

higher guiding principle than his own material judgment, and must be fully amenable to the governing principles of Christian morality—which a man lacking in conscientious principles can never be. Witness the disgraceful admission in England of Bradlaugh, the self-avowed atheist—the shocking and standing insult to the God and to the religious convictions of a Christian people. What guarantee can such a people have from a man who acknowledges no other motive principle than the axioms which govern his material nature? Such men as he and men of the Bob Ingersoll stamp are, in our estimation, the greatest villains that walk God's earth. We can understand a man's falling into excesses—through the passions to which all poor humanity is akin—but we never can understand how a man, and particularly a man endowed with intellect—can look around on this broad and fair creation and be inaccessible to the wonderful wisdom and harmonic beauty displayed by its primary originator—God. How he can dare set up the judgment of his puny intellect against the fountainhead of science and of light. Such men sweep the last plank from under the already sinking wretch and engulf him in worse than the darkness of Egyptian night. See to it, Canadians, that you tender your support to no man who would follow such a precedent, or to no man, who would, by his influence, support any law subversive of moral integrity, and particularly that cursed divorce law, which would not only eventually prove the moral shipwreck of our country, but degrade your mothers, wives and daughters, and throw them back into pagan nothingness. And you women of Canada, whose influence in many cases is unbounded, will you be silent in such a cause? But we forget; our emotions have caused us to slightly digress, though the subjects are intimately connected; but to return to political integrity. The true interests of Canada, according to his light, should be the motto for every politician—irrespective of his party prejudices—and to such measures should he ever and under all circumstances tender his warmest support.

HAMILTON.

NEWSPAPER JOTTINGS.

The *Times* hits the *Globe* over the knuckles pretty hard when the latter asks if the new Custom House proposed to be built in Hamilton is "really wanted." When we consider that Toronto has recently obtained an expensive post office and custom house, the characteristic greed and jealousy of the "Queen City" is clearly manifest in that impudent question. Says the *Times*: "It may be that the treasury is empty, and that the country is hard up, but so long as the government can afford to sink public money in trying to make the mud-hole in front of Toronto navigable, so long can nothing but brazen impudence protest against the erection in Hamilton of suitable buildings for the transaction of public business." Toronto clamored until she got the required building, and now coolly hints that no other place needs any. The *Globe* in this instance has acted a good deal like the Boston man who asked a friend in the Senate at Washington to send him a dozen copies of the late congressional proceedings, and then immediately abolish the franking privilege.

The same paper calls the recent university appointment "sacrificing at the shrine of snobbery." We fear there is as much truth as "apt alliteration" in this statement, for the Minister of Education certainly could not have been in earnest when he said that the University had not turned out a graduate fit for the position. In any case he has not won the affections of University men.

TEMPERANCE NOTES.

The promise of fine weather held out on the morning of the excursion of the Father Mathew Society did not develop into actuality. The storm chief began to marshal his hosts towards mid-day, and about 3 p. m. pelted down cold water with unsparring vigor and in unstinted quantities. Those who went down to Oakville in the morning and had made considerable progress with the picnic, were driven from the field to the town hall, where Nelligan's string band kept the young people treading the mazes of the stately quadrille during the rest of the afternoon. Those who took the afternoon boat had to keep under cover nearly the whole distance, but though they failed to enjoy the trip down, yet they managed to obtain a fair share of amusement after their arrival. The rain at length, as if in admiration of the people's determination to enjoy themselves, and that of the committee to carry on the business, ceased in time for the latter to finish the games and sports. The return home was made in one trip; and with as much comfort as could be expected among so numerous a gathering, the number on board being no less than seven hundred.

Hamilton is stricken with the prohibition fever. Men, women and children are alike seized with it, and the type is of the very strongest kind. Inoffensive travellers and peaceful citizens are hourly button-holed on the street, and conundrums with "How are you on the Scott Act?" The city goes up to Dundurn Park on certain evenings and listens for hours to the rival champions, comes back more inflamed than ever, and goes to bed to dream about King Dods, Prof. Foster, British rights and crooked whiskey.

