

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

DEATH.
FERGUSON. On Aug. 18, 1896, at his late residence, in Lambeth, John N. Ferguson, formerly of this city, aged 55 years.
Funeral on Friday, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—FIRST OF THE season. Thursday, Aug. 29. The live comedians, Ward and Vokes, presenting "A Run on the Bank." Thirty clever people in the cast. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats on sale Tuesday.

STEAMER THAMES LEAVES DUNDAS dock 10:30, 1:30, 3:30, 7:30, 9:00, leaves Springbank 11:15, 2:30, 4:30, 8:15, 10:45. Route: Whitby, Woodville and Wainwright. Bicycles and baby carriages free. Piano and rocking chairs. Fare, 2 cents.

\$11.90 TO CLEVELAND, THENCE Toledo, Windsor and Detroit, thence Toronto via Willand, Canada, thence London by rail, meals and berth included. Via Port Stanley and Merchants' Line—\$25 Montreal and return, meals and berth included. Frank B. Clarke, Richmond street, next "Advertiser."

31.544 PASSENGERS CARRIED BY the Allan Line in 1895. Increase of 18 per cent. Call on FRANK B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next "Advertiser" office, if you want Old Country tickets.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY, 478 Richmond street. Fall term will open early in September. DAYTON & MCCORMICK, residence 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

FOREST CITY CAMP NO. 1, CANADIAN Order Woodmen, meets tomorrow (Thursday) evening, in Duffield Block. Visitors welcome. Thos. Hoag, Con. Com.; Charles Dore, Clerk.

O. O. F.—INITIATION, DOMINION Lodge No. 43 (Wednesday) evening. Visitors always welcome. RICHARD G. DART, N. G.; Thos. D. Hastings, R. S.

Male Help Wanted.

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TECHNICAL—STEADY MAN—JOS. W. CHAMBERS 112 Dundas street.

WANTED—AN IDEA—WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WENDENBERG & CO., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their \$1,000 prize offer and list of two hundred ingenious inventions.

AGENTS—WANTED—\$20 PER WEEK. Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & CO., tea importers, 435 Dundas street.

Female Help Wanted.

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WANTED—GIRLS TO LEARN THE cooking and housework. Steady work. The R. Greene Manufacturing Company, 139 Carling street.

Domestics Wanted.

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GIRL WANTED FOR LIGHT HOUSE-WORK. Apply 33 Craig street, South London.

DWYER'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Ready help always on hand; also want good general cooks, and girls for country. 62 Richmond street, phone 124.

WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST in the care of two children. Apply Mrs. JOHN GRAHAM, 649 Waterloo street.

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRLS FOR summer resorts—Good wages; also cooks, general housework, and all kinds of housework in and out of city. Armstrong's Intelligence Office, 66 Dundas street, Phone 328.

Lost and Found.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

LOST—ENGLISH PUG DOG—NAME "Sip." Leave word Advertiser office. Reward.

STRAYED FROM FLINT'S FARM. Byron, small black horse, scar on hind fetlock, 11 years old. Finder liberally rewarded by returning to Flint's, or 30 Dundas street, London. 80cwt bw.

LOST—MONDAY NIGHT, ON SPRING-BANK car, or on corner Dundas and Richmond streets, purse containing bills, silver and street car tickets. Finder rewarded. Inquire at Advertiser office. 88c.

LOST—MASONIC GOLD CHARM—Knights Templar cross and crown. Finder suitably rewarded by returning to A. E. COOPER, Jeweler. 87c.

Patent Barristers.

ETHERINGTON & CO.—PATENT solicitors and experts, Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto. Branch office, Montreal. Patents obtained in Canada, etc.

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF—GRADUATE OF DR. S. Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish movements. 47 King street, London, Ont. Phone 502.

Electro-Turkish Baths.

THE LONDON SANITARIUM—FOR the treatment of nervous diseases by the natural agencies and without the use of medicines. J. G. WILSON, 320 Dundas street.

Board and Lodging.

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CHERRYBROOK, PORT STANLEY—Some nice rooms vacant Aug. 18. Address Mrs. RYAN. 81c.

Livery Stables.

STAR LIVERY—OPEN DAY AND NIGHT—Hacks, cabs, etc. Light livery a specialty. Thos. T. COCK, 62-63 Richmond street. Phone 123.

JILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone No. 60.

