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From Near-By Places.

A Glencoe syndicate is negotiating for the purchase of some property on the shores of Lake Erie, to be converted into a summer resort.

The death occurred at Glencoe Wednesday morning of Elizabeth Ann, wife of Mr. George Long, aged 32 years and 9 days. Mrs. Long had been ill for about two years with consumption of the bowels. She was a daughter of Mr. Malcolm Root, of Wexford, and went to Glencoe with her husband and little daughter last July.

An awful accident occurred at the home of Wellington Fisher, in the Caradoc, the other morning, costing the life of his bright little daughter, Greta May, aged 2 years, 5 months and 13 days. When Mrs. Fisher started to light the morning fire the little one, eager to help, lit a match and set a piece of paper blazing. This caught her clothing, and before the flames could be extinguished the child was badly burned. All through the day she lingered in pain and next morning passed away.

A Mayfair (Eckford) correspondent writes: "A number of the young people of Mayfair gathered at the residence of Mr. Wm. Jones the other evening to bid farewell to Arthur T., who leaves for London, where he has secured a situation. About 11 o'clock Arthur was called to the front and Miss Bessie Campbell read an address while Miss Maud Saxton presented him with an elegant toilet set. Arthur was very much taken by surprise, but replied in a very suitable way. After spending a very pleasant evening the company adjourned, wishing Arthur peace and happiness in his new home."

The marriage was solemnized Wednesday evening of Miss Edith May Brown, daughter of Mr. Dugald Brown, of Belmont, of Mr. Levi Welch, a prosperous young farmer of North Dorchester. Rev. Mr. Bunt, of Gladstone, assisted by Rev. J. G. Brown of Toronto, brother of the bride, performed the ceremony. Grace daughter of Mrs. Mac Campbell, acted as flower girl. About 50 guests were present. Many costly presents show the high esteem in which the happy couple are held.

WILTON GROVE.

Wilton Grove, Aug. 31.—J. C. Nichol left for the Toronto Fair on Tuesday as a competitor. He took nineteen hogs of the Tamworth breed. W. G. Laidlaw took a fine herd of Jerseys.

The Rev. D. L. McRae, M.A., Ph.D., of Collingwood, preached in the North and South Westminster Presbyterian Churches on Sunday very ably.

The congregations of North and South Westminster convene today (Friday) to call a pastor from among the 50 applicants.

Mrs. M. McLachlin, of London, is recuperating here.

The wife of Elder Thomas Baty is recuperating at Port Stanley.

Mrs. Flowers, relict of the late Elder John Flowers, has entered the home of Andrew Flowers, of Walkerville, as governess.

Mr. John Laidlaw harnessed up a colt on Tuesday to break him in, when the animal made a dash for liberty, and was found the next morning at Derwent, a distance of four miles, stalling up and down with check up tightly.

Miss Gauld, of St. Thomas, is having an outing here.

BELMONT.

Belmont, Aug. 31.—As Herbert, the youngest son of William H. of Gladstone, was returning from the Baptist Church on Sunday night, during the electric storm, he received a severe electric shock, being hurled into the ditch and rendered unconscious. He has been in a dazed condition ever since. Dr. Doan, of Harrietsville, is in attendance.

On Monday last Frank, the 16-year-old son of Mr. Thomas Gray, of the third concession, Westminster, fell while carrying the knife of a mower, and gave his knee a bad gash.

Rev. G. F. Fowler, of Lisbon, Ohio, preached a stirring sermon in Dewar's school house on Sunday evening. The place was thronged with an appreciative audience.

Rev. John Currie has returned from his holiday here.

Mrs. Campbell, wife of Elder Thomas Campbell, died at the family home, Westminster, on Saturday, Aug. 25, from complications. She was highly esteemed in the Presbyterian Church and the community. Mrs. Campbell was born in New York State, July 21, 1841. Her maiden name was

gramme is promised. Admission only 15 cents.

The Bell Telephone Company are putting up poles and wires through the village, and we will now be able to communicate with the outside world. The office will be located in the post-office, in the Oddfellows' block. Mr. H. Bartlett will act as agent.

A number of the county council drove down and inspected the site of the proposed new bridge over the Thames at Muncney.

Dr. Gray and wife, of Rochester, N. Y., who have been visiting the latter's parents in the last month, have returned home.

Mrs. Mick, of Oil Springs, is visiting at Mr. John Crozier's.

Mr. Bert Wootton and wife, of Brantford, spent Sunday with Mr. Richard Wootton, after an absence of six years.

Mrs. B. Lipsit is visiting in St. Thomas.

Messrs. Charles Bateman and Uriah Pierce are attending the Toronto fair.

Mr. James Neville, jun., of the London Street Railway, is home sick.

KOMOKA.

Komoka, Aug. 31.—Miss Mable Bishop, who has been visiting in Beachville and Woodstock, has returned home.