In the matter of taking sides on the Scott Act question, the *Times* is dubious; the *Spectator* decided. The *Times* chief cautiously holds aloof from editorial discussions; but the *Spectator* editor comes out bold and defiant, flings his gauntlet

square into the face of the Scott Act supporters, and in doing so seems to say that he doesn't care three straws about any man among them, and very few women.

STREET CORNERS.
Hamilton, like all other cities, has its full complement of young men and boys who stand about the corners of the streets, much to the annoyance of law-abiding citizens. Philanthropists, however, could bear the annoyance if they thought that the results of these nightly gatherings would not be prejudicial to the morals of the young persons themselves. But every intelligent person knows that the street corners are schools most eminently successful in the corruption of innocence. The process of demoralization there is very insidious. A boy of twelve years begins by playing an innocent game with other boys beyond the reach of parental control. He hears the profane and obscene language of his comrades older than himself, and though the moral lessons taught him at home or in school cause him to refrain from immediately participating, yet constant repetition produces its usual effect. The boy learns to swear, chew tobacco and smoke; and his primary education being thus completed, he is promoted to a fixed station at the corner, where he may be seen night after night taking more advanced lessons in depravity and acting a monitor to his juniors, where he learns to drink as well as perfect himself in the use of tobacco; where his every argument is profaned by some terrible oath, or made disgusting by some filthy expression; where he speaks of his hardworking father as "the old man" and of his tender-hearted mother as "the old woman," and learns that it is the supremacy of smartness to be abusive to both, and finally where he is taught to look upon Sunday school as something beneath him, and attendance at religious duties so much gall and wormwood. It is not hard to foretell the prospects of such a youth. No one ever heard of the average street corner graduate becoming an ornament to society. He is seldom of any use to himself; he frequently graces the police court calendar, sometimes gets as far as the penitentiary, and in almost every instance shames his family and brings sorrow to the hearts of his parents.

Many a parent, shocked and grieved at the vices of his son, wonders how he has become so wicked, and seeks to shift the blame from his own shoulders by saying: "My boy never saw anything bad in me; I always set him a good example." Even if all this be true, that parent forgets that he failed to teach his boy his duty and make him practice from the example set; that he, by his neglect out of school, and what that boy's teacher did for him in school; and that he deferred placing any restraint upon his son's actions until he had got beyond his control, and then he became alive to the lamentable fact that it was too late. Parents, keep your boys from the street corners; provide them with healthy and profitable amusement, free from contaminating influences; take them with you to Sunday school and church, and then with the good example you speak of, and the practice of their religious duties, you will not have to complain that your boys are so bad, and wonder why they are so. There is a certain amount of labor about all this, to be sure, but will you begrudge it when, after years of patient training, you look upon your son, grown up into manhood, whose irreproachable life does you credit, and who will afterwards honor your memory when you are in your grave? On the other hand, the saving of a little present trouble will be a poor set-off against the anguish with which your wicked son has filled your soul—a son whose conduct is a reproach to your neglect, and a cloud of darkness to pall the sunset of your life.

OAKVILLE ITEMS.

Oakville is a tidy little town of some 2000 inhabitants. It is pleasantly situated in Halton county, on the shore of the lake, and is attractive in summer time on account of its shady groves and pretty green avenues.

It has two foundries, one planing mill, basket works, tannery, carriage shop, and six hotels. There are also two grist mills, one costing \$40,000, the other \$30,000. It will be seen from this that Oakville must be quite a stirring little town when all these establishments are in full blast.

Oakville, being the centre of a large Catholic district, has necessarily a Catholic Church and a Separate School. Rev. Fr. O'Rielly is the parish priest.

The streets of Oakville, though few in number are models of cleanliness—a fact worthy of note to many an older and larger place.

DUNDAS ITEMS.

The returns for the picnic on Dominion Day in aid of the House of Providence are about complete. The net sum amounts to the neighborhood of \$1500.

Improvements are still in progress at the House of Providence, and are estimated to amount in the end to about \$8000. Every addition and alteration that is being made is a necessity warranted by the nature of the institution.

