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POOR ZACK LEWIS

In the Charge at Paardeberg he Led the Regiment

And Fell in the Boer Trenches With a Bullet Through His Head.

The Ottawa Citizen of Saturday last contains a letter from Captain Rogers, of the first Canadian contingent, written at Paardeberg, Orange Free State, South Africa, under date of Feb. 19, giving some particulars of the death of Zackary E. E. Lewis, brother of Mrs. Blakeney, wife of H. Blakeney, manager of the St. Thomas branch of the Merchants' Bank, in the attack under Lord Roberts on Cronje's laager the day before.

"Poor Zack met his death in a gloriously plucky manner, as he was one of two (out of the whole regiment) who fell right in the enemy's trenches; in fact, from what I can gather, he was the first to reach them, and his firing line composed of South African Highlanders, Black Watch, Cornwalls and Royal Canadians, and he had charged so far ahead of his comrades that no one saw him fall. In searching the battlefield for dead and wounded, which we did all night, with the enemy constantly sniping at us, we could find no trace of him; and, as a number were missing, we fondly hoped he would return as others did the following morning. But, on searching the enemy's trenches by daylight, we found dear old Zack there. His shot must have been painful, as he was not through the head. I had his remains buried to-day; and as no Anglican chaplain was available, good father O'Leary read our beautiful Anglican service for the dead out of my pocket prayer book. He lies with his comrades near the bank of the Modder River, at the edge of a beautiful grove—one of the few we have seen in this country. All his comrades share with me the deepest regret. His constant good nature, as well as his Northwest mounted police experience made him one of the most valued and trusted men."

In a letter to Major J. Sykes, of Lindsay, Ont., Lieut. Col. Sam Hughes, M. P., tells of the charge of the Canadians upon Cronje's trenches, the brave young Canadian, whose death is described by him, being undoubtedly Mr. Lewis. Col. Hughes' story, as described to him by Sergeant Thompson and others, is as follows:

"They and the Cornwalls fired a few rounds at from 900 to 800 yards and then charged. Imagine charging 800 yards. Why, before they got to the township of Dover, a distance of about one and a half miles. Tenders will be received up to Tuesday, 1st May, that should be addressed to

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Big Point.

Money to Lend on Mortgages—Farmers and others wanting to borrow money on mortgages at best rates, and save expense and time, and secure other advantages, should apply personally to the Chatham Loan & Savings Company.

At the First Presbyterian church, Monday, April 9, at 8 p. m. Tickets 25c; children, 15c. The most novel and artistic musical entertainment ever presented to the public. Marvellous ringing rocks, swinging harps, musical glasses, glockens, West. Record: Six months at Crystal Palace, London, Eng.; 343 concerts in New York (20th season); 8,550 concerts in all. Endorsed by Dr. Sperry, of Brooklyn. Bishop Vincent, of Chautauque, Dr. F. E. Clark, of Christian Endeavor, renowned, D. L. Moody, and a host of others.

FOUR IN THE PLOT

To Kill the Prince of Wales in Brussels.

All Were Mere Boys and the Attempt Arose out of Spido's Boasting.

Brussels, April 7.—Developments show that the attempt on the life of the Prince of Wales in the railway station here on Wednesday was the result of a plot concocted by headless youths.

Last night, after an interview with his parents, Jean Baptiste Spido, the would-be assassin, made a full confession. He described how the plot was hatched by himself and three other young men at the "Maison du Peuple," a cafe, Monday night. Spido named one Meert, at St. Gilles, as one of his accomplices. Meert was arrested. He told the magistrate that the plot grew out of Spido's offering to bet five francs he would shoot the Prince.

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

The Grimsby Park Company is reported to be in financial difficulties.

Dr. Jamieson, the leader of the famous raid into the Transvaal, is very ill at Cape Town.

Contracts have been let for a new science building at Manitoba University, to cost \$13,000.

The Queen, in spite of very bad weather, drove through some of the poorest sections of Dublin yesterday.

MRS. LANGTRY BARRED AGAIN. New York, April 7.—Chief of Police Hopper of Newark, N. J., was instructed by Mayor Seymour not to permit under any circumstances Mrs. Langtry and "The Degenerates" to appear next week in the Newark theatre. The play is billed for the entire week.

