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TO ADVERTISERS.

Notice of changes must be left at this Office not later than Monday noon. The copy for changes must be left not later than Wednesday noon. Casual Advertisements accepted up to noon Thursday of each week.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Sponges—F. Jordan.
Lots for sale—A. Smith.
Notice—Peter Adamson.
Piano Teaching—Miss Andrews.
Window Shades—A. B. Cornell.
Girl Wanted—Mrs. D. McGillicuddy.
Special Bargains—J. A. Reid & Bro.
Card of Thanks—Wilhelmina Maedel.

DIED.

CRAIG.—In Goderich, on Sunday, May 19th, 1889, John Craig, aged 72 years.

TOWN TOPICS.

"A chiel's amang ye, takin' notes,
An' faith he'll prent it."

The Supreme Grand Orange Lodge will be here next week, but Geo. Stewart, the photographer, is here all the time.

A GOOD PRESENT.—The most useful gift you can make is to give a Wirt Pen. Apply to D. McGillicuddy, agent, Goderich.

The recent cold wave made everyone shiver except those who had got their spring overcoats from the fashionable tailors, F. & A. Pridham.

THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION will meet regularly for the transaction of business every Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in Knox church. Every woman interested in the work is cordially invited to attend.

The "leafy month of June" came a little early this year; or rather the leaves came early and filled out so well that a week ago it almost looked as if summer was here. The drop in the thermometer during the past few days betokens that you can depend on nothing—well, nothing except that R. R. Sallows fills the bill for photography in every line at his studio.

Now that the cold wave has passed by, you can settle down to housecleaning, and before you do so call at Saunders & Son's and see their pretty wall-papers at astonishingly low prices. A full stock of Kalsomine, mixed paints, stove polish, carpet tacks, carpet lining and everything required in housecleaning. They have the reputation of being The cheapest house under the sun.

The Indian who put a single feather on the ground and lay on it, to get an idea of what a feather bed would feel like, was no smarter than the man who thinks to get an idea of Rhynas' stock by sample or price. The stock must be seen as a whole to be appreciated, and the prices that are asked must be considered relatively to quality, before it can be understood how moderate and reasonable they are.

BRIEFLETS.

C. A. Vanatter, of Stratford, spent Sunday last in Goderich.

Mrs McBride, of Blyth, has been visiting Mrs Geo. H. Old, West-st.

Mrs F. H. Spence, of Niagara Falls, is visiting her mother, Mrs Marlton.

Mrs Macara is again in town, having returned from her visit to Winnipeg.

Mr Wm Naftel, of Toronto, was in town during the week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Kiely and Master Kiely, of Toronto, are visiting relatives in town.

Dr McDonagh will be in Goderich for consultation on the first Saturday of every month.

Mrs N. Maddocks, of Detroit, Mich., is in town visiting her mother, Mrs W. Black, Elgin-st.

Messrs D. McDonald and P. Holt were away on a legal business trip to the county of Grey last week.

Mr Geo. F. Shepley, barrister, Toronto, was in town last week, settling up the estate of the late H. Macdermott.

The Misses Doyle, of the Park House, have returned from Sault Ste Marie, and are getting things in readiness for summer business.

The derrick in use at the new post office works fell on Thursday of last week, but fortunately no one received injury by the accident.

The harbor park pavilion, under contract by Mr Cumming, of Colborne, Tp. is now about completed, and will prove quite a boon to summer visitors.

Mr Chas Lee, son of our townsman, Mr Wm Lee, returned home from Newcastle last week. He appears to have fully recovered from his recent severe illness.

Dr M Nicholson, the West-st dentist, makes the preservation of the natural teeth a specialty. Gas administered from 9 a. m. for the painless extraction of teeth.

Arrangements are being made for holding a grand inauguration of the waterworks and a fireman's tournament in Goderich on July 1st. Full particulars will be given later on.

Rev Hamilton A. Wygle, a former pupil of Goderich High School, on his way home to Essex Centre, after completing his course at Victoria college, paid a brief visit to our town. He has obtained his B. A., and will be ordained in the early part of June.

A large number of the pupils of our schools had holidays during the present week since Wednesday last. Wednesday and Thursday a number of the teachers attended the convention at Exeter, and today (Friday) being the Queen's birthday, gave the pupils three days off.

