

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.
CLINE-In Paris, Ont., on Tuesday, March 23, to Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Cline, a daughter, HOSACK-On March 23, to Rev. D. C. and Mrs. Hosack, of 156 Dunn avenue, a daughter.

MARRIED.
LIND-ELLIOTT-On April 2, 1898, at 169 Briccoe street, Mabel M., beloved daughter of James and Jeannette Anderson, aged 14 years, and J. P. Elliott, aged 23 years. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. Dances papers please copy.

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Amusements and Lectures

ANNUAL GOOD FRIDAY CHOR. CON.
The choir of the First Methodist Church, under the leadership of Mr. J. P. Cook, will give a concert on Friday evening, April 3, at 8 o'clock, at the First Methodist Church, 173 Dundas street. The program will include a variety of songs and choruses. Tickets 10c.

GRAND MUSICAL AND VOCAL CONCERT.
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CHURCH MEMBERS AND NON-MEMBERS.
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ALLAN LINE NEW SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS.
The Allan Line of steamships will sail from Montreal on Saturday, April 4, at 10 o'clock, for New York. The ship is the "Allan," a fine steamship, and will be accompanied by a large crew. Tickets 10c.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY-PRIM.
The Palace Dancing Academy, under the leadership of Mr. J. P. Cook, will give a concert on Friday evening, April 3, at 8 o'clock, at the First Methodist Church, 173 Dundas street. The program will include a variety of songs and choruses. Tickets 10c.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING.
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MEETINGS.
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Domestics Wanted.
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WANTED GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK.
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WANTED-AN EXPERIENCED PAINTOR.
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WANTED-HOUSEMAID TO ASSIST.
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J. P. COOK, 173 Dundas Street.

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SAFE FOR SALE.
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In good condition, size 32x36. Cheap. 102 Dundas street.

COAL AND WOOD-BEST QUALITY.
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FOR SALE-STRAWBERRY PLANTS.
In good condition, size 32x36. Cheap. 102 Dundas street.

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Educational.

HELMUTH LADIES' COLLEGE-DAY students-Easter term begins April 6. Fees, Academic course, including French, German, Latin, etc., \$9 per term. For particulars, see Rev. R. N. English, M. A., Principal, 910 Belmont.

BRIDGE PAINTING.

TENDERS FOR PAINTING KING STREET Bridge and Viaduct will be received at the office of A. O. City Engineer.

LICENSE DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF LONDON.

NOTICE-A MEETING OF THE BOARD of License Commissioners will be held in their office, No. 624 Talbot street, on Thursday, April 4, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to consider the applications for the granting of a license to sell and consume beer, wine, and spirits, for the year ending March 31, 1899. Any person desiring to apply for a license must do so before the 4th day of April, 1898.

Office, 624 Talbot street.

Today At The Capital.

A Famous Law Suit Still Hanging Fire in the Courts.

[Special to The-Advertiser.]

Ottawa, April 4.-W. J. Elliott, Toronto, who is the plaintiff in the famous law suit between himself and the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, is here in connection with the case.

The case of Goodwin vs. Queen has not yet been settled, notwithstanding the fact that the Supreme Court gave judgment in favor of Goodwin, which was upheld by the House of Lords.

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A New Departure

Britain Said to Have Seized Chusan Island.

Secured Shanghai and Demanded Possession of Wei-Hai-Wei.

Eighteen Lives Lost by the Sinking of a Steamer.

Sudden Death of Lord Hillingdon in Church-Miners in Sion Welsh Collieries on Strike.

10,000 MINERS ON STRIKE. London, April 4.-The miners in six South Wales collieries had gone out on strike. The strike threatens to be serious. In all 10,000 men have quit work.

THE G. T. R.'S GOOD SHOWING. London, April 4.-The report of the Grand Trunk Railway for the month of February, just issued, is very favorable, and shows a total increase of receipts of \$17,585.

SUDDEN DEATH IN CHURCH. London, April 4.-Lord Hillingdon (Charles Henry Mills), chairman of the committee of the League of Nations, died suddenly in church yesterday. He was born in 1830, and was the son of the late Sir Charles Mills, Bart., and was elected to the peerage in 1888. He was a member of the well-known banking house of Glyn, Mills & Co.

