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A Short Chat

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

TILBURY

April 9.—S. Shuttleworth, of Toronto, arrived this week to accept a position in H. Johnston's drug store. Mrs. Simpson, of Merlin, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Shaw. Mrs. Farnell, of Chatham, is visiting friends here. Mr. Stitt, of Ruscumb, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Powell. A Soap Co. has been giving free entertainments in Anderson Hall here for the past week. It appears that a certain law has been resurrected, charging such a company \$25 as a license fee, but the company can make the owner of the hall responsible, as the agreement stated that there was no license fee to pay. This will probably engulf the whole rent.

DRESDEN

April 9.—Philander Gillaspie, of Detroit, attended the funeral of his brother, John Gillaspie, yesterday. Chas. Aikin, son of Robert Aikin, drygoods merchant, and Miss Orpha Hayhow, were married this afternoon at the residence of the bride's mother, Lindsay street, by the Rev. S. Bond. Both of the young people are well known and highly popular in church and social circles and their many friends wish them every happiness in their married life. Miss Rose Warfield, of Wallaceburg, spent yesterday with her mother, Mrs. James Huston. Robert Shaw left last evening to join the crew of his boat, the Los Creek, of Chatham, was in town yesterday attending the marriage of Chas. Aikin and Miss Orpha Hayhow. B. S. Walker, of Windsor, was in town yesterday.

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GLENWOOD

S. Sheldon, of Windsor, was the guest of A. Gilbert last week. Miss Ollie Shaw, of Wheatley, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Maud Lee. Alex. McKee, of Toronto, was in the village last week shipping five carloads of lumber. Thomas Chester is drilling a well for W. Innes. Quite a number of the children in this neighborhood are sick with the mumps. On Friday evening, April 4th, a public temperance meeting was held. A program was given by the members of R. T. of T. Refreshments were served and a pleasant time was spent by all present.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK

Mrs. Arch Laird, of Blenheim, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Forbes on Sunday. Miss Forbes, of Chatham, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Forbes on Sunday. A year of fish was shipped by express to New York on Monday. Mr. Webster, of Chatham, was a guest of R. Venning on Friday. J. Rogers was renewing old acquaintances here on Friday. F. B. Stevens was here on Sunday. B. Atkinson spent Monday in Chatham.

CLANCY'S SIDING

April first, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Murphy a daughter. Mr. Alfred Lane spent a few days last week in Blenheim. Gilbert Turner visited friends in Pt. Huron last week. Will Hazlett, of Dresden, spent Sunday at A. B. Young's. Will Lane called on his parents last week, on his way to join his boat, the Elysia Brown, after spending the winter sailing on the coast, his last trip being to Cuba. G. Turner has shelled three car loads of corn at the siding last week, for J. B. Stringer and Company. Miss Ethel Peers returned home from Port Huron, where she has been visiting her cousins. Sunday school has reopened at Whitehead after the winter, with a good attendance. Miles Dillon has leased his farm to Sam Turner and is moving into Wallaceburg.

PORT LAMBTON

James Beatty will add to the appearance of his hotel by painting the entire building white. Geo. Smith & Son have the contract. The Hotel Victoria is receiving a thorough overhauling and re-papering. Geo. McDonald is doing the work. The new house being built by James Welch is fast becoming ready for occupancy. Mr. Welch has rented it to Wallaceburg people at \$21 per month for the summer season. On Thursday afternoon, March 27th, an old and very highly respected resident of Sombra Township, near Beecher, passed away, in the person of Robert Clark. Mr. Clark, who was of Scotch-Canadian parentage, was born at Amherstburg, Ont., Feb. 8th, 1824. In the year 1854, while this part of the country was quite new, he came with his parents to Beecher, where he has resided ever since. In 1871 he married Miss Elizabeth Cochran, a godly, devoted woman of marked intellect, who departed this life 21 years ago. Though bereft of his partner in life at an early age Mr. Clark never married again, but remained faithful to his family—one girl and three boys—who, by their faithful, industrious, Christian lives, blessed and comforted

ed their father in his old age. He also leaves to mourn his loss five sisters. The funeral service was held in the house on Easter Sunday morning, when all the sorrowing relatives and a very large number of friends from far and near were present, after which the interment took place in the family burying ground. Miss Mabel Nottman, of Mount Clemens, Mich., is the guest of Miss Tillie Jackson.

James Quennell, of Wallaceburg, visited Lambton on Thursday last. Will Lane is spending a few days with his parents at Whitehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and family have taken possession of the cottage lately purchased by them on the river front.

A. C. Sharp and family are domiciled at the Ohio cottage for the present. Mrs. M. A. Pound and her daughter, Mrs. G. H. McCurdy, accompanied by Geo. Pound, of Orono, Mich., are visiting at the Ohio cottage this week.

