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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

PILKEY—On Tuesday, October 30th, at Windsor, Reginald Powell Pilkey in his 26th year.
The funeral will take place tomorrow, Nov. 1st, in Brantford.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Court Hope meets to-night. Business of importance to the brethren to transact.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jarrett, of Buffalo, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. N. Massey, this week.

The Victoria Ave. Methodist Church require a choir-leader. Applications received until Nov. 2nd, 1900. J. F. McKough, secretary.

Government Inspector John Bodie made an official visit to the Maple City Creamery a few days ago and was well pleased with the way everything is kept around the place, and especially so with the cold storage room, this being the only first class creamery cold storage room under his inspection.

Lost—a short, black, ladies' jacket, on Friday, the 5th of October, the day Wm. Glover returned, on the Winter Line, Dover, between 6th and 7th con. In the pockets there was a pair of gloves and handkerchiefs. A reward will be given by returning it to this office, or sending word to Malcolm McGregor, Bear Line.

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A TRIP TO BANFF.

Will Stevens Writes About That Wonderful Place.

He Sees Many Sights—Will and Archie Campbell, Jr., About to Start For Home.

Mrs. N. H. Stevens has received the following letter from her son Will who has been west all summer with a surveying party:

The Sanitari

Banff, Alta., Oct. 25, 1900.

Dear Mother.—We were paid off day before yesterday, so we left for Calgary yesterday. The first person we met on arriving in that town was Roy Cameron, who had been expecting to see us come through any time. We went with him to the telegraph office where Grace Cameron has full charge, and had a pleasant talk with her. She spoke so much of the beauties of Banff that I decided to spend a day up here, and let Archie arrange about the passage home.

I left at 1:20 a. m., arriving here about 6 a. m. It was not daylight until 7, but as soon as I could see, I was out, and had the pleasure of viewing the Rockies for the first time. The hotel is surrounded by mountains, it being a sort of a valley along the front Bow River winds its tortuous and rapid course, and beautiful driveways are cut through the spruce, starting in all directions from the hotel. Immediately after breakfast I jumped on my wheel and rode down to the cave and basin, which are less than a mile from here. The ride was uncomfortable because of the falling snow, but any discomforts there were amply made up for the treat that awaited me at the cave.

A Scotch guide showed me through for the fee of 25c. We entered a tunnel, partly natural and partly artificial, and a short walk brought us into the cave which was sparkling with its crystals glittering on all sides. A strong odor of sulphur filled the whole place and after coming in from the cold, it seemed warm enough to take a Turkish bath in. At the top of this small opening which might be called the crater, as it certainly once was, out of it one could see the warm vapor arising. I took a plunge in the water which was just at the right temperature. It is not very deep, and I was walking over to one side when suddenly I went down in quick sand, but popped up again like a cork. It may seem hard to believe, but the warm water comes up with such a force that a person can't sink to any depth in the spring. I went from the cave to the basin. It had once been a cave, but being on the edge of the foot hills, the sides had no support and fell in. The water here is much deeper and warmer and is more strongly saturated with sulphur. I rode back to the hotel and then wheeled over the bridge and out two miles and a half where the buffalo are kept. The keeper took me first to the sheds, where he has six small cantolopes under his charge. They were lying in the straw, all cuddled up, but as soon as they saw the keeper they jumped up and ran to him like a dog and rubbed their heads against him, showing the greatest amount of affection. They weren't satisfied with just a pat on the head, but had to be fondled the same as a baby before they would leave. From there we went away to the end of the enclosure and crawled through the fence to the next corral. We just came in time, as the buffaloes were coming down to water as we came up. It was worth travelling miles to see these great creatures again. The whole herd stood still watching us for a moment, but the calves were afraid of us and kept back. Suddenly without warning all were gone into the thicket. It was snowing very hard when I got back from the buffalo.

In the afternoon I went to the Museum where they have a fine collection of birds, eggs, animals and minerals. What pleased me most was a pair of stuffed musk-oxen in large glass cases and some Indian curios.

I wandered from there down to the C. P. R. hotel which is said to have cost \$250,000, and it is more like an immense hospital than anything else I have seen. The town is around, so I had no chance to go through.

Going around the hotel I came to a river and followed that up to what is known as the Spray and Falls. Where the Bow River meets this river, there is a great fall, the noise of which can be heard long before coming to it. The water impatiently rushes over the rocks, seething and lashing itself into a white spray, hence the name. The river passes under an immense canyon, the mountains rising almost perpendicularly on either side, the peaks being lost to view in the clouds.

