit last week, and all were pleased to meet her again.

Mrs. Geo. Bellamy, and Mrs. Mueller, visited with the former's brother at Woodbridge last week.

The Methodist choir and pastor were at Priceville on Tuesday evening of last week, assisting on the program of an entertainment in the Methodist church.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week the Women's Institute here paid the branch at Eugenia a fraternal visit. The visitors supplied the program, and were in turn right royally entertained by the Eugenia ladies.

A young son of Mr. Jas. Stinson's had a narrow escape from death last week when run over by a horse hitched to a stoneboat. At work in the field the animal took fright at a passing automobile, and broke away, striking the little fellow in its career. Fortunately the doctor found that no bones were broken, and the bruises sustained were not dangerous.

Miss Graham, milliner, Toronto, visited Misses Florence and Josie Richardson last week.

Miss Willa Wright visited old friends at Dornoch, where she formerly taught.

Mr. John Whitten, of Toronto, visited friends here over Saturday and Monday.

Messrs. Gordon and Stanley McMullen, leave this week on a trip to Indian Head, and other points in the West.

Miss Ruby Trimble, who has been attending Normal school at Ypsilanti, Mich., recently, has passed successful examinations and secured certificate for teaching. Miss Trimble is now home on a holiday.

Mr. Bert Jamieson, operator on the G.T.P. near Winnipeg, is on a short holiday at his home here.

Miss Marguerite Nicholson, of Dundalk, visited over Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Flynn.

Mr. George Richardson, of Toronto, was home for a holiday from Saturday till Tuesday.

Mrs. George Mitchell, of Niagara is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Cairns, and brother, Councillor D. McLeod.

Rev. J.H. Kelly, pastor of the Baptist church, is off for a short, well earned rest and holiday.

Mr. Thos. Chard has gone to Toronto, and taken a position in T.J. Sheppard's store.

Messrs. Elmo Blakely and Frank Patton have taken positions in J. & W. Boyds' store, the former in the general department, and the latter in the hardware.

Mr. Jack McKee and Miss Maggie Moorehouse, of Toronto, holidayed with the latter's relatives here over Toronto's Civic holiday.

Miss Stella McAlmond, of Toronto, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Richard Hoy.

Miss Lily Sherrard, of Toronto, visited Mrs. Goldhark the past week, and returned home on Monday.

The Methodist Sunday school picnicked at Eugenia on Friday afternoon and had an enjoyable time at the annual event.

Miss L.M. Philp, B.A., of Dundas county, has been engaged as assistant in the High school, in the place of Miss McKenzie, resigned.

Three of the High school students here wrote on the entrance to Normal examination, and two were successful, namely, Miss Gertie Bellamy, and Miss Clara Binnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingle, of Toronto, have been visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. A. McAuley.

Miss Celia VanDusen was home from Toronto on a visit to her mother over Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Henderson, and little son, Miss Grace Cowan and Master Eddie Henderson, came up from the city on Friday to spend a few days with relatives here and in Osprey.

The campers at Ewart's Lake have been sending their friends here treats of magnificent trout weighing from twelve ounces to nearly two pounds. "The compliments of the season" to your cor was much appreciated.

Rev. G.S. Milligan preaching at Priceville on Sunday evening, and his pulpit at Proton was supplied by Rev. Mr. Thom, who holidayed here.

We received a pleasant call last week from Mr. Thos. Akitt, of Collingwood, who, with his wife, visited old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lighthouse and son, of Vancouver, B.C., visited at Mr. Robt. Akitt's last week.

Miss McClarty, of Weyburn, Sask., is on a short visit with her friend, Miss Mabel Boyd.

Mr. J. McKean, of Toronto, was a visitor at W.W. Trimble's over Civic holiday in the city.

Mrs. R. Cornfield, of Milton, and Miss Nellie White, of Toronto, were visiting Mrs. Jos. Cornfield.

Misses Lillian and Laura Armstrong, have returned from Durham, accompanied by Miss Edna Limin, on a visit.

CORNER CONCERNS

There seems to be a dead calm of late over in Normanby. We would like if a friendly breeze would carry some of their doings and sayings to the Chronicle.

Get all the Corner news you can, Mr. Editor, but don't pocket any more.

Mr. Frank Grasby has treated himself to a new binder to cut the rest of his harvest with. He punished himself by getting an old one at the start. Second hand binders are only good for tuning a man for swearing, should he happen to know the words.

