

The Western District.

James Kernahan Killed on the Track Near Camlachie.

Windsor's Police Enforce the Law Regarding Liquor Selling on Sunday.

Walkerton's Ministers Resolve Not to Attend Sunday Funerals—An Old Printer-Preacher's Visit to Berlin.

In Delhi many of the wells have gone dry.

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The Berlin free library is to have \$300 worth of new German books.

A. E. Sarvis, of Sarnia, has been appointed deputy game warden for that district.

Large crowds are attending the Hunter and Crossley special meetings, being held in Guelph.

Tavistock has a new paper published by Mr. J. W. Green, former proprietor of the Guelph Gazette.

Mr. R. D. Noble, of Petrolia, has returned home from his three months' sojourn in London, Eng.

There are at present 515 consumers of city water in Chatham, 150 service having been put in since June 1.

Norwich public library has just received the Government grant of \$123.50, the sum being sent from headquarters.

Bradstreet's reports the assignment of Wm. Clark, Logan township, as a factor of brick and tile, to John Hosie.

The gunboat Petrel has returned to Port Stanley from Lake Superior, and has resumed patrol on Lake Erie waters.

Mr. Wm. McCrae, a Guelph farmer, while running an ensilage machine, got his hand in the gearing and lost his right thumb.

At Berlin on Monday a fine flowing well was struck at a depth of 172 feet. The water is clear and pure, but has a decided sulphury taste.

The North Brant Agricultural Society's Show gives promise of being a big success. The entries received so far are away ahead of last year.

Messrs. John and Andrew Caldwell, twin brother evangelists, commenced a series of special services in the Methodist Church, Fingal, on Sunday.

Reports from Leamington are to the effect that the peach crop in that district is the best for years. John Tyhurst is shipping 500 bushels a day.

The exhibition held on Friday and Saturday of last week at Tilbury by the Tilbury East Agricultural Society was a failure, partially due to bad weather.

Next Sunday the Woodstock Congregational church will celebrate the tenth year of its existence. The services will be conducted by the Rev. A. Burns, D.D., of Hamilton.

M. B. Perline, of Doon, who was seized last week with a stroke of paralysis on the right side, is lying very low at present. He is 81 years old, and one of Waterloo's best known residents.

Commander Kingsmill, son of Judge Kingsmill, has been promoted to the independent command of a vessel, and is going to China to command H. M. S. Anchor, a torpedo cruiser.

Charles B. Heath, who was so seriously injured by being thrown from a buggy at the G. T. R. crossing on Downie street, Guelph, on Sunday of last week, is sinking rapidly.

Petitions have been presented to the executive asking a new trial for Arch. Patterson, in jail at Chatham awaiting sentence for fraud in connection with the handling of produce for N. H. Stevens.

At the Brantford assizes last week Mrs. Batson sued her husband for alimony. Both parties to the suit were over 70 years of age, and they had been married for 40 years. Judgment for plaintiff.

A petition circulated among the dry-goods merchants in Sarnia, praying for the repeal of the bylaw making it compulsory to close their stores at 6 o'clock p.m., was signed by a majority of the merchants.

Mrs. Pollard, wife of Patrick Pollard, Queen street, Guelph, died at the hospital early Sunday morning. The case is a very sad one, the deceased having given birth to twins a short time ago, both of whom are dead.

Archibald McGregor, a well known farmer in Nassegaweya, was sweeping his barn floor, when he accidentally fell out of the back door, a distance of ten feet, alighting on his head and shoulders. His spine is injured.

At Woodhouse, Simcoe, a little son of Mr. George Hammond, fell from the hayloft and broke his arm at the elbow joint.

At Martin Smith, of Charlotteville, fell from a fence and broke his arm in two places.

Fall wheat round about Delhi is growing rapidly and looks remarkably well. The farmers are digging their potatoes, which are of good quality and big yield. Corn is still coming in to the canning factory. The season is nearly over.

On Sunday morning burglars broke into Laman's goods' furnishing establishment, Guelph, carrying away a large amount of stock, including a number of wedding gifts. They also made an attempt to enter Ben's drygoods store, but abandoned the job.