Messrs. Bowman and Casey are the contractors for the carpenter work, Mr. T. Hickey for the brickwork and masonry, and Mr. P. Brady for the tinwork. As the works proceed, the critical eye cannot fail to notice its good quality. This, however, was to be expected, from the reputation of the contractors. No gingerbread work here or gimcrack workmanship; everything solid, substantial and well finished.

CROPS AND MARKETS.

Wheat, it is complained, is coming into market rather prematurely. Experts say that it has not yet sufficiently hardened, and being moist still, will, when housed up, become musty. Nevertheless, on Saturday last wheat of this kind managed to obtain 90c. to \$1.00; old white, red and spring went for equal prices, viz: \$1.00, and oats 38c. to 40c.

The hay and wood market was stronger than it has been for some time back. Hay brought \$9 to \$10 per ton, and straw \$4.00; No. 1 wood, \$4.50 per cord, No. 2, \$3.50 and No. 3, \$3.00.

The James Street market had its usual large attendance, both of buyers and sellers. Beef, per lb., 4½c. to 5c.; mutton 6c. to 6½c.; lamb 6c. to 7c.; veal 4½c. to 5c.; chickens, per pair, 40c. to 50c.; ducks 50c. to 60c.; butter per lb. 18c. to 20c.; eggs per doz. 11c. to 12c.; corn per doz. 8c.; potatoes per bush. 50c.; apples 75c. to \$1.00; tomatoes per qt. 12c. to 15c.; onions per bunch 3c.; cabbage per doz.

40c.; red currants 4c. and black do. 8c. per qt.; peas per pk 15c.; beets per doz. 20c.; carrots 20c.

LILLIS' NEW FACTORY.

Mr. John S. Lillis is one of our most enterprising young business men and is making rapid strides in a prosperous direction. He has, within the short space of five years, risen from the bench to be an extensive and wide-dealing cigar manufacturer. Mr. Lillis has constructed a large three-story factory of brick on James st., capable of employing thirty hands, and fully equipped with all requisites of a bonded warehouse. Besides this he has another large two-story brick building which answers the purposes of office, salerooms and dwelling. This is another evidence of the happy results of "Honesty, Industry and Perseverance."

VARIETIES.

The Hamilton Board of Works are practical jokers. If you ask them, when the weather is wet, why they do not fix the crossings, they will tell you that they can't work to advantage in rain and mud. Put the same question to them on a dry day and they will answer that the crossing don't need fixing then. Can the Danbury man beat that?

Only 19 out of 57 candidates for third class teachers passed in this city at the recent county examinations. The examiners say that there was not enough latitude allowed by those who set the papers, especially in mathematics, and consequently did not fairly test the knowledge of the candidates. This, however, makes it all the more creditable for those who passed. After this year County Boards no longer exist, and some people say "it's a good job."

The Provident and Loan Society's building is rapidly approaching completion. Thus far it is a fine specimen of architecture, and, when finished, will be one of the noblest ornaments in our city.

An improvement on a smaller scale is the putting up of two lamps in front of our new Court House. A local reporter suggests that the corporation make a specific bargain with the Gas Company to light these every night, and not on those nights only when the calendar says that the moon will not shine.

Professional burglars would starve in Hamilton. Therefore we have no local firms in the "jimmy" business, and even a travelling company don't make its expenses. An amateur party, the other night, practised their apprenticeship hands on three wholesale houses here, and obtained the magnificent sum of 38 cents—all in coppers. Judging by the amount of petty destruction which they committed, they must have gone away "awful mad."

Crossing the beach early on a fine summer's morning is one of the most pleasant little trips that Hamiltonians take. On one side are the waters of the lake, sparkling under the rays of the rising sun and just commencing to break their glassy smoothness before the gentle breathing of the eastern breeze; on the opposite side pretty little Burlington Bay narrowing off to the west, with the city in the distance, and Barton Mountain in the background, looking extremely beautiful under the early light. The balmy air, too, refreshing and invigorating, helps to make the scene doubly enjoyable.

A local reporter boldly states that the people who "aver they saw two rain-bows" one evening last week, must have drunk "too much of the wrong kind of stuff." Wonder how he knows what kind of stuff and how much of it it is necessary to take in order to see two rain-bows at once.

