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Boy Killed and a Church Steeple Knocked in Pieces.

Omemee, Ont., July 12.-Tommy Elvain, 11 years of age, eldest son of Arthur Elwain, three miles north of this place, while out in the field, was struck on the head by lightning yesterday afternoon and instantly killed.

HIT THE STEEPLE. Foxboro', Ont., July 12.-In a violent thunderstorm, accompanied by rain and wind, which passed over this district, the North Methodist Church, Foxborough, was struck by lightning, shattering the steeple and tower, and otherwise badly damaging the building. A barn in the village, own-ed by Andrew Benedict, was also struck

and a valuable horse was killed. The storm was one of the severest ever ex-perienced in this section. ANOTHER CHURCH STRUCK.

Bownanville, July 12.—During a heavy thunderstorm which passed over this district yesterday the steeple of the Methodist Church was struck by lightning and several bricks were knocked out Joseph Fletcher was working on the sidewalk immediately in front of the church at the time, but escaped injury. A new barn of W. C. Ashton, just west of Newcastle, was struck by lightning this morning and badly damaged. Two boys were in the stable at the time, and both were knocked down by the

ANOTHER BOY KILLED. London, July 12.—During the storm here yesterday Herbert, the 13-year-old son of Letter Carrier Perry Phillips, of No. 150 Hamilton Road, took refuge under a tree. Lightning struck the tree and killed young

WALLACEBURG.

July 12 .- Norman Gurd and brother, o arnia, attended court here Wednesday.

The Hattie ran her regular excursion to Detroit to-day, Thursday.

Miss Galloway, of Dresden, addressed a meeting of the Epworth League in the Methodist Church last evening in the in-

Fraser Shambleau and sister Claire, of hatham, are spending the holidays with their relatives in town. Dr. Mitchell is very ill owing to an at-

Mrs. Levi Stewart, of Green Bay, is isiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs J. H. Fraser, Mr. Lydiatte and friend, of Toronto, have just returned from a trip to Detroit and Put-in-Bay. A large number from here attended the Orange celebration held at Sarnia to-day. The Orange lodges in town took part in the

The grim reaper has carried off another from our midst in the person of Mrs Sullivan, who died at her home last evening.

BLENHE M.

July 12 .- Mrs. A. Shultis, of Brant-J. Stokes left Blenheim to-day, after spending a few days in town.

The Methodist picnic to the Point was largely attended. A. Laidlaw, of Milwaukee, spent

The Misses Lipscombe, of Toronto, are visiting friends in town. D. D. G. M. Estabrook, of Glenwood,

be in Blenheim Friday evening Mrs. Warren Agar, of Blenheim, is isiting friends in Chatham. Messrs. R. L. Gosnell and R. M. Thompson, local barristers, have de-cided to close their offices at 1 p. m.

during July and August. The picnic of the English Church was argely attended at Ericau. A very njoyable time was spent.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church are giving an excursion to Belle Isle on the 19th. Mrs. (Dr.) Vary, of Chicago, is visit-

ing her relatives in town. A serious accident might have oc A serious accident might have oc-curred here at the residence of A. W. Beil, when Joseph Wilson fell, head first, down a well 17 feet deep and struck on his shoulder. He escaped without very much injury.

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Wish the View of the Chatham School Board

Regarding the Central School Trouble -Correspondence in the Matter.

Word has been received from the Education Department at Toronto concerning the recent entrance examination irregularities in this city in response to the official communication from the Board of Examiners, previously published exclusively in The Planet.

This morning Principal D. S. Paterson, M. A., of the Collegiate Institute, secretary of the board, received the following communication:-

Education Department, Toronto, July 11th, 1900.

Dear Sir,-I am directed by Minister of Education to acknowledge the receipt of your fetters of 7th and 9th instant; and to state that he deeply regrets the existence of the condition of affairs to which you refer. Pending such further action as may

Pending such turther action as may be necessary in the matter, it is recommended that the Board admit provisionally to Chatham Collegiate Institute those candidates who, on such evidence as may be satisfactory to the examiners, are deemed competent to undertake High School work. For this purpose the examination results may purpose the examination results may be used so far as deemed expedient. If pupils thus admitted prove to have sufficient knowledge, their admission may be confirmed. In this way the rests of pupils who are do the matter will be

guarded as far as possible It may be presumed that the results, so far as pupils from other schools are concerned, may be accepted. I am writing to the secretary of the Chatham Public School Board regarding the unfortunate position in which the Principal of the Model School has allowed himself to be placed.

Your obedient servant, JOHN MILLAR.

Deputy Minister.

