

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BORN.
BLOUNT—In this city, on Friday, March 13, 1896, the wife of W. C. Blount, of a son.
MARRIED.
SEGNO-ALLEN—On March 17, 1896, at 187 Queen's avenue, by Rev. Dr. Daniel, Prof. A. Segno, of Pittsburgh, Pa., to Miss Eveline Rose Allen, of this city.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

SOCIAL AND CONCERT—KING STREET
 Methodist Church, Thursday, 19th, under auspices of Ladies Aid Society. Good programme. Admission 15c.
KNOX CHURCH, SOUTH LONDON—ON
 Thursday evening, March 19th, at 8 o'clock, lecture on "Curious Customs of the Chinese," by Rev. J. A. Stuart, R.A. musical programme under direction of organist Mr. Fred L. Evans. Silver collection at conclusion of Waterloo Street Mission. Everybody welcome.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—MATINEE
 and night, Saturday March 21. Return engagement, Mr. Wm. C. Andrews and his company, in Fred Marshall's brilliant comedy, "My Wife's Friend." Matinee prices—Adults 50c; children, 25c; no seats reserved. Night prices—50c, 30c, 15c, 10c.
BERNHART—GRAND OPERA HOUSE
 —Wednesday, April 8th: name of play, scale of prices and date of sale of seats will be announced later. Watch advertisements.

ANNUAL ART EXHIBITION—LONDON
 branch Women's Art Association, studio 100 Richmond street, March 18 to 23, open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—THURSDAY
 March 19, everybody's favorite, funny Fanny Rice, in her new operatic comedy success, as "Nancy at the Circus." Matinee 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00. Seats on sale Tuesday, 5th.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—ONE WEEK
 commencing Monday, March 23rd, Ella Cameron, supported by J. L. Clark's Company, in a strong repertoire of standard plays. Monday night "Our Strategists." Prices—10c, 20c and 30c.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—LAST
 term commences next week. Gentlemen Monday, ladies Tuesday, advanced class Wednesday evenings, Children Saturday afternoons. DAYTON & McORMICK.

60 DEGREES ABOVE—NICE SUMMER
 weather in England. Call on FRANK B. CLARKE, agent, Chancery Lane Steamships, and purchase your tickets. Office, Richmond street, next door to the Post Office.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING
 by Mr. H. B. Millard, at his residence, 343 Princess avenue. A thorough system of teaching the modern gliding waltz and fashionable dances guaranteed. Lessons given any hour.

Meetings

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.
O. F. F. DOMINION LODGE, NO. 48—
 Meets this (Wednesday) evening, Third degree. Visitors invited. GEO. ARNETT, N.G., Thos. D. HASTINGS, H.R.

QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE KING'S
 Daughters and Sons Friday, 8 o'clock, in rooms.

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.
WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED DINING
 room girl at the Bernard House.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT IN SMALL
 family; references required. 661 Taylor street.

WANTED—10 FIRST-CLASS GENERAL
 servants; also cook to go out of city, good wages; housemaids and girls for the country at Armstrong's Intelligence office, 56 Dundas street. Phone 384.

ON HAND AT DWYER'S EMPLOYMENT
 Agency—General servants, dining-room girls, housekeepers to suit, men and women, work on farm, and salaried, 601 Richmond street. Phone 1121.

Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.
WANTED—SIX-FOOT COUNTER SHOW
 case. W. M. GORD & CO.

Architects.

MCBRIDE & FARNCOMBE—ARCHITECTS
 and surveyors, 213 Dundas street, Dundas Block. H. C. McBRIDE, F. W. FARNCOMBE.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS AND
 civil engineers, Albion Buildings, London. J. M. MOORE, FRED HENRY.

HERBERT MATTHEWS—ARCHITECT—
 (formerly with C. C. Haight, New York), Carling Block, Richmond street.

Musical Instruction.

MRS. NOBLE, TEACHER OF PIANO,
 organ and harmony; terms moderate. Residence, 525 York street.

