

THE SIGNAL

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THIRTY-FOURTH YEAR. WHOLE NUMBER 1793. GODERICH, ONT., FRIDAY, AUG. 5, 1881. (MCGILLICUDDY BROS. PUBLISHERS \$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.)

New Advertisements.

Lost—Charles Church.
Strayed—D. A. Fraser.
Hosier—Miss Stewart.
Groceries—R. Proudfoot.
Prints—Colborne Brothers.
Mortgage Sale—Richard Radcliffe.
Lemon Squeezers—G. C. Robertson.
Mortgage Sale—Garrow & Proudfoot.
Servant Wanted—Mrs. Graeme Cameron.

Travelling Guide.

GRAND TRUNK.			
Pass.	Exp's.	Mix'd.	Mix'd.
Goderich, Lv. 7.00am.	12.00pm.	3.15pm.	6.00pm.
Stratford, Ar. 7.50	1.10	4.45	10.50
Stratford, Ar. 8.45am.	1.15pm.	4.30pm.	1.00

GREAT WESTERN.			
Pass.	Exp's.	Mix'd.	Mix'd.
Goderich, Lv. 7.00am.	12.00pm.	3.15pm.	6.00pm.
Stratford, Ar. 7.50	1.10	4.45	10.50
Stratford, Ar. 8.45am.	1.15pm.	4.30pm.	1.00

STAGE LINES.			
Pass.	Exp's.	Mix'd.	Mix'd.
Goderich, Lv. 7.00am.	12.00pm.	3.15pm.	6.00pm.
Stratford, Ar. 7.50	1.10	4.45	10.50
Stratford, Ar. 8.45am.	1.15pm.	4.30pm.	1.00

Dentistry.

M. NICHOLSON, SURGEON DENTIST. Office and residence, West Street, three doors below Bank of Montreal, Goderich.

The People's Column.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED
In a family of five. Good wages will be given to a suitable person. Apply to Miss Graeme Cameron, East street, before 12 o'clock, noon. 1782.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.—ON WEDNESDAY, July 27th, two cows, one a white face striped with red, and the other spotted red and white, with crumpled horn. Any information leading to their recovery will be thankfully received by the owner, D. A. FRAZER, Goderich.

KEYS FOUND.—A COUPLE OF keys were found at the dock on Sunday morning last. The owner can have them by applying at this office and paying for advertisement. 1782.

LOST—A PROMISSORY NOTE made by Daniel McDougall in favor of undersigned. The public are hereby cautioned against negotiating, or disposing of in any way, as I have received value for the same. CHARLES CHURCH. 1782-3.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE, CHEAP.—LOT 34, Lake Range, Ashfield, Huron County, 181 acres, 130 cleared and 50 wooded, balance standing timber. Good orchard, new frame house, barn 40x60 and all necessary stabling, two wells, 100 feet from shore. Apply to McLEAN, Amherst. 1780-3m.

FOR SALE.—LOT 9, LAKE SHORE Tp. of Colborne, containing 112 acres, 30 acres cleared, balance excellent timber. Soil a good clay loam. As this property adjoins the Point Farm, in consequence of being slightly situated. For particulars apply to J. Wright. Market St. 1881. 1776-4.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—AT Duncannon, 12 miles from Goderich, a frame house, good well and pump are also on the premises. Terms reasonable. Particulars can be had from Mr. J. M. ROBERTS, Merchant, Duncannon, or R. E. BROWN, N. W. 1767-4.

HOUSE AND LOTS NOS. 33 AND 34, corner of Victoria and East streets, in the town of Goderich, for sale cheap, or will be exchanged for farm property. For particulars apply to Jas. SMITH, Archibald, office Crabbs' Block, 50-52, Church, auctioneer.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—A good substantial story and a half house, containing 6 rooms and kitchen. Garden excellent, well watered, with choice fruit trees, good stable, corner lot, in one of the best localities in Goderich. As the property must be disposed of it will be sold cheap, only a part of the purchase money required down. Apply GEO. SHEPPARD, Huron School Book depot. 1764-4.