D. S. Paterson, Esq., M. A.,

Principal Collegiate Institute,

Chatham Ont.

Chatham, Ont. Mr. Paterson promptly submitted he communication to his colleagues upon the board and it was decided to hold a special meeting this evening. EXAM. REPORTS TO-MORROW.

Asked by The Planet concerning what action the board would take upon the matter Principal Paterson said, "The board will act upon the let ter from the Department, and the entrance examination results may be looked for in to-morrow's Planet." A LETTER TO THE SCHOOL BOARD,

Thomas C. Macnabb, secretary of the public school board this morning re ceived the following government com munication concerning the recent disclosures of entrance examination misdemeanors:-

Education Department, Toronto, July 11, 1900,

Dear Sir,-I am directed by the Min ister of Education to state that in-formation has been brought to this department by the high school en-trance board of examiners, regarding a very serious betrayal of trust on the part of Mr. Smith, Principal of the Chatham Model School.

The principal, who was appointed presiding examiner for the high school entrance examination at Dresden, and in whose care the question papers for that examination had been entrusted, opened packages containing these pa-pers and gave assistance to his own pupils, who were candidates at the examinations at Chatham, Mr. Smith, it is understood, has acknowledged the crime of which he was suspected to be guilty; and, therefore, it may not be ary to take evidence to establish the truth of charges that would other-wise be made. As he is the holder of wise be made. As he is the holder of a provincial certificate, and as he occupies the important position of principal of a model school, it will be impossible for the department to pass over the seriousness of the matter. In the meantime the Minister wishes the question to be brought before the Chatham board, and for this department to be informed as to what steps the trustees intend taking in view of the trustees intend taking in view of the seriousness of the case. Your bedient servant.

JOHN MILLIAR, Deputy Ministen of Education. SPECIAL MEETING NECESSARY. The Planet interviewed Chairman J. A. Wilson, of the Public School Board, n reference to the communication.
"It is not for me to say anything oncerning it at the present time, the chairman told this journal, "bu t will, of course, benecessary in the immedaite future to call a special meeting of the public school board to ally consider the matter and re-ort thereon back to the government can csay nothing more at present."

ITS NEW CAPITAL.

Bloemfontein Likely to be Selected-

Latest War Notes. London, Thursday. July 12 .- It is under stood at Cape Town that at the close of the war in South Africa Bloemfontein will be the headquarters of the commander-in-chief, the seat of South African court of appeals and eventually the federal capital of South

It has been reported to the War Office that Pte. C. R. Scott, of the 27th (Lambton) Battalion, and a member of "B" Company, Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, who was a prisoner at Pretoria, has been recovered, and is back in the Canadian cam

paign.
Maj. Cartwright and Lieut. Ross, of the Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, have been invalided to England. Pte. Samuel Crockett, of of "B." Com pany, Royal Canadian Regiment, has been invalided to Woolwich hospital. He was formerly a member of the Seventh Fusiliers, of London, Ont.

Acting Sergeant Arthur Stringer, of the Strathcona Horse, is reported among the

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LEAMINGTON.

July 12 .- Word was received from Alex. Baird, P. L. S., who is at the head of one of the exploring parties to Hudson's Bay. He had started and was sixteen miles from all trace of set-tlement. It is the last communica-tion that will be received from him

until he returns.

S. Foster, of Kingsville, was in town to-day to consult with J. McR. Selkirk, upon school matters with which Mr. Foster is connected. A. P. McKishnee, manager of the circulation department of The Planet, was there and made a large addition to the increasing list of the Planet for Leamington. While here he met an old friend in the person of Dr. Elliott, formerly of Ouvry, but now practicing in Learnington, Dr. Elliot reports a steadily increasing practice and is very much pleased with the reception the

people of Leamington have given him rofessionally and socially. Robert Craig, who left here a few weeks ago, has been successful in se-curing a lucrative position in Fort

The opening of J. DeCow & Sons restaurant on Tuesday evening was a great success. Immense crowds attended and a large business was done. The interior of the building was very tastefully decorated and as it has been thoroughly overhauled and refitted, it presented a fine appearance. An orchestra was on hand and rendered through-

out the evening excellent music.

The Masonic brethern will tender to Dr. W. A. Piper, who is one of their prominent members, a banquet on Friday evening. Dr. Piper has been a resident of Leamington for some years and has always been a prom-inent and useful citizen foremost in every good work. The citizens will banquet him also before he leaves for London, where he will in future continue the practice of

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ham, on the 11th day of July, 1900, and re mains there for inspection.

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Clerk of Chathan Dated July 12th, 1900.

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