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LOCAL NEWS.

Jottings on Events as They Happen about Town.

The Ebb and Flow of Civic and Suburban Life.

A Child Fatally Burned, New Years Dinner, Happenings at the Week.

Will Leave for Ottawa.

Visit. Kochs and family expect to leave for Ottawa next week.

Frank Salmon.

Messrs. Parsons & Wilks have just received a nice lot of fresh Salmon and Halibut.

Something New.

The Free Baptist church has issued a List of the Regular and Special services during January 1892.

Contract for Wood.

Mr. W. T. Eddy has awarded the contract for supplying the Alhambra with wood this year.

Entertaining the Inspectors.

Chief Superintendent Inch entertained the inspectors at dinner at the Queen last Tuesday evening.

New Year's Dinner.

The Ladies of the W. C. T. U. gave a New Year's dinner to the children of poor families in the Temperance Hall yesterday.

Ladies of the F. C. B. Church.

The Rev. Fred. Hartley wishes to express his thanks, through this paper, to the ladies of the F. C. B. Church for the beautiful set of ferns presented to him.

In Florida.

The numerous friends of Kent Macpherson will be glad to learn that he is occupying a responsible position in Florida, and that his health is very good.

Temperance Meeting.

At the temperance meeting in the Temperance Hall last night the audience listened to one of the Rev. Dr. McLeod's eloquent addresses on "Temperance." The Rev. R. W. Weddell also addressed the meeting.

Services.

Wednesday night, at the parsonage of the Free Baptist church, Mr. Wm. Gross, barber, and Miss Bertha Robinson were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock. The Rev. Fred. Hartley performed the ceremony.

The New Pastor.

The Rev. William McDonald arrived Wednesday afternoon and was met at the depot by a delegation of the ladies of St. Paul's church, and driven to Mrs. Barkers on George street, where he will make his home for the present. In the evening the induction took place.

A Fall Prisoner Recently Burned.

Wesley Duggett, confined in jail for an indeterminate term on the charge of larceny, was killed by a hot iron at the workhouse on Monday night.

At Home.

The "At Home" held in the old Kirk Thursday night was most enjoyable affair. Addresses were delivered by the pastors of other city churches. The F. C. B. W. Orchestra furnished music which was much enjoyed as was also the supper. The building was nicely decorated and presented a very pretty appearance.

Belton Campbell.

Belton Campbell is showing a fine line of Gait's Fancy Slippers in Fish, Velvet, Kid, Double, Calf etc. in different shades and colors also. A very nice variety of Ladies Fine Slippers in Velvet, Patent Leather, Unlined Kid, Dress Kid, White Satin, Black Kid, Beaded and a splendid assortment of Ladies Kid Slippers, Pat Slippers and Fancy Moccasins.

To the Merchants.

Merchants in need of bill heads, letter heads, note heads, envelopes, and in fact anything in the way of printing will find it to their advantage to call at this office before leaving their orders anywhere else. We use first-class stock and guarantee satisfaction. Telephone No. 245. Ring us up.

At the Churches.

Next week special prayer meetings in the different churches have been arranged as follows:

Monday evening, January 4th, Presbyterian church.

Tuesday evening, 5th, Free Baptist church.

Wednesday evening, 6th, Baptist church.

Thursday evening, 7th, Methodist church.

Friday evening, 8th, Presbyterian church.

All are welcome.

Canada for 1892.

This excellent magazine for "Canadians at Home and Abroad," enters upon its second year with the January number. It is enlarged to 25 quarto pages and cover, equal to 48 pages of the ordinary magazine size. Several changes in the arrangement of the contents, and the addition of new departments, make it the most attractive magazine in the Dominion. Its contributors are among the ablest writers we have. Canadian short stories, history and biography are special features. "The best dollar's worth of literary matter," says the Calgary Daily Herald, "is to be had in Canada." Only one dollar a year. Write for gratis sample copy. Matthew R. Knight, Section, New Brunswick.

The Free Press Team.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children's teething. It is distributed at night and makes you rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums and reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. It is sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."—Ang. 31—17.

CHEAP GROCERIES.

As we intend to move our place of business about the First of January, in the store formerly occupied by Yerxa & Yerxa, second door above Peoples Bank. In order to move as little as possible, we offer all groceries at reduced prices for spot cash. We have not space here to give prices only on a few goods. We are selling a good cooking raisin at 5cts per lb; best currants 8cts per lb, finnen haddies 5cts. Try our 3lb. boxes of tea, 60cts per box. Remember we will sell tea and sugar at about cost till the first of January.

