

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY IN BUSY EAST LONDON.

SMOKE NUISANCE A REAL GRIEVANCE

King Street Resident Writes of Present Conditions.

E. A. Jones writes The Advertiser as follows:

In last night's edition of your valuable paper I see complaint is being made by people south of the round-house regarding smoke and soot. I am a resident of King street and I wish to say a word or two in regard to the smoke and soot which is so prevalent here. We are compelled to keep our houses closed in order to keep it out, and by so doing we do suffer, and our clothes, when hung out to dry, are sometimes covered with that horrid smut, and it takes far more hard work to rub it out than it does to wash the garment the first time, besides ruining our finer articles. We would deem it a great favor if something could be done to help to put a stop to some of the smoke and soot which is so prevalent here. We are especially during this excessive heat. Hoping this may find a place among the East End happenings.

INTERESTING ADDRESS IN ADELAIDE STREET CHURCH

Rev. Dr. Woodburne Gave an Account of Work in India.

Rev. (Dr.) Woodburne, the returned missionary from India, gave an exceedingly interesting address at the Adelaide Street Baptist Church last evening when he described his work in that country and also a large number of curious which he exhibited.

A feature of the affair was the children dressed in native costume. Miss Zella Gillies was dressed as an Indian bride, Miss Hope McMichael as a widow, Miss Elsie Reid and Master Howard White in the native male and female costumes.

Several tables loaded with the most interesting curios collected during his work in India were shown by the speaker, who explained the meaning and uses to the audience.

There was a very large attendance.

MR. WILLIAM TOBIN DIED IN PETROLEA

Brother of Rev. Father Tobin, of St. Mary's Church.

Word has been received in this city of the death from pneumonia of Mr. Wm. Tobin, of Petrolia, who was a brother of Rev. Father Tobin, of St. Mary's Church, East London, and also of Mr. Robert T. Tobin, of Ontario street.

Rev. Father Tobin will attend the funeral at Petrolia, on R. T. Tobin, who is a traveller, is at present touring the west. Interment will take place tomorrow.

EAST END WEDDING.

Mr. Wm. Julien and Miss Bertha Wilson Married on Thursday.

Mr. Wm. Julien and Miss Bertha Wilson, of Detroit, were quietly married at 827 King street on Thursday afternoon. Rev. L. W. Wicket officiated. The groom's present to the bride was a beautiful gold watch and chain, suitably engraved. After a short stay in the city and vicinity Mr. and Mrs. Julien will return to Detroit to reside.

MRS. SMITH'S FUNERAL HELD TO DORCHESTER

Died in this City on Wednesday Last at Residence of Mr. Henry Rath.

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Quebec Only Is Affected by Change

The A. O. U. W. of the province of Quebec has changed its name and will hereafter be known as the Royal Guardians. This will not affect the order in Ontario at least.

"The Quebec A. O. U. W., in fact all the other provinces except Ontario, is affiliated with the American order,"

said a prominent member of the order today. "They have changed their name to that of the Royal Guardians. The A. O. U. W. in Ontario is a Canadian order, not affiliated with the American order. Consequently we will continue to be known as the A. O. U. W. We will not change our name."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier at North Bay

North Bay, Ont., Sept. 25.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, prime minister of Canada, was welcomed by a great crowd at the station here this morning. Addresses were presented by the board of trade, town council and French citizens. There was no demonstration by the

The Labor Men Talk of a Candidate

The labor party met last evening, but nothing was done towards bringing out a candidate at the coming election.

The question was discussed and the consensus of opinion was that a candidate should be brought out.

Another meeting will be held short-

ly to settle on the man. It is practically assured that a candidate will be chosen, provided a sufficient sum of money can be gathered together for legitimate expenses.

The date of the next meeting was not settled, but it will probably be held on Wednesday evening next.

Twenty-five Killed in Western Wreck

Helena, Mont., Sept. 25.—A special to the Record from Livingston, Mont., says that Northern Pacific passenger train No. 16, east bound, which left

Miss Annie, at home. The deceased was the daughter of Mr. H. Rath, late of Putnam, but now of London.

STOLEN BICYCLE FOUND.

In a Field Where It Had Been Left By Some One.

