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BORN.

ACRETT—On April 28, 1901, at 547 William street, to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Acrett, a daughter.

ACRETT—In this city, on April 28, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Rothwell, 32 Maple street, a son.

DIED.

ANDER—At 882 Wellington street, on April 28, 1901, Mary, widow of the late Henry Andor, M. D., of London, Ont., aged 65 years.

ANDER—In this city, on Saturday, April 28, 1901, Jane, beloved wife of Wm. B. Andor, aged 65 years.

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The Star Press

LONDON, ONT., TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 1901.

The Way We Sell Men's Shoes

Is remarkable enough to tell about. We handle them thoroughly, keep the largest assortment in medium and fine Boots and Shoes in Canada, control

The Hagar Men's Fine Shoes, \$4 and \$5.

Geo. A. Slater's Famous Men's Fine Shoes, \$3.50

They are equal, if not superior, to the best American-made shoes. Fit, style and wear guaranteed, or your money refunded.

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MALE HELP WANTED.

GOOD PLAIN PAINTERS WANTED—L. Quick, 130 Colborne street.

TINSMITH WANTED AT ONCE. APPLY No. 63 Dundas street, J. C. Park.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BLACKSMITHS: helper; also boy who has some experience in shoeing. Apply to J. W. Smith, 120 Fullarton street.

BLACKSMITH WANTED AT ONCE: must be good general workman; state wages per cent. Apply D. A. Stewart, Poplar Hill, Ont.

BUTCHER WANTED AT ONCE: as second shopman; married or single; state wages and name of last employer for reference; also man wanted as slaughterman and general help—Geo. C. Brimble, Owen Sound.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED AND SMART porter for Arlington Hotel, Paris, Ont.; 200 wages. Apply to J. W. Smith, 120 Fullarton street.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, INSIDE POSITION, by responsible firm; \$20 weekly guaranteed; experience unnecessary but must have references and be soberly inclined. —Brown, 27 Linwood avenue.

WANTED—CHOIR CONDUCTOR, ST. John's Evangelist Church, Apply Rector, 254 St. James street.

A TRAVELLER, CAPABLE, PUSHING, energetic and reliable, understanding the spice and baking powder business thoroughly; accompany application with recommendations and references; salary demanded. Address Mayell & Co., Toronto.

WANTED—JANITOR FOR NEW ST. James' Presbyterian Church. Apply in writing to Gilean McLean, Chairman Board of Managers, or T. A. Rowat, Secretary.

WANTED—FIFTY GOOD UNION BIKERS: LAYERS immediately; wages 20 cents per hour. Apply at American Car and Foundry Company, new plant, or Henry Carey & Co., general contractors, 1230 Majestic Building, Detroit, Mich. D20h

CARRIAGE BLACKSMITH WANTED. Apply V. J. Thompson & Sons, King street.

A FIRST-CLASS DRESS GOODS SALES- woman, capable, energetic, of good address, willing to travel. Apply to J. W. Smith, 120 Fullarton street.

MACHINE HANDS WANTED. APPLY to Bennett Furnishing Co., Rector street, city.

IMMEDIATELY, A RELIABLE BOY TO drive wagon—Main & Collier, 1100 street south.

ENGINEERS' LICENSE. MECHANICS' engineers, french, electricians, etc., 40 page pamphlet, containing questions asked by Examining Board of Engineers, sent free with particulars today. Room 221, 18 S. 4th street, St. Louis, Mo. D20h

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only two more weeks of our special offer of scholarship, board and tools; eight weeks completed; \$12 weekly paid graduates; write for particulars today. —Moier Barber College, Buffalo, N. Y. D20h

20 MEN WANTED FOR LONDON AND Western Ontario; pleasant work; good pay; outfit furnished—G. Marshall & Co., 238 Dundas street. D20h

A BICYCLE BUSINESS PROPOSITION—A high-grade bicycle for \$15 in the latest kind of payments ever thought of. Learn what our plan is by sending your name and address to the Co-Operative Cash Bicycle Club, 9th street, London.

WANTED TO PURCHASE. —CITY LOAN COMPANIES: stocks; highest price obtained—John Wright Stock Broker, London, Ont. Phone 663.

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR rubbers, rubbers, all kinds old metal—J. Server, Grey, corner Adelaide. Phone 1190.

FOR SALE. ONE TOP PHAETON. ONE SINGLE top buggy, and two light wagons—D. J. Kennedy, corner Albert and Richmond street.

BUCHANAN'S COAL AND WOOD DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF CITY. Office, 633 Colborne street. Phone 1066.

WHEN BUYING A Piano

...BUY A... Nordheimer

The best in Canada. Old instruments taken in part payment. Liberal terms.

