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LONDON AND DISTRICT

McGillivray Resident Dead.

Mr. Wm. Thompson died yesterday at his home on the first concession of McGillivray, after an illness of some days. Mr. Thompson was in his 82nd year. The funeral will be held Wednesday at two o'clock.

Reports Still Good.

The condition of Walter C. Barnett and "Colonel" Feeley, who were injured during the collision at Waterloo street last week between a Grand Trunk caboose and a Pere Marquette train, are both reported to be steadily improving at Victoria Hospital.

To Be Buried at Windsor.

The death occurred here on Sunday of Miss Emily Dehaene, a sister of Mrs. T. J. Eansor, of Windsor, who resided with her for about fifteen years. The deceased was for a long time an invalid. Ald. Eansor came to London yesterday and took the remains to Windsor for burial.

Farewell to Mr. Hamilton.

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Off For Toronto.

Ald. Cooper, Ald. Rose and Assessment Commissioner, to say good-bye to Toronto, where they will attend the annual convention of Ontario Municipalities, to which they are delegates. Ald. Moorhead, the other delegate, will leave tomorrow morning. The convention opens on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Vag Arrested.

James Graham, a vag from nowhere in particular, was arrested in the Grand Trunk yards last night on a charge of trespass, and is at present being held while the police investigate with a view of finding out if he is not connected with a theft of goods that took place, Graham says he is a sailor, and has been all over the world, but has no home in particular.

A Pleasant Time.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at Wonderland Camp, when the members of the Elks Club were entertained by Misses Flossie and Vera Simpson at Mrs. Long's tent, to a marshmallow roast and other refreshments, after a speech by Mrs. Long, and all peacefully wended their ways to their respective homes, feeling very grateful to the ladies for their hospitality.

McKinnon-Crowe.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Canon Smith, 629 Talbot street, on Wednesday last, when Miss Pearl Crowe, daughter of Mr. George Crowe, of North Dorchester, was married to Mr. Gordon L. McKinnon, of the same place. The ceremony was performed by Canon Smith, Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon will reside in North Dorchester, near Nileston.

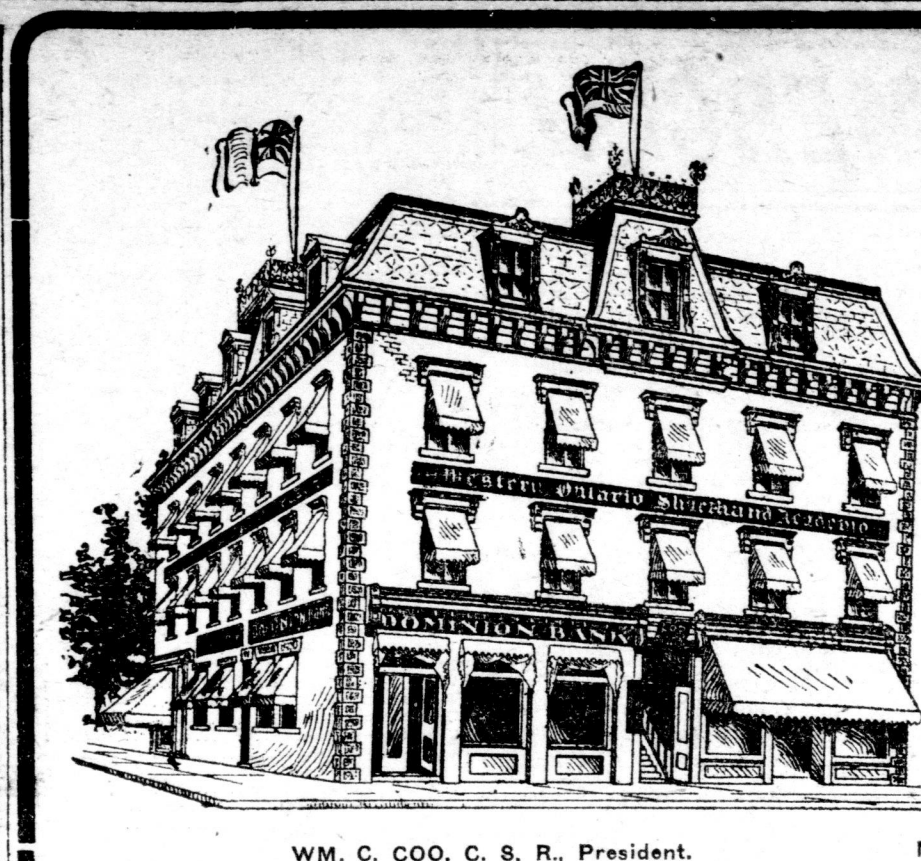
The Late Mrs. Jaynes.

