BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

MARRIAGES.

PEELL—NEAR—At the residence of bride's parents, Caradoc, by Rev. F. Clarke, of Melbourne, Miss Clara Near to John W. Campbell, merchant, of Melbourne.

USSLER—NASH—On Tuesday, Oct. 1905, at the Talbot Street Baptist Church, Jennie Wearen, eldest daughter Geo. B. Nash, to Louis F. Schussler, of this city.

DEATHS.

—On Friday morning, Oct. 27, 1905, his residence, lot 6, con. C, London Township, John Isaac, aged 86 years. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery Monday at 2:30 p.m.; service at Friends and acquaintances accept this intimation. Please flowers.

LEAN—At his late residence, 66 Bruce Street, London, on Oct. 26, 1905, Henry McLean, recently of Thorndale. Funeral from above address on Saturday at 1:30; service at 1 p.m. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

ER—At the residence of James Whitedge, near Lambeth, on the gravel road, in the Township of Westminster, on Oct. 26, 1905, William Baker, aged 78 years and 9 months. Funeral from the above residence on Monday, Oct. 29; services at Lambeth Church at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

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New York, Oct. 27.—That Miss Ana E. Scott, the beautiful girl who killed herself in Atlantic City Saturday because of grief over her fiance's sudden death, had, with careful deliberation, arranged for her own funeral, even to the point of choosing her coffin, became known yesterday when her friend called at Aldred's undertaking shop on Fourth avenue.

Telling John Aldred, jun., who knew her when she was a child, that she expected a friend to die within two days and wished all funeral arrangements made in advance, she discussed calmly the best method of disposing of her own body, and informed the undertaker that she would notify him when he was needed. She said that her friend's name was Anna Smith, and this name she assumed when she registered at Haddon Hall, Atlantic City.

Miss Scott had been supporting herself as a salesgirl in a Fourteenth street department store, although her mother is possessed of means. She visited the undertaking establishment last Thursday. Aldred, who had not seen her in years, did not recognize her. She told him that Miss Smith, who lived about 40 miles away, was very ill and would probably die on Saturday.

"She doesn't want to be buried," said Miss Scott, but has told me she prefers cremation."

She asked Aldred how much it would cost to cremate the body, and on being told the terms, said they were satisfactory.

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"I'm going away tomorrow," said Miss Scott, "and you'll probably hear from me on Saturday. Now don't forget, I want the body cremated, and I'll see that you get the money."

The next day Miss Scott who had been stopping at the Hotel Normandie, telegraphed to Haddon Hall to have a room reserved. Reaching Atlantic City early the next morning she wrote this telegram, which was sent, before noon, to the Fourth avenue undertaker.

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U. S. SHOEMAKERS ARE HARD HIT

Advance in Leather Prompts Demand for Changes in the Tariff.

New York, Oct. 27.—Governor Douglas will call upon President Roosevelt in the near future to lay before him the conditions in the boot and shoe industry of the United States, and to recommend legislation looking to the removal of the tariff on hides and a change in the foreign relations of this country, according to a dispatch to the Herald from Boston.

Reports were current last week that the Central Leather Company proposed to advance the price of sole leather. The statements caused consternation among the great boot and shoe manufacturers of New England, who have been paying high record prices for many months for their raw material.

So great was the wave of opposition among the shoemakers to the contemplated advance in leather prices that the Central Company postponed, or, at least, did not announce, the price advance.

CITY OF LONDON HONORS BOOTH

Head of the Salvation Army Presented With Freedom of British Capital.

London, Oct. 26.—The freedom of the city of London was today bestowed on General Booth of the Salvation Army. The presentation was made in the presence of a distinguished company, including civic officials, several thousand citizens and many officers of the Salvation Army. The address referred in glowing terms to the work of General Booth and his organization, not only in London but throughout the world. The General in reply referred to the difficulties which beset him in his early days and which are only now becoming officially recognized.

Instead of the usual gold casket, the address was inclosed in an oaken casket, the remainder of the money voted by the municipal council being at the request of General Booth, given in the shape of a check towards the funds of the organization.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

All lovers of melodrama should not fail to witness the "Sign of the Four," which comes to the Grand tomorrow afternoon and evening. The hero of this thrilling adventure, none other than the world-famed detective, Sherlock Holmes, holds his audience throughout, whether the morbid self-poisoning lover of cocaine, or the daring, intrepid sleuthhound of the law. The play is one of those quaintly new Conan Doyle stories, so full of incidents, and bringing out the wonderful character of the fadulous detective, made famous by the novelist.