The Nordheimer Piano & Music Company, LIMITED, 188 DUNDAS STREET. 61 Years Established.

Is the purest of foods—nutritious, wholesome and health giving. Made only by JOHNSON BROTHERS. At all grocers or delivered from our wagon. Phone 818.

FOR SALE.

COHEN, PHAS AND TOMATOES, ALL new goods and first class, to eat. Peaches, Raspberries, Strawberries and Plums, 1st class, choice Cape Cod Cranberries, 50 quarts; Seed Potatoes, Early Sunrise, 12c per bag; Dutch Sticks, 10c per quart; Multiplying Onions, 8c per quart. T. A. Fauds, 687 Dundas. Phone 1192.

GLADSTONE BUGGY, IN GOOD CONDITION, for sale, or will exchange for half phaeton. Address Box 32, Free Press.

SINGLE, HEAVY WAGON, PATENT arms, nearly new, for sale. Apply 100 William street. D20h

TRY F. S. ONN, FISH DEALER, FOR all kinds of fish; fresh daily; satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 1246.

LARGE MAP OF MIDDLESEX, LITHO- graphed in colors, 25c each—The London Printing and Lithographing Co., Carling street.

HERBALINE—LARGE 31 BOTTLE FOR 25c—Rheumatism, catarrh and dyspepsia require pure blood to cure. Money back if not satisfied—Hewitt Med. Store, Masonic Temple.

VAPOR BATHS—A BATH FOR TWO cents at home if you use our 60c cabinet. Sent free. Write for one—Bath Cabinet Co.—A. McMichael, Manager, 133 St. James street, city.

HAPPY THOUGHT RANGES AND ALL kinds of stores, new and second-hand; 100 cook stoves wanted, will pay cash. E. Keene's, 141 King street.

FOR SALE—COMPLETE HOUSE-MOVING outfit, including 1 horse, 2 carts and 2 wagons, 1 buggy, 1 truck, 1 sleigh, 1 road cart; also trucks, rollers, jack screws, ropes and chains, blocking, planer and timber, and other articles. For further particulars, apply A. Hovay, 508 Queen's avenue. D20h

EGGS FROM THOROUGHBRED GOLDEN Wyandottes, black Minorcas, single or rose-comb brown Leghorns—33 Rilescote street. xD10d

SIRLOIN STAKE, 12c, at G. PARKER'S, Market Lane. x

THE CELEBRATED WAGONER EXTENSION Ladder, 20 and 25 foot, the Lindenwood Extension Step Ladder, 20 feet a foot. Call at Factory, 405-406 York street, The Wagoner Ladder Co., Ltd., London. Catalogue free. x

GWALCHMAT'S GERM BREAD CON-TAINS all the nutritious elements of the wheat. Try it—22c per loaf.

FOR SALE—TOP BUGGY (NEARLY new) and single harness. Apply 8 Pagar street. D20h

LARGE, JUICY ORANGES, BLOODS, seedless, Valencia; pure maple sugar and cheap berries all this week at Chacey Smith, Market Square.

A BIG ASSORTMENT OF TIRES, BELLS, saddles, pedals, and everything for a bicycle at lowest prices—D. McKenzie & Co., 238 Richmond street.

AMERICAN CORN AND SHORTS—Slater's Warehouse.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND BICYCLES from \$5 to \$50. Tires, sundries, and repairing. Livery in connection—Dawson Cycle Co.

FOR SALE—LARGE QUANTITY WALL paper, new stock; cheap; much or large lots; retiring from this branch of business—71 Dundas street. D10d

KILPATRICK'S NEW EAST END YARD, 711 York, for all soft wood blocks, \$1.00 per quarter cord. Phone 1315.

FOR SALE—TWO HORSES, TWO SETS single harness, good second piano, all kinds seeds, grain—G. S. Brock, 197 King street. D20h

ONLY THE BEST MATERIAL USED IN all our work. Iron-work repairing and painting done in first-class style, at Smith's Carriage Works, Fullarton St.

THREE BUGGIES, TWO THREE-SPRING wagons, one-half spring patent arm wagon, also all kinds of stock—J. Hoehn, No. 1 Hamilton road.

HAIR BOUGHT AT MILLER'S HAIR store, 223 Dundas. Full line of hair goods always in stock.

PHONE 500 FOR FRESH TENDER LOINS, 1 lb. 3c; Best sausage 1 lb. 3c; Bologna and Headcheese, 25c; Fresh Butter, 19c, at J. Park's, Market House.

THE PONY PREMO NO. 15 IS THE handsomest camera on the market—W. A. McKenzie, opposite City Hall.