The funeral of Mrs. Martha A. Jaynes, wife of Mr. Albert Jaynes, was held this afternoon at the family residence, lot 20, con. 3, London Township, to Melrose Cemetery, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Nixon, assisted by Rev. Mr. Shaw. Mrs. Jaynes died in Victoria Hospital recently, and besides her husband is survived by one son, Harold, and one daughter, Fay, at home, and six brothers and two sisters—Gordon, Iven, Raymond and Miss Sadie, at home; Mary, of this city, and Daniel, Walter and James, of Saskatchewan.

Will Consecrate Church.

There will be a service of special interest at the Mount Brydges Anglican Church on Sunday next, when the church will be consecrated by the Bishop of Huron. The service will take place at 2:30 o'clock. The bell, which was donated to the church by the parish of Christ's Church, Petrolia, will also be consecrated on this occasion. The bell was placed in position last week, and rung for the first time Sunday. It is expected that the appointment will be a very remarkable one, and he will be greatly missed when the time comes for him to return to his studies. On Sunday morning next the bishop will be at Delaware to conduct the confirmation services.

—Mrs. Quinn, of 274 Dundas street, will leave London for two weeks to attend the Canadian National Exhibition, and will represent there, as she does here, Woolnough Corsetiers, of Toronto. Ladies from London are sure of a cordial reception at their parlors in the manufacturers' building.



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AN OFFER FOR KLING.

Kansas City, Aug. 31.—John Kling, the Chicago National League Club's catcher, who refused to play this year, has received a telegram from Clarke Griffith, of the Cincinnati Club, accepting Kling's terms to go to Cincinnati. Kling said he made the figures high because he did not want to play Griffith asked him to wire assurance that he would report for duty next season.

Kling will think the matter over till tomorrow, and then take definite action.

COMPANY BLAMED

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Q.—That would give quite a jar? A.—No; my hand-lamp was standing on the top of the car and it did not upset.

Q.—What if it had been on top of the cars that were struck? A.—It would not have been upset, as the jar was not great.

Q.—Do you usually give warning of your approach? A.—No, not unless we see anybody working around, and then we whistle.

Coupling the Air-Brakes.

Q.—Do they usually couple these air-brakes while the train is being made up? A.—No.

Q.—You coupled the cars to those already there? A.—Yes.

Q.—Where was the engine cut off? A.—I don't know; possibly about six car lengths this way.

Q.—You were going fast enough to send the other string about half a car length ahead? A.—Yes.

Q.—Would it be possible for a man to be on the north side taking car numbers and you not see him? A.—Yes.

Q.—You did not see any lights? A.—No.

Q.—The train would pull out in a few minutes? A.—Yes.

Q.—Would you expect anyone to be working there? A.—No; not until the train was made up.

Henry Gilligan's Evidence.

Henry Gilligan, a yardman in the East End, stated that on the night of the accident he was helping to make up 418. When the cars were cut off the train was going very slowly, not more than two miles an hour. Witness did not see any lights about the section that was standing still. For some time it has been customary for the brakemen to couple the air-brakes.

Yardmaster John Cloughesy stated that neither brakeman, nor car inspector, nor any employee, was supposed to endanger his life in any way in order to get the cars coupled or uncoupled. They are always supposed to protect themselves before starting such work.