Mr. Geo. Jolly, the deaf mute, who yesterday reported that his wheel had been stolen, has recovered it, he having found it in a neighbor's back yard, where it had evidently been left by some person fearful of detection.

There was no difficulty in identifying the machine as it was built by Mr. Jolly, who is a machinist, while in England. It has the largest sprocket of any wheel in the city. It is over a foot in diameter and is made of aluminum.

PRESSURE IN EAST END IS VERY WEAK

Thirty-Four Pounds Registered in Fire Hall This Morning.

The pressure in the East End continues very weak, but 24 pounds having been registered at the fire hall at 9 o'clock last evening. Conditions were slightly better this morning, the pressure varying from 28 to 45 pounds.

At 12:30 today the gauge showed 34 pounds, which would not be of much assistance in the event of a large fire.

The necessity of increased pressure is being impressed upon East Enders as certain parts of that section have been without water recently.

A few days ago it was found impossible to fill a street watering cart from a hydrant on Ontario street.

SMITH—MEAD.

A Pretty Wedding Yesterday—Young Couple Will Reside in East London.

A pleasing event was celebrated last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wilson, of Wellington street, when Mr. Howard Thomas Smith, of this city, and Mrs. Emma Annie Smith, of Toronto, were quietly married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. S. Hamilton, B. A., pastor of the First Congregational Church. After the ceremony the company sat down to a dainty meal, and all were pleasantly entertained for the evening by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will take up their residence in East London.

EAST END NOTES.

Special anniversary services will be conducted at the Egerton Street Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Vining, of Talbot Street Church, will preach in the morning, and Rev. W. J. Baird, of the Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church, in the evening. A large attendance is expected.

Mr. Wm. Howitt and wife, of Dundas street east, have left on a holiday trip to Montreal and Portland, Me.

Mrs. (Rev.) T. B. Clark, of Inker-man street, is visiting in St. Thomas.

Mr. Lul Paladino and a number of friends left on a fishing trip to Port Stanley this morning.

Mr. Wm. Brooks and family, of Sackville street, left this morning for St. Thomas, where they will reside.

Mr. Roy Denigat, formerly of this city, but recently of Port Hope, has returned to this city to take up his residence on Anderson avenue.

Mr. Ed Phoenix, of Egerton street, who was injured in a runaway some time ago, has removed to the North-west.

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Local Items

—Munsey Fair will held on Oct. 8 and 9.

A branch of the Imperial Bank of Canada has been opened at Michell, E. C., under the management of Mr. T. B. Baker.

Principal Falconer Coming.

A great Canadian, Principal Falconer, of Toronto University, will visit London on Nov. 20, and deliver a lecture under the auspices of the Women Teachers' Guild, on a Monday afternoon. He will speak at the Canadian Club luncheon.

\$100 a Foot.

It is stated that a certain well-known resident of Queen's avenue recently paid \$2,000 for 20 feet of land which he needed to improve his lot. The price was about \$100 a foot, which is a good price for land, even in the choice residential district.

Sympathy.

City Clerk Baker this morning received the engrossed copies of sympathy passed by the council on the death of Fire Chief Clark, Sgt. Cockburn and Fireman Wein. They are very handsome. The work was done by Mr. Harry Jewell, of Toronto.

Thanksgiving Services.

Harvest thanksgiving services will be held at the Church of St. John the Evangelist, on Sunday. Rev. Arthur Carville, B. A., rector of Lucan, will preach at both services. Appropriate music has been prepared by the choir. Special thanksgiving offerings in aid of the church funds.

The Water Pressure.

The water pressure today is about 40 pounds and is going up a little. The amount of water in the reservoir is about the same as on previous days this week, so the situation is no more serious than it has been. Complaints about the condition of the streets are coming in all the time, and City Engineer Graydon is not happy.

Taken Suddenly Ill.

While sending a message in the C. P. R. office at noon today Mr. W. M. Williams, an operator, fell ill. He was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, where he is now lying. He had been severely and a physician was called. He was removed to his home in Smith's ambulance. Mr. Williams' condition is quite serious at present.

The Cockburn Fund.

