

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DEATH.
HARRISON—At Chicago, Dec. 6, 1897, Frank Stanley, second son of George H. and Hattie Harrison, formerly of London, aged 7 years and 1 month.
CULBERT—In London West, on Tuesday Dec. 14, 1897, Maggie Culbert, aged 22 years. Funeral on Thursday, from the family residence, Birch street, London West, at 3 o'clock, services at 7.20. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. Burial papers please copy.
ARMITAGE—In Minneapolis, on Dec. 14, Agnes, relict of the late Thos. Armitage. Funeral from G. T. R. depot on arrival of 10.55 a.m. train on Friday, to Woodland cemetery.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

EUGENE V. DEBS,
The Noted Social Reformer.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Fr day Evening, Dec. 17, 1897.

Tickets: 10c, 15c, 25c

ART EXHIBITION AND SALE OF PICTURES by noted artist and illustrators, rooms, Thursday and Friday. Admis on 5c.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING by Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to teaching the waltz and two step. Lessons any hour.

VOICE CULTURE—BY A. HOBLYN. Studio, Bell Piano Parlors, 230 Dundas street. Concert engagements, 1 hour, 1.75.

PALEACE DANCING ACADEMY—SEA-SUN tickets for advanced class now ready at special low rates. Meet every evening. Learn the new dances as taught by competent teachers. Circular mailed on application. JAYCOX & CO., Ltd.

Meetings.

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LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 23, ROYAL Arcadium, will meet this (Wednesday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield block.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS cost 1 Cent per word for first insertion and one-half cent per word for each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—With reference. Apply 1901 10th street.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—References required. Apply Mrs. J. C. Judd, corner of 10th street and 10th avenue.

GOOD PLAIN COOK WANTED—ON Jan. 1st. References required. Mrs. S. Smith, Worley road.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—Must be a good sewer. Apply 42 Colborne street.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—MUST be experienced. References required. Apply in evening, Mrs. JOHN FRYBOLT, 129 King street.

HAZARDERS FOR RELIABLE help. We have the best of the city and coachman, housekeepers, nurses, dining-room girls, kitchen girls, to suit all. We want hotel cooks for out of city. Dwyer's Employment Agency, 501 Richmond street, Phone, 1.11.

FIRST CLASS COOK WITH REFERENCE. For private house. Good wages. Apply at the Osborne Intelligence Agency, 64 Dundas street. Phone 388.

Lost and Found.

STRAYED FROM 71 KING STREET—Brown horse, white feet. White. Any information regarding same will be obliged. G. Goldstein, 30.

LOST—SATURDAY NIGHT—BETWEEN Clarence and Richmond, on Dundas, lady's silver watch and fob. Reward at 77 Dundas.

Wanted.

ACTIONER OPEN FOR ENGAGEMENTS for holidays. London or elsewhere. Address W. E. MARTIN, city postoffice.

WANTED—BY THE EDITOR OF Advertiser, last address of W. J. Clark, grandson of the late Mr. McPherson. Attended London West school seventeen years ago. Last heard of in Manitoba. 18.

WANTED—THREE HUNDRED GOOD second-hand overcoats. Highest price paid. A. P. SANSBURY, 50 King street. Mail orders attended to.

Situations Wanted.

RESPECTABLE YOUNG MAN WANTS position as apprentice at blacksmithing, baking or butchering. Apply London Employment Bureau, 272 Richmond.

SITUATION WANTED AS ASSISTANT bookkeeper or clerk in office by young lady. Address Box 541, Ingersoll.

Personal.

PERSONAL—WESTMINSTER TOWNSHIP tax notice. I will be at the Freezer House, London, each Thursday and Saturday of this month (except Christmas Day and first day of January, 1898), to receive the unpaid taxes. All taxes must be paid by the 1st January or collected with costs. E. S. HUNT, Collector.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET—IN ST. JAMES STREET—NICE 2-story brick; 4 bedrooms, bath, grate; very convenient; choice location. Apply 410 Princess avenue.

TO LET—THE UPPER FLAT IN THE Canadian Savings and Loan Company's building. Apply M. H. ROWLAND, manager. 1st floor.

ROOMS TO LET—WITH OR WITHOUT board. Apply 347 York street.

Veterinary Surgeons.

J. B. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone.

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING—J. E. WHEATLEY, 240 Richmond street (up a stairs), London, Ont.

Articles For Sale.

FRESH OYSTERS—EVERY DAY—received by mail given prompt attention. CATALANO & SONS, 305 Dundas street.

FOR SALE—SKATES AND SKATE parts; bicycle enameling and general repairing at lowest prices. D. McKENZIE & Co., 274 Richmond street.

COMBINATION BOOKCASE AND WRITING desk, oak, W. BLANCHARD, south Clark's bridge, near Port Stanley railroad. 2c.