Q.—Do they take care, say, in the case in question, to protect themselves? A.—Rule 160 calls for a blue light to be placed on the front of the cars, in order to protect men working underneath. There is supposed to be a light at the other end also.

Q.—Would Shirley be supplied with such lights? A.—Yes, an hour, not go under a car without being protected in some way. If there were no blue lights I would have my mate go to the front of the train with his lantern, and watch.

Q.—That is not usually done? A.—The rules are violated if it is not done.

Q.—Say, in this case, if a man were found violating these rules, what would happen? A.—He would be brought before the trainmaster and fined.

Q.—If he were fined, would that endanger his own life and those of others? He would be liable to dismissal.

Q.—Are men often caught? A.—Quite often. Men are being dismissed every day for violating rules.

Q.—Don't you think it would be a very dangerous piece of work to couple trains while being made up without protection? A.—Yes, very dangerous. It should never be done.

Q.—The man took his life in his hands to go in and couple those bags. The company ask no one to do that.

Q.—It appears to be a common thing? A.—The men do it at their own risk, and not by any order of the company.

Q.—Are they forbidden? A.—Yes, by rule 160.

The coroner read the rule, which states that every car, engine or train having a blue flag by day or a blue light at night must be protected.

Witness explained that after any employee has protected himself by rule he can get on and do his work.

Q.—Is it an acknowledged fact among railroad men that if the Grand Trunk rules were carried out the system would be tied up in two weeks? asked the coroner.

Only Talk.

"That is only talk. The trouble is that many of the men get careless and imagine they are out in a farmer's field. You or I or any other sane man would not do the things that they very often do."

"It seems to be quite a common thing for employees to violate the rules without any punishment."

"If they take those chances, it is up to them."

"From the evidence not a man seems to be carrying the rules out."

NEWBURY.

Newbury, Aug. 28.—Wednesday was Civic Holiday in our village, and it was spent very quietly, as a day of rest to many. Some went to the Alboro Old Boys' picnic at New Glasgow.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Robinson have returned to Detroit after a pleasant visit with relatives here.

Miss Susie Foster has returned to her home in Detroit after a very pleasant visit here.

Miss Ella Gillespie left on Tuesday for her home in Oakville, after a month's visit here.

Mrs. Thos. Andrews and Miss Bessie have returned to their home in Bothwell, after a pleasant week's visit with Mrs. R. K. Jeffery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell and baby have returned to their homes in St. Thomas, after a very pleasant week's visit with their parents here.

A large crowd of young men left the parts of the harvesters' excursion on Aug. 23.

Mrs. Foley, sen., has returned to her home here, after a pleasant visit with her daughter in Dresden.

Miss Carrie Fenby, of the Wesleyan Hospital, Chicago, and Miss Vivian Fenby, nurse, of Hamilton, are spending their vacation with their father, Mr. Fenby.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Irene Whittaker, of Windsor, to Mr. John S. Stevenson. The wedding will take place in the Central Methodist Church, Windsor, Sept. 8.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Jameson entertained the teachers and scholars of Knox Church Sunday School on Friday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Lowe, of London, were the guests of Mrs. C. Tucker on Saturday.

Mr. Nelson Root and bride, of Windsor, are visiting Mr. Root, sen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose, of Walkerville, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Root for a week.

ARKONA.

Arkona, Aug. 31.—Plums are now ready. Parties wanting plums by the bushel measure can get their supply at the orchards of E. D. Morningstar and Edward Richter, Arkona. Prices reasonable.

THE "CANDLE TREE."

One of the wonders of the vegetable kingdom is undoubtedly the "candle tree" of Panama, known to botanists as *Parmentaria cerifera*. This tree produces from its stem and older branches a great profusion of yellowish, cylindrical, smooth fruits, twelve to sixteen inches long, which appear exactly like wax candles, as the botanical name implies. So close is this resemblance that travellers, seeing the tree for the first time, are liable to be temporarily puzzled as to whether the candles of shops are made in factories or grown on trees. The candlelike fruits are suspended from the branches and bare stem by short, slender stalks; dangling in the air, they readily give the impression of the chandelier's shop.