Another account of the outrage referred to last week on the young Halton farmer claims that the whole thing was a put up job by the alleged victim himself. His name is Vollock, and he reiterates that the original statement is true. The matter is now a question of veracity between him and very reliable gentlemen from the same neighborhood.

Herr A. Langenhahn, otherwise known as Prof. H. A. Wilkens, and referred to by your correspondent in a former letter, has taken his departure for Europe. The *Times* pays a high compliment to the artistic ability of Herr Langenhahn.

CLANCAILL.

WINDSOR.

A High Mass was celebrated on Monday last in thanksgiving for the grand success of the Sandusky excursion. Though the expenses were great, amounting to \$500 in all, still \$300 clear profit was realized. These proceeds are to be devoted to the embellishment of the Cemetery, which it is hoped will in a few years equal if not surpass the beauty of the one belonging to the other churches of the town.

A WELCOME VISITOR.

We were pleased to have a call from Rev. Father Colovin, C. S. C., of Notre Dame, Indiana, on Monday last. He preached a most eloquent discourse at High Mass in the Cathedral on Sunday. Many, indeed were there in our midst who were delighted to see once more amongst them, even for a brief period, this good priest, who was the warm friend and companion of some of our best citizens in the years long gone by. Father Colovin is one of the many young Londoners who have distinguished themselves in other places as good and talented priests.

OBITUARY.

It is our painful duty to announce the death of Madame Elizabeth O'Dwyer, Religious of the Sacred Heart, who peacefully breathed her last at the Sacred Heart Convent, Dundas street, on Thursday, 22nd inst. A Requiem High Mass was celebrated at nine a. m., on Saturday, at which the sorrowing relatives and a number of sympathizing friends assisted. Immediately after the last Gospel, His Lordship Bishop Walsh pronounced a brief, but most appropriate and touching discourse. Very Rev. Dean Murphy and Father Flannery rendered efficient services in the choir. About 10.30 a. m., the funeral procession left the grounds and slowly proceeded to the cemetery, where in the remains were interred. Requiescat in pace.

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CORRECTION.—In the list of receipts for ecclesiastical education, published in the last number, the sum of \$27 from Father Boulat, Ingersoll, was omitted by mistake.

C. M. B. A. NOTES.

To Councils and Branches of the C. M. B. A.

You are hereby officially notified of the death of the following named brothers, who were, at the time of their death, entitled to all the benefits of the Association.

Deaths Nos. 10 and 11, Assessment No. 7: Michael Ronan, of Branch 20, Buffalo, N. Y., died on the 22nd day of April aged 32 years; cause of death, "heart disease." Anthony Killenger, of Branch 15, Buffalo, N. Y., died on the 29th day of April, aged 45 years; cause of death, "accidental drowning." The beneficiary due on the death of Michael Ronan will be paid by surplus. One Assessment required. Be prompt in remitting.

At a late meeting of Branch No. 7, Sarina, a resolution of condolence to Bro. O'Dette, on the death of his two children, was passed.

On and after the 1st of August, 1880, all medical examiners of the C. M. B. A. must receive their appointment from the Grand President. Branches, after that date, have no power to appoint medical examiners, and present C. M. B. A. Medical Examiners shall cease to be such after that date unless re-appointed. (See late order of Supreme President.)

S. R. Brown, Esq., London.—Dear Sir and Brother,—At the last regular meeting of Branch No. 5, the resignation of Rec- Sec. D. J. O'Connor (occasioned by his removal from this city to Stratford,) was read and accepted. After the election of J. C. Sullivan as his successor, the following resolution was unanimously carried. Moved by the Chancellor and seconded by the Second V. P., That whereas, our Recording-Sec., Bro. D. J. O'Connor, has been removed from our city to fill a higher position in Stratford, the officers and members of this branch beg to tender Bro. O'Connor their warmest thanks for the service he has rendered it during the tenure of his office, and at the same time beg to intimate to him their sincere pleasure at his promotion. It was further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Bro. O'Connor, and one to the CATHOLIC RECORD for publication. The Chancellor, in moving this resolution, testified at the same time, to the fact that the great progress this branch has made since its formation is mainly due to the efforts of Bro. O'Connor, he being one of the first twelve who formed the branch and having since that time very successfully filled the position which he resigned on Monday last. Yours truly,

J. C. SULLIVAN,

Recording-Sec.

