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Lieut.-Col. H. Martin, who recently succeeded Lieut.-Col. Acheson as commanding officer of the Twenty-ninth (Waterloo) Regiment, is well known to the military men of the London military district, having for several years come with his regiment to camp on Carling's Heights. He is a young officer who has rapidly risen from the ranks by his zeal and energy. He is yet scarcely 32 years of age, and after serving as a private, corporal and sergeant in No. 1 Company, he received his first appointment as provisional second lieutenant in August, 1883. In April, 1884, he obtained a second-class certificate at the R. S. L. London, and was in July, 1885, promoted captain and transferred to No. 6 company. In February, 1887, he took a first-class certificate at London, and in November, 1888, an equitation certificate at the Cavalry School in Toronto. In January, 1889, he was promoted to a majority, and for the last seven years has been second in command. For four years he acted as adjutant of the corps. This he comes to the responsible position of commanding officer with some fifteen years' experience in these lower grades, and with a theoretical and practical knowledge of the profession of arms, which, combined with his zealous and energetic character, should make him a very efficient C. O., and the corps will not doubt render a good account of itself during Col. Martin's tenure of command.

Popular Lecture.

Rev. Dr. Ross, of St. Andrew's, will deliver his popular lecture on "Scottish Life and Manners" in Wesley Hall, First Methodist Church, Tuesday evening, March 6. Miss Eiler and other favorite soloists will sing.

Dr. Ross is one of the strongest men in the Presbyterian Church. Before coming to St. Andrew's he was a professor in the Presbyterian College in Montreal. His lecture is very highly spoken of by those who have heard it. Some say the Doctor is a little hard on his own countrymen, others that he isn't hard enough. The only way to know is to come and hear the lecture. Tickets, 15 cents; may be had at McCullum's drug store, and Chipman's drygoods store.

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THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

[From The London Advertiser of March 4, 1871.]

The Music Hall was densely crowded last night, on the occasion of the first appearance of Amy Lloyd's Female Minstrels. Scores of people were turned away from the door for want of accommodation. The performance was warmly applauded, and the jokes, local hits and election squibs of the "red men" created immense laughter.

The Reform Convention, assembled in the court house here today to select a candidate in their interests for the east riding, unanimously nominated Mr. Jas. Evans, M.P.P. Mr. Evans accepted the nomination, and addressed the convention on the political questions of the day. There is not the slightest doubt entertained of Mr. Evans' ability to defeat any candidate the Axe Grinders may bring out to oppose him.

The political mass meeting held in the city hall last evening in the interests of the Conservative candidate was without exception the smallest and least public demonstration ever held in this city. There were dozens of vacant seats in the body of the hall, the council chamber was merely fringed with onlookers, the south gallery contained scarcely a score of company, and the north gallery was entirely unoccupied. To make a show of numbers, a crowd collected about the door, blocking the entrance.

With rather indecent haste the first Parliament of Ontario, so recently procured, has been buried and numbered among the things that were. The majority of its members had served their master so zealously and so well that one would have supposed Mr. John Sandfield Macdonald would have felt some lingerings of gratitude and affection for them, and would have let them wear their

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honors as long as possible. But the exigencies of the Government demanded their immediate extinction, and we fear that many of them have had to say, with Cardinal Wolsey, in a similar moment, "If I had served my God as faithfully as I have served my King, he would not have forsaken me now." Their constituents, we fear, will be less grateful even than their master, and will elect many of them to stay at home for the remainder of their natural lives.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

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PHONE 167.

LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Miss Mae Baillie, of York street, is leaving for Calgary to take a position.

—Miss Mabel Learn, of White Oak, is visiting friends in Forest for a few weeks.

—Subscriber—Address your letter to the registrar and it will reach its destination.

—Miss Mabel Learn, of White Oak, is spending a few weeks with friends in Forest.

—Miss Bertie Mitchell, of Brantford, is the guest of Miss Gertrude Rapsley, for a couple of weeks.

—Mr. B. S. Murray, of this city, has purchased a valuable gray carriage horse from Dr. Perdue, of Chatham.

—Miss May Deacon has returned home after a two months' visit with friends in Watford and Alvinston.

—Miss Tena McMurphy, of Embro, returned home on Saturday after an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. Campbell, Wharfedale road.

—Mr. Joseph Allen desires through The Advertiser to thank the Grand Trunk employees for kindnesses shown him during his recent illness.

—Mr. J. H. Cameron, of Syracuse, N. Y., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. Duncan Anderson, Arva, for the past week, has gone to Stratford, where he expects to spend an extended visit.

—Rev. J. H. Hector, the Black Knight, lectured in the Auditorium yesterday afternoon to a large audience. Hundreds were turned away, unable to gain admittance. Mr. Hector spoke upon the wisdom of living right. Mr. Albert Greenlaw sang a couple of songs.