IRISH PAPER SEIZED.

Dublin, April 7.—The Dublin police, by order of the government seized yesterday's issue of the United Irishman, as a print "calculated to produce discontent, dissatisfaction and disloyalty." The immediate cause was an article entitled "The Famine Queen."

From Pain to Health.

A CHIPPewa LADY TELLS A STORY OF SUFFERING AND RELEASE.

Suffered From Heart Trouble for Years—Her Misery Further Aggravated by Kidney and Stomach Troubles.

From the Star, St. Catharines, Ont.

In the village of Chippewa, and along the Niagara frontier, there is probably no better known or respected residents than Mr. and Mrs. David Schabel. Both are of German descent, but display much of that old-fashioned hospitality so often found in the fatherland. To a correspondent of the St. Catharines Star, who recently called at Mr. Schabel's home, Mrs. Schabel related the following story:—"Years ago my physician told me I had heart disease. I have been troubled at intervals with palpitation and severe pains, and sometimes my heart would almost cease to beat. I would become dizzy, restless and frightened. At other times I slept badly and had troublesome dreams in this state. In the winter, when exposure to cold affected my kidneys and completely prostrated me. The spring came, when my complaints were further aggravated by stomach trouble. I was daily growing weaker. My physician's treatment would sometimes slightly benefit me, then again I was worse than ever. Finally, after all hope was apparently gone and a large sum of money had been thrown away for medicines that did me no good, a friend strongly advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, two boxes of which were brought me at the beginning of the summer of 1899. I used them and to my joy noticed improvement. I continued the use of the pills faithfully until I had taken eight boxes. I am now able to attend to all my household work, feeling entirely cured. I have never had better health than I am now enjoying, and since discontinuing the pills have had no symptoms of the old complaints. I feel that I am under life-long obligations for the benefit I have derived from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and will continue to praise them when opportunity offers."

W. H. Forest, of Kingston, dropped dead.

A correspondent of the Morning Post at Springfield, telegraphing Thursday, says he is glad to be able to report that increased precautions are being taken in patrolling the railway. It is stated that most of the prisoners captured at Bushaf are foreigners.

The report that Mr. Steyn has been appointed to the command of the Free Staters and the further report that the Free State has arranged a loan from the Transvaal for war purposes are both confirmed.

London, April 6, 7:20 p. m.—The corrected list of German Post Casualties gives the following totals:—Missing, 363; wounded, 83; killed, 4. The missing include 134 artillerymen, 25 Life Guards, 22 men of the Tenth Hussars and 53 Robert's Horse. The others are divided among numerous regiments.

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THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special. Toronto, April 7.—10 a. m.—Fine and decidedly mild to-day and on Sunday.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Est Richards' Bread.

Hot baths, Sixth St., 25c. Bicycle repairs at Brisco's. If Barrister Walter Mills, of Ridgeville, is in the city to-day.

County Commissioner J. N. McCoy, of Chatham Twp., is in the city to-day.

W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, is in the Maple City to-day on legal business.

J. B. Rankin, Q. C., has returned from a business trip to St. Thomas.

Christ Church Guild will have a sale of work shortly after Easter. Wait for it!

Dr. Geo. M. B. Munson was the first purchaser of an E. & D. bicycle in this city this season.

Wm. Reid, of Hurwich, has bought the property belonging to A. Side, shoe merchant, on Cornhill street, and Head street.

Six years ago to-day, according to the recollection of Sheriff Gemmill, Chatham witnessed an exceedingly heavy snow storm.

Principal James Brackin and Mrs. Brackin entertained the teaching staff of McKeough school at their residence on Joseph St. last evening.

The County House of Refuge committee is meeting this afternoon to arrange for the purchase of fruit and ornamental trees for the grounds.

County Treasurer A. L. Shambelan has compiled the criminal justice accounts for the March quarter. The amount due the county from the Government is \$1,747.98.

After you have tried all the patent remedies, a Turkish bath will relieve you of the bad effects of the medicine and cure your cold.

Master in Chancery Robt. O'Hara has received a communication from his son, Walter O'Hara, C. E., now in Algeria. Mr. O'Hara is a very delightful and speaks glowingly of the splendid scenery. He has now a staff of eleven men working under him.