SHEPPARDTON—FARM FOR sale @ \$9,000, 55 acres cleared and well fenced. Brick cottage, full cellar, full size of house. A large creek runs through the lot, no waste on the creek. A very fine orchard surrounds the house. Good barn and other buildings. Terms very easy. Apply to R. T. HAYNES, 100 acres of land, West side of Lot 6, on the 3rd con. E. of Ashfield, Good Orchard, Frame House, and stable. Fifty acres cleared and well fenced. Apply to GARROW & PROUDFOOT. 1782.

FARM FOR SALE.—BEING LOT 9, con. 13, Colborne, about seven miles from Goderich, comprising 59 acres, 30 cleared. A frame house, and a new barn 50x35, and a stable and other outbuildings are on the premises. A young orchard, good pump, etc., on the farm. The farm has a road on two sides of it. Four acres of fall wheat are sown. Distant only 1 mile from a post office. For particulars apply to Wm. SHELTON, Sheppardton P. O. 1777.

SHEPPARDTON—STORE, WITH Post Office, for sale or rent, with 1 acre land. Stock all fresh and good. Will sell on very easy terms, having other business to attend to. For further particulars apply to R. T. HAYNES. Also 100 acres of land, West side of Lot 6, on the 3rd con. E. of Ashfield, Good Orchard, Frame House, and stable. Fifty acres cleared and well fenced. Apply to GARROW & PROUDFOOT. 1782.

Miscellaneous Cards.

JAMES SMALL, ARCHITECT, &c.
Office, Crabbs' Block, Kingston street, Goderich. Plans and specifications drawn correctly. Carpenter, plasterer and mason's work measured and valued.

STRATFORD BINDERY—ESTABLISHED 1822. This establishment is chiefly devoted to job and library work, especially those unique and economical half and morocco styles. In all cases the best of stock and workmanship, with strength and beauty combined. Bindery over John Dutton's drug store. GEORGE STONE.

Consorsial.

W. KNIGHT, PRACTICAL BAR-BER and Hair-dresser, begs to return thanks to the public for past patronage, and solicits a continuance of custom. He can always be found at his Shaving Parlor, near the Post Office, Goderich. 1753.

NEWS ABOUT HOME

"A chief's among you, takin' notes, An' faith he'll prent it."

TOWN TOPICS.

If you want a first-class cooking stove, call and see G. N. Davis' variety, also American and Canadian oil for family use. Something new—the magic fluting machine.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.—Saunders' Variety Store wants ten tons of wool pickings and one thousand sheepskins; highest price cash or trade. An immense stock of stoves and linens to select from. The cheapest house under the sun.

Miss Bell leaves for St. Louis on Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Donagh is home for the holidays.

Wednesday next will be the civic holiday.

Judge Tomlin about recovered from his illness.

Father Boutat celebrated mass in Ashfield on Sunday last.

Miss Ralph, teacher at the Nile, is spending her vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gissing are rusticated among the Muskoka Lakes.

Miss Jennie Watson is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Hyde of Hamilton.

Miller & McQuarrie have the contract to build the new hotel at Smith's Hill.

Mr. W. R. Miller, Principal of the public school, is rusticated in Muskoka.

Mr. Robt. McKewen, of the G. T. R., has been removed from Sarnia to Goderich.

The Signal's account of General Sherman's visit is floating in the daily papers.

Mr. McCormack and daughter, of Cleveland, are the guests of Mr. W. Stotts.

Miss Minnie Robertson has returned after a brief sojourn in Hastings, Nebraska, U. S.

The town Council did not hold a session last Friday, owing to the absence of Mayor Horton.

Mr. J. T. Garrow has returned from the seaside, and looks much the better for his vacation.

Mr. James Hyslop, of Forest, was in town during the week, attending his brother's funeral.

Mr. W. Evans, a son of Mr. George Evans, is going to the North west to push his fortunes.

Miss Lang, of Brantford, is visiting friends in Goderich. She is the guest of Mrs. Derrick, East-st.

Mr. Neil Campbell will this year make his fifth annual trip as representative to the Grand Lodge of Oddfellows.