At Chatham on Monday, Willie Thibodeau, 8 years of age, was crossing King street at the Garner and fell in front of Rutley's phaeton, the wheel of which passed over his neck and inflicted an ugly cut behind the ear. Fortunately, however, his injury was not serious.

Mr. F. W. Galbraith, sub-editor of the Guelph Mercury, and Mrs. Galbraith, after returning from their honeymoon in Prince Edward Island, were tendered a reception by the young ladies' and young men's classes, teachers and officers of the Norfolk Street Methodist Church.

Charles Schenk, a young farmer from near Holstein, who went to the Guelph General Hospital on Saturday in company with his physician, Dr. Brown, of that place, had an operation performed on that day. The affliction was consumption of one of the knees. He never rallied from the shock, and died on Sunday night.

Wallaceburg has a real live Jack the Huggler, who has been causing all kinds of trouble and excitement among the females. A Duncan street lady one evening lately broke her umbrella over him, while another set the dog on him. His exploits all happen in the evening, not later than 10 o'clock.

At length the people of Windsor have seen the effect of a dry Sunday. The order issued to the police Saturday had the desired effect, and the man who got into the wet department of a Windsor hotel had to be pretty well acquainted. Those who for many Sundays have been in the habit of crossing from De-

troit to get what they could not procure at home were painfully surprised when they sought the usual haunts and found the doors closed.

The Rev. Henry Kropp, a member of the Montreal Conference, is visiting old friends in Berlin. He was one of the first printers who ever worked there, it being almost 50 years since he was employed by the late Henry Eby in the old Canadian office. He has been a preacher for over 50 years, and is still quite active and energetic.

Mr. John Shoemaker, of near Breslau, one of DeBus' quartet of patrons that were each over ninety years of age, died on Monday morning. Had he lived he would have been 95 on the 28th of December next. He was one of the pioneers that came from Pennsylvania early in the century. He was widely connected throughout Waterloo county.

The Guelph Young Men's Liberal Club are making preparations for their meetings for the winter months. At a meeting on Thursday night a general talk over preliminaries took place. It was decided that the nominations for officers should take place on Tuesday, Oct. 8, and the election two weeks thereafter. Already interest is being aroused in the election.

The incorporation of the Stevens-Campbell Company, with a capital stock of \$450,000, has been gazetted. The incorporators are Nathan Howard Stevens and Frederick Burk Stevens, of Chatham; John Campbell, of St. Thomas; James Rutherford, of Blenheim, and Henry Joseph Stevens, of Aylmer. The company will deal in flour, meal, feed, grains, seeds, pork and farm products generally and in salt and coal. It will carry on the business of St. Thomas, Chatham, Aylmer and Blenheim, now controlled by N. H. Stevens and John Campbell, James Rutherford and H. J. Stevens.

James Kernahan was in Sarnia on Saturday and remained over night. Sunday morning he started to walk to Camlachie, and took the track as the shortest route. The unfortunate man was lying on the track in the rear of Bright's grove, a short distance west of Perche bridge, when he was over and instantly killed by a freight train coming west. He had \$1.50 in his pocket, but his silver watch was missing. Two loaves of bread and a broken whisky bottle were found on the track. Kernahan was about 57 years of age, and was employed as a laborer around Camlachie, where he resided. He was a bachelor, and an uncle of John Irwin, of Point Edward.

Mrs. Mary Soden died on Saturday evening at her residence on Wyndham street, Guelph. For three years she had been an invalid. Mrs. Soden came to Guelph with her father, the late Patrick Foster, in the year 1827. The family consisted of father and mother, and eight children. The first night in Guelph they found shelter under a tree. Deceased was a kind-hearted, cheerful woman. Of her family, a brother, Mr. Robert Foster, Puslinch, and two sisters survive. Her children are: Robert, Townwood, O.; Thomas, Ont. Chicago; Henry, Ont. Detroit; Mrs. Crawley, Puslinch; Mrs. Smith, Chicago; Mrs. McTague, Cleveland; Mrs. Emery and Mrs. Walsh, at home in Guelph. Nearly all her children visited her in her city, and most of them were present to attend the funeral.

