

WESTERN ONTARIO.

A Family Jump from a Two-Story Burning Building.

Two Men Jailed for Resisting a Sheriff's Visit.

Cigar Burglary at Brantford—Fined for Cruelty to Animals—A Champion Hog-Killer.

BRANT.

The Governor-General will visit Brantford on Saturday.

Capt. Geo. Perkins, agent of the G. T. R., Brantford, who has been removed to Brockville, was tendered a supper on Friday evening in the officers' mess-room of the Dufferin. Lieut.-Col. Jones, Hon. A. S. Hardy and Mayor Secord spoke in the highest terms of the guest of the evening.

On Friday evening burglars broke into T. P. Fair & Co.'s cigar store, Brantford, and stole a quantity of cigars.

BRUCE.

On an information laid by John McKinnon, liveman of Walkerton, Henry Earnest, of Brant, was up in the Walkerton Police Court a day or two ago on a charge of cruelty to animals. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$1 and costs.

The county of Bruce has paid out for indigent purposes during the past seven years the sum of \$23,566.95, of which amount the county paid directly \$3,285.82 and the municipalities the balance.

ELGIN.

Quite an addition has been made to the Alma College library, St. Thomas, during the holidays, and more books are expected this week.

John Cunningham, late of Dnart, and well known in West Elgin and Kent, died at Sudbury on Friday night.

Mrs. Teat, widow of the late G. T. R. Conductor Teat, has received \$2,500 insurance on her late husband's life from the Railway and Freight Conductors' Mutual Aid and Benefit Association of Chicago.

Mrs. Campbell, wife of Archibald Campbell, con. 13, Yarmouth, died very suddenly Saturday night in the 42nd year of her age. She had not been in the best of health, but was around as usual on Saturday.

After retiring she was taken ill, and died in an hour. The deceased was the youngest daughter of the late Archibald McGlashin. She leaves five sons aged from 4 to 14 years.

On Sunday morning fire destroyed the bike shop of W. J. Bond, St. Thomas. The family apartments were immediately over the shop and all the inmates were upstairs at the time the alarm was given.

To save their lives the family jumped from two-story windows. Mrs. Bond alighted on some rough ice and boards, and was thrown up against the side of the building, receiving severe injuries. Her left arm was broken, her head cut and her back severely injured. Mr. Bond, Miss Eva Bond, Miss Emily and Mary Plank, and Sylvester Plank, all of Strathroy, nieces and nephew of Mr. Bond, jumped from a back window. All were shaken up, and Miss Bond and Miss Mary Plank also sprained their ankles.

ESSEX.

Thomas L. Wright, Colchester South killed 44 hogs on Wednesday which would average about 250 pounds each, or 10,000 pounds in all, and which will net him nearly \$750.

The M. C. R. have announced a very desirable change which will be much appreciated by the citizens of Amherstburg. In place of having the tedious wait at Essex the Amherstburg train will run direct to and from Windsor. The railway authorities will build a connecting spur at Essex to allow of this being done.

About three years ago a colored man named Wm. Butler was convicted in Colchester of stealing and given 25 months in the Central Prison, Toronto. He had been there but nine months when he escaped.

No trace of him was had until about a month ago, when he was seen in Colchester, and it is thought he has been committing the robbery in that vicinity. A few days ago the chief of police located him at Elmstead, about twenty miles from Windsor, and on Saturday night he was arrested and taken there. Since his escape he has served a short time in Jackson, Mich.

KENT.

Mrs. Carpenter, the wife of Mayor Carpenter, of Chatham, died Friday night, aged 60 years. Death was due to heart failure. The deceased lady was notable for her many acts of charity; she was a staunch member of the Church of England and for a quarter of a century had been a resident of Chatham.

Following are the newly-elected officers of Christ Church Sunday school, Chatham: Rev. Robert McCosh, superintendent; Dr. R. V. Bray, assistant superintendent; W. J. Kenny, secretary; W. Richardson, secretary; W. H. Smith, librarian; Geo. H. Berube, assistant librarian; directors of the Parish Record, Rev. Mr. McCosh (chairman), Miss L. Sandys, Dr. R. V. Bray, W. H. Smith, W. J. Kenny.

LANE.

D. D. Anderson, postmaster of Wyoming, is still confined to his house through illness.

Wm. Stonehouse, Wyoming, had six sheep destroyed by dogs recently.

John Stablesford, aged 89, one of the pioneers of Watford, died recently.

Peter McClellan, assistant postmaster, Forest, is recovering from a serious illness.

Christ Church congregation, Forest, recently presented Fred. Morphy with a well-filled purse in recognition of his valuable services in connection with the choir during the past year.

MIDDLESEX.

Edward Mayo, proprietor of the Royal Hotel, Lucas, died on Thursday in his 45th year.

It is stated that the G. T. R. Company will build a new passenger station at (Glen) one this summer. The building will be erected a short distance west of Main street, on the north side of the track, with a platform extending to Main street.