A lad named Emmerton, son of Mr. John Emmerton, while jumping with a pole, fell and broke one of his arms.

An excursion consisting of some 600 or 700 persons from Woodstock, sniffed the lake breeze here on Monday.

Mr. Mooney, of Clinton, passed through Goderich last week with some excellent live stock for his breeding farm in Manitoba.

Mr. Harry Smith purposes leaving on Wednesday, July 10th, for Brandon, Man., the "Chicago" of the North West, on a prospecting tour.

There are many complaints about the irregular arrival of the London dailies at the bookstores. We don't think the papers are to blame, however.

SCALDED.—The infant child of Mr. McKewen, of the G. T. R. had his arm scalded on Wednesday. The little sufferer is getting nicely over it.

A little son of Mr. Dave Currie was struck on the head with a stone while playing "duck on the rock" last week, and was laid up for a day or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Conant and two children, of Monroe, Mich., are stopping at the British Exchange. Their trip to Goderich, is now an annual affair.

Miss Sarah Ann Sherman returned home last Tuesday evening, from a six weeks' trip to London, much improved in health, we are pleased to learn.

Mr. R. W. Mackenzie is now telling what he knows about Manitoba. We understand that he enjoyed his trip to the North West and back immensely.

Correspondents are wanted for THE SIGNAL at every post office in the county. Intending correspondents are requested to communicate with the editor at once.

Mrs. Capt. Rhynas and Miss Annie Doyle have come to Buffalo to take the round trip from there to Duluth on the Lake Superior Transit Co's Steamer Atlantic.

Mrs. Brennan and daughter, of "The Oxford," Brantford, is paying Goderich friends a visit. We are quite sure the breeze off the lake will improve her health.

POISONED HAND.—Mr. D. A. Fraser returned from Jackson, Mich., a week ago with a badly poisoned hand. He had only been on the other side of the line about a month.

The following was ground out on the machine early on Thursday morning:—
Oh, where, Oh, where is he?
With his cleaver large, and his sprinkling pot,
Oh, where, Oh, where can he be?

LOST HIS TOES.—A youth named Mark Watters lost four toes at the railway station on Saturday by the cars running over his foot. His escape from a more serious accident was a wonder.

The Canadian Sportsman, edited by E. King Dodds, has been placed upon our exchange list. The journal is to our mind ahead of anything Canada has yet had in the way of a sporting paper.

Get your printing done at THE SIGNAL office.

Miss Jones, of Seaford, is the guest of Mr. John Scobie, of the Star Salt Works.

Mr. Robert Logan, a young landscape painter, is taking a recreative trip to Saginaw and other points.

Mr. John R. Steep of this place, spent a few days in Goderich this week, where he says he had an excellent time. (Clinton Record.)

A Good Cow.—Mr. Gordon Young recently sold a milk cow, one of his dairy stock, to Mr. C. C. Cameron, M.P., for the sum of \$66. It pays to raise good stock.

The International Dog Show, to be held at London on the 27th, 28th, 29th and 30th of September, will likely be one of the best ever held in Ontario. There are 84 classes, and the prizes amount to \$1,000.

STRANGE.—Mr. J. W. Johnston, of the 15th con., Grey, has in his orchard a pear tree which last year blossomed twice, and this year it has blossomed three times, it being now in its third bloom.

A by-law for the promotion of a loan to Creelman Bros., of Georgetown, for the purpose of erecting a knitting machine factory at that place was voted on last week, resulting in 100 for and 19 against.

HOME AGAIN.—Mr. Edward Sharman has returned from a business trip to Chicago. He has determined not to change his home at present, and is open for any jobs in the building line in this vicinity.

TUMOR REMOVED.—Dr. Cassidy, Taylor and McLean, last week succeeded in removing a tumor about the size of an egg from Mr. John Shanklin's neck. The operation was a most successful one.

Mr. W. E. Groves, teacher, who has been spending some of his holidays at Clinton in a practical way—type-setting—left on Monday for the Manitoulin Islands, with a company of tourists from Wingham.