Brantford, July 17th, 1880.

THE CATHOLIC WORLD.

We have before us the August number of the Catholic World, which is up to its usual standard of excellence. It opens with an able article by John MacCarthy: Is Canossa? which is followed by an interesting account of a group of Roman Sanctuaries, and an article entitled Elementary Education in England. Nugent Robinson's My Raid into Mexico still keeps up its readable interest. Then follows the Count of Hapsburg (poem), from Schiller; a description of the famous Passion Play, Irish F mine, Sunrise (a Poem) by Edith Cook, Genesis of the Catholic Church, chap. v, by the Rev. A. F. Hewit, and concludes with Chaucer and his Circle, by Maurice F. Egan. The book can be obtained from D. & J. Sadler & Co., Montreal, \$4.00 per annum. Single copies, thirty-five cents.

GODERICH.

The picnic of Father Waters' congregation, to be held on the 19th, promises to be one of the most successful events of the season. At a recent meeting of the ladies of the parish, arrangements were made for carrying out everything in connection with the affair in the most elaborate manner. It is probable there will be very few of the Catholic people of Goderich who will not avail themselves of this occasion to enjoy a day of amusement and relaxation from every-day cares.

The many friends of M. C. Cameron, Q. C., M. P. P., in this county, will be glad to learn that the wounds he received on the 13th inst., from being badly bitten by a vicious dog, are healing nicely, having been cauterized by Dr. McLean. The dog exhibited no rabid symptoms, so that all fears of a serious issue were fortunately allayed. Mr. Cameron was incapacitated from attending to the duties of his office for a few days.

MISSION OF ST. CLEMENT.

Rev. Father Schneider has taken charge of St. Clements mission, (McGregor P. O.), in the County of Essex. Father Schneider was introduced to the people of his new charge by Rev. Father Grand, of Amherstburg, a good priest who deserves every credit for the rapid advance he has made in the interests of Catholicity in the mission now placed in charge of Father Schneider. It possesses a handsome frame church, capable of accommodating 400 persons.

BLYTH AND WINGHAM.

The people of the mission in charge of Rev. Father O'Connor had the pleasure on Sunday last of listening to a rare intellectual treat. On that day Rev. Father O'Mahony, of the Cathedral, delivered a lecture on "Popular Objections to Catholicity" in Blyth, repeating the same at Wingham in the evening. Immense crowds of people, the majority of whom were Protestants, thronged the churches on each occasion. Never before had they such an opportunity of hearing explained some of the principal dogmas of Catholicity. In clear and forcible language the lecturer explained away many of the ridiculous impressions prevailing among our separated friends regarding Catholicity. These lectures of Father O'Mahony will undoubtedly be productive of much good and the wish was freely expressed that he would deliver others of a similar nature at no distant day.

St. Mary's, Roman Catholic Church, Hamilton, is to be improved and beautified internally.

LOCAL NEWS.

Tuesday afternoon while a farmer of the second concession, Westminster, was mowing, he became entangled in the machinery, breaking the small bone of his right arm and injuring the other bone in several places. Amputation is considered necessary, but has been deferred.

Mrs. J. J. Skiffington will open a magnificent stock of millinery goods in the store next door to Reid Bros., Dundas street, on Saturday, 31st. Dress-making will also be attended to in the usual prompt and careful manner. A large stock of fancy goods will be kept on hand, and sold at lower prices than in any other store in the city.

Mr. Thos. Keating, now of St. Thomas, whose marriage notice we have inserted in this week's issue—was formerly a member of the London Father Mathew Temperance Society. He was well and favorably known here, and will, we are sure, carry with him, for himself and amiable bride, the good wishes of all his friends. We hope that they will both enjoy, in the new life on which they have entered, every possible felicity.