TREBILCOCK & STROYAN'S MAM-moth Livery. Hacks, cabs and light livery ladies' and gentlemen's. J. S. Marshall's old stand, 189 Dundas. Phone 563. Open day and night.

Pawnbrokers.

SAINSBURY PAYS HIGHEST CASH price for goods' cash-off clothing. 90 King street. Mail orders promptly attended to.

Articles For Sale.

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LATEST PATTERNS COLUMBIA BICYCLE, in good order, a bargain. Apply 75 York, between 12 and 1 o'clock.

FULLY EXTERMINATOR AND GAIL cure 25c box; axle grease, best American, 2 boxes 15c. J. DARGH & SONS, 377 and 379 Talbot street.

FOR SALE—TWO BARBERS' CHAIRS, nearly new, drawing case, mirrors, etc.; cheap. Apply at 64 Dundas street, London. 79c.

SHEET RUBBER AND RUBBER HOSE, hose nozzles and repair and law hydrants. SMITH BROS., 376 Richmond street.

HERE IS A SNAP—TWO POOL TABLES, must be sold; come quick if you want a bargain; 225 Dundas street. 80c ad.

I HIG SAW—ONE MELODEON—FOR sale cheap at the Ark.

A GOOD HEINTZMAN & CO. UPRIGHT piano, slightly used, great bargain. Warehouses 326 Dundas. H. W. BURNETT, Manager.

Situations Vacant.

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STUDENTS, TEACHERS AND AGENTS wanted to sell you want profitable and worthy occupation for the summer. We don't promise \$5 per day, but we guarantee more \$10 per week to workers. Get particulars immediately. NICHOLS & CO., Wesley Building, Toronto. 21c.

Agents Wanted.

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AGENTS—ACTIVE AND ENERGETIC—to sell our unrivaled nursery stock; canvassing season at its height. Most liberal terms. Output free. For territory apply to ELLWAGNER & BARRY, Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

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FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET—IN GOOD locality; all modern conveniences. Address box 79, this office.

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE—ELEC-TRIC light, furnace, closet and all other modern conveniences. EDWARD TOWSE, 49 Prince avenue. 62c ad.

TO RENT—ONE OF THOSE DESIRABLE houses, No. 312 Queen's avenue. O'Dell Block; every convenience; gas, bathroom, closets, furnace; in good condition; beautiful locality. Apply 308 Queen's avenue. 88c.

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TO LET—NEW BRICK HOUSE—10 ROOMS—Wellington street, opposite Victoria Park; hardwood finished; wired for lights and bells, gas, furnace, etc.; all first-class. Apply P. MURRAY, Tecumseh House 88c.

BRICK HOUSE—NO. 33 BECHER street, nearly new, modern conveniences. Apply to J. H. BURNETT, 33 Becher street.

TO LET—HOUSE, YARD AND STABLE—separately or otherwise. Terms reasonable. Inquire Salvation Army Building.

HOUSE TO LET—48 PARK AVENUE—2 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen; it is a soft water; bath, etc. J. C. TRENT-COOK, 245 Dundas street.

BRICK COTTAGE—173 LICHFIELD street—7 rooms, soft and city water. Apply next door, or 292 Central avenue, J. M. LOGAN. 21c.

Real Estate.

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FOR SALE—COTTAGE—FOUR ROOMS—Summer kitchen and woodshed; hard and soft water; lot 50x120 feet; cheap owner leaving city. Apply 12 Alfred street. 89c.

GEORGE PRITCHARD. Phone 157. 9 Market Lane.

One and one-half story frame, Queen's avenue; a bargain at \$2,500.

Brick cottage, William street, good value, \$2,200.

Brick cottage, near George street, a great bargain for the buyer.

A NUMBER OF FINE TWO-STORY houses for sale or rent, from \$15 to \$25 a week, and a few more new cottages. Hurpuz up, fall is coming. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. ticket office.

S. CHADWICK & SON—REAL ES-tate agents, houses, investments, Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

Jewelers.

REMOVAL—J. T. WESTLAND, JEWEL-ler and engraver, removed to 340 Richmond street, next to Grigg House.

THE WESTERN ASSURANCE COM-pany of Toronto; capital \$2,000,000. Caledonia Insurance Company of Scotland; assets \$10,000,000.

London and Lancashire Assurance Company of London, England; assets \$10,000,000.

Canada Accident Assurance Company of Montreal.

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

Notice to Bicyclists.