Rev. Dr. Williams, of Goderich, leaves on the 13th inst. for the old country. During his absence his pulpit will be supplied by Mr. Brandon, a student of Montreal College, and formerly a resident of Wawanosh.

SUNSTRUCK.—Mr. William Webster, tinsmith, while working on the cupulo of the Court House, was overcome by the heat of the sun on Monday last, and forced to desist from his labor. We are pleased to learn that he is recovering.

Mr. John R. Peckham, for six years past conductor on the Wellington, Grey & Bruce, was recently presented by the Oddfellows of Penetangore Lodge, Kincardine, with an address, on the event of his promotion to the main line of the Great Western Railway.

SUNDAY SWINGING.—A number of saucy boys are in the habit of swinging in the Park on Sunday afternoons. The thing should not be permitted. Capt. McGregor should take the law in his own hands, and administer some shoe leather to the impertinent youths.

HOME AGAIN.—Messrs. Moorhouse and Henry Horton, returned on Friday afternoon from a fishing trip with some Seaford friends on the Josephine Kidd. They brought a large quantity of fine trout with them, and we understand they had a pleasant time.

FIRST WHEAT MARKETED.—Mr. Wm. Chisholm, of Colborne, has the honor of selling the first wheat in Goderich market of the growth of 1881, and Mr. R. Price, of Messrs Hart & Co's, was the proud buyer. The price paid was \$1.18 a bushel, and the sample was reported good.

Mr. C. A. Humber had a narrow escape from serious injuries at Kidd's saw mill the other day. He was standing upon the endless chain used in drawing logs up the incline, and a sudden springing of the chain flung him into the air. In alighting he was injured but little, but the sudden shock gave him a shaking up which he felt for several days afterward.

LAWN TENNIS CLUB.—A young gentleman sporting a blue badge was mistaken on Thursday for a member of some visiting athletic club by a SIGNAL reporter, and the newshunter's curiosity was only satisfied upon being told that the badge was one of membership of a lawn tennis club organized some time ago by Dr. McMicking. Lawn tennis is the rage on both sides of the Atlantic.

OBITUARY.—We regret to have to announce the death at the early age of 21 years, of Maria T. beloved wife of Mr. J. A. McDougall, of Smith's Hill. The deceased was a bride of only three months, and her death was from consumption brought on by a severe cold. A pretty face, a kind heart and agreeable manner made her a favorite with all who knew her, and a large number of sorrowing friends join her relatives in mourning her early death.

LATEST ARRIVALS AT THE POINT FARM.—Mrs. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ramsford, Mrs. Gurney, Mrs. Trowbridge, Miss Kathleen Trowbridge, Miss Annie Trowbridge, Detroit; Mrs. Ger. Young, Miss Annie Young, Master Frank Young, Mrs. L. L. Clarke, 2 children and nurse, Mrs. Jackson, Grace Jackson, Delos Jackson, O. Jackson, Mrs. Edwards, Fanny Edwards, Mr. Chas. Bradley, Miss Molly Bradley, baby and nurse, Bay City; Rev. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Davidson, Forest.

CADETS OF TEMPERANCE.—The

Goderich Cadets of Temperance, under the command of Mr. H. Hale, held a picnic at "The Falls" on Tuesday, driving thither with the new banner gaily streaming in the breeze. They all looked happy.

AT HALF MAST.—On Friday the American Consul's flag hung at half-mast, as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Governor Bagley, of Michigan. The deceased Governor was an intimate friend of Hon. J. Hibbard, American Consul at this port.

THE PULPIT.—Mr. McNair, a theological student, who was appointed by a recent meeting of the Huron Presbytery, as a supply for Exeter, preached a very interesting sermon in Caven Church on Sunday afternoon last, to a large congregation. (Exeter Times.)

Principal Grant, did not preach in Knox church of Sunday, owing to the arrival of the steamer at an early hour. He was much run down in health when he came, and his rest of a few days here under the excellent care of Dr. and Mrs. Ure, put him in better trim.