ENGINE FOR SALE—A BARGAIN—thirty horse power; can be run at 100 revolutions in 10 minutes; can be had at a very low price. Address Engine, care "Advertiser" Office. 3056811

A CHRISTMAS PRESENT THAT will delight your friends and be appreciated—A copy of "Illustrated London." A handsome art work; over 300 engravings. Card cover, 10c. The London Printing and Lithographing Co., Limited.

SHEETRUBBER AND RUBBER HOSE, hose nozzles and tools and lawn hydrant. SMITH BROS., 235 Dundas street.

CUSTOMERS PAPERS OF ALL KINDS always on hand at Advertiser Job Department. You can have them in large or small quantities.

MINING STOCK—Gold Hills (1000), 81c; Iron Mask, 35c; Evening Star, 8c; Ruby Reef, 3c; Crescent, 3c. Good stocks wanted in exchange for city lots. J. F. SAUNDERS, 102 Richmond street.

CLASS SALTS AND PEPPERS—OUR SPECIAL, 7 CENTS. R. V. SAUNDERS, 90 Dundas street, East London.

TIMEHILLS, TIGERS ROIDS AND PLATES. PATTERSON & JONES, 715.

STOVES AND SECOND-HAND FURNITURE for sale cheap at KEMPE'S Furniture Store, Massena Temple, Market square.

POSTERS—ALL STYLES—HANGERS and dogtags. Advertiser Job Department.

ENVELOPES—PLAIN OR PRINTED—AT ADVERTISER'S Job Department.

SHIPPING TAGS—AT CLOSE PRICES—Advertiser Job Department.

DAMPHELT WORK OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, clean and quick, at Advertiser Job Department.

DEYMENT-BAKER LUMBER CO.—Lumber Yard, Planning Mill, Box Factory, Wood Carving, Corner Wellington and Bathurst Sts. London.

A Pretty Christmas Gift.

We have a number of copies of two handsome pictures, suitable for mailing as a Christmas offering.

"The Three Friends"
"The Holly Queen."

In tube ready for sending. 10c each. The supply is limited.

ADVERTISER PRINTING COMPANY

100 Dundas street, London.

Medical Cards.

D. R. CLINE—OFFICE AND RESIDENCE at 100 Dundas street, Phone, 130.

D. R. N. R. HENDERSON, CORNER Queen's and York avenues. Eye, ear, throat and nose only.

D. R. MACARTHUR AND THOMPSON—Office and residence, 450 Dundas street and corner Richmond and Oxford streets.

D. R. OVENS, M.D., L.R.C.P.S., EDIN. BURGESS—Eye, ear, nose and throat specialist. 120 Queen's avenue, after Oct. 1st. Office hours, 1 to 4 p.m., and 6 to 8 p.m.

D. R. W. J. WEEKS, 405 DUNDAS street, Phone, 1011.

D. R. M. COOPER, L.R.C.P., AND S. ED. SHIPMAN, M.D., Office and residence, 687 Richmond street. Telephone 1004.

D. R. A. F. WOODWARD—OFFICE AND RESIDENCE, 309 Queen's avenue. Special attention paid to diseases of speciality. Telephone 328.

D. R. CAMPBELL, M.D., M.C.P.S., Office and residence, 227 Queen's avenue, London. Office hours, 8 to 9.30 a.m., 1 to 2 p.m., and 6 to 12 p.m. Sake diseases a specialty.

D. R. ECKLES, QUEEN'S AVENUE—London, Ont., special attention to all diseases of men. Hours, 10 to 12 p.m.

D. R. GRAHAM—OFFICE, 280 CLARENCE street, 810 Richmond. Specialties: Pulmonary affections, cancers, tumors, piles, diseases of women and children.

D. R. ENGLISH—OFFICE AND RESIDENCE, 638 Dundas street. Telephone 1011.

D. R. JOHN D. WILSON—OFFICE AND RESIDENCE, 309 Queen's avenue. Special attention paid to diseases of women.

D. R. MACLAUREN—OFFICE AND RESIDENCE, 309 Queen's avenue. Hours, 11 to 3 and 6 to 8. Careful attention paid to diseases of digestive system. Telephone 328.

D. R. WOODRUFF—EYE, EAR, NOSE and throat. Hours, 12 to 4. No. 133 Queen's avenue.

D. R. MEER—QUEEN'S AVENUE, LONDON—Specialties, diseases of women. Hours, 10 a.m. till 12.30 p.m.

ANNIVERSARY OF PRINCE ALBERT'S DEATH.

Windsor, England, Dec. 15.—There were the usual services at Frogmore yesterday, the anniversary of the death of the Prince Consort and of Princess Alice. The Queen, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of York, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig Holstein, and the Princess Louise, Marchioness of Lorne, were present.