A POPULAR INSTRUMENT.—A new scale Upright Pianoforte recently completed by Messrs Newcombe & Co., Toronto, is affording great satisfaction. It fills the requirements for a reliable instrument by a first class maker at a figure within the reach of all. Write them for particulars. tf

Mr M. Gow, of Fergus, was in town this week.

Mrs Buswell is visiting at the home of her mother, Hills Green.

Mr A. Dutton, of Stratford, was in town for a few days this week.

A Hullett farmer, who tied his horse to a tree in Clinton which it nibbled, was fined $1 and costs.

Miss Lyons, of Seaforth, niece of our townsman, Mr John Walker, died in Seaforth, last week, after a prolonged illness.

About fifty thousand envelopes have been disposed of at THE SIGNAL during the past four months, and we have a stock of upwards of fifty thousand in stock. Sizes, qualities and prices to suit all who use envelopes.

The Toronto *Empire* thus refers to Mrs Agnes Corlett Thomson, who will appear at the Aarinksen concert on Tuesday, May 28—: "Her singing last night of "Angels Ever Bright and Fair" and "Resignation" was pathetic and full of feeling, moving many of the audience to tears."

The local committee of the Orange body in this town are making strenuous exertions to make the reception of the Grand Supreme Lodge a success in every way. The Palace Roller Rink has been secured for the holding of the grand banquet on next Wednesday evening, and arrangements have been made by the town council to have the edifice brilliantly illuminated by electric light.

The New York *Herald* says of Mrs Corlett Thomson, who will take part in the Aarinksen concert, on Tuesday, May 28—: "Mrs Thomson came as a revelation and made a most remarkably successful debut. Her voice is clear, high and true. The audience became uproariously enthusiastic."

Rev Dr Ure will deliver a lecture next Thursday evening, May 30th, in Knox church, entitled "A trip to the Mother Land." The choir under the leadership of Mr Cooke will sing a hymn of the "Home Land," and several other appropriate selections. Mr H. I. Strang will preside. A silver collection will be taken at the door. Doors open at 7.30. Exercises commence at 8.

HOW TO BUILD UP A TOWN.—To build up a town, prevent any united effort of the people to push forward its development. Let everyone push in different directions, and oppose a union of forces, and the town will remain in the agony of death. Don't encourage any kind of industry or enterprise; that would be forcing things. Don't encourage anyone to locate and start a manufactory. Don't encourage your local paper, as it matters not whether your town and its attractions are known abroad. If an enterprise springs up in your locality, don't take any stock or give it any encouragement, rear back on your dignity, as you were never consulted. If any are thriving in business pull them down. By this way a town will boom. Oh, how it will boom!

At the opening of the 21st annual convention of Railway Conductors at Denver recently 1500 were present. Mr and Mrs Ausebrook and Miss Eva, of Goderich, and Mr and Mrs Dorsey, of Winnipeg, formerly of Goderich, were present. Conductor Ausbrook, with his wife and daughter, returned home on Wednesday evening from what has been a most enjoyable trip.

The Toronto *Mail* says of Mrs Agnes Thomson, who will sing at the Aarinksen concert on Tuesday, May 28:—"Her songs were rendered with much purity of expression and tone, and with a degree of artistic finish that was a measure of her earnestness and study of late. Her graceful execution of the fioriture created a perfect furore, applause and cries of bravo resounding from every part of the auditorium."

THE AARINKSEN CONCERT.—The concert to be given on the evening of Tuesday, May 28th, promises to be the best ever given in Goderich. No expense has been spared in securing the best talent, and the program to be given on the occasion is of the highest grade of vocal and instrumental music. Amongst those who will take part is the great Canadian cantatrice, Mrs Agnes Corlett Thomson, who is beyond question the leading lady singer of the Dominion, and she will be accompanied by the Toronto String Quartet, and Miss Annie Langstaff, another star of magnitude. A musical treat of no ordinary kind is in store for the people of Goderich on the 28th.

At the regular session of Huron Presbytery, which was held at Exeter on Tuesday 12th inst., Messrs J. S. Allen, town, and M. McGillivray, late of Elkhorn, Man. successfully passed their exams for mission work in connection with the Can. Presb. Church.

CALEDONIAN MEETING—A meeting of the members of Goderich Caledonian Society will be held in the office of Cameron, Holt and Cameron on Monday evening May 27th, for the annual election of officers, and other important business. A full attendance is requested.

