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MARINE NEWS.
ARRIVALS.
Saturday—Prop. Sovereign, Sarnia, passengers and freight; Tug, Erie Bell, Sarnia, light.
Sunday—Schr. Elgin, Sandusky, coal for Ogilvie & Hutchinson; Schr. Evening Star, Kincardine, wheat for Ogilvie & Hutchinson.
Wednesday—Prop. Ontario, Sarnia, passengers and freight.
DEPARTURES.
Friday—Schr. Josephine Kidd, Killarney, salt; Schr. H. M. Todman, Mesford, salt; Schr. Evening Star, Kincardine, light.
Saturday—Prop. Sovereign, Duluth, passengers and freight; Tug, Erie Bell, with Barge Sarah Jane, Sarnia, lumber.
Sunday—Schr. Tecumseth, Buffalo, lumber.
Tuesday—Schr. Evening Star, Kincardine, light.
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Loeburn.
CROOKED DROVERS.—A few days ago as one of our farmer's sons was returning home near dusk with his team on the Lake Shore Road, he met a herd of nine cattle, driven by two men. He noticed among the cattle a missing steer, and directly asked who owned the cattle? He received in reply the question, "Are any of them yours?" He tied his horse to the fence, and faced the fellows, who, after a few words, fled, abandoning the oxen. The young man drove his own property home, and next morning the other stray cattle were noticed on the road. Nothing has since been heard of the offenders. It would be well in future for farmers to keep an eye on passing droves, both small and large.

WEBSTER BROWN.
Spasms.
Mrs. Esther Owen Flint gave an entertainment in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Mechanics' Institute. The hall was crowded, and her entertainment was highly appreciated by the audience, she keeping them in merriment of laughter by her impromptu remarks.

Vanstone Bros. had a large gang of men during the past week engaged in repairing, building, and extending their dam. The present structure is a very strong and durable one being built entirely of stone.

Division Court was held here last Saturday, Mr. C. Seeger presiding. A large number of cases were disposed of, and general satisfaction given.

Samuel Slemmon, who for many years filled the position of Reeve for Grey Township, died on Thursday, 27th inst. The funeral took place on Sunday last, and was attended by a large concourse of mourning friends.

McKillop.
DISGRACEFUL.—Some evil disposed person or persons on the evening of the 21st inst., entered the premises of Mr John Morrison, 8th concession, and bespattered his milk wagon with the foulest of dirt. Such conduct is scandalous, and the perpetrators if caught ought to be severely dealt with. Mr. Morrison is a quite, inoffensive man, and does not know of having an enemy who would condescend to such miserable work. The parties who perpetrated the mischief are not supposed to reside in that neighborhood, but to have come from a distance.

A TRAMP'S FREAK.—One day last week while Mr. and Mrs. Dynes, 10th concession, were away from home a tramp called at their residence and demanded a coat from the servant girl. The day was wet, and he said he was going to Grey township to purchase stock, and that if she could for the present loan him a coat he would return it in a day or two. She, relying upon his word consented, and gave him an oil-cloth coat of Mr. Dynes'. The whole thing appears to be a fraud, as Mr. Tramp, alias cattle-buyer, has not returned it or made his appearance, and Mr. Dynes is at present minus oil-cloth coat. This ought to be a warning to others to be on the lookout for such rascals.

Short Talk.
Mr. John Beaton, of Goderich township, so well known on account of his connection with good horses, has purchased a three-part Hambletonian stallion, of a gentleman in Kentucky, and intends leaving in a couple of weeks to bring him home. The colt is rising three years old, has a splendid pedigree, and will be a great acquisition to the stock of the county.

It is reported that the stallion "General," lately purchased by Americans from Mr. J. J. Fisher, after winning a thousand dollar prize in Chicago, has been sold at a very high figure.

CANADIAN NEWS.
Sailors' wages advanced at Kingston yesterday to \$1.75 through the Welland canal and \$2 on Lake Ontario.
Mrs. Younan, Mr. Gibson and E. King Doldor, who had been attending a meeting over the Scott Act, in Windsor.
Allan McDonald, of the township of Grey, has been appointed by the Trustees of the Moleworth school for the coming year.
A little son of Mr. Stephen Grant, steward at the City Hospital, London, died from the effects of a shot gun wound accidentally received on Thanksgiving day.

The inland revenue returns for the month of October were \$15,807.08, an increase of \$1,670.35 over a similar period last year.
Mrs. Crowe, who lives with her son on the 1st con. of Culross, is aged 115 years. Her brother died a few years since at the age of 107.

It is reported that the French Credit Foncier has offered eight millions for the C. M. O. & O. R., and that Mr. Chaplain favours the offer.
A cargo consisting of forty thousand cases of canned salmon has been shipped from Victoria, B. C., for London, England. It is valued at \$185,000.

The directors of the Canada Pacific Railway deny the report that they made a demand upon the Government for all the timber lands between Nipissing and Winnipeg.
An eccentric character named Paddy McGuire, who was going around for a number of years, was found last week lying dead on the road, about two miles from Eggleston.

SERVICES.—Rev. Mr. Cook has been conducting special services in the Methodist Church, Varna, for some time past, which have been well attended, and met with good success.
HONORED.—Capt. Sheppard, of Clinton, has received a commission from the authorities at Ottawa, and holding the signature of the Marquis of Lorne, granting to him rank and precedence in the 33rd Battalion, as senior captain, the same to be dated from July 31st 1878.

Pork is selling at retail in Oswego for \$4.75; here the price is \$6.50. Will the Mail still continue to reiterate its nonsense and say that the consumer does not pay the duty? It does not cost \$1.75 more to lay down coal here than in Oswego. Still we see the difference in price.

Mr. J. G. A. Wallace, of Brighton, proprietor of the "Harbour View Apiary," is an enterprising and successful bee-keeper. Last spring he had but 21 colonies, and during the summer this number was increased to 67, with 3,000 pounds of honey, 1,000 pounds of which was extracted honey, 1,500 section honey, and 500 box-honey.

A fine illustration of woman's devotion was witnessed in Cobourg recently. A certain resident became so helplessly drunk that he lay down in the ditch at the roadside being powerless to proceed any further. His wife found him, and procuring a wheel barrow from one of the hotels, placed him on it, and then wheeled him home.

ANOTHER WARNING.—Robert Sturgeon, of Berwick, was charged by License Inspector Angus Stewart, with selling liquor on two separate occasions contrary to by-law. The case came up for trial on Tuesday last, before Magistrates Macpherson and Barker, of Kincardine, when he was fined \$20 and costs for the first offence, and \$40 and costs for the second, making in all \$73.50.

An Indian named Peter Paul has the honor of being the first of his race to enter an action in the Nova Scotia Courts. He alleges that he discovered the famous Salmon River gold mine, and was induced to show one A. R. Archibald where the hidden treasure was on condition that he was to have \$20 and a half share in the mine, which he never got. He now claims the fulfillment of his contract, and payment of half the proceeds of what has been already taken out.

Mr. Samuel James Watson, Librarian of the Legal Legislature, died on the morning of the 30th ult., of congestion of the kidneys. The deceased was for many years connected with the press of Canada as reporter and editor. He did some heavy Parliamentary reporting during the infancy of progress of Confederation. He was at one time editorially connected with the Montreal Herald and Quebec Chronicle, and occupied an editorial position on the Toronto Globe. He was the author of several books of poetry. He also completed the first volume of the "Constitutional History of Canada," and left sufficient manuscript to finish a second volume.

THE WORLD OVER.
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