WESTERN ONTARIO.

Communion Service With Only One Communicant.

Close of the Immense Grape Harvest In Essex.

Two Dorchester Farmers Narrowly Escape a Horrible Death—Brilliant Wedding at Blyth.

BRANT.

At the early communion service at St. James' Church, Paris, on Sunday, only the rector, Rev. Mr. Brown, was present, and partook of it all alone. Then in the regular morning service he gave the congregation a severe verbal castigation for their sins of omission.—[Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

An electro-plate factory is to be started at Paris.

ELGIN.

O. Sovey, M. C. R. yard brakeman, had an arm broken while coupling on Wednesday at St. Thomas.

On Tuesday evening, while two farmers from South Dorchester were driving in a lumber wagon across the M. C. R., just north of Yarmouth Center, they were struck by an M. C. R. freight train, and both horses were killed. The men saved there lives by jumping, but the wagon was broken to splinters.

An evangelical meeting held at Salem, in West Elgin, by Rev. E. H. Bean, was broken up the other evening by two drunken rowdies, who used profane and threatening language.

In the case of Arkell & Son, druggists, of Blenheim, insolvent, a first dividend of 12½ cents on the dollar will be declared.

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the St. Thomas Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday it was decided to open up a gymnasium in connection with the association, over 70 young men having promised to pay $2 per year for membership in that department. It was also decided to supply a reading room at Montross and Windsor with reading matter for the men laying over at these points.

ESSEX.

Customs Officer Baby lies very ill at the British American, Windsor.

The sale of the Sol White stock Tuesday didn't pan out very well and was postponed for two weeks. Only one horse was sold.

E. B. Gush, who was ordered to Seaforth during the changes of the Bank of Commerce staff at Windsor, refused to go and tendered his resignation. He joined the force of the Detroit Commercial National Bank on Wednesday.

Mrs. R. M. Gilkinson, wife of the Crawford House proprietor, Windsor, has been taken to Grace Hospital, Detroit. She has been very ill for some time, and the change was made in the hope that with less excitement and change of scene she will begin to mend.

The total imports entered at the Windsor custom house during the month just ended were $234,505; free goods, $62,791; collections, $58,984 62.

The grape harvest in Essex is over, and has been a phenomenal one. Not less than 1,500 tons were shipped, and fully 1,000 made into wine. Grapes were shipped as far west as Calgary, Alberta, and east to Campbellton, N. B.

HURON.

At Blyth on Wednesday Miss Nan Shane, youngest daughter of Mr. Wm. Shane, was married to Robt. Stanley Hayes, barrister, Seaforth. Miss Birdie Hayes, sister of the groom, and Miss Fanny Rance, cousin of the bride, were the bridesmaids, while C. M. Shane, of Windsor, and Dr. J. Shaw, of Clinton, attended the groom. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. Higley, pastor, at Trinity Church, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. After the ceremony the party, numbering about 50 invited guests, returned to the residence, where a pleasant hour or two was spent over a bridal luncheon and congratulations, after which the happy couple left for New York, Buffalo and other American cities. The presents were numerous and well selected.

KENT.

At the Chatham assizes on Wednesday the case Douglas vs. Ryan was an action brought by Mrs. Douglas against her landlord, Ryan, for trespass, he having entered the house and taken possession, rent being overdue. Verdict for plaintiff for $10. In the case of Kicknosyl, an Indian, vs. Elgin, for alienating his squaw's affections, a verdict was returned for the defendant. Fred Taylor, of the township of Howard, pleaded guilty to an indecent assault, and was sentenced to fifteen days in jail and fifteen lashes. True bills were returned against W. Thibadeau, forgery; C. E. Smith and James Bondwin, larceny (tried and acquitted); W. Mahon, robbery, J. Jacques, unlawful connection with a junior; C. Birchard, perjury (bill ignored). The court will sit till Friday certainly, possibly till Saturday.

The estate of George Grant, grocer, of Goderich, is offering to compromise at 25 cents on the dollar. John Conn & Co., bankers, of Alvinston, have assigned to J. D. N. McKay.

LAMBTON.

Frank Barnwell, charged with passing a forged check in Sarnia, signed with the name of J. C. Corbett, of St. Johns, Mich., is a polished Englishman engaged in selling printing inks. Since he was brought back from Gananoque, Ont., about a dozen cases against him have come to light in Michigan and one at Campbellford, Ont.

MIDDLESEX.

Mr. C. Blizard, of Hyde Park, has left on a trip to Belfast, Ireland, via New York.

The next meeting of the West Middlesex District Council, R. T. of T., will be held at Appin, Oct. 27, at 3 p.m.

Mr. I. Rathbun, Glencoe, has received the Grand Trunk Railway Company's check for $78 02, being the amount of relate on tickets sold for the annual Sunday school excursion to Port Stanley last August. This amount, less expenses, will be divided equally among the three Sunday schools of the town. It is the largest sum this excursion has yet realized.

A pleasant event took place at the residence of Mrs. Martha Sherk, South Dorchester, Wednesday, being the marriage of her daughter Mary J. to Mr. J. C. Taylor, of the same place. The knot was tied by the Rev. Mr. Knowles, of St. Thomas.