CHARLES E. WHEELER, ORGANIST OF
 St. Andrew's Church, late of Conservatory of Music, Leipzig, Germany, instructs in organ, piano, singing and harmony. 518 Richmond street.

MR. HALL HAS RESUMED PIANO
 lessons at his residence, 23 Stanley street.

W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST DUNE-
 DARCE Church Methodist Church, late organist Carlisle Street Methodist Church, and graduate gold medalist and teacher of the Toronto Conservatory of Music. Pupils received in piano, organ, harmony and composition. Address 464 Dufferin avenue.

Real Estate.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.
FOR SALE OR TO RENT—MARKET
 garden, 15 acres, New Orchard beach, Port Stanley, good house and barn. For further particulars address J. A. BELL, C. E. St. Thomas, Ont.

Articles For Sale.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.
MACHINERY FOR SALE—H. V. PETRIE,
 Toronto, is offering a very large and varied stock of new and second-hand machinery, and those who contemplate purchasing will do well to send for his new descriptive catalogue No. 19. Machinery you have no use for taken in exchange. Address H. V. Petrie, adjoining Union Station Toronto.

FIVE SETS OF SECOND-HAND SINGLE
 harness. Cheap. J. DARCH & SONS, 37-39 Talbot street.

COLUMBIA BICYCLE—1895 PATTER-
 n—25-inch frame, ridden part last summer only; guaranteed good as new; owner wants another same make with 25-inch frame. Box 119, "Advertiser."

NEW AND SECOND-HAND PIANOS—
 R. S. Williams, upright, nearly new, Steinway & Co., 285 Dundas street, H. W. Stewart, Manager.

Male Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.
EMPLOYMENT FOR A GOOD MAN—
 city branch tea trade. Apply H. TAYLOR & SONS, 100 Dundas street, corner Grand avenue, 5th.

RELIABLE MAN WANTED TO TAKE
 charge of country store. Must be in position to invest \$500 or \$1,000. Apply, CAYVELL & GIBSON, Barristers, Toronto.

WANTED—AN IDEA WHO CAN
 think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C.; or their \$1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

ORGANIZERS WANTED—PROFITABLE,
 permanent employment. Apply by letter, Grand Organizer Oddfellows, 49 King street west, Toronto.

RING UP NO. 778 WHEN YOU WANT
 your clothes cleaned, repaired and pressed on short notice. See your Cleaning Company, 291 Wellington street. Open evenings until 8:30.

AGENTS WANTED—\$50 PER WEEK—
 Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & CO., tea importers, 285 Dundas street.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.
RESIDENCE TO LET WITH MODERN
 conveniences. Apply 235 Central avenue, opposite the park; best location in the city.

TO LET—532 DUFFERIN AVENUE,
 corner William street; all modern improvements. Apply 414 Colborne street.

TO LET—WARM, COMFORTABLE COT-
 tage, six rooms, bath, gas, and electric. 300 Bruce street, South London. Apply R. GREENWOOD, 130 Bruce street.

OFFICE TO LET—DOUBLE ROOM WITH
 vault, first floor Albion Buildings, also front room on first floor, immediate possession. Apply T. H. CARLING, at the brewery.

TO LET—COTTAGE, CORNER RIDOUT
 and Craig streets, South London; rent \$15. Apply GEORGE C. GUNN, barrister, 425 Dufferin street.

TO LET—RESIDENCE, 434 COLBORNE
 street, corner Dufferin avenue, 10 rooms, modern conveniences. Apply FRASER & FRASER.

Agents Wanted.

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MEN TO TAKE ORDERS IN EVERY
 town and city; no delivering; good wages; pay weekly; no capital. Steady work. GLEN BROS., Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—AGENTS TO HANDLE FAST
 selling goods. Large commission. 100 days' credit, freight paid. DAVID H. AULD, Cove Head, P. E. Island.

Lost and Found.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.
DOGS LOST—BLACK AND WHITE
 setter and liver and white pointer. Returner reward. Person retaining will be prosecuted. H. M. GRAYDON, 572 Dundas street.

