

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

BORN.
THOMSON—At 425 Horton street, on Feb. 27, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Forbes Thomson, a daughter.

MARRIED.
OVENS—HEAMAN—At the residence of the bride's father, John Heaman, Esq., on Thursday, Feb. 27, 1902, by Rev. W. Ayers, of London, South, Amy M. Heaman to John B. Owens, all of London.

DIED.
FORSYTHE—On Feb. 27, 1902, Phoebe G. Forsythe, beloved wife of D. Forsythe, aged 83 years.
Funeral from the family residence, 153 Rectory street, on Saturday, March 1, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

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Advertisement under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

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Clever specialties. Popular. 10c. Seats ready.

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The Cactus Club, Saturday, Feb. 28, at 10 a.m. Public Library building. Admission, 10c.

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By R. H. Miller, 111 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

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LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233, ROYAL ARCADE.
will meet this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffell block, b.

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Apply at Labatt's Brewery, corner Simcoe and Talbot streets, London. 15c

WANTED—MAN TO WORK ON FARM.
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DOMINION SAVINGS AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.
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Paid on Deposits and Debentures.

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Also girl about 16, to assist in ladies' tailoring department. Smallman & Ingram. 15c

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AGENTS—GOOD LINE, STEADY DEMAND, large profits.
Write today. Sample, 5 cents. Adams, Toronto, Ont. 25c

WANTED—CITY AGENT FOR LEADING INVESTMENT AND LOAN COMPANY.
Apply Box 94, Advertiser. 15c

AGENTS—WE START YOU IN BUSINESS.
You can easily make \$25 per week. No capital required. Apply F. O. Drawer 531, London. 15c

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EGGS WANTED—HIGHEST CASH price paid. If you have any to offer, write us and we will quote you price. T. A. Pauls, produce merchant, 13 Market House. 25c

COMES AND SEE OUR NATURAL FOODS.
They are perfect. Combings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 221 Dundas street. 15c

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GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE.
Good chance. Address Box 80, Advertiser. 15c

BAKE SHOP FOR RENT, INQUIRE
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F. B. CLARKE, EXCHANGE BROKER,
deals in all kinds of securities, including American money, Bank of England notes, issues foreign drafts and express orders. American stamps for sale. 25c

"BEAUTIFUL LION'S LOVER," FIVE
cents copy. Ople Read's novels, 3 for 25 cents. Red Star News Company, 50 King street. 15c

THE NOBRIEST THING IN GO-CARTS
and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros., 127 King street. 15c

WILL BUY A SECOND-HAND GAS
engine, in first-class order. D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street. 15c

FIRST-CLASS RUBBER STAMPS,
10c each. Send for list. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont. 15c

THIS IS THE TIME OF THE YEAR
that makes the people look for the best of the best. Ring up and ask them about their different kinds of wood and prices. D. H. Gillies & Co., 67 Bathurst. 15c

EXTRA VALUE IN MEN'S WORKING
clothes. H. 25, R. 50, and Overalls and Smocks, \$5 to \$1, at Cunningham's, 652 Dundas street. 15c

STOVES—STOVES—STOVES—WE HAVE
a large stock of stoves, including coal, baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis upright. Very cheap, at Keene's, 141 King street. 15c

SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD
case, 71-3 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100.00. J. F. Sanger, 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence. 15c

FOR THE BEST HARD AND SOFT
wood, select stock, including the best hard and soft wood, and good, dry sawmill slabs, at \$1.50 per load, go to Green & Co., 1111 Dundas street and G. T. R. Phone 1,231. 15c

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ALICE CALDER, SOLOIST
First Methodist Church, Voice culture, 24 Queen's avenue. Concert engagements accepted. 25c

DAVID L. WRIGHT, ORGANIST, ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
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MR. W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST OF
Dundas Center Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Piano, pipe organ, harmony and singing. Both advanced and elementary tuition given. New address, 640 Wellington street. 15c