—Rev. Mr. Mackenzie, of the Christian Workers, was recently presented with a purse of gold by a number of recent converts and some of the members of the congregation. Evangelistic services have been held at that church for seven weeks now, and over one hundred have professed conversion.

—Prayer services are to be held in the New St. James' Presbyterian Church every evening this week, except Saturday. Among the local clergymen to have charge are Rev. J. J. Ross, Rev. James Ballantine, Rev. Dr. Ross and Rev. Dr. Daniel.

—Every student of Jarvis Street Collegiate Institute, Toronto, has signed a petition, asking that Mr. Robert A. Gray, formerly of the London Collegiate Institute, be appointed

principal of the school in succession to Major F. F. Manley, who, it is expected, will send in his resignation. Major Manley's absence.

—Mrs. Kathleen Breen, aged 77 years, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Hayes, 4th concession, London Township. Mrs. Breen was born in 1829 in the county of Kilkenny, Ireland and came to this country in the early fifties, and located in London Township, where she spent the largest portion of the time since. She was the mother of the late P. G. Breen, Detroit, Michigan, and is survived by four children, Mrs. John Hayes, before mentioned; Mrs. M. J. Doyle, Clarendon; Mrs. John Cochrane, Niagara Falls, and Thomas J. Breen, Detroit, Michigan.

—The many friends of Mr. Frank May, of this city, traveler for the Cape Well Horse Nail Company, of Toronto, will extend to him their heartfelt sympathy in the death of his wife, Edith, on Sunday morning. The deceased had been ill for one week only, suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia. Besides her husband, she leaves one child, 5 months old. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Edith Quinn; two sisters, Mrs. John J. Galpin, and Miss Minnie Quinn, of this city; two brothers, Mr. Freeman Quinn, Butte City, Montana, and Edward Quinn, of Port Clinton, Ohio. The funeral will be held on the arrival of Mr. Quinn from Montana.

INFORMERS STILL AT WORK.
David Corcoran and Jerry Dondino have been retired from business as whisky informers. After getting a number of London hotelkeepers fined for violating the liquor laws, they went to Ottawa, where they were successful in getting a number of hotelkeepers' bank accounts reduced. Now they are opening for business. On Saturday Corcoran and Dondino were the star witnesses against two license holders, both of whom were fined.

PERKINS—WELBURN.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Welburn on Saturday afternoon, when their eldest daughter, Miss E. Perkins, was united in marriage by Rev. J. Wellington Graham, of the First Methodist Church, to Harvey S. Perkins, of Dunkirk, N. Y. The house was prettily decorated with flowers for the occasion. The bride and bridegroom were unattended. After a short trip the young couple will take up their residence at Dunkirk, N. Y.

THE SATURDAY POP.

The Pop on Saturday night at the Auditorium was one of the best of the series. Will J. White, of Toronto, was the impersonator of the evening, and his work was highly satisfactory. His voice is good, and he was well received. Madame Egbert's solos were splendid. She has a rare voice. Mr. Albert Greenlaw, the colored basso, also sang well. His best effort was "Deep in the Night." He is one of the best singers heard here in some time.

A FAREWELL PRESENTATION.

On Wednesday evening last a number of the Muncie road people, friends of Miss Maggie McGregor, met at the home of Mrs. S. Broome for the purpose of bidding good-bye to Miss McGregor who, for several years has ably filled the position of organist in the Methodist Church and Sunday School. Appreciation of her services was shown her with a gold handled umbrella, as she is about to reside with her mother in Thamesville. After the presentation short and spicy addresses were given by Mr. Dowsell, teacher at the Institute, Mr. Broadie and also Mrs. Shepherd, who is visiting in that neighborhood. The remainder of the evening was spent in games and music, while after the refreshments all joined in wishing Miss McGregor prosperity in her new home and surroundings.

NEW COMPANIES FORMED.

The Ontario Gazette contains the following announcements of newly incorporated concerns:

The Electric Company, Limited, of Brantford, building, capital \$40,000.

The Canada Agency Company, Limited, of London, collecting agency, capital \$10,000.

Imperial Sanitary Laundry Company, of Windsor, capital \$150,000.

The Galt Gas Fixtures Company, Limited, of Galt, capital, \$40,000.

St. Marys, Kirkton, and Exeter Telephone Company, of Kirkton, capital \$40,000.

The Stratford Curling Company, of Stratford, to erect and maintain a curling rink, capital \$15,000.

A SARNIA WEDDING.