OXFORD.

A scheme is on foot in Woodstock to establish a hospital there.

A new public school was formally opened at Woodstock on Friday.

PERTH.

Rev. D. Deacon, M.A., of the Home Memorial Church, Stratford, has been made rural dean of Perth in place of the late Rev. Canon Patterson.

Stratford's Royal Templar officers are: S. C. W. C. Davidson; V. C., Miss McCull; chaplain, Bro. Lightfoot; treasurer, Bro. French; F. S., Bro. Margette; R. S., Bro. Clark; herald, Bro. D. McNicholl; guard, Bro. Moore.

Graham Bros., St. Marys, exported 281 horses to the British markets last year.

WATERLOO.

Mr. Campbell, who has been transferred from the Guelph branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce to the branch at Ayr, was presented before leaving Guelph by the staff of the bank there with a gold pin, as a memento of the friendly feelings that existed while he was the Guelph staff.

An agreement has been consummated between the Bell Telephone Company and the Farmers' Telephone Company, of Waterloo, satisfactory to both. It is understood that the Bell Telephone Company will afford the Farmers' improved facilities, which will be of material benefit to them.

WELLINGTON.

An extra fine hog, weighing 580 pounds, being the largest brought to Guelph market by any farmer, was bought there on Saturday at \$7.75 per cwt.

Sheriff McKim and John Doughty, sen., seized a man on the premises of John Beechner, sen., con. 6, Eramosa, Friday. The seizure was made to recover costs in some legal action. Beechner and his sons John and Jeremiah resented the officers' visit and regained possession of the animal. The result was the arrest of John Beechner, the older and John Beechner, the younger, on Friday evening by High Constable Webster. Jeremiah Beechner could not be found. The prisoners were taken to Guelph and lodged in jail.

SHE COULD WHIP, TOO.

A Schoolmaster Thumped by the Mother of a Boy He Had Punished.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Jan. 9.—S. D. Ellrick, principal of the seventh ward school of this city, had occasion to whip one of his pupils quite severely Friday afternoon. It is alleged that the punishment was excessive and unwarranted. This the principal denied. The mother of the boy listened to her offspring's tale of woe and immediately went on the warpath. Procuring a heavy horsewhip, she came on the trail of the professor, who was naturally averse to such an encounter. But the woman caught him in the gloaming and attacked him savagely. In spite of his best efforts to defend himself she gave him a beating beside which the chastisement of her son was a mere love tap. The teacher was so badly used up that medical attendance was required, and he is still in the hands of a surgeon. The affair has created an immense sensation here, and litigation will doubtless follow.

WHILE WAITING FOR DINNER.

Sudden Death of a Well-Known Character in a New York Restaurant.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The world will trouble "Old Ben" Tracey no more. For years the old man has tramped up and down the Bowery, looking for odd jobs that would bring in a nickel or so to buy a meal and bed for the night. Sometimes he got them, but more often the cold weather had a harder time of it, and for the last two or three days "Old Ben's" soul bade fair at any moment to say goodbye to his body, and in departing leave him remains to a not too charitable burial at the hand of the city.

Some one who had known the old man gave him a quarter yesterday, and he went into a restaurant, at No. 128 Park row to get a bite to eat. He complained of not feeling well, and, leaning over the table, rested his head on his hands. The waiter asked him if he was ill, and told him that he didn't need to be told, "Old Ben" didn't hear him. He was dead.

MONKEY LANGUAGE.

Professor Garner Ready to Enter the Goo-Goo Country.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 9.—The wife of Professor E. L. Garner, who is so interested in the study of the monkey language, is spending the winter at Covington, Ky., near her girlhood home, where she married Garner at the age of 15, when she was a pupil in his school. Mrs. Garner says her husband, French Congo, and husband will remain until the close of the rainy season, when he will penetrate 100 miles into the interior with 28 men and remain six months or longer if necessary.

He has a full complement of phonographs and will establish himself in the very midst of the gorilla. His wife and son are to join him at the Canary Islands next September.

700 Newsboys Made Happy.

DETROIT, Jan. 9.—Seven hundred newsboys have just been fitted out with new suits of clothes at the expense of General Russell A. Alger.

Pat Fenton's Punishment.

TORONTO, Jan. 9.—Pat Fenton, the young man who killed Minnie Davis on Christmas morning at Highland Creek, and who was convicted of manslaughter at the assizes, was this morning sentenced by Judge Rose to three months' imprisonment.

Lives of others oft remind us Married life may be sublime.

We trust to be forgiven this parody of lines from Longfellow's immortal "Psalm of Life." Husbands who are wise and thoughtful know that the happiness of the home depends largely on the health of the mistress of the house. Many are the tasks which daily confront her. How can a woman contend against the trials and worries of housekeeping if she be suffering from those distressing irregularities, ailments and weaknesses peculiar to her sex? Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a specific for these disorders. The only remedy, sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case or money refunded. See printed guarantee on bottle wrapper.

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