SIXTEEN LIVES LOST. London, April 4.-The suspicion is confirmed that it was the German steamer "Mascara" that was wrecked on March 6, for Stettin, that sank on March 16 in collision off Gabbard Light. The British bark "British" (Princess Capt. Scott) from Leith for Liverpool. The brother of the Marquis of Blandford, who was on board, has identified the wreckage. He also reports the British steamer "Mascara" sank almost immediately, and that sixteen of her company were drowned.

CHINESE AND GERMAN FIGHT. London, April 4.-The Pekin correspondent of the Times says: There have been frequent conflicts between the Chinese and the Germans at Kiaow. The Chinese attacked a post of the Germans, and the Germans defended, and the result was a bloodbath.

CANADIANS INTERESTED. London, April 4.-Several London journals comment upon the heavy contingent of Canadians who have been sent to the front in the Russo-Chinese war. The Canadians are interested in the war, and are doing their best to help the Chinese.

ONLY TWO HOUSES ABOVE THE WATER. It was hoped that these would withstand the pressure and the undermining, but when the single courier who had been sent to the junction left, he found that only two houses were left standing. The rest had been washed away by the flood.

BRITISH IN CHINA. In the Far East-Will Control Shanghai Wei-Hai-Wei and the Island of Chusan.

London, April 4.-The Sunday Special's Berlin correspondent asserts that the British government has decided to take possession of the island of Chusan, opposite the mouth of the Yangtze river, and to establish a naval base there.

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A dispatch to the Times from Pekin says that as China, at Russia's bidding, has stopped the railway construction northward to the great wall, which was recently begun under English engineers, 3,000,000 taels worth of orders for material that were placed in Great Britain, the United States and Germany have been canceled.

Pekin, April 4.-Great Britain has demanded a lease of Wei-Hai-Wei, in the Shan Tung peninsula, after the evacuation of the Chinese, as a compensation for the disturbance of the balance of power in the Gulf of Pe Chi Li. It is certain that China will concede the demand, which is believed to be favorable to the British.

A person of the highest rank has been executed in the Russian empire, for a crime of a most heinous nature. The execution was carried out in a public square, and the crowd was very large.

A Business Change. Messrs. John Anderson & Co. have bought out the business at 183 Dundas street, carried on by Messrs. James I. Anderson & Co. for a number of years. Mr. John Anderson is thoroughly conversant with the business, and is a good manager. The business is a very profitable one, and is well known in the city.

Could Do No Work. "Large stores broke out on my body, head and limbs, and also on my hands, so that I could not do any work, and my hair came out. My trouble was Sarisaparilla. When I began taking Hood's Pills, the sores and itching disappeared, and I was cured." Mrs. J. G. Brown, Ontario.

HOOD'S PILLS are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarisaparilla. Cure all liver ills.

Real Estate. FOR SALE-ROUSE AND LOT-CHAMP. Apply on premises, 427 Dufferin avenue.

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A Remedy For Colds

is a very necessary medicine to have in the house now. These chilly days and nights will have many coughs and colds in their wake. Tolu, Tar and Tamarack quickly relieve and cure all throat and lung troubles, especially useful in all forms of chronic asthma and bronchitis.

Price 25 Cents. For Sale by All Druggists

At the Mercy Of the Flood

One-Fourth of the Residents Drowned.

How 500 People Perished at Shawneetown.

Details of the Disaster-Houses Carried Away Like Corks on the Raging Flood-Fatality Scenes.

Chicago, April 4.-A special from Shawneetown, Ill., says: The disaster at Shawneetown, which occurred at 6 o'clock last evening, caused by the breaking of the government levee, one of the town, was very disastrous, both as regards loss of life and destruction to property. A stream of water twelve to twenty feet deep, carrying half of the current of the flood, rushed over the town, and the people were killed. It came down in a great rush, like a tidal wave. There was no slow rising of the waters to give warning.

