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Local Budget

Walter Mills, of Ridgeway, is in the city.

J. Bagnall, of Jeannette's Creek, is in the city to-day.

J. M. W. Stokes, of Amherstburg, is in the city to-day.

Three comfortable dwelling rooms are for rent in Victoria Block.

Miss Lou Campbell, of Ann Arbor, is visiting her mother, Adelaide street.

The schooner Ontario came into port last evening with a load of lumber for the S. Hadley Lumber Co.

M. Wilson, K. C. has returned from a trip to Brantford, Orangeville, and Toronto. He was away on legal business.

Mrs. E. F. Stephenson and daughter Geraldine left for Toronto to-day, and will continue their journey to Winnipeg next week.

Chatham Encampment No. 10, will give an excursion to Belle Isle on Tuesday, June 25, to raise funds to pay expenses of delegates to Indianapolis convention.

There is no improvement in the condition of David Wankless at the St. Joseph's Hospital. He had convulsions in the night and was no better this morning.

The correspondents of the Chatham Mfg. Co. in the Northwest and Manitoba say that there will be a large wheat crop. The late rain and snow storms have saved the crops and a large harvest is now assured.

A very enjoyable time was spent last evening at Park street Epworth League. I. E. Brock had his lime light views, which consisted of "The Holy City," sung by Clarence Terry; "Abide with Me," sung by Miss Humphrey and Miss Peate and illustrations of Longfellow's poem, "Evangeline," during which Walter Hillman read the poem. There was a good crowd and everyone enjoyed the concert.

The announcement is made that Mr. W. B. Langan, Assistant General Freight Agent on the Ontario & Quebec division of the Canadian Pacific railway, has been promoted to the position of General Freight Agent at the western division, with headquarters at Winnipeg. Mr. Langan's division will extend from Fort William to Lagan B. C. and Fernie, B. C. He will leave Toronto on June 27 for Winnipeg, and assume his new duties on July first. Mr. Langan succeeds Mr. George H. Shaw, who was Assistant Freight Agent in Winnipeg, who was transferred to Montreal.

Bicycle repairs at Brisco's. If Robert McGarry spent Sunday at Merlin.

Robert Chaplin has returned from Toronto.

A. I. McCall is spending the day in London.

S. J. Sutherland arrived home from Chicago last evening.

E. R. Drake, travelling agent for the Lake Erie R.R. is in the city to-day.

Mrs. Merriam, Centre street, is gradually recovering from her long illness.

Promenade Band Concert, Drill Shed to-night, 8 to 11 o'clock; dancing. Admission 10 cents.

Superintendent Brady, of the C. P. R., was in the city yesterday. He left this morning for London.

Dr. Storey and Quackenbush, of Blenheim, each brought a patient to the General Hospital yesterday.

Albert Forshee, of Dresden, is calling on his friends in the Maple City to-day. Mr. Forshee is acting on the grand jury during the June assizes.

The tennis match, scheduled between Chatham and Thamesville, to have been played at the latter place yesterday, was postponed till to-morrow.

Cephas Gore, of King, Cunningham & Drew, and T. Doyle, of Blomfield & Co., left yesterday for Montreal where they will spend a couple of weeks' vacation.

The funeral of the late David Cross, whose death occurred on Sunday, took place this afternoon from his late residence Park avenue west to the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

Electrician Hayes has just completed the installation of an elaborate system of three-point electric light switching in the new residence of Dr. L. I. Nichol, Wellington street.

Given away free—A Cleveland bicycle. A number with every cash purchase of \$1.00 worth of boots and shoes. Wheel on exhibition in store window. Call and see for yourself.

M. J. Side, North Chatham, Baldon street.

The pupils of Miss Elda Idle will give a recital in the lecture room of Park St. Methodist Church on Tuesday evening, June 18. Miss Idle has a number of very clever pupils and their appearance is awaited with interest.

George Lezert has been brought into the jail. He was committed by P. M. Goenell, of Blenheim on the charge of bigamy. Lezert is the father of the white girl with whom George Freeman was alleged to have been intimate. The murder of P. C. Rankin was an outcome of this intimacy.