A gentleman who has extensively travelled through Canada, states that he found Stapleton Salt more generally used and better liked than any other salt manufactured. He was a Goderich man, too. (Clinton New Era.)

BEST WISHES.—At a recent gathering of Methodists of Clinton last week, on motion of Mr. McDonagh, a resolution was unanimously carried, expressing the best wishes of the district to the chairman, in the trip he is about to take to the "old land," and assuring him of their constant prayers for his safe return. In replying, the Dr. stated that it was forth-seven years since he had seen his native land, and he felt that if he did not go this year he would not be able to go at all. He was much touched by the kindly resolution, and accepted it as the outcome of their feelings towards him.

CONTRAGENTS.—On Tuesday a horse drawing a vehicle containing a number of ladies shied at some barrels near the residence of Major Cook. The animal dashed madly forward, and a runaway or serious spill was imminent, when "Dan, the priest's man," sprang to the front and grasped the frightened horse's head. Dan deserves credit for his pluck in handling the jumping steed.

POLITELY REFUSED.—The Mitchell correspondent of the London Free Press writes:—The civic holiday on Thursday was a fraud. The Grand Trunk railway was asked to give excursion rates to London and Goderich, to go on regular trains, but they politely refused. There were only 76 went to Toronto; one remainder either went picnicking or to their work as usual.

A PECULIAR RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—On Thursday evening while near Holmes' Hill on the way to Goderich, a train of cars broke in two, the rear half following the engine down grade at a quick rate. Then nearing the bridge the engine slackened, and the partial train coming at a good speed, a number of cars were smashed. The regular train which followed was not signalled properly, and ran into the back car, making the wreck worse than before. The line was blocked for several hours, and the 10 p. m. train did not arrive here until 1 a. m.

GODERICH MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—Mr. J. R. Miller, Inspector of the Mechanics' Institute, examined the Institute here during the week, and expressed himself as well satisfied with its condition. The treasurer's statement for the past year he found in a most satisfactory position, and everything correct. Through a personal interview with the authorities in the Educational Department, the Secretary, Mr. Geo. Sheppard made such arrangements for the disposition of the Government grant as places the Institute in a good financial position. With the support from the public which the Institute deserves, its future must be successful.

MELANCHOLY EVENT.—On Wednesday last, shortly after 5 p. m. a melancholy occurrence happened in Goderich, which resulted in the death of Mrs. James Young, who resided down the river bank, off North street. The deceased, who was in her 63rd year, had been of weak mind for about a year, but had never given any indication of suicidal tendencies, and in the light of existing circumstances the cause of her death seems to be more attributable to accident than design. On the afternoon in question Mrs. Young went down the steps leading to the river on the east side of Mr. Macdermott's residence, ostensibly to get cool, the weather being extremely sultry. On arriving at the river, she took off her boots and lifting her garments, proceeded to walk into the water. At this point the water suddenly deepens, and in stepping forward the unfortunate woman fell and was unable to rise. A couple of little boys saw the occurrence and went and told their mother, and the alarm was then given. A party of rescuers, headed by Dr. Taylor, at once proceeded to the spot and recovered the body, but although not more than twenty minutes had elapsed from the time of the accident to the finding of the body, vitality had departed. Mrs. Young had been a resident of Goderich for about ten months and lived with her husband and youngest daughter. She was the mother of ten children, most of whom live in the country adjoining Goderich. The funeral will take place this (Friday) morning, from the residence of her husband, Calvernia Terrace, off North street.

The proprietors of W. W. Cole's new

mammoth show have made arrangements with the Customs authorities for the entrance of the organization into Canada at Sarnia on August 24th. The duty that will have to be paid will likely amount to \$30,000.

BITTEN BY A DOG.—On Friday evening Mrs. T. N. Dancy was proceeding along Newgate street, a greyish colored cur sprang at her, and bit her on the leg, drawing blood. Mrs. Dancy destroyed her parol over the brute's back. It is likely that the dog will be killed before long. For a few days the leg was quite swollen, but the wound is healing rapidly. The lady also received a severe nervous shock.