A PIN KILLED HER.

Swallowed It Six Years Ago—An Unprecedented Case.

Muncie, Ind., Oct. 1.—At Middletown, near Muncie, yesterday a post-mortem examination was made on the remains of Verla, the 13-year-old daughter of Frank Christman. Over six years ago the girl swallowed a pin. All efforts to extract it proved futile, and the incident had nearly been forgotten, when the girl was taken two years later with a pain in her back, below and between the shoulder blades. After laying in bed for nearly four years an Indianapolis physician detected a pin point in her back, directly over the spinal column, and then the family remembered the pin-swallowing circumstance. The knife was used and the pin extracted. The wound soon healed up, but the expected speedy recovery did not come. Instead, a large lump developed on the back and the constant pain grew no less. The girl died Friday. A post-mortem examination showed that the pin had penetrated a suture between two vertebrae, and that the hole made had caused a decay. From this the vertebrae decayed until four of them had disappeared and the ribs that were connected on them were unsupported. The physicians say the case is unprecedented.

A CATAMOUNT FOUGHT THEM.

It Kept Three Telephone Linemen Very Busy for a While.

Lambertville, N. J., Oct. 1.—A monster, which at first was variously described as a panther, a lion and a tiger, attacked a gang of telephone linemen who were repairing lines in the Blue Mountains yesterday. Peter McGrady threw his axe at the beast, and, missing it, climbed a tree, leaving his companions, H. S. Biting and John Schnoor, to make a fight. Schnoor brained the enraged animal with a hatchet.

The bayer was badly lacerated, and, after the battle, had to be driven to a place where his wounds could be dressed. Biting was scratched up too. McGrady was not hurt. Experts identify the carcass as that of a catamount. It weighs 70 pounds, and measures five feet from the nose to the tip of the tail.

SUNK NEAR THE SAULT.

The Fryer Cut in Two—Big Steamers Ashore.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Sept. 30.—The wooden steamer Robert L. Fryer was sunk at the dyke in Hay Lake this morning by collision with the steamer Cordia. The Fryer was cut clean to the foremast and her bow is nearly all gone. She lies with her decks below water. The collision occurred where the Alva was sunk several weeks ago. The Fryer was bound to Duluth with coal, and the Cordia bound down with iron ore. Crew safe.

The captain of the Anchor Line Schooner, which arrived from Duluth today, reports passing two boats ashore at Keweenaw Point. He thought they were the Matao and Masaba, two big steel steamers, belonging to the Minnesota Company. The Matao and Masaba cleared from Two Harbors for Cleveland yesterday. Keweenaw Point is one of the most dangerous spots on the lakes, and the boats stranded are likely to prove total losses, owing to the heavy northwest gale.

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PEARY SPEAKS OF BLOOMERS.

Equinox Women, He Says, Were Pioneers in the Costume.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 1.—Lieut. R. E. Peary passed through Halifax yesterday on his way to Philadelphia. Mrs. Peary met him here.

Lieut. Peary spoke freely of life in the northern latitudes. He said that the women of civilization might learn much from the Equinox women in the way of amiability. "Scolding," he said, "they have not yet acquired."

"They were the pioneers in bloomer wearing," the lieutenant continued. "They wear trousers down to their knees and a pair of skin boots. Between their boots and trousers is a bare space like that in the costume of the Scotch Highlander."

"We struck some days when the mercury was 44 degrees below zero, but the cold was not uncomfortable. I have suffered with it more in Florida. The warm spells in the north, however, are enervating. The most extreme hardship that we experienced was during an expedition to Cape York. For 48 hours we were without food."

Lieut. Peary is in excellent health.

BICYCLIST INSTANTLY KILLED.

William Tate Struck By an Electric Car While Riding on the Track.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 1.—William Tate, the Davidson theater electrician, was instantly killed last night by an electric car striking his bicycle on which he was riding. Tate was trying to get out of the track when the car struck the rear wheel of the bicycle and threw him heavily on the asphalt paving, and it is thought his neck was broken. There was no lamp on his wheel, and Motorman A. S. Johnson did not see the rider until within a few feet of him and could not stop the car. The motor man was taken to the police station but was later released. The dead man is survived by a widow and two small children. He was 32 years of age and had been in the employ of the theater for several years.

