

PROTECTED ALL THE TIME.

Such is Engineer's Decision About Grimsby Crossing.

Social and Personal Events in the Fruit Section.

Meetings of the Farmers' and Women's Institutes.

Beamsville, Feb. 6.—(Special).—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lloyd are visiting in Buffalo.

E. A. Armstrong is attending the Canvassers' Convention being held in Louisville, Ky.

Miss Jackson, of St. Catharines, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Fairfield for a few days this week.

Miss Florence Beatty spent Sunday in Hamilton the guest of Miss Gladys Brine, Herkimer street.

The condition of Mrs. Warren Darling, Toronto, who is suffering with an attack of typhoid fever, is somewhat improved.

Mr. Wallace Panter, who has conducted a business in Merritt and Welland, for a number of years, has purchased the stock of Mr. A. McEntee, in the Grobb block, and will continue the business.

Wm. and Mrs. Everett are spending a couple of weeks with friends in New York State.

Lieut.-Colonel Galloway, D. S. O., Toronto, was in town on Thursday afternoon. He had been sent over by headquarters to notify the Skating Association that the old drill shed must be closed to skaters and hockey playing.

When asked whether the information had been sent to Toronto by Grimsby in order to prevent the final match with that team on Thursday night, the Colonel did not like to say.

G. S. Kari and Hugh Sinclair were in Hamilton attending the Scottish Rite reunion.

The Farmers' and Women's Institutes will hold their interesting yearly meetings next Thursday afternoon and evening in the town hall, J. W. Hyatt, West Lake, and C. W. Nash, Toronto, will be two of the speakers.

The Cozy Corner Club has made all arrangements for a Valentine dance next Friday night. The invitations are out and are very unique. Miss Jean Gibson is the Secretary.

H. G. & B. Claim's agents were in town on Monday, looking for information as to the injuries sustained by Frank McLean.

Mrs. George Groves was at home on Monday afternoon to a very large number of friends, in honor of her daughter, Mrs. S. Wilson. The tea table was prettily decorated with smilax and carnations. In the evening the band boys gave Mr. and Mrs. Wilson a serenade, and were royally welcomed.

Mrs. W. R. Woodland is recovering after a serious illness.

The C. O. H. C. have installed the following officers for the year:

Mrs. A. M. Kennedy, Leader.
A. E. Chase, Vice-Leader.
R. Cruickshank, Secretary.
C. Robertson, Treasurer.
C. E. Higgins, Fin. Sec.
J. J. McEntee, Chaplain.
Geo. Seymour, Marshall.
Mr. A. Keith, Warden.
Mrs. E. Amis, Guard.
J. B. King, Sentinel.
E. J. Amis, Past Leader.

Miss Coburn's many friends will be glad to hear that she is holding her own against an almost fatal attack of pneumonia.

GRIMSBY AND VICINITY.
Court Lincoln, I. O. F., has named the following officers for 1903:

C. H. Prudhomme, C. D.
Drs. Fairfield and Lawson, Physicians.
J. H. Konkle, C. R.
W. D. Garbutt, V. C. R.
E. J. Amis, R. S.
H. Prudhomme, F. S.
J. J. Amis, Treasurer.
W. H. Sussess, Orator.
T. Ryckman, S. W.
D. R. Woodland, J. W.
George Groves, O. G.
J. W. Kennedy, S. B.
E. Bradbury, J. B.
J. H. Konkle, E. J. Amis, C. H. Prudhomme, Trustees.

H. Sinclair, John Gibson, Auditors.
Miss Minsinger, of the Public School staff, was presented with a gold locket by the children of her room last Friday.

Miss Minsinger's resignation was not well taken by the scholars, among whom she was a favorite teacher.

The Board of Education is considering the advisability of enlarging the High School.

Limestone Court, C. O. F., elected the following officers:

John Konkle, J. P. C. R.
Thos. Minsner, C. R.
A. Eckhardt, C. R.
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Patrick Jordan, R. S.
G. Hitchman, F. S.
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Alex. Page, S. W.
John Kennedy, J. W.
N. Book, S. B.
L. A. Short, J. R.
Dr. Lawson, M. D.