THE SEEMILLER CHILLED PLOW.—We learn that orders from abroad are continually pouring into the office of the Seemiller Chilled Plow works. On Monday some 25 plows were asked for, and it is likely that if the demand continues as brisk as it has been of late the entire stock will be "cleaned out" early. Local farmers should send in their orders for plows quickly. If let go too long, it may be that they can't be supplied with Seemiller's popular implement.

GOING TO STRATFORD.—Mr. Jas. Huston, for some time past manager of the dry goods house of the R. B. Smith estate, leaves shortly to re-engage in business in Stratford. Mr. Huston is a first class business man, and a valuable citizen. He has already purchased some of his stock, and will open out about the beginning of next month. We wish him every success in the railway "Hub."

Mr. B. Crofts, formerly of the firm of Crofts & Johnston, will take Mr. Huston's place as manager of the R. B. Smith estate.

VIEW OF GODERICH.—Mr. E. L. Johnson, the well known photographer, has presented us with copies of views of Goderich recently taken. The erection of St. George's Church spire gave Mr. Johnson an excellent opportunity of getting a "bird's eye view" of the town, and the series of fifteen pictures taken from a perilous perch upon the scaffolding of the steeple, make a collection that it would be impossible to surpass from any other point of vantage. The lofty position gave the photographer a splendid scope of territory, and the entire town is presented in panoramic style as it came within range of the artist's camera. The views looking south, south-east, and east are particularly good, and the execution generally is fully up to the mark. The collection is one which should be in every house, and as the views are arranged for the stereoscope, they will doubtless make their way into many Goderich drawing rooms. We hope that Mr. Johnson's enterprise in risking life, limb and instruments in his endeavor to give some good pictures of the town from the highest pinnacle in the place, will be rewarded by rapid sales. He invites an examination, and at their low price the views of Goderich should go of like the proverbial hot cakes.

KILLED ON THE CANADA SOUTHERN RAILWAY.—It is our sorrowful duty this week to record the sudden death by an accident on the railway of Mr. Wm. Hyslop, a young man well known to most of the residents of Goderich. Mr. Hyslop left Goderich a few years ago, and worked in several places as a brick-layer and barber. He had more recently been living in St. Thomas, and being well-known to railroad men, was urged to his hand on the line. About a fortnight ago he took his place as brakeman on the Canada Southern railway, and his promptness and steadiness gave promise of speedy promotion. On Monday night while running near Amherstburg, Mr. Hyslop started back to put out a fire in one of the cars, and not returning within a reasonable time, the engine was reversed and search was made for him. The poor fellow was discovered about three miles back out completely in two across the trunk, and both arms were severed from the body. Some 44 cars must have passed over him. His companions on the train tenderly lifted the remains of their comrade, which were sent to St. Thomas by the first returning train. His body was immediately dispatched to Goderich, where his widowed mother and sisters reside, and he remains accompanied by the deceased's wife who has two small children, one of them only a few weeks old. The Canada Southern company also kindly sent on Wm. Frazer, engineer, R. Beard, fireman, and T. Cahill and John Garnett, brakemen, to assist at the funeral here. Mr. Hyslop had been a member of the Goderich brass band, and the boys preceded the hearse at the funeral on Wednesday playing a weird dead march. The deceased, who was only 27 years of age, was well liked by all who knew him, and his bereaved relatives have the sympathy of the community in their affliction.

Mayor's Court.

Licence Inspector Yates charged John A. Doyle with allowing, riotous and disorderly conduct in his house on the night of Wednesday, July 27th.

John A. Doyle was also charged with selling liquor at prohibited hours. Fined \$20 and costs.

The Inspector charged John Slattery with selling liquor without a licence. Two quarter barrels of beer were brought into court, and ordered to be confiscated. In default of payment of \$20 and costs, the defendant, a blind man, was sent to gaol for fifteen days.

A GAY DECEIVER.

A French Canadian Runs away from his Newly Married Wife.

The Story of his Escalade as Told to a "Signal" Reporter by the Deceased Woman.