Miss McIntyre teacher in the separate school P. C. Court, has resigned her position, and the school is closed being made highly interesting for a village is said to be prospering. Miss Kate Reilly is the successful teacher of the latter educational centre.

At a special meeting of the Ladies' Assisting Society, held at Mrs. Gardiner's yesterday afternoon to complete the arrangements for building an addition to the nurses' home, the ladies decided to have a moonlight excursion in June in aid of that fund.

The pupils of Miss Dorothy Sheldon will give a recital in the Presbyterian church, Blenheim, on Tuesday, June 18th. Mrs. James, J. W. Wilson and Henry McEwen will assist. The Ladies Aid of the church will hold an ice cream social on the same evening.

The Maple City residents who went to Erieau Saturday didn't reach their destination until one o'clock, a.m. The cottagers will not be sorry when the regular service starts on June 27th. The delay Saturday evening was due to the Sarnia-Ridgeway local being late.

Messrs. White, of Montreal, and Bruce, of Hamilton, are spending a week's holidays with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Sutherland, Victoria avenue.

Mr. White was formerly of the local staff of the bank of Montreal and Mr. Bruce was formerly on the staff of the Merchants Bank here.

The steamer "Urania" will commence the summer trips between Rond Eau and Cleveland on Monday next, leaving Rond Eau on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 4 p.m., and on Sunday at 11.30 p.m. arriving in Cleveland at 7.30 p.m. and 6 a.m. on Monday. See advt. for full particulars.

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The school board will meet this evening.

L. F. Wilson, is in London to-day on business.

E. E. Parrott is spending the day in Windsor.

Rufus Barker is spending a few days in Old City.

Mr. Carter, of Windsor, is the guest of Miss Maggie Lampert, Adelaide St.

Miss Mary Easton, of Detroit, is spending a few days with her parents on Park Ave. East.

Frank Heath has returned to Detroit, after spending a few days with friends in the Maple City.

Miss Ada Wilmore, Head St., left to-day for Sarnia, where she will spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Montral.

The 24th Regimental Band held a full practice last evening in preparation for their concert which will be given this evening.

Reserve the 28th for the Moonlight Excursion given by the Ladies' Assisting Society of the Public General Hospital.

Don't forget St. Andrew's Church S. S. Excursion per Str. City of Chatham, to Belle Isle, on the 18th inst. COME!

The Chatham Navigation Co., have commenced the erection of their 13 x 15 storeroom at foot of Queen street off the Rankin dock.

Tom Thompson, formerly of the C. B. C. is spending a few days with friends in Comber. He leaves to-morrow for his home in Owen Sound.

Victoria Block, Saturday, June 15th, the Ladies of Christ Church Guild will hold a sale of home-made breads, cakes, pies and salads.

Mrs. A. G. Laird, of Detroit, has returned home after spending a few days with her brother, Chas. Rutley, Forsythe street.

Join St. Andrew's Church people in their annual S. S. Excursion per Str. City of Chatham, to Belle Isle, on Tuesday, the 18th inst.

Miss Emily Stark returned yesterday to her home in this city, after spending a very pleasant visit with Mrs. Oliver, of Chatham Township.

Owing to ill health, Mr. O. B. Hulm has decided to retire and is offering his business for sale. This is a good opportunity of securing a well established business.

Edward Benson, of Saginaw, Mich., arrived in the city last evening, and will spend a short time with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Benson, Cross street.

Wanted, a smart honest boy, to learn a good trade, one who is willing to apply himself. Address Planet office in own handwriting, or personally.

A day at Belle Isle would do you good. Come with St. Andrew's Church S. S. Excursion per City of Chatham, on Tuesday next.

Mrs. E. C. Southey and son, who has been visiting at Port Lambton and at Mrs. John Ward's, in this city, returned to his home in Howmanville to-day.

A trip to Belle Isle on Str. City of Chatham would brace you up. St. Andrew's Church S. S. gives an excursion on the 18th inst. Come, and bring your friends with you.

Hurrah! The Girard Heintzman pianos on top again. A new Girard Heintzman piano has been secured to be used at Mrs. Cooper's musicale in the L. O. O. F. auditorium this evening.

