

WESTERN ONTARIO.

BRANT.

John Reynolds, a boy about 7 years of age, second eldest son of John Reynolds, who resides just west of the cemetery, was drowned in Smith's creek, near Barker's ash, on Tuesday afternoon. The little fellow was in the act of wading across the creek to bring his father's cows home from pasture, when he was carried away by the current and drowned. The body was found.

Paris will observe Aug. 10 as a civic holiday. The first meeting of the Brantford new fire brigade was held in the Firemen's Hall on Tuesday. Thirty-two good men have joined, making a total of eight men each. James Hey was appointed secretary pro tem, and William J. Mitchell captain pro tem.

Rev. Frank Nichol, son of Dr. Nichol, Brantford, was married on Wednesday in Port Hope to Miss Manson, whose relatives also live in Brantford.

In North Brant the census enumerators.

In South Brant the majority of the men have been paid. The individual amounts run all the way from \$30 to \$100.

ESSEX.

The following goods were entered at the Windsor custom office for June: Durable goods, \$67,435; free goods, \$22,730. The duties collected were \$17,731.72.

W. A. Gagnon, who has officiated as the auditor of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in Windsor, has been promoted to the position of accountant in the office at Jarvis and Cayuga.

A meeting will be held at Essex on July 22 for the purpose of organizing a county Sunday school association.

The Leamington Gun Club tournament will commence Aug. 8 and continue three days.

J. Fox, of Leamington, has shipped 600 barrels of molasses to Saginaw during the past week.

Windsor sailors are locked out and non-union men are employed by some merchants. A big fight is on.

ELGIN.

Young Bros., Port Bruce, took in a haul of three and a half tons of fish a few days ago from a pond near here.

The St. Thomas Council has given the vested meat bylaw six-months' notice.

The rate of taxation in St. Thomas is 17½ mills on the dollar.

S. B. Morris, J. P., of Rodney, has fined John Haines, of Taylor, \$250 for trespass upon the M. C. R.

The fax destroyed by fire in Smith Bros.' warehouse at Belmont a few days ago, was insured by Geo. T. Clark, St. Thomas, for Adam Allison for \$5,500.

GREY.

The heaviest thunder storm ever experienced at Port Elgin passed over that section on Monday evening. The lightning and thunder were terrific with a heavy downpour of rain. The residence of M. A. Ely was struck and badly shattered, and about the same moment lightning struck the residence of Dr. Henry Robinson, causing considerable damage to the walls. The barns of James Craig, on the Elora road, about eight miles east, were also struck and burned to the ground.

HALDYMERE.

All Seneca township is laughing at the mistake which a Seneca farmer, whose farm is about two miles from Caledonia, made on Sunday last. The gentleman in question commenced to rake up and haul in hay on Sunday morning, thinking it was Saturday, and had a four-acre field raked and several loads hauled into his barn when a neighbor informed him of his blunder. It is needless to say that the horses were quickly unharnessed and put in the stable.

KENT.

Last Saturday noon, as the machinery in N. Newkirk's flax mill factory, Raleigh Mills, was slowing down, a board fell beside a circular saw. J. Thackeray reached for it, and his hand was caught and drawn to the saw and frightfully mangled. Dr. Rutherford was called and took off two fingers, and could not say but that he would lose his whole hand.

Professor Welch, who was dismissed from Christ Church, Chatham, as organist, has been engaged as organist of St. Andrew's Church. A split in the Christ Church choir occasioned the change, though the officers of the church were pleased with his services.

The total loss from fire on buildings in Chatham amounted to \$12,321.75; on stocks, ending June 30, \$18,751.75 for the six months ending June 30. The insurance was \$45,650, and the value of the property \$85,473.

A revolting tale of bestiality was partly unfolded at the police court, Chatham, on Wednesday, in which Wm. Fisk, a laborer at the wagon works, figured. A charge of common assault was laid against him by Mary Ann Granger, his housekeeper, and some disgusting details transpired in evidence.

LAMBTON.

Rev. J. Halsted, of Sarnia, was recently called to Detroit to perform a marriage ceremony for Miss Clara Hueston and Fred. R. Baker, of Ontario Pointe. The bride was late, and on being interrogated by the minister with the usual question, "Will you take this man to be your wedded husband?" replied, "No, in a firm tone, because he was given by Miss Hueston except that Baker swore at her and jostled her arm as he met her at the door. The wedding was indefinitely postponed.

Mayor Watson, of Sarnia, has received from the Minister of Marine a gold watch awarded by the Government of the United States to Captain Martin Mahoney, recently of the schooner M. L. Breck, now of the Aurora, in recognition of his gallant services in saving the lives of ten men and one woman belonging to the American vessel, Charles C. Ryan, which foundered in Lake Huron, on June 9, 1890. The Minister requests that the presentation be made to Captain Mahoney in as public a way as may be deemed expedient. It is understood that Captain Mahoney's vessel will be at Sarnia next Friday or Saturday, when the presentation will be made.

LINCOLN.

The work of sodding the banks of the new canal at the deep cut was commenced on Monday morning. The contractors, Messrs. Lawson & Johnston, will have it finished this fall.

Robert Hamilton has gone from St. Catharines to his home at Bright. He has been studying at the College for matriculation, and if successful will enter McGill University and study for the medical profession.

MIDDLESEX.

The people of the village of Belmont and surrounding country are very much excited over the financial difficulties which have compelled Adam Allison, private banker and grain buyer of that village, to make an assignment. Mr. Allison has done in the last few years, a very large and widely-extended business, and if his affairs are in the condition reported the effect of his assignment will be far extending. John Campbell, of St. Thomas, is the assignee. The exact condition of the estate is not yet known, but it is believed that the unsecured

creditors will be in the neighborhood of \$6,000; assets nominal.