"The Serio-Comic Governess" will be the attraction at the Grand on Monday evening next, when it will be presented with Miss Nellie Beaumont and Henry V. Donnelly as co-stars. There will be a lavish scenic embellishment and costumes and stage effects will be in keeping. The supporting company is of the very best, and the play itself overflowing with real merit and novelty. It has a plot that is sensible and reasonable and the situations and climaxes are decidedly laughable.

Human nature is faithfully depicted in the drama, "Her First Step," which comes to the Grand at popular prices on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. The play deals with the trials of a young man, Jack Walters, and his sweetheart, Edna Allen, both children of sturdy New England parents. Dan Matthews, the son of the country minister, is also a suitor for the hand of Edna. The night of the wedding between Edna and Jack Walters, Matthews openly accuses Jack of unfaithfulness. Edna believes the accusation, and for revenge elopes with and marries Matthews. It is then a battle between Dan Matthews and Jack Walters, and the many scenes that follow show plainly the sufferings of a young and innocent girl at the hands of a villain, who proves to be one of New York's most famous crooks.

Fred High, the man from Pittsburg, who has gained a well-deserved title, "The Prince of Entertainers," comes to the Auditorium Pop on Saturday night. He is a noted wit, humorist, ventriloquist, entertainer and impersonator. With him will be Mme. Egbert, the noted soprano, of Detroit, whose several appearances in the city have created considerable excitement, interest and appreciation.

The Y. M. C. A. has received two special requests to run a special train to hear Dr. Russel Conwell, the famous Baptist preacher of Philadelphia, who is to be one of the attractions this season on their lecture and amusement course. One of the requests comes from St. Thomas, and the other from St. Catharines. Several tickets have been secured by people living in St. Catharines to hear this. Dr. Conwell is said by lecture bureaus to be the greatest popular lecturer on the continent.

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INVALIDS PERISH IN HOTEL FIRE

Six Bodies Taken From Ruins of Hotel at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Hot Springs, Ark., Oct. 26.—Six bodies have been taken from the ruins of a railroad hotel located at the corner of Elm and Olive streets, here, which was gutted by fire early today. Of these, two are unidentified and charred beyond recognition.

The dead are: Harry Bradley, a waiter; Edward Snyder, a porter; Mrs. Mack, a musician; A. L. Mann, a railroad conductor, believed to be from Denver, and two unknown men.

The ruins have not yet been thoroughly searched, and there may be other bodies in them.

The hotel is a two story frame building containing thirty rooms, all but one of which were occupied by from one to four persons. The hotel was patronized by invalids and cripples who were under treatment. The fire is believed to have been caused by an exploding lamp. The only exit from the second story was a narrow stairway and many persons were compelled to jump from the windows. In this way F. Owerson, of Hot Springs, was probably fatally injured.

DEATH OF JOHN ISAAC

Was Engaged in Business in This City in the Fifties.

The death is announced of Mr. John Isaac, one of the oldest residents of this vicinity. Mr. Isaac was a native of Blacktorrington, Devonshire, England, who emigrated to this country in 1847, first settling in St. Thomas, afterward residing for a time in Chagrin Falls, Ohio; returning to St. Thomas for a time, and later coming to this city, where he carried on the business of a butcher in the London market house in the fifties. He retired to a farm in London Township, east of the asylum, where he died, aged 86 years. He leaves a wife and family of five sons, and four daughters—William, of Michigan; John, of this city; Philip, of Wilmington, Del.; Anson of Chargin Falls, and Charles, of Lorain, Ohio; Mrs. D. Clarke, Mrs. Wm. Perkins, and Misses Mary Ann and Ada, at home. One brother, Mr. A. Isaac, of this city, also survives. The deceased was a life-long Liberal.

AIRSHIP SAFER THAN AUTO

Not a Single Accident Marred the Paris Balloon Races.

Paris, Oct. 26.—With the Aero Club's great contest on Sunday and Lebaudy's new ascent at Toul Thursday, ballooning loomed large in the public eye this week. The aeronauts are highly jubilant over the race for the grand prix.

It was not only an unqualified success with respect to the competitors, freedom from accidents, length of journeys accomplished, and the widespread interest taken in the competition by the public, but it further justified the most optimistic predictions for the future of the fascinating sport.

As Comte Henry de la Vaulx pointed out, the long list of competitors are all aeronauts for the pure love of the sport, which proves that ballooning finally is taken out of the hands of the self-dubbed professors at country fairs, and is entering seriously into everyday life.

For this satisfactory result credit is due to such enthusiastic sportsmen at Vaulx himself, Marquis de Dion, Santos-Dumont, Comte de Castillon de Saint Victor, Jacques Faure, winner of last Sunday's contest, and other active members of the Aero Club, who are veritable missionaries of ballooning.

Thanks to their enlightened efforts, aerostation has developed more in the last ten years