It is possible that the Board of Directors of the Dunnville, Wellandport & Beamsville Electric Railway will be reorganized in the near future, and the capital stock will be \$400,000. The road will be bonded at \$200,000 per mile. The present officers are Messrs. Jas. Ross, M. P. P., Wellandport, President; W. J. Aikens, Dunnville, Secretary; R. T. Gough, Toronto, Chief Engineer.

Miss Williams has returned to her home in Bradford, after a long visit with her sister, Mrs. A. L. Short.

Israel and Mrs. Albright are visiting relatives in Toronto.

Petitions in wards 1 and 4, Clinton, are being circulated, asking for a division of the township. The petitions are intended for presentation to the Legislature.

Tomorrow morning, in the Baptist Church, Rev. A. Brown's subject will be "The Reincarnation of Christ." Evening, "The Journey From Strength to Weakness and Back Again."

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Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Smith and Miss Smith are on their way to England and the continent for an extended trip. Mr. Smith's health has not been good lately, and it is thought that the trip abroad may recuperate him.

The Railway Commission's sitting will be on Friday next, instead of Wednesday, as previously announced.

Mr. Harry Griffith's condition is still serious. He was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, on Thursday.

W. F. Randall and Wm. Forbes were

in Toronto last week attending the annual meeting of the Grand Chapter. St. Andrew's Church roller skating party last night was a huge success. A large number were present from the surrounding district, who enjoyed the roll to the music of the band.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Howse, Nicola Lake, B. C., are visiting relatives in Clinton Township, and will spend some time with friends in other portions of Ontario before returning west.

The merchants in town have decided not to open their places of business at 10 o'clock p. m. on Wednesdays, as heretofore, except before a public holiday.

Some of the prize winners at the successful carnival on Tuesday evening were: Best representation of any country, Miss Walker; season, Miss Linnie Culp; any character, Miss Lettingham; coon, C. McInch; tramp, A. Flock; any character, best representation, E. B. Konkle, Hugh Reid and C. Burland; rags and tatters, B. Vosburg.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Rhyne gave their friends an enjoyable evening on Friday last, the occasion being their wedding. Dancing and cards provided ample amusement for all present until an early hour.

Members of the Curling Club who won their district at Paris on Tuesday are to be congratulated on the success of their efforts. The ice was very keen and the talent much stronger than usual.

It was awful what the home team did to the visiting Westinghouse seven on Monday night on the ice rink. In the first half the score stood 10 to 0, and the final looked like 23 to 0.

Mr. James Marlow, the well known fruit grower at Grimsby Park, has bought eight acres of peach land on the east side of the Park road, paying at the rate of \$1,000 per acre. The land was owned by Mrs. C. Woodland. Toronto.

Mrs. A. R. Foran will entertain the Women's Institute on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Miss Shuttleworth will give an address, and a joint meeting will be held with the Farmers' Institute at the hall in the evening. The ladies will also provide a supper, and a portion of the evening programme.

Mr. McInch received word from the Hospital authorities at Gravenhurst this week, to come to the institution and bring his wife home.

In a letter received by Reeve William Mitchell from the Engineer of the Railway Commission, Mr. J. Clark, he says in toto, that the crossing over the G. T. R. tracks on Depot street is a very busy one, and that he has no hesitation in recommending that there be no operation day and night.

Thos. Walker, Buffalo, was home for a short visit with his family during the week.

Society Hall will be the meeting place for the annual gathering of the Farmers' Institute, next Wednesday afternoon and evening. The meetings next week promise to be of more than usual interest to the fruit-growers, and farming community.

Executors of the estate of the late Gilbert Wrong, Smithville, have established a record in winding up an estate valued at \$50,000, in three years. The work of the two executors was finished without one cent of cost in legal fees, and at a total cost of only \$1,000 to the estate.

After threshing out the pros, and cons for a division of the township on two occasions, in Beamsville last week, A. E. Chase, Vice-Leader of the H. C. Cruickshank, Secretary, took the matter over with the men of the south district. There was a fair attendance, and the conclusion seemed to bring the matter no nearer to a head than at the beginning. It looks, however, very much as if the agitation would wear itself out.

The evangelistic meetings recently conducted by Rev. Mr. Hehn, have been of wide consequence to a large section of the community. The attendance for the two weeks showed a lively and painstaking interest in the religious teachings.