Furnished rooms to rent, suitable for students and others—use of cook-stove if required. Good organ for exchange for a Stewart lamp in good condition, part cash. Apply second house from Separate School, on Cross St.—No. 7.

When you drop a penny in a blind man's hat, do you ever consider how much care a person who has glasses should give them? The best care and the best glasses are none too good—that's what you get at E. J. MacIntyre's, leading optician, opposite Grand Opera House, Chatham.

The new Spring Derby shapes in the 2's hat display are the product of the most celebrated English and American makers. The styles are models of high taste and in this choice variety you are certain to find a specialty to suit your taste. The 2's, Sale Agents for Slater Shoes.

The "Actua Life" has not increased its rates recently, while most other companies have increased theirs from \$2 to \$10 per \$1,000 of insurance. The Actua saves 25 per cent in some cases from what the rates of other companies call for, besides giving better dividends to the insured. John Gray, General Agent, Chatham.

The Rock Bank Concert, to be given in the First Presbyterian Church on Monday night, promises to be exceedingly attractive and artistically meritorious. Surprisingly sweet music is produced from pieces of solid rock, musical glasses, swinging harps, etc. A reader and a contralto vocalist will lend additional charm and variety.

St. Thomas Journal Windor and Kent law associations have succeeded in their efforts to prevent the Ontario government from passing a special act to make Joseph Arthur Tremblay, of Tilbury, a full fledged lawyer without going through the legal course. Tremblay, some years ago was a notary in the Province of Quebec.

The Trusts and Guaranty Company, Limited, 14 King street, west, Toronto, have been requested by Mr. Stephen Douglas, of Mitchell, Ont., to apply for letters of administration of the estate of his daughter, the late Vera Maria Douglas, the well-known Canadian, who died suddenly in Paris in December last. The estate amounts in all to about \$20,000.

Court Hope of Ontario, A. O. F., met Wednesday night, and had a good attendance. The sick committee reported those on the funds getting all right. One candidate was elected, with more to follow soon. An interesting debate took place during the evening, which was relished by those present. Wm. Combe, Chief Ranger, leaves for Tilbury next week, where he has secured a position for the summer. Another debate will take place next Wednesday, six brothers to take part. The subject will be an interesting one.

Orders for bookbinding should be left at The Planet Office. It is surprising how nice a volume can be made from old newspapers, even though they are somewhat soiled from much handling. Books, magazines, or periodicals bound or rebound in any style at very reasonable prices.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

	Opn.	High	Low	Close
Wheat—May...	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2
July...	68 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Corn—May...	40 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40
July...	40 1/2	41 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Oats—May...	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
July...	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Pork—May...	12.67	12.82	12.67	12.70
July...	12.65	12.82	12.65	12.70
Lard—May...	6.02	6.12	6.02	6.10
July...	6.12	6.20	6.12	6.20
Ribs—May...	7.10	6.10	7.02	7.02
July...	6.85	6.85	6.77	6.75

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BULLETS BUZZED

Around Private Burrell's Head Like Bees Swarming.

He Bravely Carried a Wounded Comrade From Under Fire—Was Shot Through the Chest.

Private Burrell, of the first Canadian contingent, writes to his parents from Paardeberg Drift, under date of March 3rd, as follows:

Dear Father, Mother, Sisters and Brother,—Just a few lines to let you know I am well, and I hope this will find you enjoying the same good health. I have not time to write you a very long letter; as I am writing this on the battlefield. I suppose you have read all about the battle. We had on the 18th and 27th of February. We were not very successful on the 18th, but I must say we lay under fire for 12 hours with the bullets singing about us as thick as bees in swarming. Our loss of Canadians was 20 killed and 65 wounded. One of the boys who came from Chatham with me, was killed, so that only leaves two from the Maple city now to tell the tale.

I worked nearly all night after the battle taking in the wounded. I helped to carry a wounded man to the rear in the thickest of the fight. I got a bullet through the back of my coat and that was as close as I wanted it. I faced the enemy again and in about half an hour the bayonet charge was made. The charge was not ordered at all by the general, but I got a bullet through the back of my coat and that was as close as I wanted it. I faced the enemy again and in about half an hour the bayonet charge was made. The charge was not ordered at all by the general, but I got a bullet through the back of my coat and that was as close as I wanted it.