Fully one-third of the land in Great Britain is owned by members of the House of Lords.

A DINNER FILL—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acid, remove the secretions, and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indigestion or dyspepsia.

The "Bicycle's Best Friend" is a familiar name for Frank's Magnetic Ointment, always ready for emergencies. While a specific for Piles, it also instantly relieves and cures cuts, bruises, rheumatism, sprains and all affections of the skin. It never fails. 25 cents. 27

Woman's Weather Strips stop that draught

The Struggle Goes On

Continuous Fighting on the Frontier of India.

Cause of the Disaster to Gen. Kempster's Rear Guard.

Historical Portions of Dover Castle Injured by the Fire.

A Trades Union Case Before the House of Lords.

Anniversary of Prince Albert's Death Fittingly Observed—Good Prospects for Canadian Trade With Britain.

CHILI'S CABINET RESIGNS.

JAPAN PROTESTS.

GERMAN OCCUPATION OF CHINA.

MISHAP TO A STEAMER.

THE DOVER CASTLE BLAZE.

CANADA FAVORED.

AUSTRIA AN ADJUNCT.

CONTINUOUS CONTEST.

DEATH OF THE CHIEF.

SAVED THEIR WAY OUT.

DIED UNDER ANAESTHETICS.

WAS OUT OF SORTS.

HOOD'S PILLS ARE THE ONLY PILLS TO TAKE WITH HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA.

J. P. COOK,

173 DUNDAS ST.

Returned From the Klondike.

Prospect of Trouble Regarding the Boundary Line.

Famine Prices Prevailing in the Capital.

Candles a Dollar Each and Flour \$125 a Sack.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 15.—Passengers of the steamer Alki, which has arrived here from Skaguay, Alaska, report that according to a new ruling of Deputy United States Collector of Customs Floyd, at Skaguay, goods purchased in Canada and brought to Skaguay must either pay duty of 35 per cent or be given a customs official while the goods are in transit to the international boundary line. Collector Floyd has already collected duties on five outfits from British Columbia, the owners paying the duty rather than pay a customs official to travel with them to the line. Owing to the dispute over the location of the boundary line, it is feared that bad feeling may be engendered by Collector Floyd's interpretation of the customs laws.

THE JUNEAU (ALASKA) SEARCHLIGHT publishes a letter dated Dawson City, N. W. T., Oct. 14, which, among other things, says:

"The North American Transportation and Trading Company closed its doors, and the stamped to the Alaska Commercial Company's store was something terrible. Hundreds of persons crowded about the doors each morning awaiting the opening. As soon as the doors were opened the goods were packed with a struggling mass of humanity, each one striving to buy anything and everything eatable. No flour, bacon, tinned or anything of the other staple articles could be had, and only in very limited quantities would they sell other food supplies.

"Flour immediately jumped to \$100 a sack, as high as \$125 being paid for some few sacks, and other provisions going to about \$1 per pound. A few days later the river raised about two feet, and two steamers, Wear and Della, arrived, but their cargoes were required to fill orders, and did not seem to relieve the situation much, as nothing was offered to the public.

"The shortage in candles will be a great setback to the working of the diggings this winter, and this, together with the shortage in food supplies, will make a difference of not less than \$3,000,000 or \$4,000,000 in the output of this district this winter. Candles are now worth and selling for \$1 per pound.

"Prices for everything are in the skies. Fur caps are worth \$25, moccasins \$10, a pair of boots \$10, a window of six small lights \$25 to \$50, padlocks \$20 apiece, stoves that cost \$6 in Juneau sell for \$40, sleds \$25, etc. \$10 is worth \$30 and \$20 is worth \$60.

"Horses which sold readily for \$500 apiece are now being butchered and sold for 75 cents a pound. It is being bought for dog feed. Dogs are scarce and sell readily for \$150.

"Two sawmills have been running here at 7,000 and a foot supply of lumber for \$10, and at the present time people cannot get lumber to finish their houses. Any kind of a cabin rents for \$50 a month, and a good cabin 18x20 nearly rents for \$100 per month.

"Several miners' meetings have been held to discuss the food question, and a careful estimate made by the government officials and transportation companies fixes the number of persons here at 7,000, and a food supply sufficient for only one-half of them, so that the government, the companies and everybody with supplies have been urged to help out and to provide people to go down the river. My personal opinion is that there will be no more suffering, but that provisions are not so scarce as generally reported.

"There are plenty of men here who think that hundreds of men will die of starvation before spring in this vicinity, but I cannot believe it is that serious. There is still a possibility that there will be one or more boats up yet if the river remains open for a week or two."