G. S. BROCK FOR NEW AND SECOND-HAND Stoves, cheap; cash paid for stoves and household furniture. Consult your best interest and call at Brock's flour, feed, seed and stove emporium, 197 King street. Prompt delivery.

CHEAP COAL AND WOOD—A GOOD stock of the best hard coal and all kinds of soft coal and the best quality of hard and soft wood, at the lowest cash price. Yard, William street and G. T. Railway. Phone 1201—Green & Co.

Spring Footwear.

The stock of Women's Lace Boots now ready. Here is something OUT OF THE ORDINARY. While they have all the earmarks of the "upper ten" kinds, and are honestly and carefully made, they are a long ways from them IN PRICE, and such a lot of different styles. Bring two, two and a half or three dollars, and you'll be surprised with what you can get here.

J. P. COOK 167 DUNDAS STREET.

GOULD'S LATEST SCHEME,

By Which He Expects to Reach Pittsburg.

New York, April 29.—The Evening Post says:—George Gould's plans for reaching Pittsburg by connecting the Wabash with the Wheeling & Lake Erie and by building an entirely new line from the Wheeling & Lake Erie's terminus, near the Ohio River, into Pittsburg, are likely to be entirely revised. The Pennsylvania, to protect that territory from new competition, was prepared to take aggressive measures, and Mr. Gould was quick to realize the harm that might be done by his western railroad by Pennsylvania opposition. The Wabash, however, will secure its line to Pittsburg through an arrangement with the Pennsylvania Railroad, which will obviate the building of a strictly competitive line in the interest of the Wabash. The Gould line will get into Pittsburg over the Baltimore & Ohio, Pennsylvania Company's line, and will face new competition of an aggressive form in one of its greatest strongholds.

A BIG BRIDGE PROJECT.

A Structure to Connect New York and New Jersey to Cost \$25,000,000.

New York, N. Y., April 29.—The Mail and Express to-day has the following:—"The Mail and Express is authorized to state that the Pennsylvania Railroad is behind the North River Bridge Company which proposes to build a bridge across the Hudson between 23rd street and the New Jersey shore. Under the Pennsylvania Railroad's construction arrangements are being made with banking firms in this city to float the millions of dollars' worth of bonds necessary for the construction of the bridge. It is estimated that the bridge will cost \$25,000,000, while the land for railroad yards, the erection of the stations and additional tracks will reach \$40,000,000.

A FALSE RUMOR

Causes a Slight Run on a Hamilton Bank.

Hamilton, Ont., April 29.—A foolish and entirely unfounded rumor, which caused a slight run on the local branch of that institution to-day. Depositors were accommodated as fast as it was possible to pay out the money. The rumor started in a west end factory among the workmen, and as the working class are much concerned about the bank, the rumor quite a few deposits were withdrawn. The local manager assured enquirers that the annual report of the bank for the past six months is the best in its history.

EXPLOSION IN A MINE

Causes the Death of Five Men and Serious Injury of Others.

South McAlester, I. T., April 29.—Five miners were killed in the night explosion, seven others were burned seriously and one is missing, the result of an explosion at the coal mines at Anderson, owned by the Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad and operated by the McAlester Coal Company. The dead: Emanuel Taylor, John and Wiley Clark, all colored; Andrew Peisols, Domino Vesulity, Italians, injured: Ed. Andrews, Pot Woods, Paul Saul-lack, Mose Garrett and three men, names unknown. Missing: Joe Petronich.

CALLIHAN STILL HELD,

But His Lawyers are Endeavoring to Secure His Release.

Omaha, Neb., April 29.—James Callahan, tried and acquitted of the crime of conspiracy in the kidnapping of Eddie Cudahy, is still in jail, but his attorneys are preparing a showing which they believe will secure his freedom. They set forth that Callahan's liberty has already been put in jeopardy, and that he was rearrested on the same testimony and virtually the same charge as that upon which he has been tried and acquitted.

C. P. R. CHANGES.

Despatchers Smith, Killingsworth, Savage and Rowe Go from London to Toronto.

Toronto, April 29.—H. P. Timmerman, general superintendent of the Ontario and Quebec division of the C. P. R., announces that for operating purposes F. P. Brady, formerly superintendent of the London and North Ontario division, is appointed superintendent of the Hamilton, To-

FURTHER SUCCESSES.

A Boer Laager Surprised and Captured,

WITH ENTIRE OUTFIT

British Columns Continue to Gather in Prisoners,

ARMS, AND AMMUNITION.