CHARLES E. WHEELER (ORGANIST
and choirmaster St. Andrew's Church) has resumed teaching. Piano, pipe organ, harmony and singing. Both advanced and elementary tuition given. New address, 640 Wellington street. 15c

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FOR SALE—15 ACRES GOOD GARDEN
land, 1 mile from Bothwell station; small house, good barn, large orchard, and many other improvements. J. F. Sanger, 112 Masonic Temple. 15c

THE QUEEN'S AVENUE—SUPERIOR
built and planned brick cottage, in excellent repair, with large lot. Price \$1,200. Apply J. H. McCormack, 293 King street. 15c

FOR SALE—VERY DESIRABLE RESI-
dence and store premises on main street of Thorndale. For particulars apply to Alfred Bailey, Thorndale P.O. 15c

BUSINESS CARDS.
WILLIAM G. AUSTIN, BAKER, FORMERLY of 707 Dundas street, has moved to corner of Egerton and Hackett streets. He will deliver bread daily. 15c

HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS,
paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done. 15c

WATSON & CO. HOUSE MOVERS.
Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 184 Hamilton road. Phone 1,231. 15c

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.
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ROOMS OVER MY STORE—NEWLY
furnished, furnished by this board. Information regarding it was obtained. It was given to the house by Hon. Dr. Borden, minister of militia, in response to an inquiry made by Col. Sam Hughes. The action of the target, which has been described in The Advertiser, was elaborately detailed by Dr. Borden, who, in commenting upon it, both as regards cost and specific value, compared it favorably with other targets used for practicing upon. 15c

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WANTED—SITUATION AS WORKING
housekeeper, by woman with one child, 4 years of age. Address Housekeeper, Mount Brydges, Ont. 15c

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you put in your overcoat for spring wear insures extra quality. The good quality overcoat holds its color and shape, and is a pleasure always. See our seasonable goods.

Deeks & Munson,
Tailors and Drapers,
393 Richmond Street.

WELL KNOWN IN THIS CITY.

Death of Rev. John Laing, D.D., Causes Profound Regret.

Sketch of One of the Most Prominent Ministers of the Presbyterian Church.

Rev. John Laing, D. D., of Dundas, died yesterday in Toronto General Hospital after an operation for kidney trouble. The news will be learned with sincere regret by Presbyterians all over Canada, and not least in this city, where he was well known and highly esteemed, he having appeared many times in local pulpits.

Rev. John Laing had been for many years one of the most useful and prominent ministers of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. He was born in Scotland some 74 years ago, and received his early education in the high school of Edinburgh. His parents came to Canada when he was a youth, and his theological education was obtained at Knox College, from which institution he graduated in 1853. His first charge was at Agincourt, Scarborough, and from there he was called to Colborne, where he remained for twelve years. For a short time he served as principal of the Ladies' College, Ottawa, and was settled in Knox Church, Dundas, in October, 1872, holding this pastorate until the time of his death. For several years past he has been assisted by the Rev. S. H. Gray as associate pastor.

This, in brief, is the sketch of his life, but many pages might be written in detailing his labors for the advancement of the Kingdom of Christ and the good of his fellow-men. Dr. Laing was a man of great natural ability and fine scholarship, as well as an exceedingly genial and lovable personality. To those who knew him only as he appeared in church courts he might seem severe, but to those privileged to see him in private life he showed himself possessed of a warm sympathy and a tender heart. Not only was he an able preacher and successful pastor, but he was a successful worker in the affairs of the church at large. He preceded Dr. Cochran as convener of the home mission work of the Canada Presbyterian Church, and his success was due to his labors in those early days. He was convener of the committee that prepared the "Rules of Forms and Procedure" at present in use in the Presbyterian Church. For over a quarter of a century he served as chairman of the board of examiners in Knox College, and he was prominent in all the work of the church, and was always one of those to whom the assembly looked for guidance in difficult and important questions. He wielded a facile pen, and not only religious papers, but in the daily press, took an active part in the discussion of important questions. His literary degree of D. D. was conferred on him by Rutgers College, New Jersey, many years ago, and he was elected as moderator of the General Assembly that met in Ottawa in 1890. The best thing that can be said about him was the best that can be said of any man, that he was a true and good man, who did his work faithfully, and, living in God's providence served well his day and generation, he has fallen on one.

