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City and District

—Mr. Verne L. Hewer, baritone; Miss Vera B. Hewer, elocutionist, and Masters Nelson Adair and Thomas Selby furnished a harvest home programme at Springfield last night. The proceeds amounted to over \$150.

Rode on Walks.
In the juvenile court yesterday a minor, who rode a bicycle on the sidewalk, was taxed \$1. Four other boys, who acted in a disorderly manner on the street, were let go with a warning.

Off to Toronto.
Ald. Greenlee, Ald. Armstrong, Ald. Moorhead, Ald. Gerry and Assessment Commissioner Grant left last evening for Toronto, where they will attend the annual convention of the Ontario Municipalities Union. Ex-Ald. Neil Cooper, who is vice-president of the union, also left to attend the convention.

Call to Rev. Mr. McLean.
At a meeting of the presbytery held on Monday it was unanimously decided to extend a call to Rev. D. A. McLean, of Tara, in Bruce County, asking him to accept the pastorate of Delaware South, Carleton and Manxey. Mr. McLean is well known throughout the Province. His salary, it is understood, will be \$1,000 a year and the manse, People complain.

A number of residents of the North End are complaining about the conduct of boys who take bottles from a dump on Mattland street and break them on the sidewalks along Piccadilly street and Oxford street. In some cases a great deal of the glass has also been thrown on the paths of the wheelmen use, and they also are greatly annoyed. The matter has been reported to the police, and if any of the culprits are caught they will be fined.

Son of Former Londoner.
Mr. R. H. Fraser, of Chatham Collegiate Institute, who made such a brilliant showing at the recent junior matriculation scholarship examinations in Toronto University, is a son of Dr. J. M. Fraser, a former Londoner, now living in Mexico. Mr. R. H. Fraser won nine scholarships, including the Prince of Wales and Edward Blake scholarships. He is entitled to keep two of those that he won. Mr. Fraser was educated at Chatham public school, and later at Chatham Collegiate.

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TORE HIS BODY INTO SHREDS

Explosion of Gas Charged Cylinder Scatters Body of Man All Over Place.

Niagara Falls, Sept. 1.—A fatal explosion occurred in the United Oxygen and Chemical Company's plant, a two-story frame building, situated on the corner of Montague and McKean streets, at the north end of the city, about 9:15 this morning. A cylinder about four feet long and eighteen inches in circumference exploded.

Mr. James G. Clifford, the manager, was standing in front of the cylinder drawing off the oxygen gas, filling small cylinders for medical use, when the explosion took place. The large cylinder, with terrific force, struck the man, passing through him, and twisted into all imaginable shapes. His head and shoulders struck the north partition and lodged there, while his lower limbs passed out through the east window, falling on the street. The cylinder passed through a heavy wooden partition and across Montague street, and dropped in a vacant lot beside the unfortunate man's residence, where his wife and two children were.

Shreds of flesh clung to the wooden stringers in the room where the explosion occurred. The matched wooden ceiling and walls, with the iron fixtures and pipes inside the building, were torn into ribbons and twisted into all imaginable shapes. Clifford's 20-year-old son was in the room where the explosion occurred, but escaped with a few scratches, being behind the force of the explosion. The factory was an electro-chemical concern, manufacturing a late invention that produced oxygen and hydrogen gases at a low expense out of water by a chemical and electrical process. The inventor was Fred Clifford, of New York, brother of the man killed.

There have been slight explosions before on account of the ignition of the oxygen and hydrogen gases, but this was carefully watched and protected against. It is said the fatal explosion this morning was due to some weak spot in the cylinder, which was supposed to stand 350 pounds pressure to the square inch, and contained only 1,800 pounds pressure.

ITALIANS SAW THEM, TOOK TO TALL TIMBER

When Constables Came Up They Ran Off.

Guelph, Sept. 1.—Two of the three Italians who are alleged to have been confederates of the chief Constable Knight, of Byng Inlet, while he was trying to arrest him, were located here by Chief Constable McRae, of Parry Sound.

Constable McRae, in company with Sgt. Kieckley, of the local force, drove to a shanty where over 100 men are employed laying a big water main. The two Italians were in the lane waiting for their pay when the officers drove up. One had just been paid, and the other had his hand out for the money when they caught sight of the officers. They did not wait an instant, but struck off across the fields on the run, one without his money. The constable crossed the river and gained the cover of a thick swamp.

Last night, or instructions from Chief Randall, two of the local force made a tour through all the Italian houses in the city. In a shanty on Metcalfe street they located one of the two, named Pezzano. They surprised him while at his tea, giving him no chance to offer resistance. The other, Michael Scott, is still free.

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Entries Coming Thick and Fast From Well-Known Cattle Men.

"We will be there with twice as much stock as we had last year," were the words of a well-known cattle man yesterday to Secretary Hunt, of the Western Fair, over the phone from Toronto. This is the way it appears at the present time from all sides.

Enquiries of all kinds are coming in thick and fast to the general offices, and entries are simply flooding the prospects are very bright for success. If the weather is only favorable, space is at a premium in many of the buildings. Entries close on Sept. 10, and it is fully expected by that time that the space in every building on the ground will be entirely taken. The attractions provided this year are out of the ordinary and are creating great interest. The Wild West Show will undoubtedly be a performance of itself. The fireworks this year will consist of fifty-eight separate pieces, very many of which are entirely new; one effect being "A Railway Disaster." Two trains of cars are seen approaching from opposite directions. Smoke pours

from the funnels, whistles blow, the trains meet and the finish comes with the explosion of the boilers and a great blow-up effect, demolishing the engines and wrecking the trains. The effect is very thrilling and beautiful. The closing scene each evening is a reproduction of the "Eruption of Mount Pelee" and destruction of St. Pierre. This is one of the most realistic pictures that has ever been produced, and presents a scene of sublimity but awful grandeur.