As Well as Live Stock, Wagons and Carts—A Skirmish on the Basutoland Border—Boer Documents and Bank Notes Discovered at Rossekall—Invaders Reappear in Cape Colony—The Boers Still After Cecil Rhodes—Three of the Canadians for Baden-Powell's Force Die on the Voyage Out—Boer Prisoners for Bermuda.

London, April 29.—Lord Kitchener reports to the War Office from Pretoria, under date of April 28, as follows:—"Kitchener's fighting scouts, under Grenfell, have surprised and captured Van Rensburg's laager at Klipdam, north of Pietersburg. Seven Boers were killed and thirty-seven taken prisoner. Eight thousand rounds of ammunition and all the wagons, carts, oxen, horses and mules were captured. Our only casualty was one wounded.

KILLED AND CAPTURED. "The other columns report three killed, fifty-eight taken prisoners, fifty-seven surrendered and one quick-fiver captured.

Another despatch from Lord Kitchener, dated Pretoria, April 29, says:—"A VALUABLE FIND. "General Bull has discovered at Rossekall, South African Republic, Government documents and a large number of bank notes.

ON THE BASUTOLAND BORDER. "Byng had a fight with Boers on the Basutoland border, south of Wepener, and killed five.

38,500 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. "Grenfell, in addition to the captures reported, got 38,500 rounds of small arms ammunition.

SURRENDERED AT LYDENBURG. "At Lydenburg twenty Boers have surrendered.

IN CAPE COLONY. INVADERS REAPPEAR. Cape Town, April 29.—The Boer invaders have appeared again in the Richmond district of Cape Colony. Among the prisoners captured in a fight at Honeyest Kloof, which resulted in a complete defeat for the Boers, was a cousin of Mr. Sauer, the former Commissioner of Public Works.

TO CAPTURE RHODES STILL THE DESIRE OF THE BOERS. Cape Town, April 29.—A party of Boers blew up the railroad between Graspan and Belmont, Cape Colony, in three places April 27, apparently with the intention of intercepting a train carrying Mr. Cecil Rhodes. The damage done was slight, and was quickly repaired.

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THE EASTMAN TRIAL.

Things Still Appear to be Going the Accused Man's Way.

Cambridge, Mass., April 29.—The proceedings to-day at the Eastman trial again favored the defence, and the Harvard professor left the court room this evening with a smile on his face, through the favorable evidence of one of the principal Government witnesses and on account of the defendant's testimony before the grand jury, which indicted him. There is pending, however, a most important decision which will be given to-morrow on the question of admission of evidence showing a bitter quarrel between the two men, some seven months before the shooting. Long arguments were made this afternoon on the admission of this evidence. Numerous supreme court decisions were quoted and to-morrow morning the court will render its decision.

OTTAWA NOTES.

Flood at Gatineau Point—Saw Mills at Work—A Street Car Accident—Conscience Money.

Ottawa, April 29.—The village of Gatineau Point is experiencing its annual inundation. The residents are compelled by the high water to do most of their travelling in boats. The water in the Gatineau river has risen about eleven feet above the level. It has risen seven feet less an inch since yesterday. It is considered likely that it will not rise any higher.

The saw mills in and about Ottawa have nearly all commenced operations on the season's cut. The prospects for a brisk season's work at the mills are good.

A lady, whose name has not yet been ascertained, jumped from a moving car at the corner of Stanley avenue and Sussex street, about 10.30 o'clock this morning and fell on her head. The shock rendered her un-

conscious. A doctor found that the lady was suffering from a slight concussion of the brain. He had her conveyed to the Protestant hospital. She had not regained consciousness up to 6 o'clock, but the physicians did not think that the case was serious.

The Minister of Customs received to-day a letter from the High Commissioner in London, England, stating that a lady called at his office and left in an envelope, without name or address, \$50 conscience money for the customs department, Canada. This was on account of jewelry and other articles sent into Canada on which there was either no duty or insufficient paid. Lord Strathcona sent the cheque for the amount to the department here.

The militia department has received no information respecting the death of Mann, Paton (or Padon), Purdon and Wilcox, of the South African Constabulary, who died en route to Cape Town.

CHINESE IN RETREAT. Four Engagements in Two Days AT THE GREAT WALL. Enemy Suffered Severely in the Fighting. WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS, The Generals Say. Will be Made Possible When the Indemnity Question is Settled—Decisions of a Military Conference at Peking—Japan Establishing a New Naval Port Opposite Vladivostok.

London, April 30.—A Peking despatch of yesterday's date says:—"The generals of the powers held a conference this morning to consider the question of the withdrawal of the troops, and decided to address a note to the ministers, informing them that when the ministers are able to announce the lump sum demanded as indemnity and the Chinese have agreed to the