Rev. Dr. Laing was a brother-in-law of Mrs. James Ferguson, of 840 Richmond street, this city. He leaves a widow and a family of six sons and three daughters. One of his sons, the Rev. A. A. Laing, B. A., was lately settled in a charge in Chatham. Presbyterians, Rev. W. J. Clark, of the First Presbyterian Church, goes to Dundas tomorrow to attend the funeral, Dr. Laing having been his pastor in youth.

THE HOUSE HEARS OF LONDONER'S TARGET.

Hon. Dr. Borden Speaks in Praise of Lieut.-Col. Peters' Invention.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Feb. 27.—The Peters' target was brought to the attention of the house this afternoon. It is the invention of Lieut.-Col. Peters, D. O. C., of London, and was extensively used by the first district militia during the camp on Carling's Heights in June of last year. At Col. Peters' invitation, a board of officers assembled there for the purpose of examining and reporting upon his target, and it was from the report furnished by this board that information regarding it was obtained. It was given to the house by Hon. Dr. Borden, minister of militia, in response to an inquiry made by Col. Sam Hughes. The action of the target, which has been described in The Advertiser, was elaborately detailed by Dr. Borden, who, in commenting upon it, both as regards cost and specific value, compared it favorably with other targets used for practicing upon.

WALKS 100 MILES ON WATER.
Capt. Crossman, who strated on Feb. 6 to walk down the Danube from Linz to Vienna, a distance of 100 miles, on his newly-invented water-walking shoes, towing his wife in a boat, has reached Vienna. The long time spent on the journey was explained by the fact that Capt. Crossman stopped at several places to give exhibitions of his shoes. These are five yards long. The trip was made without mishap, notwithstanding there was an unusually strong current and much floating ice in the river. In addition, there were a number of storms, which made the walking perilous.

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WON'T ALL BE BANISHED

Chamberlain's Latest Statement as to the Boers.

Gen. Kitchener Can Accept Surrenders on Modified Conditions.

Great Britain Abused in the Prussian Reichstag—A Great Reform in Japan.

London, Feb. 28.—The colonial secretary, Right Hon. Jos. Chamberlain, made an interesting statement in the House of Commons yesterday, to the effect that the proclamation providing for the banishment of the Boer leaders did not preclude Lord Kitchener or Lord Milner from accepting the surrender of Boer leaders on modified conditions. Lord Kitchener, on his own authority, had already accepted the surrender of some of the Boer leaders, on the understanding that the provisions of the banishment proclamation would not be enforced.

COLONIAL CLAIMS.

Mr. St. John Brodick, under secretary of state for war, in reply to Mr. McLaren, Liberal member for Bosworth, said that the claims of the representative detachments of colonial volunteers who fought in South Africa to attend the coronation and take part in the parades incidental thereto are being considered.

BRITAIN DENOUNCED.

Petitions were presented in the Reichstag yesterday suggesting that the house take action for the furtherance of peace negotiations in South Africa. They were referred to the imperial chancellor, Count Von Buelow.

Several members of the Reichstag indulged in unlimited vituperation of Great Britain, asserting that the possible explanation of the refusal to admit German Red Cross nurses and ambulances to South Africa was that the British government allowed the world to have a glimpse of the scandalous conditions prevailing there.

EVERYONE MUST BE VACCINATED.

Commencing today, all American-bound vessels from English ports infected with smallpox must have their crews vaccinated unless they can show signs that they were recently inoculated with vaccine virus. The order includes Liverpool, Glasgow and London, but Plymouth and Southampton, so far, are excepted. The United States consulate officers are instituting a rigid system of inspection. If the epidemic increases they may suggest even more strict measures.

A GREAT REFORM IN JAPAN.