LOST—BETWEEN QUEEN'S AVENUE
 and Hunter's Lane, South London, gray goat robe. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Hunt Bros. office, 383 Richmond street, or at Hunter's Lane.

LOST EARLY IN FEBRUARY—IN
 street car or at Mount Hope street, railroad terminus, little girl's glasses. Finder please leave at this office. 707 Taylor street.

LOST—BROWN COLLAR AND TUGS—
 on Byron avenue or Beech street. Finder rewarded by returning to 29 Byron avenue.

Situations Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.
SITUATION WANTED AS PUBLIC OR
 Stationery correspondent by young lady who has typewriter. Address box M, this office.

SITUATION WANTED FOR A BOY OF
 14 in office or store; well recommended. Boy, this office.

Patent Barristers.

FETHERSTONHAUGH & CO.—PATENT
 lawyers, 1000 Yonge street, Toronto. Obtained in Canada, etc. London Office, Bank of Commerce buildings, corner Dundas and Richmond streets.

Massage Treatment.

THE GERSVAISE GRAHAM INSTITUTE
 treatments, removing blemishes, presiding and beautifying the skin, hair, hands and figure; 140 Maple street.

Electro-Thermo Baths.

THE ELECTRO-THERMO BATHS ARE
 the greatest curative agents. For chronic and nervous diseases they are unsurpassed. J. G. WILSON, Electrotherapist.

TO ALL MANUFACTURERS OF SPRAY
 pumps—A public exhibition of Spray Pumps is to be held at Grimsby, Ont., before the fruit growers, on Thursday, April 2nd, 1896. A public report of the result will be issued for the benefit of fruit growers. Intending exhibitors will write for information to L. W. BENTON, Grimsby, secretary, Board of Control, Ontario Fruit Experiment Stations.

CRIPPLED BREADS' GOLD STOCKS
 should be bought at once. Boston-Colorado Company and you can't help making money. Prospectus and information free. R. W. R. GUSWOLD, Marquette Building, Chicago.

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION
 by Mr. J. W. Jones, at his rooms, Dundas street, London, on Wednesday, March 23, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., the stock of Bartlett & Robinson, Mount Brydges, as follows:

General drygoods.....\$1,127.98
 Groceries and hardware.....1,122.43
 Ready-made clothing.....245.43
 Crockery and glassware.....207.94
 Hats and caps.....123.65
 Drugs.....186.54
 Stationery, books and wall paper.....71.71
 Shop furniture.....88.45
 Total.....\$3,292.09

Terms—One-quarter down; balance in 2, 4, 6 and 8 months, approved indorsed paper, with interest at 7 percent. Stock in the premises and with GUSWOLD, MULKERN & HARRIS, London, Ont. C. B. ARMSTRONG, Trustee.

INSURE IN THE PHOENIX—TIMH-
 tried, fire tested, insurance company, of Hartford, Conn. Assets, \$6,000,000. Large security, liberal settlements, low rates. Money to loan at 4 percent.

EDWARD TOWE, AGENT
 Office over Bank of Commerce, London, Telephone No. 367.

THE WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY
 of Toronto; capital \$2,000,000. California Insurance Company of Scotland; assets \$10,000,000. London and Lancashire Assurance Company of London, England. Canada Accident Assurance Company of Montreal.

JOHN STEPHENSON, Agent,
 Office, Huron and Erie Loan Building.

AUCTION SALES.

CANADA'S GREATEST SPEED SALE.

GRAND'S REPOSITORY,

53 to 59 Adelaide St. West, TORONTO.

The First Great Annual Combination Sale of

TROTTERS and PACERS

Will take place on

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

MARCH 25 and 26, at 10:30 each day.