Another improvement to the Baptist Church grounds is the erection of sheds for the convenience of the friends from a distance, who had formerly no place to leave their horses during service. We hope to see a large attendance in the future.

Mrs. Wm. Stewart is visiting friends and relatives in London.

Miss Ellen Turnbull has returned home from visiting friends in London.

Messrs. Daniel and Earnie Doan, of London, spent Sunday here.

The usual children's meeting will be held in the Baptist Church this (Friday) afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Mr. Campbell.

Mr. George Wilcox, of this place, is making preparations for the apple business, and intends carrying it out on a larger scale than formerly. As he is making his own barrels, it will be more convenient for those who have apples to sell, as they will be able to secure their barrels in the village instead of drawing them from a distance.

Miss M. L. Doan, London, spent Sunday here.

STRATHROY.

[Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison.]

Strathroy, Aug. 31.—The death occurred on Saturday morning last, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Butler, of the late Henry Gage, aged 92 years. The interment took place Monday at the R. C. Cemetery.

At the recent honor matriculation examination of the Toronto University Arthur N. Wetherell succeeded in taking first-class honors in classics (Latin and Greek) and German, and second-class honors in English and French. F. J. Sadler won first-class honors in classics (Latin and Greek), and second-class honors in mathematics and German.

Mr. G. B. Wilson, a graduate of Knox College, will occupy the pulpit of St. Andrew's Church next Sunday.

The Baptist Sunday school picnic was held Thursday afternoon on Mr. Sam McCandless' farm, on 10, Caradoc.

Mr. Evan Beggs, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. W. H. Murray, Oxford street.

A meeting of the union board of the West Middlesex Agricultural Society will be held in the Fremen's Hall, on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, to appoint constables, ticket sellers, and transact other business of importance.

Mrs. Geddes and Miss Geddes are visiting at Toronto and Kincardine.

Mr. Jas. Ferguson attended the funeral of the late Robert Ferguson, of Buffalo, in London on Monday.

Messrs. Wm. Hill and Chas. Beckett attended the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of the I. O. F. in Goderich.

Messrs. G. McBeth, J. Anderson, R. Conyn and T. Gough attended the Knights of Pythias biennial convocation in Detroit last week.

Mr. L. H. Smith, of this town, and Mr. Montague Smith, of Forest, are spending a few days fishing on Steel River, on the north shore of Lake Superior.

Little Grace Keely, Chatham, fell off a chair and broke her arm.

The Forest high school will have a cadet corps in connection during the coming year.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Wildfang, of Tavistock, celebrated their golden wedding the other day.

A boy on a bicycle who ran down a pedestrian at Chatham has been charged with assault.

H. A. Robertson, B.A., of Seaford, has been appointed mathematical master at Stratford Collegiate Institute.

Photographer Joseph S. Butler, who died suddenly at Chatham Saturday, was aged 56 years and a worthy citizen.

A. J. Miller has resigned his position as principal of the St. Thomas art school to accept a situation in New York.

Robt. Meek, Lawrence Station, reports a yield of 45 bushels per acre of wheat. The extent sown was over 20 acres.

Walkerton bakers under the law there lose all the bread in their wagons or shops if one loaf is found under weight.

J. J. Blair, chief clerk in the Walkerton postoffice, was presented with a purse of money the other day on leaving there.

Charles Mickle has started a factory on Sandwich street east Windsor for the manufacture of smoking tobacco from Canadian leaf.

Some time during Tuesday night thieves forced an entrance to the office of the Grand Trunk elevator, Sarnia, and stole \$4 in silver.

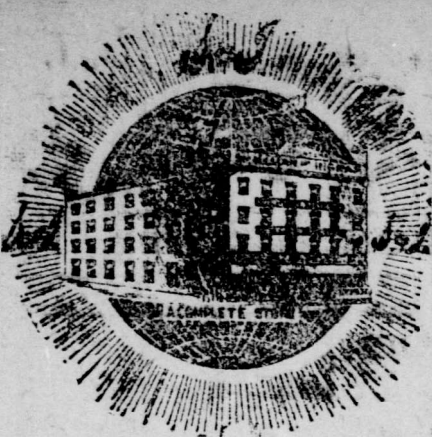
The marriage of Mr. Harry Julian, of the 12th line of Enniskillen, and Miss Armstrong, of Wyoming, was celebrated in Wyoming last Wednesday.

The Brooke and Alvinston Agricultural Society will erect a new grand stand on their grounds, 60x24 feet, and 18 feet high, closed in on three sides.

The evaporating factory at Dutton is undergoing a thorough renovation, preparatory to the commencement of work that is expected to start first of September.

The corner stone of a new Methodist Church at Sarnia was laid on Tuesday by Rev. G. Daniel, chairman of the district, assisted by other clergymen.

