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motly crowd indeed it was on board that tug. One old woman I remember especially, who annoyed at the motion of the boat, screamed and yelled and prayed 'to be allowed to get out and walk," which prayer, to her unspeakable disgust, was not granted.

We reached the Sarmation safely and went on board. It took us several hours to get well settled, and it was well on towards evening when the pilot came to join us and the shores of England left behind. In the evening a fearful storm arose in the channel, so that none of us slept, and were all on deck early next morning when the Isle of Man was visible in the distance we sighted the coast of IRELAND, and during the day we steamed into Loch Foyle and finally anchored in the mouth of the river Foyle above Derry

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Where will you spend July 1st? Boating and bathing excursions.

Listewel District Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Listowel District was held at Fordwich, in the new church, on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 19th and 20th, the Rev. E. S. Rupert, M. A., presiding.

After devotional exercises Rev. J. W. Pring was elected as Secretsry who chose as his assistant P. Hepinstall.

All the ministers of the District were present and the disciplinary questions respecting each satisfactorily answered. C. Caswell and J. H. McBain were examined and recommended to be receivrespecting each satisfactorily answered. C. Caswell and J. H. McBain were examined and recommended to be received as probationers, the latter asking permission to be continued at college to complete his studies, Rev. J. Caswell was recommended to be superanuated after 47 years faithfulservice. In the evening a public S. S. meeting was held and addressed by Revs. D. Rogers, J. Livingstone, and F. M. Smith. Rev. T. Amy took charge of the question drawer. A recitation was also given by J. H. McBain. It was an interesting and profitable meeting. On Wednesday, at 9 o'clock, the laymen assembled and presented the reports from the various circuits from which we glean the following facts: After deducting removals, deaths, etc., there was an increase of 45 in membership. The various funds were well sustained and a general healthy spiritual state existing in the District.

District.
The following laymen were appointed to attend the Conference:—J. C. Hay, Thos. Magwood, M. P. P., C. W. Watson, A. Montgomery, P. Hepinstall, H. Hoar, G. V. Poole, John Cober, J. Large.

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Rev. D. Rogers was elected to the stationing committee, Rev. T. Amy and P. Hepinstall to the Sabbath school committee, Wm. S. Bean to the Missionary committee, and Rev. J. W. Pring and C. W. Watson to the Epworth League committee. On motion a vote of thanks was tendered to the friends of Fordwich for their hospitality.

The Stationing Committee will meet on Friday, May 29, at 6:30 p.m. The Statistical Committee will meet on Tuesday, June 2, at 9 a.m, The Financial Secretaries are re-quested to be present on Tuesday, June 2, at 2 p. m.

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The Ministerial Session will commence at 9 a. m. on Wednesday, June 3.

Conference opens on Thursday, June 4, at 9 a. m. Prayer service from 9 to

Perth County Notes.

St. Marys has a population, according to the assessor, of 3494.

The census report will show Listowel to have a population of about 2600, The April and first half of May cheese of the Avondale factory has been sold.

Hurlburt & Merryfield, of Monkton, put in a new boiler in their saw mill this week.

Alex. Murray, of Newton, had two fine sheep worried by dogs on Sunday evening, May 17.

Mitchell's Mechanics' Institute has 2,193 volumes. It owns \$3,400 of property and owes nothing.

During the past week fires in the Ellice swamp destroyed about 100 cords of wood belonging to Keena Bros., Sebringville.

James Anderson, a capitalist of Hespeler, is going to spend the summer in Ireland. He will be accompanied by his daughter.

The masons have finished the foundation of the Methodist church at Anderson and the corner stones will be laid on the 28th of May.

Miss Bella Bushfield, formerly of Logan, was married to Alexander Dalzell, of High Bluff, Man. The wedding took place at Portage la Prairie.

The Mitchell auditors value the buildings and real estate owned by the corporation at \$26,775, and the electric light and waterworks plants at \$24,

Amos Strome, of Shakespeare, has disposed of his residence in that thriving village to Ed. C. Mowat for \$1,100. Mr. Strome intends removing to Minne-

Miss Mary Prindeville, daughter of J. Prindeville, Logan, was married at Devil's Lake, Dakota, recently to A.W. Cogswell, deputy-postmaster of that

The Newton cheese factory started operations Monday of last week. Mr. Jack has now in connection with it the finest hog pen we believe in the dis-

Tenders were received Saturday, May 16, for the excavation for the basement of the new Presbyterian church, Milbank. Thos. McGorman secured the contract at \$38.