B. Yerxa & Co., YORK STREET.

EVENTS AROUND US.

Happenings of the Week Throughout the Territory.

A Happy New Year.

The Curling Rink was open for skating last night.

Baptism in the Free Baptist church to-morrow evening.

Fine Chocolates, Creams and Mixtures at W. H. Golden's.

The schools will be re-opened Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

John Harvey, photographer, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

The Free Baptists of Gibson had a New Year's supper in Garden Hill last night.

His Lordship the Bishop, Metropolitan reached his eighty-seventh birthday last Saturday.

Mr. Joseph Dunphy of Kingslear, died quite suddenly at his residence last Sunday evening.

Andrew Gorman, clerk of the Brunswick Hotel Montreal paid a Scott Act fine of \$50 and \$3 costs this week.

The patients will commence work on the Parliament building in about a week to get it ready for the coming session.

The ladies of the Methodist church of Kingslear held a fruit supper in the Temperance Hall at that place last Wednesday evening, in aid of the church.

Mr. T. B. Bleskey, a resident of the upper end of Main street was severely injured internally by a kick over the heart from a horse on Sunday night. Dr. Stevens thinks his condition serious.—Montreal Transcript.

An interesting event took place in St. George's Church of England, at Montreal Tuesday evening last, being the marriage of A. M. Woodman of Westfield, Kings county, to Miss Alice, daughter of Isaac H. New of the I. C. E.

Parties having mattresses which need cleaning can have them thoroughly renovated at Carroll's Steam Laundry. Carroll is making a specialty of his work in that line, and when the mattress is returned it is as fresh as the day they were bought.

Caroline Yerxa, a resident near Taylor's Mill Woodstock was instantly killed the other day while walking on the railroad track, being run over by an out-going freight train.

Dr. Connel, coroner, held an inquest. A verdict of accidental death was returned. No blame attaching to the train hands. Deceased was a short distance away from an abandoned car, which necessitates the marking of it over, and often causes them to be prosecuted for manslaughter.

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The Scott Act case in Hampton has been creating considerable excitement. Judge Palmer has expressed a doubt as to his jurisdiction in the matter, and wants time to carefully consider it.

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SPORTING NEWS.

All Sorts.

George Cartwright, of Bridgeport, Conn., was the six-days go-around race at St. Louis, Mo., which terminated the other night. His score was 502 miles.

R. M. Laidlaw, of Halifax, the world's champion skater, has issued a challenge to skate Fred. Breen, of St. John, a series of three races, each race to be for \$100 a side and the championship of the world.

In answer to the above challenge, Fred Breen says he will skate Laidlaw in the Victoria, or on any river or lake he may name, where we can get a decent course and for any amount he may name, or he will skate one race in the Victoria, next in the Palace, and third in the Victoria, or on any river or lake.

THE RING.

At San Francisco, Tuesday last, the heavy weight John McCallife and Patsy Cardiff fought for a purse of \$2,500. McCallife was a strong favorite in the betting, the odds standing at 2 to 1.

At Detroit the other morning the body of Frederick Cepinder was found literally hacked to pieces. The back of the head was bare.

At Montreal, Tuesday last, the body of a woman was found in the street, right eye and ear. The bones of the face were broken. Robbery is supposed to have been the cause.

Alfred Bellis, composer, is dead at London. He had been suffering from influenza for two weeks, and therefore was unable to finish the orchestration of "The Mountebanks."

A locomotive has been built at the Crewe Works of the London and North-Western railway which is capable of drawing a train at the rate of a hundred miles an hour.

The railway operators claim that they are poorly paid and that a system of removals and reductions has been inaugurated by the new superintendent. The telegraphers made demands which the management would not grant.

Frank L. Monton, a disipated barber of Lowell, Mass., killed his wife Alma just before midnight Thursday night by beating her on the head with a fist which he had soaked at the time of the murder. He was arrested and said he and his wife quarrelled because she would not give him room in bed and he killed her. The couple were married nearly three years and quarrelled frequently.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 28.—William Rose and Sule Brown were to have been married on Monday and yesterday Miss Rose made Rose a Christmas present of a revolver.

This morning Rose called at the house for the wedding, but for some cause was unable to back out. They were in a room by themselves and high words were heard between them. The next thing was a pistol shot.

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