Mrs. Kingsmill acknowledges the following donations to the Cockburn fund: Ald. Geo. Armstrong, \$2; Henry Colerick, \$4; Col. Peters, \$5; John Garvey, \$5; Mayor Stevely, \$5; Condon Old Boy in Minnesota, \$1; London Old Boy in London, \$1; Peter-lea Old Boy's executive, \$2.50. There is a great deal of interest being taken in the concert, and it promises to be a great success.

G. T. R. Changes.

The new fall and winter time table of the Grand Trunk goes into effect Sunday, and the most important changes are on the Toronto, North Bay and Cobalt division. Passengers for these points can take the Eastern Flyer at 6:53 in the evening and connect with a train leaving Toronto at 10:15 p.m. for the north. The early morning train for St. Marys and Stratford will leave London at 6 o'clock instead of 6:10 as formerly.

A. O. U. W. Meeting.

A big meeting of the members of the A. O. U. W. has been called for next Thursday, when a welcome will be extended to Grand Master William Morris, of Rodney, who will visit London Lodge. Members of the various city lodges will be present in large numbers to take part in the welcome, and it is expected that a number of grand lodge officers will be present and speak. Dr. H. A. Stevenson will be chairman.

The Moir Trial.

Friends of the accused, who are interesting themselves on his behalf and who desire to see that the facts in his favor are all brought out, have started a subscription for his defence. A good deal of sympathy has been expressed for him and those who feel disposed to aid in his defence are requested to pay in their subscription at John Mills' Book Store in London street. Mr. Mills has kindly consented to act as treasurer of the fund.

Died in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. Ralph Sturgeon, of St. Marys, who had been a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital in this city for some time, died on Tuesday, in his 72nd year. Mr. Sturgeon was a native of Ireland, lived in London Township for many years before going to St. Marys twenty years ago. His wife died three years ago and he leaves no family. His only brother lives in California. The deceased was a brother-in-law of Mr. Joshua Thompson, of St. Marys.

Rennie—Boulding.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boulding, Putnam, when their daughter, Jennie, became the wife of Mr. Wm. Rennie. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. E. Moorehouse, of Sheddin. The bride's dress was of white crepe de chene, and she carried a bouquet of carnations. Miss Bella Empey played the Wedding March. After hearty greetings, a dainty spread was served, following which the bridal couple left for a trip to Hamilton to while away the honeymoon.

Death of Esteemed Lady.

Miss Annie Scribner, the only daughter of G. W. Scribner, of this city, died this morning after a long and trying illness. She was 72 years of age and had been long in her mind, in Chatham before removing to London. The late Miss Scribner was an active member of Dundas Centre Methodist Church and a devoted worker in the Sabbath school. The funeral will leave the residence of her father, 345 Maitland street, on Saturday at 4 o'clock. Services will be held at 3:30, and will be conducted by Rev. E. B. Lancelley.

Local Option Beer.

Licenses Inspector Galpin has received from the Government agency a report on the samples of local option beer that were on sale at the Fair grounds during Fair week. All are found to contain less than two and a

half per cent of alcohol. The local option beer sold at the race meet in July was found to contain about eight per cent alcohol, and a man who sold it was yesterday fined \$20 and costs by P. M. Love. To come under the law this beer must contain less than 2 1/2 per cent of alcohol.

Mr. McHarg's Condition.

Railroad men will be glad to learn that Engineer Harry McHarg is not so seriously injured as was thought at first. Engineer McHarg is at present in Grace Hospital, Toronto, and has the small toe of his left foot amputated. This, it is thought, will be all the amputation necessary, although the foot is badly crushed and it was feared that complications might develop which might prove serious. Mr. McHarg will probably be well enough to be removed to his home in a few days.

Card of Thanks.

The local Woman's Christian Temperance Union, during their strenuous work at their dining hall Fair week, were greatly aided and encouraged by the kindness of friends, some of whom have fully identified themselves with the cause of temperance, not also by others, who have not yet done so. It is impossible for the secretary to send to each of these loyal helpers their due taken the liberty of thus expressing gratitude to all alike. We feel assured that as your kindness was shown in the spirit of love for the Divine Master, whom we all strive to serve, this card, despite its limitations, will be received in the generous spirit which prompted your gifts. These cannot be here enumerated; they varied from donations of beautiful flowers to self-performed labor. Each and all were needed to make up the very successful whole of our arduous endeavor, and as such were most gratefully accepted.