Missionary U. S. Grant Murphy, located at Yokohama, Japan, told the Methodist Protestant board of foreign missions in Pittsburgh, on Wednesday, of the wonderful reform movement now in progress in Japan. For many hundred years the fathers in Japan have been allowed by law to send their daughters to disorderly houses. One of the girls escaped about a year ago and took refuge with Mr. Murphy. He made an appeal to the British consuls, who have just secured a decision that the practice is virtual slavery. This decision liberates over 5,000 girls and about 11,000 have already escaped from their bondage.

THE RIOTS AT KIEFF.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that the recent student riots at Kieff began in the street on a signal from a student, who was followed by workmen armed with clubs and other weapons. The crowd, swelled to thousands, sang "Down with Aristocracy," and waved red flags, whereupon the police and Cossacks interfered. The trouble lasted three days, the students being outnumbered by the workmen. The fact that the reform movement has not been the increased support the workmen are giving the students. Discontent is now spreading to the small towns and villages, owing to the government's policy of expelling malcontents to the country.

MISS STONE.

Salonika, Roumelia, Feb. 28.—Miss Stone, in company with M. Gargallo, the dragonman of the American embassy at Constantinople has left here for Constantinople. She intends to remain several weeks in Turkey, and will then proceed to the United States to visit her mother. During the captivity of Miss Stone and Mme. Telika, the ladies suffered greatly until Mme. Telika's baby was born. After the failure of the negotiations at Sofia, the ladies were taken to huts deep in the snow on an almost inaccessible mountain. They had no communications with the outside world except on matters relating to their ransom. They were only occasionally vouchsafed some item of information, such as the death of President McKinley. The baby was born after Mme. Telika had been riding horseback five hours. The mother smothered the child's cries for fear the brigands would take it away and kill it.

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ter to be decided on was the outcome of proceedings against one of the deputies, charged with inciting to commit murder.

BELLIGERENT STUDENTS.

According to a Russian official account of the disturbances of Feb. 22, at Moscow University, 400 students, armed with bludgeons, iron bars and revolvers, wrecked the interior of the university buildings, barricaded themselves within and hung out red flags from the windows. The police and troops forced an entrance into the interior and arrested the ringleaders of the rioters. A decree of the minister of public instruction has been gazetted, ordering the expulsion from the university and high schools of all students arrested in connection with rioting.

CARNEGIE UNIVERSITY SCHEME.

London, Feb. 28.—The first annual meeting of the trustees of the Carnegie bequest of \$10,000,000 to the Scottish universities was held here yesterday. The report of the year's administration showed that of 4,000 applications the majority had been disallowed. Only 2,441 students were assisted, at a cost of £22,841, for the winter session of 1901-02. The report said the trustees had ample proofs that the payment of fees had proved to be the greatest boon to many deserving students.

CABLE NOTES.

The mining regions of Spain are in a ferment of agitation. At Albuñol and Madrid riots have set fire to the mines, and the police and troops have been forced to enter the interior and arrested the ringleaders of the rioters.

There was a large attendance at the prohibition meeting held last night in Dundas Center Methodist Church, a goodly proportion of those present being women. The gathering was addressed by Rev. Dr. Sowerby, Rev. C. T. Scott, Adjutant McGillivray, F. W. Daly, Dr. Roome and Rev. W. J. Clark. The latter's views differed somewhat from those expressed by the other speakers, and the result was the signifying of their dissent by a number of members of the audience.

Dr. Sowerby, the first speaker, denounced the referendum as being both unnecessary and unconstitutional. It was unnecessary, because the plebiscite of 1894 had given a majority for prohibition of 32,214 votes. He believed it unconstitutional, because he thought Goldwin Smith and J. J. McLaren, of Toronto, quite as good authorities as any member of the government, and both had declared it to be unconstitutional. There was nothing in the Canadian constitution to say that they should carry out the referendum.

Dr. Sowerby opposed the referendum also because it did not settle the compensation question. If the bill carried, there might still remain the payment of \$75,000,000 for hotel property.

Another reason for opposition was given in the majority necessary for the prohibition bill to roll up before the bill would pass. In Kansas prohibition was carried by less than a majority of 5 per cent of the people.