For some time parties canoeing or boating on the river have been annoyed by the small boy throwing stones and mud from the banks. Patience has ceased to be a virtue and all the canoeists of the city have made a mutual agreement to prosecute the first lad they catch throwing stones.

Rev. R. McCosh gave an excellent discourse in Christ Church Sunday evening on "Why Should I be Confirmed?" or "Our Authority for Confirmation." The sermon was very appropriate in view of the approaching confirmation by His Lordship the Bishop of Huron in that church on the 30th inst.

Mrs. Bell, Miss Bell and Margaret Bell have returned from spending a year in Venice and other European cities. Dr. Chas. Bell has remained in London, where he will work the hospitals. The family of Judge Bell are in the best of health. Their year abroad has agreed with them wonderfully.

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William Gordon

W. A. Head is in Ridgeway to-day.

Will McGeorge, Queen St., is slightly indisposed.

J. E. McLain, of Morpeth, is in the city to-day.

Isaac Brown, of Blenheim, is in the city to-day.

F. Brown, of Ridgeway, is in the city to-day.

H. B. Harrison, of Ridgeway, is in the city to-day.

James Attridge, of Highgate, is in the city to-day.

John Crowder, of Ridgeway, was in the city to-day.

A. MacDonald, of Kingsville, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Minnie Miller is visiting friends in Tilbury.

Miss Emma Humphrey is spending a few days in Detroit.

A. F. Cameron, of Wallaceburg, is in the city to-day.

B. J. Walker, of Windsor, was in the city yesterday.

Richard Burns, of Wallaceburg, is in the city to-day.

The L. O. O. F. excursion to Belle Isle takes place on the 25th inst.

Miss Bessie Dunkley, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her mother.

Robert Gray is in Port Lambton to-day, looking after his summer residence.

Mrs. Shaw, Lorne avenue, who has been visiting in St. Thomas, has returned home.

The Masonic Past Masters' Association will meet to-night in Masonic Hall, Fifth St.

The Apostolic Rite of Confirmation will be administered in Christ Church on Sunday, June 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson, of Belle River, are visiting Mrs. Luke Kelly, Lorne avenue.

Robert Chaplin has returned from Toronto and will take his old position at his brother's pork store.

A special meeting of the Public School Board will be held to-night to consider the Queen St. repairs.

From the number of tickets sold there will be a big crowd on the moonlight excursion Friday night.

A citizen complains of a large pile of stable refuse allowed to accumulate in the vicinity of the corner of Adelaide and King streets.

The Baptist convention meets at Florence on Wednesday, closing Friday.

The delegates from here will be Judge Houston, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Walker, Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. E. Putnam leave to-morrow for Windsor, where they will be present at the wedding of Miss Bertram, formerly of this city, and Mr. Virtue, of Windsor.

By permission of Lieut.-Col. Ran. Kim, the officers and men of the 24th Regiment will be allowed to wear their uniforms at the promenade concert to-night.

The members of the Christ Church Missionary Society packed two barrels and a bale of clothing, groceries and drugs, yesterday, for the Little Forks mission in the Rainy River district.

Census Enumerators David and Fleming, of Dover, are in the city to-day revising their lists with Commissioner Waugh. Mr. Waugh expects to have all his work completed by the end of this week.

The remains of the late Miss Small, daughter of Alfred Small, of this city, who died in London, were removed to this city to-day. The funeral will take place this afternoon at half past two o'clock to the Maple Leaf cemetery.

When the regular suburban train service on the Lake Erie goes into force on the 27th of June, trains will leave Chatham at 6.30 a.m., 10.55 a.m., 3 p.m., 5.10 p.m., 7.15 p.m., 8.15 p.m. and 9 p.m. Saturday nights. The morning train will reach Chatham at 8.30.

Mr. McCosh has decided to hold a special meeting this (Tuesday) evening in the S. S. Hall for the purpose of meeting those who are not members of his regular confirmation class but who would like to know something more as to the rite of confirmation. The regular class will not meet until to-morrow evening.