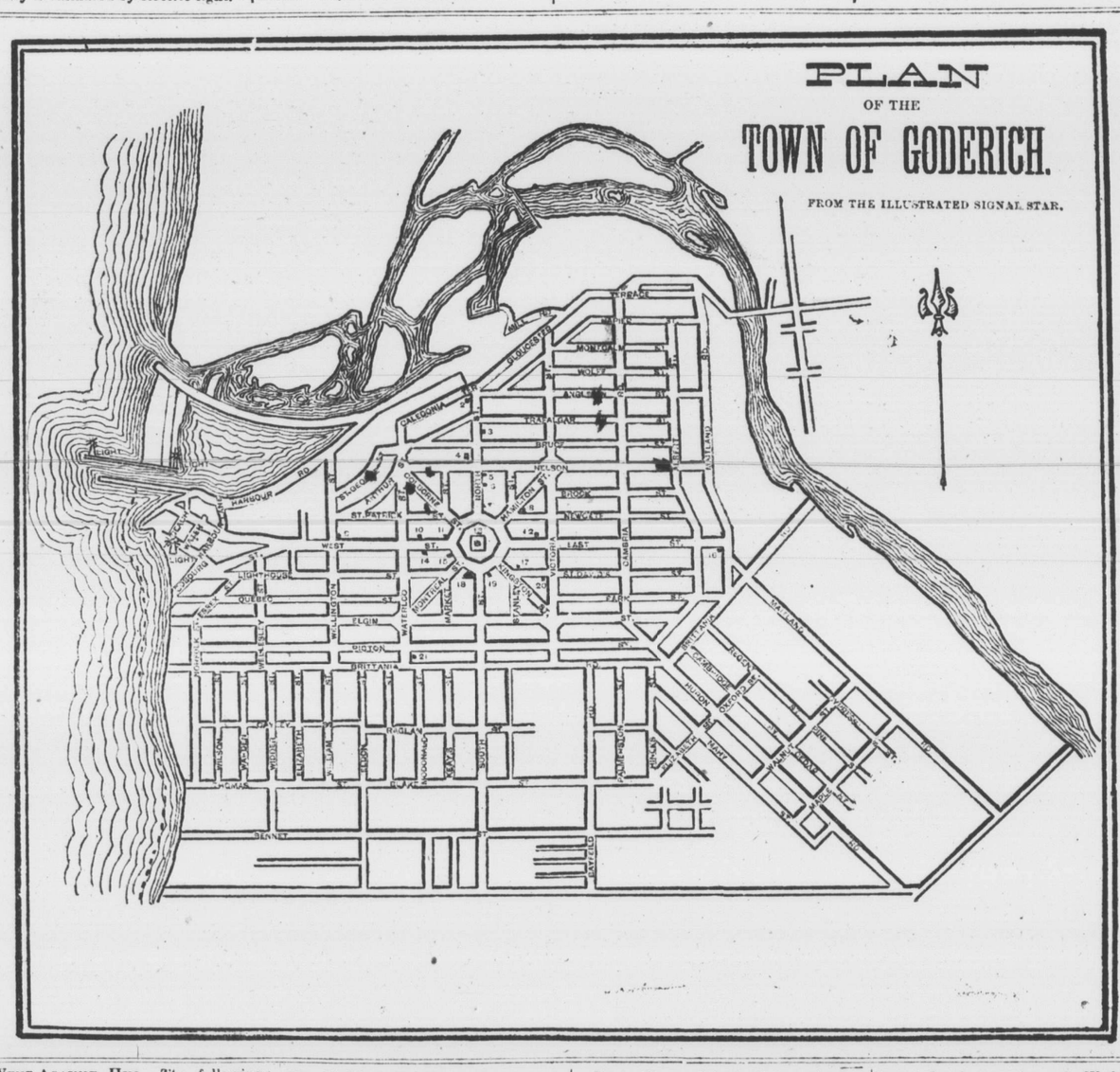
CRIMINAL COURT.—On Thursday morning, before his Honor Judge Doyle, James Hamill, *alias* "Whiskey Jim," pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny of a pair of shin boots from Jonathan Miller, and was remanded for sentence until Monday next.

WEST HURON FARMERS' INSTITUTE.—The next meeting of the West Huron Farmers' Institute will be held in Clinton on Wednesday and Thursday, June 5th and 6th, commencing at 1 p m., the first day. Amongst those who will be present and take part in the various discussions will be Hon. Chas. Drury, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, Prof. Robertson, of the Agricultural College, Guelph, A. McD. Allan, President of the Ontario Horticultural Society, John McMillan, M. P. for South Huron, and others. The election of officers for the ensuing year will take place at this session. Ladies are invited to all the meetings. On the evening of Wednesday, June the 5th, an attractive program will be presented, to which all are invited.