HOUSES LIFTED. The houses on the outskirts were lifted up and rushed over, and almost all of the inhabitants were drowned. Their bodies were found floating in the water. The center of the town some of the water for a few minutes, but about two-thirds of the dwellings were lifted into the current of the river. After a few minutes the horror of the situation was added to by the catching fire of a large house that had started down stream with the others. The people on the roofs were already in danger of being drowned, but the appearance of this

FLOATING FIREBRAND added horror. As it struck one house after another in its zigzag course, some caught fire, and the unfortunate people were compelled to trust themselves to the mercy of the raging water on pieces of wood to avoid the more terrible death by fire. The break in the levee flooded four miles of the valley land, and the water was so high that it was impossible to communicate with the town. The water was so high that it was impossible to communicate with the town.

THE TERRIBLE NEWS CONFIRMED. "Carma, Ill., April 4.-Mr. George Gotsman, a reliable merchant of Shawneetown, just now confirms report of levee break last night. Says the mayor sent him to Ridgeway, a message in his name to you to send provisions, provisions and burial cases immediately, via East St. Louis and Effingham, where train from Ridgeway will be waiting.

WORSE THAN JOHNSTOWN. "Mr. Gotsman says the scene is worse than Johnstown. Four hundred lost. Remainder of people have been rescued. Rain adds to the disaster. White County Telephone Company."

RELIEF DELAYED. St. Louis, Mo., April 4.-It is reported that the special relief trains on the way to the scene of the Shawneetown washouts. The trains were stuck last night as soon as possible after the first information of the disaster was received.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 4.-Mayor Carney, of Shawneetown, appealed to congress for aid this morning for the people of his stricken city. He says the town is absolutely flooded, and there is not enough food in town for one meal. He estimates 300 people were drowned. All goods in the city are lost and the situation is distressing in the extreme. This city sent two steamboat loads of provisions last night, that should reach Shawneetown this morning.

Will Cost A Large Sum.

The City Hall Disaster Damages-The Secret Committee Acting on the Claims-Doctors' Bills Taken Up.

The committee which is handling the claims for damages arising out of the city hall disaster held another secret session this morning. Reporters were refused admission.

This morning the committee discussed the doctors' bills, which amount to \$1,282. Several of these bills were considered excessive and were whittled down. The committee did not finish its task, and adjourned until Friday.

Up to date about 27 claims for damages have been passed on, amounting to \$1,619. Orders for the payment of these have been given. Up to date about 100 claims have been filed, and it is believed that the total cost of the disaster will be \$100,000.

Two Hundred Perished. St. Louis, Mo., April 4.-A special to the Globe-Democrat from Ridgeway, Ill., says: It is hard to learn the particulars of the flood at Shawneetown, but it is known that over 200 perished. The water was so high that it was impossible to communicate with the town.

Another family paddled half-way to safety on a broad plank that had half current caught them and sent them out toward the middle of the river. A side in the rougher water they were seen to capsize and sink.

THE DOOMED TOWN. St. Louis, Mo., April 4.-Shawneetown, Ill., has a population of about 2,000 inhabitants, and is situated on the west bank of the Ohio river. The principal business streets being but two blocks distant from the river. The level of the river is about 15 feet above the city, and the levee bank is about 20 feet thick. When the river is at its normal stage it is 1,000 feet wide at this point. A tremendous pressure brought to bear on the levee during freshets in several years ago, during flood, the water flowed over the levee, and the streets were under two feet of water. The levee was strengthened and built up afterwards, and the town has since considered there was no danger.

THE HORROR GROWS. Ridgeway, Ill., April 4.-The Shawneetown horror grows hourly. It is estimated this morning by the mayor that 500 lives have been lost. THE RIVER EIGHT MILES WIDE. Flora, Ill., April 4.-Reports received at this city, 70 miles distant from Shawneetown, bear out the first reports of the inundation of the town last night by the breaking of the levee. The railroads have stopped, traffic is at a standstill, and the water is twenty miles south of here, as the water, telegraphic communication is very meager. At Mills station the river is eight miles wide and the track is covered for six miles. ONE-FOURTH OF THE RESIDENTS DROWNED.

Springfield, Ill., April 4.-Governor La Tanager today received the following message relative to the Shawneetown disaster: "Ridgeway, Ill., April 4.-The ground here is under the levee at 4:15 p.m. gave way under the water. We have nearly four miles of life nearly one-fourth of our population for one meal. We need tents and clothing for the living and caskets to bury the dead. Help us at once." (Signed) M. J. Carney, Mayor.

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