As night falls and the numerous fireflies move among the fruit this impression is intensified. The inexperienced traveller is not infrequently informed that the fireflies perform the duty of lighting up these "candles" at night when light is required by the denizens of the jungle.—Strand Magazine.

THE HEAVIEST RINGING BELL.

Grandison, the famous tinner of the bell of bells in Exeter Cathedral, had a narrow escape from disaster.

It was being rung during the Whitsuntide when a bolt which kept the clapper in position came out owing to the displacement of a pin. The result was that the clapper, which weighs well on to two hundred pounds, also came out, and fell as the bell was swinging. A good stout floor prevented the clapper from going into the ringing chamber below, where there were fifteen or sixteen ringers. The clapper was knocked clear by the bell itself, and beyond slight chipping of the lip, Grandison suffered no damage.

The bell is the heaviest used for ringing in the world, and has only once been rung single-handed through a pulley, the ringer in that case being Mr. W. Fye, of London. Grandison weighs 7,200 pounds, and if the stock be included, something like four tons. The bells had not been rung for a twelve-month, owing to repairs to the tower, and the present mishap is therefore particularly unfortunate.—London Standard.

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PASSION FOR WORK DISRUPTS A HOME

Julius Rubowitz Complains His Wife Keeps All Yonkers in Apple Pie Order.

New York, Aug. 30.—Unless you permit me to put handcuffs on my wife, Fannie, I will never be happy again," was the way Julius Rubowitz, of Clinton street, Yonkers, pleaded with Acting Judge Holmstrom in the Yonkers City court to restrain his wife from doing the work of the entire neighborhood. Between robs Julius told the court how his wife's abnormal appetite for hard work had wrecked their domestic happiness.

"At first she was satisfied to sit up with a sick friend or make a dress for a neighbor," said Julius, "but now she is branching out. As soon as she runs out of work I'm afraid she'll start running to fires and doing police duty."

"But she takes good care of your home, doesn't she?" asked the court.

"Yes, and everybody else's home, too. It's a marionette with her. Any time she hasn't got a couple of carpets to beat she gets so peevish I can't talk to her. She washes the clothes for the entire neighborhood, and has the whole street polished. She'll walk three miles to help a family to move. I simply can't stand it. Neighbors have got so now they call me down if she forgets to do something."

In all, it was one of the strangest cases that a court has ever been called upon to straighten out. Mrs. Rubowitz had her husband summoned to court for throwing their best china at her. She said it was very discouraging to go out and earn six dollars and then have one's husband fracture eleven dollars' worth of crockery. Then it was that Julius unfolded his tale.

"Why did you break the dishes?" asked Judge Holmstrom.

"I want to keep her busy in her own house for a few minutes, your honor. That's the only way I can do it. Since she got the voluntary sentence at hard labor she does her own housework before daylight. She has three or four washings done before I leave the hay."

"The only way I can get her to stay home a few minutes at night is to drop the dishes on the floor. While she is picking up the pieces I beg her to quit polishing up the neighborhood and let me support her. She says she can't stop now, and I believe her."

"It's a wonder she spares time to sleep," said the court.

"She even keeps busy then," said Julius. "She does crocheting work with her eyes closed. She's crocheting an overcoat for me, so she can't keep still in here."

All hands looked in the direction indicated, and saw Mrs. Rubowitz polishing the handle of the judge's door.

It was humming a tune and seemed to enjoy her work. Rubowitz's wife got the craze from housework for a couple of friends.

"What you both need is a good sleep," said Judge Holmstrom. "You will be happy. Your wife has a rare case. If it were contagious there are thousands of married men who would pay you handsomely to place her where their wives might be inoculated."

If you have fallen do not lose courage, for you may yet rise. If you stand, do not become too arrogant; you are not dead yet, and you may fall seven times.

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