OXFORD.

Bright Methodists realized \$110 at their recent strawberry festival.

Wm. Munro, secretary of the West Zorra Farmers' Institute, writes a long letter to the press explaining that the blame did not rest on the institute for canceling the intended excursion to Guelph on the C. P. R., but on Mr. Hill, the Woodstock agent. Arrangements are now being made with the G. T. R. via Stratford for a trip to the Model Farm soon.

Landlord Farrell, of the Royal Hotel, Woodstock, is building an addition to his house. The extension will occupy all the vacant space between the hotel and the G. N. W. telegraph office. It is intended to make an allowance on the ground floor for a store and an office, all the upper stories to be used for hotel purposes.

Mrs. Garnett, wife of the late G. C. Garnett, Woodstock, died at 63 years of age. She was a native of the United States.

Jake Stricker, an employee of Kana's factory, met with an unfortunate accident on Tuesday. He was working with a buzz plane when his left hand accidentally came in contact with the "buzz" and as a result he lost two fingers.

PERTE.

The vestry of St. James' Church in Stratford has authorized the going on with the erection of the new Sunday school building on the plans of which changes have been made as to reduce the estimated cost to about \$6,000, exclusive of heating and lighting.

Herbert Burroughes and Miss Jennie Weir, Stratford, are married.

The Stratford Gas Company has Landlord Gorn for \$3,040 for tapping their gas pipes and using their gas. The penalty is \$120 and \$4 a day for 730 days if the charge is proven; besides \$2,000 for gas consumed.

George Klein, who has been employed in W. B. Roberts' jewelry store in Stratford, for five years, leaves for Columbus, Ohio, this week, where he has secured good position.

Edmund Wragge, of the Grand Trunk staff, who has been over most of the fall wheat districts of the Province, says it is looking well everywhere; so also are peas. Both will be above an average. Spring wheat and oats are a little backward.

Rev. Canon Patterson, Stratford, is president, Mrs. W. J. Taylor, wife of the pastor of St. James' Church, St. Marys, vice-president, Mrs. Baker, of Stratford, corresponding secretary, Miss Cueson, of Mitchell, recording secretary, and Rev. A. Dewdney, Stratford, registrar of the Diocese of Perth.

A successful meeting has just been held in St. Marys, and the next meeting will be held in Stratford.

WELLINGTON.

A syndicate from New York State has been prospecting at Puslinch Lake with a view of purchasing the Lake Hotel property. If a purchase takes place, the intention of the company is to build a race course and to have a spur line from McCormick's point to the C. P. R.

The Guelph Woolen Mills Company during the past week or so have shipped over 100 cases and bales of woolen goods through all parts of the Dominion—from Halifax to Victoria. Recently John Anderson, manager, purchased over 20,000 pounds of Canadian-clipped wool, nearly all of which was purchased on the Guelph market and of the first quality.

P. Anderson, Guelph, has received a "green goods" circular from New York and handed it to the press for publication. He didn't like it.

During the past ten days Wm. Carter has shipped from Guelph over 10,000 bushels of oats to Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa.

BURNED OUT THE BABY'S LIFE. Little Willie Atlee was Killed by a Dose of Carbolic Acid.

New York, July 17.—Willie Atlee, 8 months old, lived with his grandmother, Mrs. McLaughlin, and his Aunt Annie on West Fifty-seventh street. Late in the evening he had been given a soothing mixture for him was in the ice-box.

Yesterday Mrs. McLaughlin purchased a bottle of diluted carbolic acid for a hair tonic. This she brought saw on a table, and she placed it in the ice-box. At about midnight Willie, who slept with his aunt, awoke by his restlessness. She called to her mother to get a spoonful of medicine, at the same time telling where it was kept. Mrs. McLaughlin measured out the required dose in the dark, and returning to the halit-lighted bedroom, gave it to the child. The moment Willie took it in his mouth he choked and his face in agony and screamed. Mrs. McLaughlin had given him carbolic acid by mistake.

Willie's aunt realized that something was wrong with the dose, and tried to suck the poison from his mouth. Her lips were badly burned, and she accomplished nothing for his relief. Dr. King, who lives in the same house, was summoned, but Willie had been fatally burned. He died in two hours.

A THIEF'S FATAL LEAP.

Sprang From a Window With His Plunder and Went Down 200 Feet.

NEWBURGH, N. Y., July 7.—James H. Lennon, a Longhempough tough, jumped by his death yesterday at Marlborough, Ulster county. He had been stealing clothing from Kniffen's Hotel, which is on the top of a precipice 200 feet high, overlooking a ravine called "Snicker Hole." It was down this precipice Lennon jumped from a rear window of the hotel, probably not aware that the precipice was there. His skull was fractured. Along the side of the bank, caught in the shrubbery, were five coats he had stolen. When Lennon was found his head lay in the water of the creek at the bottom of the hole.

Shot His Father Through the Floor. GREENSBURG, Pa., July 17.—Jeremiah McGinnis and wife have feared that burglars would break in their house, and Mr. McGinnis loaded a Winchester rifle, which he placed under his bed in the room directly over the kitchen. After he had arisen yesterday morning and was sitting by the stove while his wife was preparing breakfast, their four-year-old boy got out of his bed upstairs, and lifting the stock of the gun, stood it muzzle down. Unknowingly the little fellow pulled the trigger and the gun was discharged. The ball passed through the floor, striking McGinnis on the head. He fell to the floor and died in a few minutes.

TRAILING DRESSES.

Dress should reveal the spirit, says Emerson. The kind of spirit possessed by some women is simply evident when their dresses habitually trail in the dust.—(From Our Point of View in Wives and Daughters for July.)

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