Robert Shaw, of Logan, has been dangerously ill for the past month but is fast recovering. His kind neighbors surprised him by coming to his place and ploughing 23 acres.

And ploughing 25 acres.

Miss Clara B. Martin, B. A., of Trinity College, Toronto, applied to the Law. Society for admission as a student at law. The matter was referred to a special committe, of which Mr. Idington, of Stratford, is a member.

Alex. McCaul, of Simcoe, has purchased the bank property in Mitchel from Thomas McClay, for the sum of \$5,000. An addition, in all probability, will be at once added to the rear of the main building as a residence for the bank manager.

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The German church, Monkton, was let by tender and Mr. Miller, of Mitchell, was the lucky man. The price was \$659. Charles Rock's tender was the lowest, but Mr. Miller got the contract and we believe he will make a first-class job of it, as he is a good workman.

D. S. Anderson, Grand Trunk conductor between Stratford and Toronto, and wife left Monday for St. Louis, to attend the convention of the Order of Bailway Conductors, which is being Railway Conductors, which held in that city. Before which is being they intend visiting several points in Mexico and Texas.

tence and Faith and their relation to Personal Salvation."

8 p. m., Consecration Service, led by Rev. J. Green.
Sunday, June 7.—Methodist church, Berlin—9 a. m., Lovefeast, Rev. J. Kenner; 11 a. m., Ordination sermon by Ordination service; 7 p. m., Rev. N. R. Willoughby; Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, conducted by Rev. J. E. Howell M. A. Sunday school services at 3 p.m. Addresses by Revs. J. T. Smith and J. S. Cooke.

Methodist church was counted by the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of Queen's Bench that an order might be applied for to have the conviction quashed. The order was made.

For the past three months registered letters addressed to employee the first of the court of Queen's Bench that the case against Thomas Freeborn, of Mornington, for practicing surgery contrary to the provisions of the Medical Act, and for which he was counted by the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of Queen's Bench that a norder might be applied for to have the conviction of the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of Queen's Bench that the case against Thomas Freeborn, of Mornington, for practicing surgery contrary to the provisions of the Medical Act, and for which he was countered by the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of Queen's Bench that the case against Thomas Freeborn, of Mornington, for practicing surgery contrary to the provisions of the Medical Act, and for which he was countered by the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of the magistrate at Hanover and fined \$10; be removed from the jurisdiction of the magistrate at Hanover and fined

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Addresses by Revs. J. T. Smith and J.
S. Cooke.
Methodist church, Waterloo—11 a. m.
Rev. J. W. Shilton, B. A.; 7 p. m., Rev.
S. Sellery, B. D.; 3 p. m., Sunday school service. Addresses by Revs. A. K.
Birks, B. A., and J. Dyke.
Presbyterian church, Berlin—11 a. m.,
Rev. B. L. Hutton; 7 p. m., Rev. A. E.
Smith.
Evangelical, Berlin—11 a. m., Rev. R.
Walker; 7 p. m., Rev. J. Galloway.
Baptist, Berlin—7 p. m., Rev. Hugh
J. Fair.
United Brethren, Berlin—11 a. m.,
Rev. Wm. Birks; 7 p. m., Rev. Wm.
Smythe.

Boating and bathing excursions.

Croquet and lawn tennis parties.
Early onions, lettuce and rhubarb pies.
Cheese factories are working full itme.
The barefoot boy and the stone bruise.
Ball playing on the front street should be stopped.
Frequent showers of rain would wonderfully help vegetation.
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Rev. Wm. Birks; 7 p. m., Rev. Wm.
Smythe.
New Mennonite, Berlin—7 p.m., Rev.
Town Hall, Berlin—Temperance meeting. Addresses by Revs. A. Potter.
Presbyterian, Waterloo—11 a.m. Rev.
Cornish, L. L. D.
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Town Hall, Berlin—Temperance meeting of representatives from neighboring towns was held at the Hicks house, Mitchell, lately, to arrange for the annual summer races. An organization was formed to be known as the "Lake Huron Trotting Circuit." with T. S. Ford, Mitchell, President; E. Coleman, Seaforth, Vice-President; E. Monday, June 8—8 p. m., Educational Anniversary. Addresses by Revs. W.
C. Henderson, D. D., John Scott, M. A., and President Mills, O. A. O.
Tuesday, June 9—8 p. m., Missionary Addresses by Revs. G.
R. Turk, and W. H. Hincks, L. L. B., and H. P. Moore.