Rev. Mr. Hartley has gone for a short holiday, and his brother will fill his place in St. Paul's church, Sunday. A week from Sunday will be a holiday.

The garden party to be held here last Thursday evening promised to be a big affair, but the rain caused a postponement till Monday evening.

DON'T TAKE OLD-TIME PHYSIC

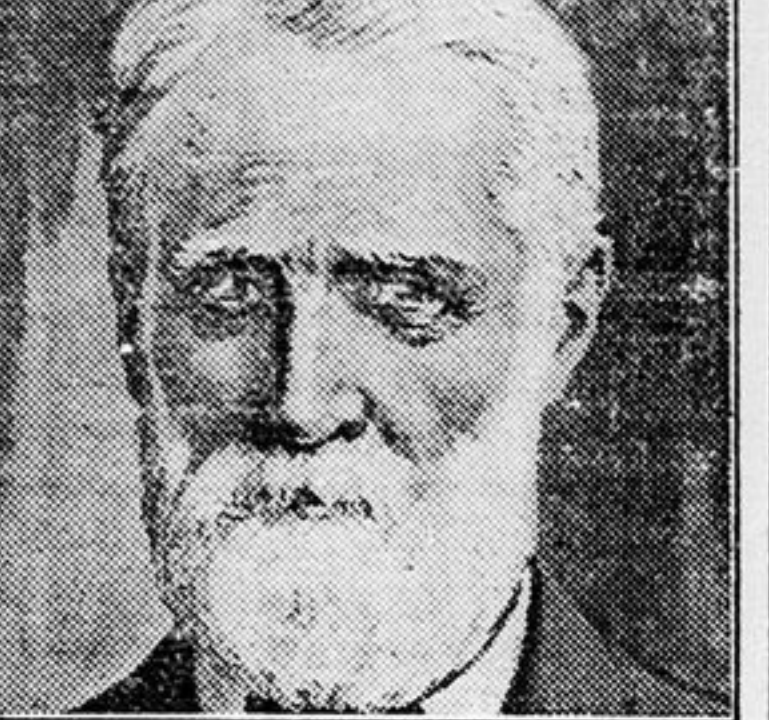
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Miss Mabel Mead is home for a fortnight's holidays from her duties in Cottage hospital, Toronto.

Mr. R. J. Ball, Conservative standard bearer for the House of Commons was down this way on Thursday, in answer to a request to attend the garden party. His chances this time seem so good that we would think nothing except over confidence will keep him from winning.

Harvest is well on the way now. This week will see most of the cutting done; and crops are very good. The root and corn crops at present are very promising.

Mrs. Wm. Poole, of Toronto, Mrs. W.J. Poole and two children, of Buffalo, spent the past week on our ranch.

Miss Anna Scott has been re-engaged as teacher in our academy for the coming year, at a salary of \$550. We use the term academy in place of school to make it seem consistent with the salaries that have to be paid in these years of big salaries.

Mrs. Ann Chapman has suffered a good deal of late from a fall she got about three weeks ago.

We have been forcibly reminded for some Sundays past that the hunting season is close at hand by young lads out from town teaching their dogs to hunt. The woods around sound like a howling wilderness, and there is much talk by our citizens of putting a stop to this sort of thing by putting up notices against trespassing such notices would be almost unknown if only gentlemanly fellows indulged in hunting.

We are all very sorry to know that Mr. John Queen is again under the doctor's care with typhoid fever. It is just about a year since he was laid up for six weeks with it.

If it is correct that postponed events are not nearly so good as the first attempt, what a great success our garden party would have been had Thursday night been a favorable one. For Monday night, although the weather looked threatening, we had a much larger crowd, that at any previous one. The gate receipts amounted to \$23, and as the booths and tables did a rushing business we expect the receipts to be exceptionally large. The base ball game was between Durham and Green Grove, the former getting first money. The game was a friendly one, and much enjoyed by the people. The programme was of a somewhat impromptu nature, owing to postponement, yet a very good one. Those contributing to its success were Mr. M. Hooper and Mrs. W.J. McFadden, in instrumental, also Mrs. G. Lawrence, while in vocal music there was the choir, Messdames McFadden and Allan, and Mr. and Mrs. McFadden, while Mr. Chas. Yeo, and Miss Myrtle Allan gave good recitations. We trust all went home pleased with the evening's enjoyment, as the Sunday school was much pleased and well satisfied with the crowd.

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