Nelles Grobb, the night mail driver, was severely bitten by his horse last week. The injured thumb is healing very nicely, however, at present.

Miss Annie M. Clark, teacher of the junior department of the Chaudron school, has issued the following report of the standing of her scholars during the past month:

Class II, senior—Myrtle Simpson 75 per cent, Vera Meyer 70, Clarence McIntyre 65, Gertrude Hadden 45.

Junior II—Percy Meyer 80, Edith Piper 78, Ralph Meyer 70, Victor Ford 60, Emory Boose 55, Goldie Dennis 50, Eddie Putnam 40.

Part II—Lloyd Hansel 85, Leatha Houser 78, Clayton Housberger 68, Milton Meyer 68, Roy Albright 64, Dora Grobb 60, John Foster 50, Herbert Housberger 45, Kenneth Tallman 40.

Part I, junior—Blossom Albright 75, Jessie Foster 63, Olive Meyer 54.

Part I, intermediate—Pearl Meyer 88, Lily Meyer 80, Albert Hehn 78, Kathleen Ford 72, Grace Housberger 72, Laura Stephenson 65, Nellie Sweetzer 65, Merle Foster 64, Marjorie Eckhardt 60, Sheldon Stephenson 40.

Part I, junior—Blossom Albright 75, Clifford Houser 72, Elwood Bears 60, Myrtle Sweetzer 58, Georgie Mayet 40, Charlie Harrington 38.

Sydney Smith, who moved to Buffalo with his family several years ago, has returned to the old homestead.

ST. ANDREW.
Local Assembly Meets in Ascension on Monday.

Hamilton Local Assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will hold a meeting in the Church of Ascension school house on Monday evening. The programme will include five minute papers and open discussions on the following subjects:

"Hopefulness," F. E. McLaughlin, Ascension.
"Responsibility," Percy S. Hall, St. George's Church.
"Perseverance," W. Blandy, St. Stephen's Church.
"Opportunity," W. H. Newbury, St. Luke's Church.

Under the heading "The Brotherhood Boys' Opportunity," the following papers will be read:

"In Sport," C. DeCue, St. Thomas Chapter.
"In School," G. E. Haythorn, Ascension Chapter.
"In Church and Sunday School," Reg. Gilbert, St. George's Chapter.

Bishop DuMoulin will sum up the papers and F. W. Thomas, the general secretary, Toronto, will conduct a question box.

Good Proof.
Mr. Knowlitt—Wise men hesitate; only fools are certain.

Miss Kitting—Are you sure?
Mr. Knowlitt—I'm certain of it.

A Heroine.
Ella Bella never passes a mirror without looking in.

Stella—Brave girl—Harper's Weekly.

AMUSEMENTS

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gold dust in her hair, and a fourth is practising ballet steps on top of a trunk, while below a sign reading "Silence!" one of the principals is trying her highest notes. There is an irresistible atmosphere of life and youth and gaiety about this unusual scene.

Miss Grace Van Sturford is the star and prima donna. Among other, the company includes Gene Luneka, Louis Cassavant, W. J. McCarthy, Walter Percival, Alice Hills and Lenora Novasio. Seats go on sale Tuesday morning.

Announcement is made that the most sprightly, fascinating and delightful of all light opera heroines, "The Merry Widow," is coming to the Grand next Friday and Saturday fresh from her triumphant conquests in the United States. Henry W. Savage is sending to this city with this charming lady one of the largest opera companies on tour, together with his famous English grand opera orchestra, and every promise of establishing a high-water mark in the history of Canadian theatricals. "The Merry Widow" comes here almost direct from its run of capital year at the New Amsterdam Theatre, New York, and its "atmosphere" of engagement of five months at the Tremont Theatre, Boston. Its world-wide success is too well known to merit extended comment. The haunting strains of its famous waltz, have been played and sung from St. Petersburg to Cape Town, and from Montreal to Buenos Ayres, and the subtle charm of its other melodies has lifted hundreds of thousands of persons in every land out of this work-a-day world into a delectable country, where youth and love and romance hold sway.

