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City and District

—Mr. J. M. Breen, of the Normandy meat market, purchased from Mr. G. W. Flanagan, jun., on Saturday, a 2-year-old heifer, weighing 800 pounds, dressed.

—The Sons of Scotland Male Chorus have secured the Imperial Scots Concert Company, of Glasgow, to assist at their annual Burns concert to be held in the Opera House on Jan. 18. The Imperial Scots are one of the best combinations of Scottish singers that have appeared in America for some years, and should be largely patronized by lovers of Scottish song.

May Be a Candidate.

Mr. E. R. Dennis is mentioned as a possible candidate for the council. He will run on a non-political slate if he takes the field.

A Christmas Tree.

The Home for Incurables will hold their Christmas tree on Monday evening next, and not on Christmas night.

Thirtieth Anniversary.

A most enjoyable evening was spent on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Corrin, Bathurst street, when they celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of their wedding. Their children and intimate friends were present.

The Windsor Tunnel.

Work on the Windsor tunnel is progressing favorably. The concrete work is now nearing completion, and with the opening of the new year a larger force of men will be taken on to rush the job through. The big twin tubes will be ready for traffic next summer.

McFadden Miles.

A very pretty little wedding was solemnized at the parsonage of Rev. W. H. A. Claris, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 16, when Miss Lena Miles was united in marriage to Mr. Garfield McFadden. Mr. and Mrs. McFadden will reside at 196 Clarence street.

Guild Entertainment.

An interesting meeting was held last evening under the auspices of the First Congregational Guild in the schoolroom of the church. With the exception of a much-appreciated solo by Miss Lou Dixon, the whole programme was contributed by gentlemen, whose efforts provided an enjoyable entertainment. Those taking part were Messrs. Rigby, Totten,

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FOREST CITY BRIGADE

HELD ITS FIRST DRILL
Members of First Aid Society Met Last Night.

The members of Forest City Brigade, No. 1, of St. John's Ambulance Association, met last evening and held the first drill. Letters have been received from the mayor, Chief Williams, Col. Garthshore, of the McElroy Manufacturing Company, and Mr. T. H. Smallman.

Messrs. Stevely, Garthshore and Smallman had been elected vice-presidents of the brigade, but owing to the fact that his time is already occupied, Mr. Smallman declined.

The letter from Chief of Police Williams to the secretary of the brigade follows:

"Dear Sir—I see no reason why such a badge should not be worn by the St. John Ambulance Association. I am sure such a corps will be of great assistance to the police department and hope that some at least of the force will become members. Faithfully yours,"

(Signed) W. T. T. WILLIAMS.

The badge referred to would admit the members of the brigade within the firelines in case of accident such as the last night's meeting of the council and was referred to No. 3 committee.

The members were also granted the use of the city hall on Jan. 11, when a concert will be held to obtain funds for the brigade expenses.

A PRESENTATION TO MRS. J. J. BAKER

Harding Hall Students Held Pleasing Event Yesterday.

Previous to breaking up for the Christmas holidays yesterday afternoon, the young ladies of Harding Hall held a most enjoyable entertainment and art exhibit.

The art exhibit was held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and altogether 72 pictures, the work of young ladies during the term, were shown.

Following this the young ladies took advantage of the occasion to show their appreciation of the services of Mrs. J. J. Baker, and presented her with a very handsome clock.

The presentation was made by Miss Juanita Westman, and an address was read by Miss Bessie Mountjoy. A literary and musical programme followed and included piano solos by Misses Bessie Mountjoy, Edna Smith and Helen Miller; songs by Misses Govenlock and Allie Wilkey; readings by Misses Pearl Lewis and Gwenivere Weekes.

A question paper on the lives of Michael Angelo, John Milton and Handel was in charge of Mrs. Baker, the answers being given by Misses Eula Huffmann, Jean Jones, Juanita Westman, Irene MacLeod and Bertha Mountjoy. Miss Lillian Phelps, teacher of drawing, gave an interesting paper on "The Value of Art as a Study."

The afternoon was brought to a close by the serving of a dainty supper.

Whether warts spread by contact has been much discussed. A Glasgow physician mentions that a maid with many warts on hands and arms was employed in a certain family, and warts soon appeared on the hands of the three children. The youngster, a boy of 5, with a habit of biting the fingers, developed two warts on the lip and one in the mouth.

Annual Christmas Tree.

The annual Christmas tree and concert in connection with the Sunday school of St. John's Church, London Township, was held in St. John's Town Hall, last evening, before a large audience. Ven. Archdeacon Richardson

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SUNDAY CARS IN SCOTLAND

Some Arguments Against Them Secured by the Anti-Car Committee.

The press committee and citizens opposed to Sunday cars submit the following opinions of men who have noted "the influence of Sunday cars in Scotland, and who regard such cars as a most serious secularizing agency."

From addresses delivered at the International Sunday Rest Congress at St. Louis, Mo.:

"One of the most efficient agents in destroying the rest and secularizing the character of our Sabbath is the Sunday street car. Within the last thirty years street car traffic has greatly developed in Scotland. Originally the street cars were leased to public companies. For the first seven years they gave us supply on six days of the week. They then, in deference to some influential suburbanites, backed by the strong influence of some prominent clergymen, began a Sunday service, ostensibly to bring these same gentry to their churches. By and by such was the great development of the Sabbath traffic that an influential deputation was sent from a public meeting of citizens to remonstrate with the city fathers in the town council.

"Ten years ago this change was effected; and in the interval matters have gone from bad to worse, till now the situation is extremely aggravated. Our churches, or rather many of the ministers, are crying out now that the cars are running people away from worship, and transforming our Sabbath into very much of a holiday with large numbers of our people. The relationship of cause and effect is largely seen in the present circumstances. Had our pulpit been united and earnest in opposing Sunday street cars, it would not have been possible for any company or political combination to have withstood its mighty influence, and the Sabbath would not have been degraded or the people estranged from the church—at least, to so great an extent."

PETER BROWN RYCE, Convener Glasgow Sabbath Observance Committee.

Sunday Cars in Scotland.

From addresses delivered at the International Sunday Rest Congress at St. Louis, Mo.:

As to Sunday rest in Scotland, I am sorry to confess that the picture is far from encouraging or to the credit of the Scottish people. The situation can only be viewed with regret and alarm, because of the general tendency of thought and conduct in opposition to the Christian use of the Lord's Day, which is manifested in the insatiable pursuit of recreations and amusements on that day. And this is unjustifiable, as the Saturday half-holiday is nearly universally observed.

There are many different ways in which the sanctity of the Lord's Day has been encroached upon; such as Sunday trading in shops, Sunday trains and excursions, Sunday steamers, Sunday motoring, Sunday electric street cars, Sunday cycling, Sunday golfing, etc.; but no development has done more to diminish religious respect for the Sabbath than the running of street cars on that day. Unfortunately people are only too ready to get used to almost anything, no matter how wrong. Custom and habit familiarize them with it, and familiarity breeds contempt. People forget to be shocked at violations of God's Holy Day, because they are common, every-day affairs. There is, therefore, all the greater need for the fidelity and watchful care of

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