Having secured a first-class machinery plant, we are prepared to have all kinds of bicycle repairs at prices consistent with good work. We also make repairs to all kinds of machinery. We make a speciality of repairing bicycles. We make a speciality of repairing bicycles. We make a speciality of repairing bicycles.

J. W. Hinchcliffe & Co. STRATHROY, Frank street, nearly opposite Queen's Hotel.

Topics of Today.

Canadian banks now make quite a sum weekly in discounting United States currency. But along the border merchants continue to accept it at par.

Principal Grant has arrived home from Great Britain. At Ottawa he had interviews with Premier Laurier and Sir Oliver Mowat. He has been aiding in the settlement of the Manitoba school question, in which he takes great interest. Speaking of the English education bill which was withdrawn by the Government, Dr. Grant said he found a very mixed feeling there in regard to it. The people were not prepared for such a bill, and he was sure that the bill would not be re-introduced at the next session of Parliament.

Senator Ferguson, who is a native of London township, is stated to be in poor health in Toronto, to which city he recently moved.

Though Sir Adolphe Caron has been voting that there would be opposition to the nomination of Hon. Mr. Edgar, Speaker of the House of Commons, the general belief today is that the Liberal nominee will take the chair this afternoon by unanimous consent. The Conservatives do not dare to challenge a vote at this stage.

A Brantford man has been killed through eating toaststools in mistake for mushrooms. The inexperienced fool should never trust his own judgment in the picking of what he believes to be a mushroom. He is apt to be fooled.

The address in reply to the speech from the throne will be moved by Mr. W. W. B. McInnes, of British Columbia, who is not yet 25 years of age, and seconded by Mr. Lemieux, a brilliant young French-Canadian M.P. Speechifying will not begin in the House till Friday.

At the Sunbury and Queens nomination yesterday, the proceedings were lively, but Hon. Mr. Blair and Mr. Foster, ex-Finance Minister, appeared for the Opposition, and after he spoke some boys struck up, "We'll hang George Foster on a sour apple tree." Now, that was naughty.

The only civil servant dismissed by Hon. Mr. Tarte, on his own initiative, is a man whose sole duty was to read the papers for the late Conservative party of the department. As Mr. Tarte reads the news for himself, this lazy man's assistant had to go. All the other dismissals were made on the recommendation of the chief officers of the department.

MISTOOK TOASTSTOOLS FOR MUSHROOMS.

Brantford, Ont., Aug. 19.—Owen Clawson, a merchant of this city, gathered ready for use. He expects all mushrooms on Sunday, and had them cooked for his dinner and tea. In the evening he became ill and a doctor was summoned. He pronounced it a case of poisoning. After some inquiry as to the taste of the supposed mushrooms, it was discovered that Clawson had really eaten toaststools, from the recommendation of the chief officers of the department.

No one need fear cholera or any summer complaint if they have a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery and Cholera Remedy for use. It cures all looseness of the bowels promptly, and causes a healthy and natural action. This is a medicine adapted for the young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc., in the market.

Wanted.

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THE UNDERNEATH WILL RECEIVE offers up to Sept. 1896. One hundred and ninety-five shares of "raid-up stock" of the Agricultural Bank of Canada, from the London, Canada, and London Company of London, Can. Offers may be made for the whole or a part of the shares. The highest or any offer will be accepted unless satisfactory. DUGALD BURNS, JOHN WATERS, executors of Stewart estate. Address JOHN WATERS, County Registry Office.

WANTED—HORSE, GOOD LIGHT driver, immediately, for his keep; best price paid. Box 150, Advertiser office. 88c.

NOTICE—PUBLIC NOTICE IS HERE-by given that (1) "The Essex Brass and Iron Company, of London, Ont. (Limited)," a company incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Letters Patent Act, will after four weeks from the first publication hereof in the Ontario Gazette, and in the London Advertiser, a newspaper published in the locality in which the operations of the said company are carried on, apply under the "Act Respecting the Changing of Names of Incorporated Companies" to his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, in council, for an order changing its corporate name to that of "The London Brass Works Company (Limited)." (2) That the said company is in a solvent condition. (3) That the change desired is not for any improper purpose. (4) That the name desired is not the name of any other company incorporated or unincorporated, or liable to be unfairly confused therewith, or otherwise on public grounds objectionable.

R. K. COWAN, Solicitor for the Company. Dated this 3rd day of August, A. D. 1896. 89c-x

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MASONIC DEMONSTRATION.

Reunion at Stratford Tomorrow—Prominent Members Will Speak—Promenade Concert in the Evening.

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