The piece will be given the same elaborate mounting here that characterized its production in the United States. Its three settings depicting the interior of the Marston embassy in Paris on the night of the state ball, a beautiful summer garden and the interior of Maxim's famous restaurant in the French capital, team with colored life and animation, and are exceedingly well rehearsed. The magnificence of the costuming has never been equalled on this continent.

Heading the company to be heard here are Lina Abrahams, the world-famous Austrian prima donna, and Charles Meade, the well-known Hamilton baritone, whose impersonations of Sonia, the widow, and Prince Danilo, respectively, are characterized by youthful impetuosity and abundant high spirits.

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Others in the large company include that finished character comedian Oscar Figman, John Thomas, Harold Burke, Anna Bussert and Carolyn Seelye. The sale of seats for the concert, and show that they are willing to support the Harmonic Society in its effort to educate, develop and give our local people an opportunity to show what they can do. See advertisement for further particulars.

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THE CAREY RECITAL.
A song recital, held last evening, in the Conservatory of Music, served to introduce Misses Bertha and Estelle Carey to the music-loving public of this city for the first time since their return from Italy, where they spent about seven months in the study of voice culture. Mr. Vernon Carey also contributed to the programme, which was of distinctive merit.

The recital hall was filled to overflowing by an enthusiastic audience, which was greatly enjoyed by the singers, more than covered themselves with glory. The three singers were in splendid form and did full justice to themselves, as well as assuring the audience that they have not labored in vain. That these youthful singers are able to satisfactorily interpret such a programme speaks well for their industry, as well as diligent study, for each number showed careful preparation, combined with natural musical ability. The programme was as follows:

Saint Saens—Aria—My Heart at Thy Dear Voice (Samson and Delilah).
Miss Bertha Carey.
Charpentier—Aria from Louise.
Miss Estelle Carey.
Cara Roma—A Song Cycle—The Wandering One.
(a) Absent.
(b) The Lament.
(c) Doubt Not.
(d) The Prayer.
(e) The Letter.

Mr. Vernon T. Carey.
Chaminade—Vernonelle.
Griggs—Solveigs Leid.
Bemberg—Aime Moi.
Flotow—Last Rose of Summer.

Backache That Tells of Kidney Disease

The back is a sort of thermometer for the kidneys, for here is indicated at once derangements of these organs. Pains in the back, backache, weak, lame back—these all tell of diseased kidneys.

What we want to tell you today is how to cure kidney disease by the use of Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. This is positively the most prompt and effective treatment and the most thoroughly successful in even complicated forms of this dreadfully painful disease.

LAME BACK FOR TEN YEARS.
"For ten years I was subject to spells of lame back from deranged kidneys. At times I had to go about in a stooped down position. Plasters, liniments and medicines did not even bring relief, and when I had an unusually agonizing attack last winter and doctors failed to help me I decided to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. Before I had finished one box my back was as sound as a bell, and it is better even. During the winter I was chopping, loading and hauling heavy timber and doing all sorts of heavy work and had no recurrence of the old kidney trouble and backache and feel unusually strong and well."—Mr. A. K. MacKAY, Ex-Postmaster, Tarbot Vale, Victoria Co., C. B.

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By invigorating the action of the liver and bowels immediately take much of the burden off the kidneys, and by their direct action on the kidneys bring about radical and thorough cure. Because of this combined action on both the liver and kidneys these pills prove effective in cases not touched by ordinary kidney medicines, and also cure constipation, biliousness, intestinal indigestion and liver complaint. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanston, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment positively cures every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles.

WRONG LABEL.
Trades and Labor Council Taking Action Thereupon.

There was a large attendance of delegates at the Trades and Labor Council meeting last evening in Labor Hall. Credentials were received from the Street Railway Employees, Tobacco Workers, Theatrical Stage Employees, Pattern Makers, Garment Workers and Longshoremen's Unions. The various standing committees reported having organized and ready for work. The auditors reported having examined the books of the financial secretary and treasurer, and found them correct. They recommended that the financial secretary submit a report on the arrears of local unions in their payments to the council at the next meeting. A letter from J. T. Marks, of the Labor Educational Association was read, setting forth what had been done by the London branch in coping with the unemployed problem in that city, and the delegates were instructed to bring the matter up in their local unions, with a view to having Mr. Marks come here and explain further details of the plan.