GOLD STRIKE IN TEXAS.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 15.—There is great excitement throughout this section over reports of the richness of the recent gold fields on Indian creek, 100 miles west of here. One assay of ore just made ran \$4,750 to the ton. Over 200 claims have been staked off, and the prospectors are rushing to the place from this city and the neighboring farms and ranches.

DEATH OF THE CHIEF.

Blenheim, Dec. 15.—W. J. Hammond, chief of police here, died this morning, suddenly, of pneumonia.

SAVED THEIR WAY OUT.

Chambersburg, Penn., Dec. 6.—Seven prisoners escaped from the Franklin county jail last night by sawing through the roof.

DIED UNDER ANAESTHETICS.

Hamilton, Dec. 15.—A very sad, but peculiar, accident occurred at the city hospital yesterday. Mr. Ebert Teitz, while taking an anaesthetic in order to have an inward specific, was taken to a stiff elbow joint, was suddenly affected with paralysis of the heart and died. Every means was taken to resuscitate the patient, but of no avail.

WAS OUT OF SORTS.

"I was all out of sorts with loss of appetite and loss of sleep. I could not verify myself without stopping to rest. My kidneys were affected. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. I now have a better appetite and am able to sleep soundly." MRS. MARGARET BIRD, 582 Bethune street, Peterboro, Ontario.

HOOD'S PILLS ARE THE ONLY PILLS TO TAKE WITH HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA.

Easy, yet efficient.

If you have ever seen a little child in a paroxysm of Croup, or if you have been annoyed by a constant tickling in the throat, you can appreciate the value of Ransom's Hives Syrup and Tolu, which gives quick relief. 25 cents. 25

Ebony Toilet Goods.

MIRRORS, PUFF BOXES, HAT BRUSHES, CLOTH BRUSHES, HAIR BRUSHES, MILITARY BRUSHES, ETC., ETC.

We are Exhibiting the most complete line of Hair Brushes ever imported into this city. Brushes in Ebony, Rosewood and Shell. These will be sold at close prices.

Cairncross & Lawrence,

CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS, 216 Dundas St. London, Ont. Branch—Corner Richmond and Piccadilly.

Went to Pieces!

Fatal Wreck on the Coast of Maine.

The Schooner Thurlow Goes to the Bottom—Only One Survivor—Six Men Drowned.

Portland, Me., Dec. 15.—The schooner Susan P. Thurlow, bound from Hillsboro, N. B., from New York, with a cargo of plaster rock, went to pieces on Cape Elizabeth at 8 o'clock last night, and the captain and five members of the crew were lost.

One sailor managed to reach land, and early today gave the alarm. The bodies of the captain and one sailor were recovered. The Thurlow was built in Harrington, Maine, and hails from New York.

AIMED AT THE LILY.

Mrs. Langtry Ruled Out of London Jockey Club Society.

New York, Dec. 15.—A dispatch to the World from London says: The report that Mrs. Langtry will be again taken into society is more than offset by a resolution that has been passed by the Jockey Club, which is aimed directly at her. The resolution says that "for the future, ladies, other than the wives, daughters and sisters of the members of the club will be admitted to the enclosure and private stands of the club at Newmarket and on other race courses only on presentation of a voucher, signed by a member of the club, together with the payment of 25s." Until the resolution was passed a member of the club had a right to pass into the Jockey Club enclosure and into the private stands any woman whom he saw fit. There has been a general impression that Mrs. Langtry has had the freedom of the race track of this is not true. Until the death of her husband, two months ago, she was kept out of the enclosure and private stands of the Jockey Club. It was a matter of fact, it is doubtful if Mrs. Langtry has any very great desire to get into society again, and it is absolutely certain that she could not do so if she tried.

DISAGREE WITH PRINCIPAL GRANT.

Paris, Dec. 14.—At today's meeting of the Presbytery of Paris, a motion was proposed by Rev. W. A. Macay, of Woodstock, and seconded by Rev. E. T. Hutt, of Ingersoll, disagreeing with the views on prohibition of Rev. Principal Grant, as given in recent letters. The motion was carried by 7 to 2.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swollen neck and crick in the back; and as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claim to public confidence.

The Triumph Medical Battery, one of the novelties of the day. It is equal to an expensive battery at a fraction of the cost. No better Christmas present can be selected for a boy. It will furnish unlimited amusement at young people's parties. The price is only One Dollar. For sale at F. B. Clarke's, 415 Richmond street. 85n

Pages 614 for Yeoman's Weather Strips.

Give Your Wife a Hint

When you put your old slippers on throw some remark out about a new pair being needed, and say (by the way, of course) that Cook has advertised some beauties in velvet, alligator, calf, etc., at low prices. Women are sharp at taking hints and giving them too. For that matter, and if your wife gives YOU one to the same effect, as above stated, why come along and buy her a pair.

J. P. COOK,

173 DUNDAS ST.