"THE ILLUSTRATED SIGNAL-STAR"—This handsome pamphlet, which has received strong encomiums from all qualified to judge, is now being rapidly placed in circulation. From newspaper men and artists we have already received flattering comments. It is quite true that, like everything else turned out by Goderich workmen, it has received unfavorable comment from one or two jaundiced persons, but up to date we have heard of no person competent to judge, from a literary, artistic or typographical training, who has done any carping. The publishers promised a good article, and the promise has been more than faithfully carried out. The people who decry the *Illustrated Signal-Star* were never known to help the town in any respect. The sale of the pamphlet has thus far exceeded our most sanguine expectations, and this fact is worth more to us than the barren opinion of any hypercritical nobody.

Judge Sinclair and wife, of Hamilton, are in town.

Last Friday while Jas. Blashill was carrying a pail of hot water at the Brussels slaughter house his foot slipped and he fell. The result was one of his arms was scalded and one side of his face also got a touch. He was laid up for several days.



WENT AGAINST HIM.—The following from the report of the Middlesex assizes has a local interest:—"Bixel vs. McDonagh was an action for libel brought by a firm of Strathroy brewers against Rev W. McDonagh, of the Front Street Methodist Church, Strathroy, who, in a sermon delivered Dec. 3, 1888, and advertised during the week as a sermon on municipal matters, had taken as his subject, 'How Barabas got out of jail.' There was a large congregation present, and the different statements claimed to have been made by the defendant, in the course of that sermon, are:—'What is beer? What is the filthy stuff made in the town? Made out of the dirty canal water at the back of the town? 'What is beer? Look at the pretty stuff made in this town—made out of the filthy creek water at the back of the town.' 'The beer that is manufactured at the brewery is made from the dirty, rotten water that flows through this canal'—pointing in the direction of the creek that flows north of the brewery. Mr Osler, for the prosecution, said that the action was brought to vindicate the character of the plaintiffs. Mr McDonagh would not retract the statement and so, to properly deny the statements, he asked the jury to decide whether a minister could or could not use his pulpit to slander his fellow citizens, whether or not they are on the same side of the temperance question with the minister. The jury gave a verdict for plaintiffs, for $30 and full costs. $5,000 was the amount claimed.

The Y. W. C. T. U. entertainment, which was to have been held on May 28th, has been postponed until Tuesday, June 4th, when an address will be given by Rev J. H. Simpson, of Brucefield, on "Woman's Work and Influence." A good musical program, under the supervision of Miss Wynn, has been provided.

The Horseman Publishing Co., Chicago, is after a fellow named Healey, who, it is stated has been travelling through Canada collecting subscriptions to their paper and making no returns. The circular from *The Horseman* says:—"That others of our friends who have not been victimized by this man may be on their guard against him, his description is given herewith: Between fifty and fifty-five years of age; he is about five feet six inches tall and looks like a man who would weigh 140 pounds, but really is heavier; gray eyes, dark brown hair well tinged with gray; moustache and whiskers of the same description, the latter worn short and close cut, in the form of side-burns. His hair is thin and bald on the crown of the head. His complexion is sallow and features rather pinched. He was born in Quebec, can speak French, and for fifteen years was a commercial traveler for ready-made clothing houses in Hamilton and Toronto. Almost every hotel-man in Canada knows him. If any of our friends meet this man, they will confer a favor upon us by telegraphing us at once at our expense."

Reeve Beck, of Saltford, has returned from his trip east. Some say he was in Ottawa with Mr. P. Kelly, of Blyth, anent the Goderich postmastership appointment, while others contend that he went no farther than Toronto.

OBIT.—An old and esteemed resident of the town departed this life on Sunday last, in Mr John Craig, who died at the residence of his son William. For something like forty-three years he had been a resident of Goderich, and was one of the old settlers. For a considerable period he had been indisposed, and of late his malady had assumed such serious complication that he was unable to take needed nourishment. The funeral took place to Maitland cemetery on Tuesday afternoon, and was largely attended.