100 Fast Trotters and Pacers, Standard Bred Blood Mares, Colts, Fillies, and Stallions, including Geneva, Record 2:15.

Such a collection of royal breeding, individual speed, fast records, and promising youngsters, has never been brought together in Canada, and it is hoped that purchasers will avail themselves of this unparalleled opportunity of making a selection from the choicest stock in this country. The following is a short memo of a few of the horses to be offered at this event. Catalogues containing full descriptions and pedigrees may be had on application:

VIEW STOCK FARM, by Harry Webb, consisting of well-bred brood mares, in foal to Sylvestre, by Excelsior, dam Sylvia, 2:25; by Stranger, whose dam was the great Goldsmith Maid, 2:16, at 20 years of age; also high-bred fillies and geldings, two and three years old, and older horses, all in the pink of condition and good individuals, well broken and good.

LADY ST. LAWRENCE, bay mare, 1886, s.b., by Young St. Lawrence, 2:30, dam Lady St. Lawrence, 2:30, sire Diplomat, 2:45, dam by General Stanton, 2:45.

ATCHENETTE, ch. mare, 1891, sire Crown Prince, 1:47, dam by son of Daubigne, 5:22.

RED BIRD, dam by Legal Tender, Jr., 4:49.

FLORA NORA, filly, 1893, sire Willie Douglas, 1:47, dam by Royal Revenge, 5:25.

PACEY WILKES, filly, 1892, sire Fred Jones, 2:30, 5:55, dam by Crown Prince, 1:47.

LADDIE FULTON, 1894, bay colt, sire Sam Watson, 5:58, dam by Tom Jefferson, 5:40.

SIR LYTON, br. colt, 1894, sire Lexington Bay, 5:59, dam by Benefactor, 4:40.

DANDY PHILLAS, g. gelding, 1888, sire Phyllas Chief, 6:30, dam by Hambleton, 5:40.

LEONITAS, bay filly, 1894, sire Leonard, 7:32, dam by Alford, 6:38.

OLIVIA, ch. mare, 1894, sire Festivity, 1:43, dam by Benefactor, 4:09.

OLIVIA, bay colt, 1894, sire Oliver Watson, 4:35, dam by Frank Ellis, 2:25, 7:27.

Matched Pair, bay gelding, 1893, sire Arland, 2:25, 5:25, dam by Harper, thoroughbred.

EXLANDER, b.g., sire Lexington Bay, 2:25, 5:25, dam by Daniel Webster, 8:30.

SPLENDID consignment from the **GRAND REPTER STOCK FARM**, Caledonia, Ontario, Messrs. Scott Bros., proprietors, the home of the great, sire Diplomat, 2:25, 5:25, 2:15, with over 120 in the 2:30 list, also home of Bryson, 2:19.

MISS EVA, trial 2:25 as a 2-year-old, brown gelding, 1892, 15:35, pacer, full brother to Doice, 2:24, by Diplomat, 2:25, 5:25, 2:15, with over 120 in the 2:30 list, also home of Bryson, 2:19.

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Stocks has never been campaigned. **POCK BRINO**, br.s., foaled 1893, by Wild Brino, dam Wood Nymph, by Erie Pilot, 1:45.

HARVELL, 25:25, bay stallion, foaled 1884, by Ben L., dam Biddy Donovan, by Honest Allen, 2:17.

BOB L., grey gelding, foaled 1894, by Ben L., 15:18, dam Nell, by Bob Hunter, 16:57.

DAISY, bay filly, foaled 1892, by Gen. Thomas, 17:35, dam by Bob Hunter, 15:57.

ERMA, bay mare, foaled 1892, by Captain Jack, 2:24, dam by General Thomas, 2:35.

Consigned by Mr. W. R. PROCTOR—**BOURBONNAIS**, 2:35, ch.a., 15:3, by Bourbon Wilkes, dam Lady Stanton, 2:45, Arabian Marmbrine, standard and registered.

Consigned by Mr. W. G. BARNES—**POGIE STANTON**, 2:24, trial 2:17, standard and registered, by Lord Stanton, dam Winona Maid.

And 50 Others Equally as Well Bred. Particulars of which will be found in Catalogue to be had on application. Entries are closed for First Day, March 25. Parties wishing to make entries for March 26th, and day of sale, please to do so at once. For Catalogues write or wire.