A prominent citizen of Chatham died suddenly Monday. Joseph H. Butler, a leading photographer, complained of being unwell and with the words, "Oh,



EARLY CLOSING—Customers will kindly bear in mind that this store closes at 7 o'clock every Saturday evening to permit employees to enjoy a well earned rest.

..LINEN BARGAINS..

We have just received several cases of choice new Linens including some manufacturer's seconds in Tablecloths, Napkins and Towels, which have been marked at exceptionally low prices to bring purchasers here in great numbers.

Towels at 10c, 12 1-2c and 15c Each.

The ten-cent line is of fine Damask, slightly imperfect, but a great bargain. The 12 1/2c line is a better grade Damask with assorted borders. The 15c line is made up of Huckabacks and Damasks, and are worth double what we are asking. To prove this assertion—see them. You know what you have paid for towels at other times.

Napkins at 60c, 75c and \$1.50 Dozen.

These are also slightly imperfect goods; but, even so, these prices are simply tempting. The \$1.50 line are a larger size.

Damask Tablecloths \$1.50, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.

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Unbleached Table Damask at 25c, 30c, 40c, 45c and 50c Yard.

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Mercerized Linen Table Covers, 65c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$1.75.

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44-inch Heavy Tweed, special, best value ever offered for the money by us or anyone else; light and dark colors..... 60c

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149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

I feel very dizzy," fell over dead. He had heart disease.

For the ninth time in about a dozen years the shoe store of Mr. J. B. Radour, Downie street, Stratford, was on Tuesday night the scene of a robbery. The plate glass window was broken and some shoes taken.

A very quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. Taylor Fowler, of Aylmer, Tuesday evening, when his daughter Nina united her fortunes with Mr. A. Harst, B.A., recently of St. Thomas. Rev. C. T. Scott performed the ceremony.

The home of Thomas Burge, near Culloden, was burned at 12 o'clock Tuesday night. The family might not have escaped but for the alarm given by Andrew Smith, a neighbor. Very little of the contents were saved. Cause unknown.

The business men of Ingersoll gathered at the Atlantic House parlors Wednesday night and showed their esteem to Mr. John Gray, G. T. R. agent, by presenting him with an address and chain. They wish Mr. Gray every success in his future home, St. Catharines.

The house of Adam Green, who lives on con. 3, West of Zorra, west of Brookdale, was entered by burglars on Monday night, and while the family were asleep they ransacked the house, securing \$107. Numerous petty thefts have been reported in the village lately, but no clue has been obtained as to who the thieves are.

W. R. Stewart's barns, three in number, in Moore township, were struck by lightning and burned to the ground, together with the entire season's crop of wheat, oats and hay, and a couple of head of Mr. Stewart's famous Polled Angus cattle. A drenching rain alone saved the house. The loss amounts to several thousand dollars.

The Kellys, Kelly alimony case has been settled out of court. The defendant, Joseph Kelly, farmer, South Norwich, has agreed to pay his wife, the plaintiff, the sum of \$1,200, on Mrs. Kelly's dower on all his properties and signing the necessary papers consenting to live separate and support herself independently of him.

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Two new oil wells were shot last week, both of which promise to be successful producers. One was on the Gosner farm, owned by Fairbank & Elliott, with a flow of six barrels a day, and the other on the Taylor lease, owned by Clark & Elliott, pumping 4 barrels a day. Fairbank & Carman also shot a good well last week on the Sussex farm—Bothwell Times.

Petrolia Advertiser: Large yields of wheat are reported in this vicinity. Mr. L. Ward threshed 80 bushels from two acres. Mr. Brownlee, 12th line, 37 bushels to the acre, and F. McDonald, 102 bushels of oats from two acres. Some splendid yields of wheat are also reported in Warwick. H. Rowe, 4th line, N. E. R., threshed 442 bushels from 13 acres, 34 bushels to the acre, and R.

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Bailey, 2nd line, 605 bushels from 16 acres.

An Usborne correspondent writes: During the storm on Monday afternoon last the barns of Thomas Russell, Thames road, were struck by lightning and burned to the ground. The buildings contained all this year's crop and 500 bushels of old wheat. Loss heavy. The barn owned by James Heywood was also struck by lightning and burned, with all this season's crop of 100 acres. Mr. Heywood's loss is also very heavy.

A miniature riot occurred Monday midnight in front of Frank Lee's Chinese laundry, Sandwich street, Windsor. Some of the citizens who had turned out in expectation of participating in the welcome of Arthur Paddon, who was expected home, were passing the laundry and endeavored to pick a quarrel with the half-dozen Chinamen. Stones were thrown and windows broken, but no one was injured.

Many Chinese temples have windows made from mother-of-pearl, found in oyster shells. The material is transparent, and looks like opal glass.

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"IT'S GOOD, JACK; I'VE HAD SOME."

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