A few months ago a French Canadian named Labec, but who called himself Bishop in English, arrived in Goderich, and immediately set about to look for a wife. He gave out that he was a widower, weary of his loneliness, and anxious to secure the companionship of some suitable female for life—a widow preferred. A couple of widows, it is said, paid the sad Frenchman a visit, but their looks did not please him, for he appears to have had an eye upon a certain Mrs. Squire, a good looking young widow, whose husband died last fall. He confided his affection to his landlady, a Mr. Dustow, and that worthy immediately assumed the role of matchmaker. He found Mrs. Squire in the garden one day in June, and spoke to her about her lonely condition; how she was failing in health, in her endeavors to win a livelihood for her four little children; how her good name was at the mercy of everybody while she remained a poor widow; and wound up by telling her of the love-lorn Frenchman who was yearning to share her joys and sorrows. Bishop, as he was called, was represented as a steady, industrious man, who would make her a good husband, and help her to fight life's great battle. A good word was also put in for the stranger by other friends, and she consented to receive Bishop, and talk over the matter with him. The delighted Frenchman appeared promptly, promised to be a loving husband to the widow, and a good father to her children, and pressed his suit so ardently that she accepted him. A number of friends, including Mrs. Globelski, urged Mrs. Squire to allow the wedding to come off as soon as possible; showing that if she permitted Bishop to visit her, or walk out with him, it would "raise talk," and that if she was married right off it would not be wrong, and would show that her motives were honorable in receiving his attentions. The widow agreed to a speedy wedding, and it was arranged that the union should take place at Mr. Globelski's on the following evening. The marriage was performed at the residence of Rev. Chas. Fletcher, however, under the following circumstances. Thinking the affair was to come off at the house of the friendly Pole, Mrs. Squire had arrayed herself in a beautiful bridal dress worn at her first wedding in her better days. In order to ward off suspicion of a marriage, Mrs. Squire threw over it a half mourning overskirt, and put on a black bonnet, and started for Globelski's. She was asked to go to Mr. Fletcher's for a licence, and when there it was proposed to have the wedding take place.

"You can imagine how I felt," said she to our reporter, as she told him the whole affair from beginning to end. "I wanted to take off my black things, but they joked me out of it, and so I was married as I was. I did think it would bring bad luck to be married in black."

The marriage took place on June 25th, and for a few weeks Bishop was a model husband. He worked industriously at the dock, was kind to his wife and step-children, and the well-meaning Dostows, and Globelskis were delighted with the success of the match. But ere the honeymoon had waned, a change came over the well-cared for husband. He grumbled at the food given to the children, while he greedily ate the best his wife could lay before him; he swore at the baby when it cried, and he listened to the voice of a certain Widow Macquire who professed him strong drink. On Monday, August 1st, he received his month's pay, and lay off on Tuesday, saying he was sick. Hitherto he had only given \$10 for his five or six weeks' stay in his new home. He was observed during the day to be counting out his money, and his partner-in-life was expecting a well filled larder from the now much increased family treasury. A startling move, however, was on the programme. The husband passed himself towards evening, carefully pared some troublesome corns upon the soles of his feet, greased his boots, and prepared for a tramp. He put on a pair of black trousers (once worn by the departed Mr. Squire) over his now more shabby ones, and wore beneath his shirt a second one, new and made by his wife especially for him. He also took with him a magnificent meerschaum pipe, owned by the first husband, and for which, when new, the sum of \$5 had been paid. Just before going, however, he kissed his wife, telling her that he could hardly leave her side even to go to his daily work, she was so good and nice, and shortly afterwards left, ostensibly to see Messrs. Sebold & Cozen's. He left no money behind him, and has not been seen since. The unhappy wife declares that she will not own his name, but will call herself Mrs. Squire.

The above is substantially the story told by Mrs. Squire, who is evidently broken down in health and spirit, to a SIGNAL reporter who went to her place on Tuesday in order to get the particulars from her own lips. She elsewhere informed Bishop, as she was elsewhere informed, that at the docks that he had three wives. From his conduct here we are inclined to believe him. The fellow should be hunted down, and be punished for wife desertion. He hails from Ottawa.