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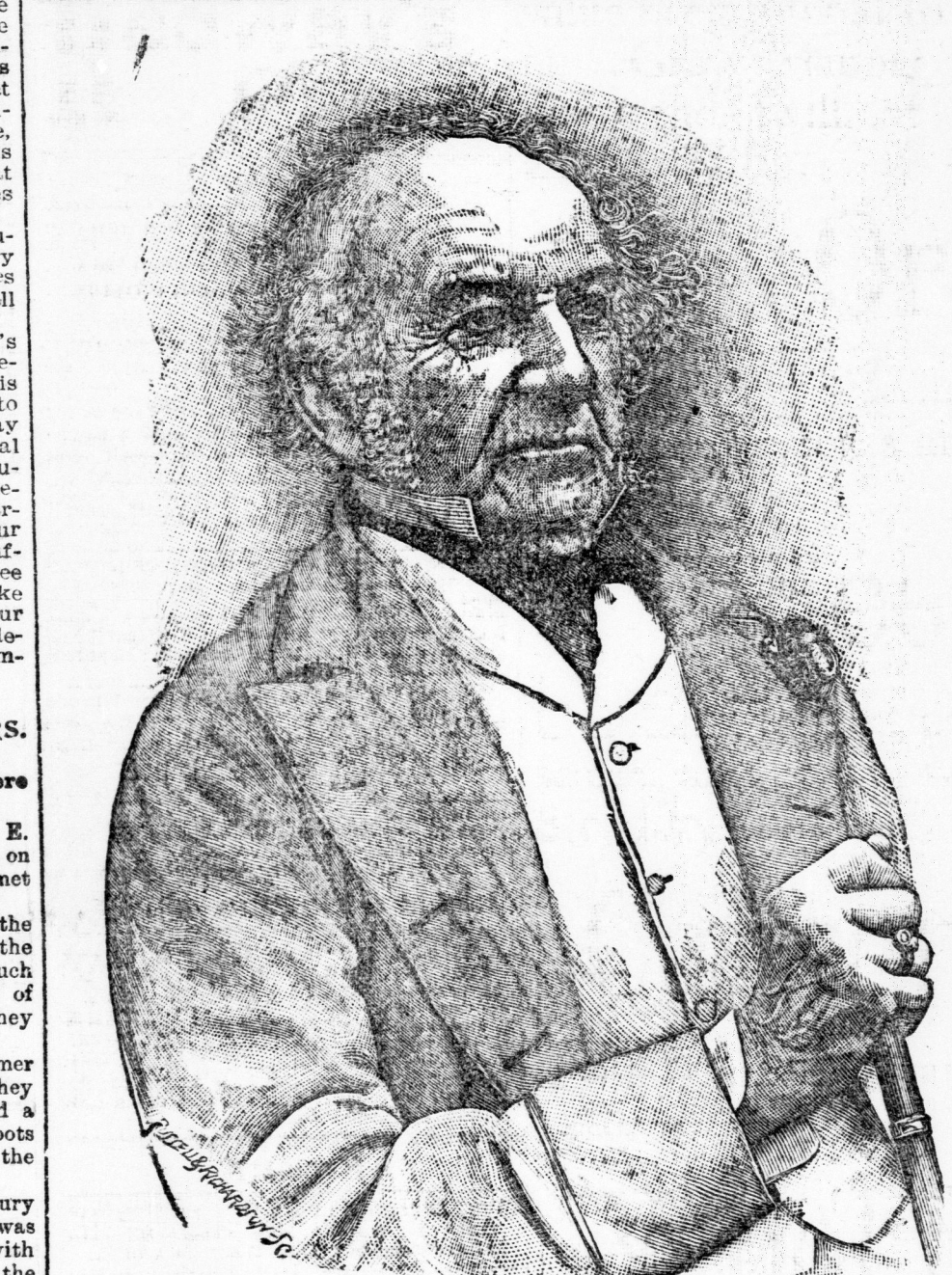
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