A pretty wedding took place Wednesday last at high noon at the residence of Mrs. A. Frank, 413 Brock street, Sarnia, when her youngest daughter, Emma, was united in marriage to Mr. John L. Parker, of St. Thomas. Rev. J. H. Hector, of Sarnia, officiated. The bride was becomingly gowned in gown, brook silk with touches of white chiffon, and carried white carnations. She was attended by her sister, Annie, gracefully gowned in brown cashmere, and carrying pink carnations. The groom was assisted by Mr. Charles Frank, brother of the bride. Mrs. Frank wore a costume of black embroidered net over black taffeta, with light touches of mauve. After the ceremony and customary congratulations, the spacious and beautifully decorated dining-room, where a dainty wedding breakfast was served, Hyacinths and daffodils lent fragrance and beauty to the table. The presents were beautifully and costly, testifying to the popularity of the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Parker left for the 4:15 train for St. Thomas, where they will reside. The bride's going-away gown was of light gray tweed with hat en suite. Their hosts of friends wish them a successful and happy life.

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BURIED AT WOODLAND

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The two victims of the drowning accident at Dexter's mills were interred at Woodland Cemetery yesterday afternoon.

The funeral of Edward S. (Scott) Dexter was held from the residence of the young man's parents, 163 Ridout street, at 1:30 o'clock, and being of a private nature, it was attended by only the relatives and immediate friends of the deceased. Rev. J. J. Ross, pastor of the Talbot Street Baptist Church, officiated, and the pallbearers were chosen from the Bible Class and the young men of the church. Mr. Dexter having been a member of both. They were Messrs. Harry Peel, Gordon Jepson, Fred Jeffrey, Wm. Todd, Carl Miller and Walker Finch. Many floral offerings were placed on the casket by friends of the young man.

The funeral of Hugh McDougall, the second victim, was held from D. A. Stewart's undertaking parlors at 4 o'clock, the services also being conducted by Rev. J. J. Ross. The pallbearers were chosen from the deceased's fellow-workmen and included Messrs. Daniel Holm, Patrick Volker, Thomas Reid, Wm. Bone, Albert Patrick and Richard Willis. Floral tributes were placed on the casket by the friends of Mr. McDougall, many of whom attended the funeral.

ORGANIST RESIGNS

Mr. W. E. McCann, of South London to Go to Peterboro.

Mr. W. E. McCann, who has held the position of choir-master and organist at the Ashby Street Methodist Church for some time, has been appointed to a similar position in the George Street Methodist Church, Peterboro. His salary will be \$700; here it is \$500.

Mr. McCann leaves for Peterboro at the end of the month. While in London he has been regarded as a most capable, and efficient organist and choir-master, and his departure from London will be deeply regretted by very many friends. Mr. McCann is the son of a Methodist clergyman, and the nephew of the Roman Catholic Vicar-General of the same name, of Toronto.

ACCIDENTS IN 1905

Railways Led List of Fatalities With 216 Victims.

Reports received by the department of labor, Ottawa, show that during the year 1905 there were in Canada 831 fatal industrial accidents. There were also accidents in that year by which 2414 persons were seriously injured. The following table shows the number of fatal accidents, the number of non-fatal, and the various callings in which they occurred.

Trade or Industry.	Fatal.	Non-fatal.
Agriculture	135	242
Fishing and hunting	13	3
Lumbering	75	155
Mining	70	136
Building trades	45	201
Metal trades	69	439
Woodworking trades	8	139
Clothing trades	1	18
Textile trades	3	30
Food and tobacco preparation	9	78
Leather trades	6	7
Railway service	216	341
Navigation	101	85
General transport	19	150
Civic employees	8	57
Miscellaneous trades	71	159
Unskilled labor	58	141
Total	931	2,414

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WILL INVITE EDITORS

Manufacturers' Committee to Ask Newspaper Men to Visit London.

The manufacturers' committee on Saturday afternoon decided to extend an invitation to the National Editorial Association of the United States to visit London in June next, when on their tour of Canada. The editors meet in convention in Indianapolis in June, and immediately afterwards will commence a tour of the Dominion. The committee also decided to ask the city council for the sum of \$500 for the entertainment of the guests. The programme includes a trolley ride over the city and a luncheon at Springbank.

An application from Mr. Walter Toll, on behalf of the Trades and Labor Council, was received, and Mr. Toll was requested to name two representatives for the committee at once. The committee also instructed City Clerk Baker to have certain changes made in the city year-book, with the object of presenting a souvenir copy

New Trolley Road.

Tilsonburg, March 4. It is quite probable that operations will be commenced in the spring on an electric railway, to run from Port Burwell on the north shore of Lake Erie, through or near the town of Aylmer, and from a point on that line, into the town of Tilsonburg. At the next session of the Dominion Parliament application will be made for an act incorporating a company to be called the Erie, London and Tilsonburg Railway, with power to build the proposed line.

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