WALTER MARLAND SMITH, Proprietor, and Auctioneer, Grand Repository, Toronto.

MORTGAGE SALE OF THE WESTERN
 Hotel in the city of London—Under power of sale contained in a certain mortgage bearing date of 1st day of May, A. D. 1883, made by James and Susan James, his wife, to the vendors, there will be sold by public auction, at the auction rooms of J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street, in the city of London, on Thursday, March 19, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following lands: Parts of lots 11 and 12 and lot 13, on the north side of the west side of Giebe street, in the city of London, according to registered plan No. 22, upon which there is erected a dwelling house in good repair. The property described in the mortgage, which is said to contain a large number of bedrooms, sample room, sitting-room, reading-room, offices and large dining-room and modern improvements, excellent coal and large stables and sheds. Terms liberal. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. J. W. Jones, solicitors, London, Ont., or to J. W. Jones, auctioneer, London, Ont. 465 5 14 18.

MORTGAGE SALE OF Two Valuable Building Lots In the North Part of the City.

THERE WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE (under power contained in mortgage) on Friday, the 20th of March, 1896, at 8 p.m., at 242 Dundas street, by Mr. J. W. Jones, auctioneer, lots Nos. 23 and 24, on the south side of Partridge street. These lots have a frontage of 50 feet and a depth of 120 feet, and are situated within one block of the electric street railway. Terms will be made known on day of sale, or may be had on application to the auctioneer.

Laundries.
LAUNDRY CALLED FOR AND DELIVERED—All hand work. Best finish. Hop Sing, 235 Dundas street.

MUST STAY OUT.

The Exclusion of Canadian Cattle from Britain Will Not Be Postponed.

London, March 17.—In the House of Commons today Mr. Walter Long, president of the Board of Agriculture, replying to a proposal that the Government postpone the permanent exclusion of Canadian cattle, until a full report of the protest of the Dominion Government is received, said that the views of Canada on the subject were well known and, therefore, the Imperial Government could not adopt the proposition to postpone the exclusion of Canadian cattle.

THE GOLD STANDARD.

Unchanged Position of the British Government on the Silver Question.

London, March 18.—In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Herbert Whiteley moved a resolution declaring that the House was of opinion that the stability of the relative value of gold and silver since the action of the Latin Union in 1893, has proved injurious to the best interests of the country, and urging the Government to secure by international agreement a stable, monetary par of exchange between gold and silver.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach reminded the House of the passage of a resolution in 1887, whereby the Government agreed to co-operate with the other powers in a conference, aiming to remove the evils arising from the fluctuations in gold and silver.

The Government did not wish to recede from that resolution. The Government was willing to enter into negotiations with the powers for a conference, but on the understanding that it was proposed to abandon the gold standard in the United Kingdom. Some of his colleagues, notably the First Lord of the Treasury (Balfour), were pronounced bi-metallicists, but all agreed in thinking that they could not be justified in departing from a gold standard in the United Kingdom.

The prospects of an agreement between the European nations in favor of bi-metallicism were not great. There was no more of the powers could agree regarding the use of silver than the Indian Government would reconsider the question of reopening its mints.

All the leading English monetary experts held that the wealth of the country had been built upon a gold standard, and that its permanence and prosperity were dependent upon the existing system. In view of that opinion no responsible Government would propose to change the present conditions.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Opposition leader in the House, said he welcomed the declarations of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach that the Government did not intend to depart from the established monetary system. It was not creditable to England, he added, that until now doubt had existed as to the views of the Government on this question. This ought to be the last appearance of the bi-metallicists in Parliament.

Right Hon. A. L. Balfour followed Sir William, and made a somewhat lengthy defense of his known views as a bi-metallicist.

The resolution was then adopted without a division.

If you suffer from looseness of the bowels, Anestura Bitters will surely cure you. Beware of counterfeits and ask for the genuine article, prepared by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.