A request from the International Union of Steam Engineers for the co-operation of the council in an endeavor to secure employment for its members on boats running into Hamilton was favorably acted upon.

A delegate of the shoe workers reported that shoes bearing what purported to be the union label were being put on the market, but the label used was not the label recognized by international trade unionists. It is circular in shape, whereas the international stamp is in the form of a shield. A resolution endorsing the international stamp was adopted, and the shoe dealers will be notified.

Resolutions on the bills of Mr. Lancaster, M. P., on reform of the Senate and on the protection of level crossings were referred to the Legislative Committee.

A delegate brought up the question whether the council acted constitutionally in sending back the Labor Day Committee credentials, and the president ruled that the action taken was quite regular.

A resolution referring to the difficulty of securing a hall for the council in determining what the Judge's decision in the suit over the contract with the Cataract Power Co. really meant, was submitted, and referred to the Legislative Committee.

Considerable comment was made on the remarks reported to have been made by the president of the Board of Trade on the subject of trades unions and foreign agitators, and he will be invited to address the council on the topic.

The attention of the delegates was directed to the fact that a brand of non-union clothing was being offered in the city, firms using a similar brand in other cities turning out union made goods which might induce some patrons of union clothing to think that all clothing bearing the brand was union made. The Label Committee will look into it.

Delegates Dwyer, of the painters; Cunningham, of the plumbers, and Halford, of the laborers, were added to the Label Committee.

The council will not participate in the Canadian Club's oratorical contest, on March 10.

The street railway men were given authority to select five alternate delegates.

A committee was appointed to co-operate with the Building Trades Council in holding open meetings.

Notice was given of a motion to be presented at the next meeting, a reading of the hour of adjournment at 10 o'clock, and requiring a three-fourths vote to extend the time.

EXIT COWLEY.
Will Move Manitoba Town to a New Site.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 5.—Cowley, in Southern Alberta, a small town on the Canadian Pacific Railroad, will be moved bodily next week to a new site two miles south of its present location. Regarding the move, the moving of the town is necessary. The railroad will pay the entire expense.

MAN'S SUICIDE.
Fred Robart, Circus Man, Took Poison to Avoid Arrest.

Edmonton, Feb. 5.—After a few days of crime, in which he led the R. N. W. M. P. as well as the city forces of Edmonton and Strathcona a merry chase, a former Norris & Rowe circus man, Fred Robart, alias Herbert, came to a dramatic end by suicide just as he was in the clutch of the law. In a bush near Elsieville, the former circus ring performer, with Constable Holtby close on his trail, swallowed a dose of strychnine.

Child Lost.
This notice will always attract attention. Many children die annually or live a pained life through improper food. Laxo-Food furnishes material for bone, teeth, sinew and good flesh, and keeps the system clear of waste. All good grocers.

Miss Estelle Carey.
Tosti—L'Ultima Canzone.
Schubert—Der Doppelgänger.
Carissimi—Vittoria Vittoria.
Old English—Drink to Me Only.
Miss Bertha Carey.
Randelger—I Naviganti.
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It would, indeed, be hard to distinguish as to the merits of the respective singers, as they sang with pleasing taste, and the applause showed they were equal favorites. Miss Bertha Carey, in the group of songs, charmed with her well modulated voice, and was probably best liked in that old English number, "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes," which she sang with exquisite expression. She sings with great ease, and the audience was loath to hear the last of her singing.

Miss Estelle Carey was well received, and after her first number made an instant conquest of her auditors. In her group of songs the most admired were "The Wanderer's Song," which she sang with splendid abandon, and "Flotow's 'Last Rose of Summer,' which she handled with delightful taste. Her voice is of a bird-like quality, never harsh or grating to the sensitive ear, and with a pleasing, sweetly rendered, and her audience, Miss Carey is destined to come into her own, and that right soon, if her present rate of musical development continues.

Vernon Carey made a very favorable impression with his rendition of the song cycle, "The Wanderer's Song," which he sang with a group of five songs. This was well executed, and was indeed a worthy effort, of the group, "The Prayer" was a pleasing bit of singing. Randelger's "I Naviganti," a trio, was a melodious number, and was exceedingly well rendered, so much so that the audience demanded a repetition of the number.

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