I will leave here at 2:55 o'clock getting into Calgary at 1:20 p. m. when Archie and I will start for home. Affectionately,

WILL.

Louisville, Oct. 31.—The Louisville Evening Post prints an affidavit of Finley Anderson, a telegraph operator, upon whose testimony Caleb Powers was convicted of complicity in the murder of Governor Goebel, in which Anderson swears his story told on the stand at Georgetown, was perjured.

AN ELECTION POSTPONED.

Ottawa, Oct. 31.—Sheriff Karm, who is returning officer in Nipissing, has postponed the election in that constituency because there are no lists for the unorganized district for 1899, and the lists for 1900 are not yet finally revised. If the contest went on, he said, 2,000 voters would be disfranchised. The sheriff endeavored to get both political parties to accept the 1900 lists as they stood, but he was not successful in this, and therefore was compelled to postpone the contest.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

ENLARGING THE BANK.

Architect Rutley is advertising for the works required for the proposed addition to the local branch of the Standard Bank, which is to be completed within two months. This enterprising institution proposes to make several valuable and important improvements to their fine building, which will give considerably more room. It was believed when the present building was erected that it would be quite commodious enough for many years to come, but so rapidly has the business of the local branch increased that more accommodation is now absolutely necessary.

PEOPLE AROUSED.

Jeannette's Creek Solid for the Conservative Candidate.

A Splendid Smith Rally Held There—An Opposition Speaker Gets a Poor Reception.

Perhaps the most successful meeting of the local campaign from the Conservative point of view, was held last night, in the church, at Jeannette's Creek, Raleigh. The building was crowded with sturdy, intelligent farmers. At 8 o'clock Mr. Rogers, school teacher, took the chair, and opened the meeting in a graceful, neat speech. The Conservative speakers were Geo. G. Martin and S. B. Arnold, and Henry Forbes spoke on behalf of the Liberals. The chairman called upon Mr. Martin first, when that gentleman arose, and in a masterly, eloquent speech of two hours and ten minutes thoroughly exposed the hollowness and rottenness of the promises and pledges of the Laurier government. Mr. Martin held the large audience throughout his long address and was profusely cheered. It was remarked by old political timers there, that no such thoroughly logical political speech was ever delivered in Raleigh on either side. It was a very fine evening for Mr. A. Smith, at Jeannette's Creek, sure enough.

Mr. Forbes spoke after Mr. Martin, and it was most amusing to hear his neighbors, mostly farmers, stand up and interrupt him as to his facts and figures regarding the prices of binder twine, coal oil, sugar, tobacco, lumber, shingles and hardware. Mr. Forbes was mentally praying to be delivered from his well read neighbor.

Mr. Arnold closed the meeting with an hour's speech that fairly electrified the people with delight. Mr. Arnold dealt fully with statistics, facts and figures, and showed up the false position taken by the Laurier government as to preferential trade within the empire. Mr. Arnold was loudly and frequently cheered.

At the close three cheers were proposed for T. A. Smith, our new member—when the people, including a large number of ladies, stood up and fairly made the welkin ring. These cheers were repeated two or three times. Mr. Forbes proposed three cheers for Geo. Stephens, and the only response was a low murmur and cat-calls.

The outlook in Jeannette's Creek for the Conservatives is most encouraging.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned marked tender until noon the 3rd of November, for the several works required for an addition to the Standard Bank of Canada at Chatham, the work to be completed within two months. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of architect.

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Fall Veilings at Half Price

Included in the stock was a big range of plain and fancy Veilings. We have placed them for quick selling in three lots, 10c, 19c and 25c per yd.

Special Silk Offerings

Two very attractive lines at your service this week at Bargain Prices. You will appreciate their beauty as well as their low figures.

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Ladies' Rain Cloaks

We have just seven left; their prices ought to sell them this week. Everyone guaranteed.

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2 Maud Suits, regular price \$8.50, now.....\$5.00

1 Rosalind Cloak, regular price \$6.00, now.....\$4.00

3 Eva Cloaks, regular price \$4.50, now.....\$3.00

Jackets

Our stock of Ladies' and Children's Jackets this season represents a completeness that is a source of satisfaction to us. Neither time, money nor effort has been spared to secure an assortment that is second to none, and we are especially anxious that you should know what we have to offer you. Below we give you a few pointers on some of our leaders.

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