MASONIC.—Right Worshipful Bro. J. Ross Robertson, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada, will visit Maitland Lodge No 33 at Goderich, on Thursday, the 6th of June, and will deliver to the Masonic Brethren his lecture entitled "Masonry 100 years ago in Canada." This will no doubt be a most enjoyable and interesting Masonic event. R. W. Bro. Robertson, being a masonic student of no mean order, and having devoted a large amount of time and money in masonic research, it is to be hoped that there will be a large turnout of the fraternity, as it is "without money or price". All visiting brethren are cordially invited to be present.

THE TOWN COUNCIL.

The Minutes of Last Semi-Monthly Meeting.

The council met last Friday evening, the 17th inst. All the members present except councillor Holt.

The mayor read a letter from Mr J. T. Garrow, Q.C., in regard to the legality of bonusing the Oake's Organ Co., of Clinton. His advice was to the effect that the statute in regard to the matter prohibited the town from bonusing this company. The matter was referred to the special committee.

A communication from the Reliance Electric Manufacturing Company was read, offering to furnish two 50-light dynamos and 40 arc lamps of 1000 candle power and change 35 of the town's arc lamps to the same current for one of the 35-light dynamos now in use and $1,600. Referred to special committee.

Moved by Humber, seconded by Colborne, that two electric lamps be placed in the roller rink for the use of the Grand Orange Lodge—Carried.

The village of Saltford offered to furnish $100 towards defraying the expense of placing two electric lamps, one at the Maitland bridge and another at the railroad bridge. Referred to waterworks committee, to be reported upon at next meeting of the council.

Mr H. W. C. Meyer, of Wingham, wrote to the council, asking the transfer of the charter for a branch of the C. P. Railway from Wingham in the possession of the town to him, promising to take immediate steps in the matter. On motion of deputy-reeve Smith, seconded by Nicholson, the matter was left with the mayor and reeves, with power to act.

A communication from the publishers of the *Illustrated Signal-Star* was read, asking the council for extras on the contract price, in consideration of the large increase in the size of the publication. Moved by reeve Proudfoot, seconded by councillor Smith, that it be left with the committee on pamphlet, with power to pay the sum contracted for, and to report as to the extras—Carried.

A petition from the residents of Palmerston street, asking for the extension of the drainage system on said street, was referred to the waterworks committee, as was also another from the residents of Cameron street, asking for the repairing of the drains.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The finance committee have examined the following accounts and recommend their payment upon being duly certified: R. P. Wilkinson & Co., $24 08; Wm Kirkbride, $21.15; Thos Sturdy, $9.90; S. T. Gibson, $25.29; Wm Holland, $24.75.

J. H. COLBORNE, Chairman.

The report was adopted.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid: Stevens & Burns, London, $33; Chrystal & Black, $140.25; B. MacCormac, $25 00; Stevens & Burns, $36. The accounts of Runciman Bros., for $32 72, and of the Doherty Mfg. Co, of Sarnia, for $36.45, were referred to the waterworks committee.

Moved by Nicholson, seconded by Cantelon, that the waterworks committee have power to secure the services of an expert for testing the steam pumps. Carried.

The council then adjourned.

HARBOR NOTES.

A Number of Items of Interest from the Lake Front.

The schooner Ariel, light, sailed north last week.

The schooner Pinafore sailed for Port Frank last week.

The fishing tug Silver Spray, with passengers from Kincardine, arrived in port on Sunday morning.

A new mainmast was placed in the schooner Ontario last week, and it is expected that she will be ready for sailing in a few days.

The schooner Dauntless, of Wallaceburg, with a cargo of coal for Mr J. S. Platt, arrived in harbor on Saturday afternoon.

The dredge Challenge, which is still working between the piers, lost some time the past week by rough weather.

The steamer Campana of the Beatty line made her usual call on Saturday and took on passengers and freight for Thunder Bay.

The steamer Ontario, of the Beatty line, arrived in port on Monday, and after discharging cargo and landing passengers, left for Sarnia.

The Beatty line steamer United Empire arrived on her regular trip last Wednesday morning, and after taking on passengers and freight left for Lake Superior.

The schooner Goldhunter, with a cargo of lumber, arrived in port last week. After discharging the Goldhunter took on a cargo of hay, and sailed for Serpent river on Wednesday.

Miss Lu Patterson, who has been in Solomon city, Kansas, for over a year, has returned to Clinton, preferring residence in Canada.

Mrs W B Dickson and Miss Kate Cormack are back to Brussels. They arrived there from Helena, Montana, on Wednesday evening, having visited relatives and friends at Chicago, Detroit, and London.