At the time of writing we are pleased to report that Mr. Albert Dawson, who has been very sick during the past three weeks, is recovering. Samuel Morningstar, of Dawn Centre, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Dawson, Sunday.

Every person having orchard trimmings and other excels, which they desire to get rid of when doing their spring cleaning and putting of yards and gardens in order, will do well to place the same at the White Star Line dock, to help to make a permanent filling in between the dock and the shore.

The writer is very thankful to those who have accepted the invitation to assist in furnishing local items for these columns by addressing them to box 34, Port Lambton P. O. Don't be bashful; give us the facts and we will see that they go to the editor in the regular way.

DAY'S DESPATCHES

A DUTCH THEORY.

Berlin, April 8.—Dr. Kuyper, Premier of the Netherlands, yesterday frankly suggested that assurance of British support during the Spanish war were the price of America's non-intervention in South-Africa. "When trouble over Cuba came," said the Premier, "I cannot believe America would have faced the war that ensued if it had not been assured that the navies of Europe would be kept at bay while she riddled the decrepit fleets of Spain."

JUMPED ON "DANDY FIFTH."

Cork, April 8.—A performance of "The Dandy Fifth" at the Opera House here was brought to a premature close to-night by the hostile demonstrations of a crowd of students in the gallery. The demonstrators then paraded through the town, headed by a Boer flag. They were challenged by a loyalist crowd, which tried to capture the flag. A fight then ensued, in which the police interfered with their batons, and many persons were injured.

NOT ALL TOGETHER.

Ottawa, April 8.—Dr. J. F. Dowling has received a letter from his son, Bud Dowling, with the Second Canadian Mounted Rifles in South Africa. From the letter it would seem that the men on the Manhattan and those who went by the Victoria are operating in different directions. If such were the case the Victoria men were not in the recent fight in which so many Canadians met their death. Dowling at the time of writing expected to be in the firing line within a week. In conversation with the doctors at the hospital Dowling was told that fighting would continue in South Africa for at least two years.

BULLET IN HIS HEAD.

Toronto, April 8.—William Ham, a laborer employed at Taylor's brewery, died at the hospital about noon to-day under peculiar circumstances. He was brought to the hospital Sunday night suffering with a pain in his side and lungs. He was treated for pneumonia. While he was being examined a blood-stained handkerchief was discovered lying loosely on the top of his head. Underneath, on the back of the head was a small wound. Ham stated that he had fallen and struck a nail. He became delirious and died. On a post-mortem being made it was discovered that the wound was made by a small bullet, about 28 calibre, which was found imbedded in the skull. An inquest will be held.

A BIG FOUR WRECK.

Cleveland, O., April 9.—An incoming Big Four train was wrecked last night within a mile or two of the station here. The engineer and fireman were killed, and several passengers, it is reported, were hurt. The wreck is believed to have been caused by a wash-out, which undermined the tracks. Later—Two persons were killed and three others hurt. The dead—Wm. F. McGrath, engineer, Cleveland; Edward McNally, fireman, Cleveland. Injured—A. R. Edmunds, railway mail clerk, Indianapolis; Thomas Murphy, baggageman, Indianapolis. The wreck is believed to have been the result of a washed-out track caused by hard rains. No passengers are reported to be injured.

NEW TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS.

333—Chatham Mineral Water Co. Limited.
241—Crow, F. S.
325—Gray's Shipping Room.
3B—Kent Law Association, Court House.
108—Landon, W. R.
327—Lewis, O. L.
334—MacDonald, M. A.
246—McGregor, J. B.
88—McGeachy, N. A. & Sons.
339—McKay Bros.
814—Malcolmson, H. H.
330—Quinn, F. F.
304—Ross, J. J.
335—Ross, J. J. (Rev.)
261—Stevens, F. B.
336—Trotter, Geo. A.
151—Young, Samuel.

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MISSIONARY MEETING

A missionary deputation consisting of Miss Etches, of the Church Missionary Society, England, and Rev. R. H. A. Haslam, B. A., of Toronto, who are holding meetings in Christ Church this afternoon and evening, will also address missionary meetings in Holy Trinity school house on Thursday and Friday of this week.

On Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock a meeting for ladies will be held under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary, and on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock a missionary meeting, under the direction of the Gleaners' Union, to which the public generally are invited. At the evening meeting a collection will be made on behalf of the Canadian Church Missionary Society, which sends the deputation here.

On Friday evening a special meeting for children will be held in Holy Trinity school house, commencing at 7:30 o'clock, to which children and their parents are cordially invited. Miss Etches and Mr. Haslam are splendid speakers. All who are enthusiastic, and everyone who can should hear them on their visit to Chatham.

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