We are sorry to have to announce the departure from the city of Mr. Wm. Rowan, who has for the past eight years occupied a position on our police force. He leaves for Kansas city, where he purposes residing for the future. Mr. Rowan made many friends during his residence in London, and we feel sure all will join with us in wishing him a hearty "God Speed" in his journey. He has been a member of the Father Mathew Temperance Society since its foundation.

On Saturday night the stores of Mr. A. B. Powell and four others were burglarized in a most daring manner. Examination of the first mentioned gentleman's premises showed that the burglar was barefooted and must have gone out in the same way he entered, and running along the roofs entered in the same manner successively the stores of Messrs Wright, hardware; Kingsmill, dry goods; N. Wilson, clothing; and R. S. Murray. In Powell's he obtained \$5, in Kingsmill's \$8.00, in R. S. Murray's a quantity of coppers and 75 cents worth of stamps, and from Mr. Wilson's all the money, but left a magnificent revolver by the side of the cash box. So far no clue has been obtained of the thief. Another attempt, Friday night last, which, however, was disturbed by the officer on beat, took place at Nordhemier's music store, under the Oddfellows' Hall.

THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

To the Editor of the Catholic Record.

DEAR SIR—I believe it was the famous Mrs. Grundy—or was it Dickens' notable character, Amintah Sleek?—who said: "The smallest favors thankfully received." However that may be, the same feeling still lives in your correspondent from Ottawa, who styles himself "A Catholic Civil Servant," very "civil" indeed, but to my mind somewhat too much of the "servant." Says this very civil servant: "You forget that in the list of appointments referred to, there was one Irish Catholic; true, he is not a Deputy Head of Department, but it is pretty well understood that in matters of this kind the Secretary is a very important factor, and has considerable weight with the commissioners," in other words, my masters' masters must be manipulated in an indirect manner.

Out upon such cringing servility: the Irish Catholics of this dominion are represented in the really responsible positions of the Departments by a Secretaryship, and your "Catholic Civil Servant" says "Rest and be thankful!"

Is it any wonder that the elements alluded to are treated in the manner they are when such creatures are to be found amongst them, although I may be mistaken in this latter assertion, as your correspondent very carefully abstains from classing himself as Irish.

And now may I ask a civil question of this very civil servant? Is it not to his knowledge that there are circumstances connected with the gentleman whom he names, or, rather, are not that gentleman's connections such as would have secured him the very high and important position of Secretary, independent of his nationality or religion—*thigann the, my dear civil servant?*

Oh! that the Irish Catholics of the Dominion at large would be united in their demand for fair play, frowning down the servility of a few "Jacks in office," is the wish of Yours truly,

HALIFAX.

P. S.—And yet another Secretary! Heretofore we have had to deal with a Secretary to a commission to enquire into the working of the civil service, "inside" and "outside," but now we are called upon to console ourselves with the fact that another Irishman, (a good one, by the way, but yet not an Irish Catholic,) has been constituted an "important factor" in the Pacific Railway Commission, "my masters' masters again"—Rest and be thankful! I am a Conservative, but party does not blind me. H.

A MATTER FOR INQUIRY.

To the Editor of the CATHOLIC RECORD.
DEAR SIR,—The "glorious twelfth" was duly celebrated at the Capital, Fredericton, by the usual amount of bad music, worse whiskey, nonsensical speeches, and the display of yellow and scarlet finery.

Who it is that is responsible for the use of a Provincial building being given then for their nonsensical pow-wow, is a question that, it is to be hoped, will be enquired into by some independent member when the Legislature meets. A building specially erected for the display of agriculture and other peaceful products was certainly never intended for the blood-stained Orange order.

The flying of an Orange flag over the Intercolonial Railway buildings at Moncton, on the same occasion, also deserves being attended to; and no doubt an enquiry will be made of the minister of Railways when Parliament meets. It would be outrageous even to suppose that the act was sanctioned by him.

On the other hand, the action of Governor Wilmet in, refusing to receive an "address" from the Orangemen, redounds much to his credit—if it be true. Certain it is, I believe, that an intimation to that effect was given him, but he took his departure from the city some days in advance—and thus saved the fair name of NEW BRUNSWICK.

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT.