Everyone should spend at least one evening during the exhibition to see this wonderful sight. Reserve seat tickets will be on sale previous to the exhibition and also at the grounds, and will be reserved on order to the secretary through the mail for any performance, afternoon or evening, during the entire week. Let this year's exhibition be a grand rally of all people from all places.

Shot His Comrade for a Raccoon

Toronto, Sept. 1.—Mistaken for a raccoon at a distance of 49½ feet, Daniel Mewhort, aged about 35, of Mount Dennis, two and a half miles northwest of West Toronto, received a full charge of shot in the eyes, face and neck from a 12-bore shotgun in the hands of Thomas Armstrong. The accident occurred at 5:15 this morning.

"You shot me," exclaimed Mewhort, as he fell to the ground. Horror struck, as the consequences of his mistake dawned upon him, Armstrong fainted twice and on recovery

desired at once to place himself in the hands of the county constabulary. Mewhort was carried to his home, from where Spier's ambulance, of West Toronto, conveyed him to the Western Hospital, four hours after the accident, where his condition is now serious.

After Mewhort had been removed to his home, he asked to see Armstrong. When the latter appeared beside the bed on which he lay, Mewhort put out his hand and feebly shook hands with him. "I forgive you," he muttered, and then relapsed into a stupor.

Memorial Service for the Late Chief

Fire Chief A. B. Teneyck of the Hamilton fire brigade was in the city yesterday afternoon for a couple of hours on his way home from the fire chiefs' convention recently held in Columbus, Ohio.

"The convention was one of the best I ever attended from the standpoint of exhibits and attendance," said Chief Teneyck to The Advertiser. "However, we missed Chief Clark exceedingly. He was known personally to a large number of the chiefs, and they inquired for him when I arrived. Quite a few of them had not heard of his death until I got there, and the news came as a decided shock to the most of them. The memorial service to the chiefs who had died during the year was most impressive, the most impressive, I think, I ever attended. When the resolution of sympathy at

the death of Chief Clark came up, Chief Thompson, of Toronto, arose and paid a fine tribute to Larry Clark. He spoke of his courage, his devotion to duty, his manliness, and his personal qualities. Chief Thompson made a splendid speech, and it made a deep impression on the audience. I tried to pay my tribute to Larry, but the subject was too painful for me, as I had lost one of the very best friends I had."

Chief Thompson, of Toronto, was elected second vice-president of the association, after a spirited struggle with five American chiefs.

Chief Teneyck was elected vice-president of the association for Ontario.

He left on the International for his home in Hamilton.

Next year the convention will be held at Grand Rapids, Mich.

A Quebec Town Hard Hit by Fire

Quebec, Sept. 1.—The town of Sayabec, county of Rimouski, was the scene of a serious conflagration on Saturday last, which entailed a loss of \$30,000. The fire originated in a barn at 2 p.m. and spread rapidly in all directions.

raging for three hours before being got under control. Among the buildings destroyed were the Grand Central Hotel, the Hotel Sayabec, Mr. Gagne's store and many wooden houses and their dependencies. Eight families are homeless.

A Pointer for Owners of Yachts

Collector of Customs Elliott has received the following circular from the minister of marine and fisheries which is of interest to the large number of owners of boats and launches on the Thames at present:

Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, Aug. 31, 1907. Owners, masters, or persons in charge of small vessels, such as pleasure yachts, steam, gasoline, naphtha, electric or other motor launches or rowboats, under way or at anchor, in all waters frequented by other vessels, are hereby notified that they must comply with the rules imposed by part XIV, chapter 113 of the "Canada shipping act, 1906, respecting the navigation of Canadian pleasure craft, preventing collisions, especially as regards the lights to be shown. Attention is also directed to the penalty which the master, owner or person in charge, if in fault, shall incur, viz.: A sum not exceeding \$200, and not less than \$20, which penalty will be enforced if conviction is secured. Cases of violation of the rules brought to the notice of the department will be prosecuted according to law. Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

Rule of the Road. Accompanying the circular is a copy of the "International Rules of the Road," in force in all Canadian waters other than the Great Lakes and the

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Milan Sept. 1.—The Saeclio, and other Italian Liberal newspapers, print a rumor, which, it is alleged, emanated from a Vatican source, to the effect that the Duke of Norfolk intends to provoke a vote at the Eucharistic congress in London next month, in favor of the restoration of the temporal power of the Papacy.

It may be recalled that the Duke of Norfolk eight years ago, when presenting an English pilgrimage to the late Pope Leo XIII., expressed a warm wish for the restoration of the temporal power. This aroused an outburst of indignation among the anti-clericals in Italy.

The Duke of Norfolk was in Canada recently, attending the Tercentenary celebrations. He is a man of democratic tastes, but great wealth. His squat, rolling, bustling figure attracted much attention at Quebec.

VISITED FRUIT BELT.
Hamilton, Sept. 1.—The Scotch farmers visiting Canada on the invitation of the Dominion Government, spent yesterday afternoon in the fruit belt between Hamilton and Beamsville. They visited many fruit farms and factories, and spoke in highest terms of the fertility of the soil. Their opinion of the strip fully justified its title.

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