On the 27th we made a night attack and had a very hard fight that night. In the morning the Boers surrendered to us. There were 3,500 Boers, and their general, Cronje, all made prisoners. I am glad to say that we Canadians have made a good name for ourselves and now we are entitled to a medal and a bar or two, and the honor of Canada. Write soon. Yours truly,

H. BURRELL.

AGAINST TAYLOR.

Frankfort, April 7.—The court of appeals yesterday handed down its decision in the gubernatorial contest in favor of Beckham, Judge Du Rell dissenting. The contest was between Taylor and Guffy, handed down a separate opinion, which differed in its reasons from the opinion of the Democratic judges, but agreed with them in its conclusion.

IN PARTIES OF TEN.

The Wabash Railroad has given notice that it will be bound no longer by rule 4 of the Western Passenger Association. The rule provides that party rates shall be made only for theatrical or other well defined and regular organized parties. The Central Passenger Association roads have adopted the principle that whenever ten persons may be found to travel between the same points and on a common ticket, they must be allowed the party rate. As the Wabash is both central and a western road, it finds it difficult to comply with both rules. They have, therefore, decided to make the ten party rule apply in all cases.

COMMITTED FOR FRAUDULENT USE OF MAIL.

A man named Leslie J. Moreton, has been committed for trial at Welland for using the mails for fraudulent purposes. Last August he came to Bridgeburg, Ont., and until his arrest a few days ago, was doing business under the name of the Ontario Tablet Company, and also advertising a formula for use by women to be sent free on addressing Mrs. Marion Wilmet, Bridgeburg. In answer to these letters a formula was sent accompanied by a box of pills at \$2. C. O. D. It is said his receipts were as high as \$35 a day, as he received as many as twenty-five letters a day from all over Canada. Mrs. Wilmet is alleged to be living in Chicago, but Moreton held a power of attorney to receive money for her. The prosecution was made by Inspector Henderson, who having got some information on the matter, sent a decoy letter addressed to Mrs. Wilmet.

Hats, Gloves, Neckwear

We find it somewhat difficult, even for one day in the week, to drop the subject of the kind of clothing we make and sell, with an occasional reference to the kind you are often asked to buy.

This difficulty is with us even in approaching such honest subjects as Christy's Hats; Gloves; or our elaborate preparations in spring and Easter neckwear.

A week ago we itemized for you ten lines of Christy's Stiff Hats and mentioned prices running from \$1.50 to \$3.00.

We told you of a special lot of 4137 all silk ties made to sell at 50c which we bought at half price, and were to sell at half price, and for fear you might think that was all we had we filled our big Fifth street window with the choice of all factories and marked them 25 and 50 cents.

But we never said a word about Gloves one of Easter's prime necessities. They are here as you know without the telling—here just as the season calls for them in every proper leather from the softest kid to the hearty dog skin, at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

These three things, the hat, the gloves, the tie you can't debate about—there is no excuse for slackness in either regard when all are so easily within your reach and Easter just around the corner.

Come in and look around, buy or not as you please, you are welcome and there's no urging here.

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AN EX-CHATHAMITE MARRIED.

Woodstock Times.—A most interesting event occurred at the residence of Mrs. George Robinson, Hunter street, this afternoon, it being the occasion of the marriage of his youngest daughter, Amelia, to Harry Limmert, of the Times office, formerly of the Chatham Planet. Both the young people are well known in town, and are highly respected by a large circle of friends. The bride looked beautiful in a becoming wedding dress of white material, carrying a large bouquet of white roses. She was assisted by Miss Ethel Davis, while G. E. Robinson, brother of the bride, performed the duties of best man. Miss Queenie Liff, of Ingersoll, niece of the bride, made a charming little maid of honor.

The ceremony, which made the young couple man and wife, was performed at 2 o'clock, by Rev. E. E. Marshall, of Dundas street church, after which the guests sat down to a tasty wedding repast. A large number of guests were present, and the bride was the recipient of many valuable and useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Limmert left on the 5.30 train for London, Chatham, Ottawa and other places, after which they will take up their residence in Woodstock. The many friends of the happy couple join in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

The public school house at Point Edward was destroyed by fire.

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