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AWARD—Chattahoochee Valley Exposition, Columbus, Ga., 1892.

HIGHEST AWARDS—St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Association, 1892.

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From the Evening Journal, Ottawa, under date June 7th, 1900.

Since many years "The Wrought Iron Range Co., limited," manufactures the "Home Comfort" Stove, which they guarantee to be as reliable and durable as it is possible for the art and labor of men to make them. Their qualities have been fully shown on the occasion of the terrible Hull fire, the 26th of April last. There were eight of these stoves in that part of the city which was devastated by the conflagration; in spite of tumbling walls and chimneys, in spite of the water which flooded them, they were found perfectly preserved in the middle of the ruins. In one case, however, a cast iron pot which happened to be on one of these stoves, melted all over it; the bronze reservoirs were necessarily melted by the terrible heat of the fire and the fancy work was twisted by the fall of roofs and walls; but not a single piece of the main body was deformed, not a lid nor a single dish was broken nor cracked. The company has generously repaired these damages and returned these stoves to their owner in as good a condition as if they were new. The malleable iron and amiantus which enters into, as well as the method used in their manufacture, is what gives these stoves the "Home Comfort Ranges," their admirable force of resistance. The chemical analysis and the mechanical experiences have proved that the malleable iron has against the heat, a force of resistance twelve times and a half greater than cast iron has. The frame of these stoves, the doors and all of which is exposed to the danger of being broken, are made of that metal. The interior pipe and all the principal parts are carefully lined with amiantus, thus making them as durable, as strong and as perfect as possible.

The following certificate received from the proprietors of these stoves, confirm the above:

We the undersigned citizens of Hull, have bought before the last fire, Home Comfort Stoves from the Wrought Iron Co., Limited, of Toronto. These stoves were, during the terrible conflagration, exposed to the most ardent heat and we thought them entirely destroyed. After examining them, however, we found them well preserved, without any bump or displacing of any kind. A vase of cast iron left on one of them, we found all melted on the malleable iron lid on which it had been placed. The company most generously repaired them free of any charge and returned them to us in perfect condition. We do not know of any other style of stove which could have resisted this terrible disaster. Since our experience, we have no doubt whatever that the "Home Comfort Range" stove is without a rival.

F. Bernier. Willie Harper, Joseph Larose, Charles Mousseau, Hermas Legault, W. N. McCormick, H. Philion. Camille Damour.

Geo. Shaw, of Glenwood, spent yesterday in the city.

J. W. Brent, dental agent of Toronto, is calling on the local dentists to-day.

Walter Mills, of Ridgeway, is in the city to-day on professional business.

Miss Anquetil, of Richmond street, pleasantly entertained a number of friends last evening.

J. Bernier, of Port Huron, is in the city to-day, en route home from the Pan American Exposition.

John Henderson, of the 11th concession, Dover, is adding some extensive improvements to his residence.

The Maccabees will hold their church parade next Sunday. About 50 or 75 visitors are expected to be present from outside points.

Charles Raynor, of Hamilton, arrived in the city this evening. Mr. Raynor has spent the last three years in Hamilton and other eastern points.

Frank Mallory, of Guilda, underwent a critical surgical operation in the Public General Hospital yesterday. He is now doing nicely and expects to be recovered in a few days.

J. A. Bishop, of Palmyra, is in this city to-day.

James Sterling, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Malone, of the 8th con. Chatham township, is erecting a new brick residence on his farm.

The Maple City bowlers were photographed by N. C. Gibson, on Tecumseh park yesterday afternoon.

Robert Griffiths, the popular salesman in C. Austin & Co.'s, is confined to his home through illness.

E. Plummer returned to Toronto on Saturday having completed his trip through Kent in the interests of the electric railway movement. He will return to Chatham during the latter part of this week, when further action will be taken in the matter.

President Skirving, of the Ontario Constabulary Association, has instructed the secretary to call a meeting of the Association either in Hamilton or Toronto at an early date. A resolution of condolence will be passed to the widow of the late Constable Boyd. The resolution will be engrossed and forwarded. There is also a large amount of other business to be transacted.

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