Point-a-Pie, July 21.—Mr. Archer, lumber merchant of Quebec, started out to-day for a sail with his two sons. After being out some time, the wind being squally, the boat upset and all were precipitated into the water. Mr. Archer and one of his sons clung to the boat; the other, his eldest son, Augustus, said he would swim for shore, and in doing so it is supposed that he either took cramps or got caught in the fisheries and was drowned. A boat was signalled on the bay, containing Mr. McLean and a boy named Charles McLamont, who at once went to the capsized boat and rescued Mr. Archer and his youngest son. The remains of Augustus Archer were found and conveyed to Quebec on Friday, the 23rd. High Mass was celebrated in the Basilica, and a large number of the most prominent men of the city followed the remains to St. Patrick's cemetery.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

Those having a horse and desirous of a good business should notice the U. S. Mop Wringer Company's advertisement in another column.

NEW BOOT AND SHOE STORE IN ST. THOMAS.—Pocock Bros. have opened out a new boot and shoe store in St. Thomas. They intend to carry as large a stock as any store in Ontario. This will enable all to get what they want, as every known style and variety will be kept on hand in large quantities, a new feature for St. Thomas. Prices will be very low to suit the present competition. Give them a call.

A MCKENZIE, importer and wholesale dealer in foreign and domestic fruits, smoked fish, game, oysters, etc., City Hall buildings, Richmond street, London, Ont.
If you have a cold, get a bottle of Harkness' Bronchial Syrup. If you want pure drugs, chemicals, perfumery, dye stuffs, patent medicines, and every thing kept in a first class drug store, go to Harkness, corner of Dundas and Wellington streets.

FITZPATRICK'S PREMIUM STAINED GLASS FOR CHURCHES.—Costs less than inferior Works. Received Prizes at London, England, 1871, and Centennial, Philadelphia, 1876. Sent everywhere. Address—Box 226, Stapleton, Richmond County, N. Y.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—J. McKenzie has removed to A. J. Webster's old stand. This is the Sewing Machine repair part and attachment emporium of the city. Better facilities for repairing and cheaper rates than ever. Raymond's celebrated machines on sale.

It will pay you to buy Boots and Shoes at Pocock Bros. They keep a full line of ladies' and gentlemen's fine goods. No trouble to show goods. Written orders promptly attended to.

MARRIED.

On the 19th inst., in the Church of the Holy Angels, St. Thomas, by Rev. W. Flannery, Thomas Keating, of Toledo, Ohio, to Sarah J. Galvin, eldest daughter of Michael Galvin, Hamilton, Ont.

On the 26th inst., at St. Basil's Church, Brantford, by the Rev. Father Bardou, P. P., Mr. Thos. Ryan, of Syracuse, N. Y., formerly of Brantford, to Miss Kate E. daughter of the late John Waterhouse, of Brantford Township.

New Advertisements.

AT

W. GREEN'S

New Brocaded Velvets,
New Brocaded Velveteens,
New Striped Velvets,
New Silk Fringes,
JUST RECEIVED

THESE ARE THE
LATEST NOVELTIES

—IN—
DRESS TRIMMINGS.

138 DUNDAS STREET,

LONDON.

RE-OPENING!

MRS. J. J. SKEFFINGTON

Wishes to inform her friends and the public generally that she has RE-OPENED in the new store next door to Reid Bros., 179 Dundas Street, opposite Strong's hotel, and intends to continue the

MILLINERY & DRESSMAKING

business, where she hopes to see all her old friends and a good number of new ones.

Will open on Saturday, 31st July.

9 a.m.

—STILL MORE—

EXTRAORDINARY

THAN WHAT HAS BEEN!

—THE—

KID GLOVE HOUSE

will offer for sale the contents of
FIVE DIFFERENT CASES

—OF—

CORSETS!

BEING

A complete clearance of a Wholesale Stock Ladies' Corsets—wholesale price, ranging from \$7 to \$10 per dozen. The lot will be cleared out at the extraordinary price of

40c. PER PAIR

The Great CASHMERE Sale will be continued ALL NEXT WEEK.

The 20-Cent Brilliant Black Lustre will be sold from 10 to 12