Dr. Sowerby said that the result was neither honest nor straightforward in the matter and charged it with breach of faith.

Adjutant McGillivray, of the Salvation Army, spoke on the evils of the liquor traffic as the Salvation Army was made aware of them, and urged the desirability of prohibition.

Dr. Roome and F. W. Daly also criticised the provisions of the bill and the action of the Ross Government.

Rev. W. J. Clark requested a hearing, and was allowed ten minutes by the chairman, Mr. J. H. Bowman. Mr. Clark said he could not altogether agree with the speaker's remarks, and he wished to enumerate a few points. He first objected to the statement that the license system was an antiquated relic of the past. He said that the country in the world, the restriction imposed by the license system and the educative campaign of the temperance element had brought about this result.

The fact that prohibition was a success in certain states did not necessarily prove it was a success in Ontario. If successful in Kansas, it would probably be more so in Ontario, but only experience would show the truth of the case.

The speaker questioned the right of the prohibitionists to say to the government, "You shall do this or that." The government would not be bound by the prohibitionists. It represents all the rights and interests of a great body of good, sober citizens who are arrayed upon neither side, but who remain neutral. The government must treat all classes fairly.

Mr. Clark had read Premier Ross' speech on the bill carefully through, and before hearing any other comment had decided for himself that it was the honest effort of an honest man to deal fairly with an exceedingly difficult question. He would not say that the bill was not open to criticism, particularly as to the time for taking the vote, but he hoped and believed that the bill would be changed, and possibly be taken at the municipal elections.

The speaker strongly objected to Dr. Sowerby's statement that the ballot boxes were loaded with 200,000 votes, and that it would take 250,000 votes to carry prohibition. If 250,000 votes could not be secured for prohibition, then its enactment would be a retrograde step and not an advance, for the measure must have public opinion behind it to secure enforcement.

The speaker said he had not time to discuss the wisdom of the Ontario plebiscites, but he believed they had done good educational work. He closed by saying it was time that differences were laid aside and that people bend their efforts to advance the interests of the country. He wanted to see a big vote brought out so as to know where the people of the province stood upon the question.

Mr. Clark was subjected to several interruptions while he was speaking, and at the end of ten minutes cries of "Time, time!" led him to sit down. Rev. C. T. Scott secured a hearing for Mr. Clark, and he concluded his remarks.

Rev. C. T. Scott spoke last, outlining the course the prohibitionists should pursue and giving his reasons for opposing the referendum.

Rev. W. J. Clark was seen by an Advertiser reporter this morning, and asked if he had anything to say in reference to the prohibition meeting at Dundas Center Methodist Church on Thursday night, when Mr. Clark expressed views on the referendum which did not meet with the entire approval of the audience.

"My impressions of the meeting," said Mr. Clark, "was that it was a good-natured one, I did not hear any hisses while I was speaking, and while dissent was expressed, it was only what I expected. The gentlemen on the platform—Messrs. Scott, Bowman, Daly and others, treated me in a gentlemanly manner. While the audience was not in sympathy with me, they treated me fairly, and I do not think there was any unkindly feeling. I got as good a reception as I expected.

As to the constitutionality of the referendum, which I did not discuss last night, I might say that our whole history of government has been but an advancing from precedent to precedent. The fact that the referendum has not been tried before should be no unanswerable argument against it.

"You may say in conclusion," said Mr. Clark, "that while I am not confident that the province is ready for prohibitive legislation, my sympathies will be with every effort which tends to restrict the evils attendant upon the liquor traffic."

DID NOT DESERVE TO BE CENSURED

Conclusion of Agricultural Committee in Regard to Mr. Devlin.

[Special to Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—The agricultural committee of the house met this morning and decided that Immigration Agent Devlin, of Dublin, was in no way deserving of censure, and that it was unnecessary to summon before the house the Montreal Witness reporter who interviewed him. The motion to do so was almost unanimously defeated.

OPPOSED TO EXTREMISTS

Rev