On Tuesday the Rev. Mr. Miller, late of Renton, Scotland, was inducted into the pastoral charge of Burns' Church, Mosa. The Rev. Dr. McKay, of Dunwich, preached; the Rev. Mr. Hamilton, of Wardsville, addressed the minister, and the Rev. D. Currie presided and addressed the congregation. There was a large congregation present. After the induction a reception was tendered to the new minister and his wife in the manse, where refreshments were provided and a very pleasant time was spent.

OXFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Longmore, Woodstock, have had their cup of bitterness full to overflowing recently. That dread disease diphtheria carried off a bright little boy recently, and on Tuesday night their only daughter, a sweetgirl of 6 years, died. She had been ill since Saturday.

During the last two weeks several robberies have occured in the vicinity of Culloden. On Sunday afternoon, while the family were attending church, the residence of Levi Haines was entered by some sneak thief, who secured over $50 in cash and a gold watch. No trace of the thief has yet been found.

Mrs. Curtis, fancy drygoods, Ingersoll, made an assignment Wednesday in trust to William Ewart for the benefit of her creditors. She had carried on a successful business for over twenty years.

The young lady reported to have left Ingersoll with a Woodstock barber is still stopping with her father. She was seen on the street on Monday in company with the Woodstock man, but the report that she accompanied him to the States is an error.

PERTH.

At Toronto Judge McDougall heard the trial of Mrs. Mary Ann Cosgrove's suit against her husband, William Cosgrove, of Berlin, for an annuity of $400 a year he agreed to pay when they separated in 1887 in St. Marys. They were married on July 12, 1865. Mrs. Cosgrove, with her five children, now lives in Toronto. Cosgrove owns the British Hotel of St. Marys and alleges that the allowance was to be paid out of the rents of that alone, and not out of any of the other property. The agreement was so drawn by the lawyers that he was bound to pay it, no matter from what property, and he wishes to escape from that general liability. He is in arrears since Jan. 1 of this year.

The town of Strathroy some time ago granted a bonus of $10,000 to the Strathroy Canning Company. Since the granting of the bonus some of the promoters have dropped out of the company and now there is trouble about whom the money should be paid to. A motion was made in the case before Master Winchester at Toronto, but it was enlarged for a week.

WELLINGTON.

James O'Connor was tried at the Guelph Assizes and convicted of criminally assaulting Florence Mariott, a girl of 6 years of age, though some half a dozen witnesses swore that the prisoner was not at the place where the crime was committed at the time stated. The jury took the other view. O'Connor felt confident even to the last moment that he would be acquitted, and was perfectly staggered by the verdict and sentence of seven years in Kingston Penitentiary. He protested his innocence when sentence was pronounced. His mother, from a bed of sickness, came into court just in time to hear the verdict. Robert Field, jun., was sentenced to 23 months in the Central Prison. He was convicted of stealing a watch.

TWO BRIDEGROOMS FAINT AWAY

One Has a Fit and the Other is Overcome by the Occasion.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 20.—Judge Moril, of the Second City Court, was tying the matrimonial knot for George Rabiliah and Miss Laura Cook when the bridegroom fell to the floor in a fit. The incident broke up the ceremony for the time being, but Rabiliah was bought to and went home.

An hour later the judge was called on to unite Juan D. Talazar and Miss Felicia Lasano, children of sunny Italy. Talazar could not stand the strain of getting married and swooned away. After he had recovered he explained that he had never been through the mill before, and that the impressiveness of the occasion, couped with the oppressiveness of the weather, had brought on the fainting spell.

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CHICAGO'S GALA DAY.

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CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—All Chicago was up with the lark this morning. In fact tens of thousands of people were bestirring themselves ahead of the feathered songsters to secure advantageous positions for witnessing the Columbian celebration and parade. The early risers were wise in their day and generation, although their wisdom involved a tedious wait of something like six hours; for the route of the parade was less than three miles in length, and the head of the column had got back to the starting place and disbanded long before the center had begun to move. The extraordinary shortness of the route naturally produced a congestion of the sight-seeing populace on the sidewalks and cross streets, and those who got into the center of the city, even two or three hours before the time fixed for the head of the column to move, found themselves barely able to get within sighting distance of the largest flag poles carried by the processionists.

Although the route of the parade was less than three miles long the procession was fully 40 miles in length. Rough estimates of the number of men in line varied from 80,000 to 90,000. It was an imposing demonstration, but so complete had been the preparations that the vast body of marchers was handled with but comparatively little confusion. The members of the various organizations saluted Vice-President Morton and the distinguished guests as they passed the reviewing stand at the Government Building.

A Sad Anniversary.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—To-day is the 39th anniversary of the marriage of President and Mrs. Harrison, but the illness of the latter precluded any recognition of the occasion outside the family circle. Mrs. Harrison is reported "Just about the same to-day."

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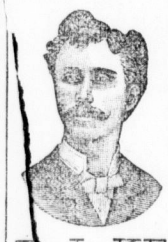

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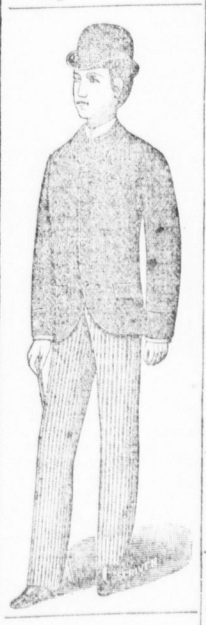

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