Dear friends, may it be yours, and when life's journey is spent, life's toil done, and the Master's "Well done, good and faithful servant" is all that remains of your life, to be able to say, "I have done my duty, and I have helped to build up the Kingdom of God on earth."

MRS. E. R. BLACK, president W. C. T. U.; MRS. HUBERT ASHLANT, superintendent Fair Work.

HEBREW CELEBRATIONS WILL BEGIN TONIGHT

Today Marks the End of the Year 5668 According to the Jewish Calendar.

Today marks the end of the year 5668 of the Jewish calendar, and tonight at sunset the new year celebrations in connection with the celebration of the new year 5668 commence and will be observed with great solemnity by the thousands of Hebrew citizens scattered throughout Canada and the United States. In London all the places of business will be closed all day Saturday and Sunday. Our Saturday is the Hebrew Sunday and will be a day of most solemn service in the city. Hebrew synagogues in this city and elsewhere will be crowded.

Special new year services will be conducted by Rabbi Phillips in the synagogue at the corner of Horton and Colborne streets, and by Rabbi Kanter in the Richmond street synagogue. The services will be held in Hebrew throughout, but all persons are allowed to attend. The preliminary services will commence this evening at sunset, when a service corresponding to that of the Sabbath will be held to bid farewell to the old year and welcome the new. Sunday in the Hebrew calendar commences tonight, and will be observed until sunset tomorrow night, when at sunset of the Hebrew day great rejoicings will be held and hundreds of all kinds of food of any kind and spend the time for the most part in prayer.

THREE ARRESTED FOR ALLEGED ASSAULT

Row in Rural District Winds Up in the Courts.

John Fishback, Henry Fishback and J. Jones, of South Dorchester, were arrested yesterday evening by High Constable Hughes and Constable Green on a charge of assault with intent to do bodily injury. They were bailed out to appear in Wednesday next.

The story is that the two Fishbacks and Jones went into Dorchester and met Ed Haver, of Dorchester, George Jackson and a couple of others, named Stevens and Blower. There had been an old grudge to settle between the factions, and after some discussion the two Fishbacks, although outnumbered, were too many for the others, and there is a story of teeth knocked out, broken fingers, and other injuries of the like nature.

The continued dry weather is affecting the cattle which have been on the grass all summer, and which should be finishing this month. Although this stock is not ready for market on this account, the farmers are shipping them, and the inferior quality, more than anything else, has caused prices to decline. But as far as the winter supply is concerned the country is well supplied with feed, which was not the case last fall.

JUNIOR CHAPTER OF BROTHERHOOD

Of St. Andrew Met Last Night and Arranged for Meetings.

The members of St. Matthew's Junior Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew met last night at the home of the president, Mr. William B. Moulton, where a very inspiring meeting was held.

A schedule of weekly Tuesday night meetings during the months of October and November, was arranged. The speakers for different meetings include the most distinguished in the city.

The president was honored by being elected delegate to the Dominion of Canada convention, Oct. 8 to 11, to be held in the city of Hamilton.

The business having been transacted games and singing were introduced. Afterward the members adjourned to the dining-room where a feast of good number had been provided.

The number of marriages recorded in Germany in 1906 was 498,990, and that of births 2,664,732.

LEMIEUX ACT WAS DISCUSSED

Best Informed Opinion Apparently in Favor of Its Retention.

Halifax, Sept. 24.—The labor congress spent the afternoon discussing a resolution on the Lemieux act. Great difference of opinion developed, some condemning and others commending. The discussion went over to tomorrow. The best informed opinion seemed to be strongly in favor of the retention of the act.

Officers were elected as follows: President—Alphonse Verville. Vice-President—James Simpson, Toronto.

Secretary-Treasurer—P. M. Draper, Ottawa.

The only contest for the executive was between James Simpson and C. C. Hahn, of Ben. Ont., with Mr. Simpson winning out.

The Provincial executives for the ensuing year are as follows: British Columbia—Vice-President, R. Pettigee, Vancouver. Executive—R. S. Sney, New Westminster; W. H. Gibson, Vancouver, and C. Selver, Victoria.

Alberta—Vice-President, F. H. Sherman, Calgary. Executive—John Robinson, Calgary; T. E. James and George Howell.

Saskatchewan—Vice-President, Hugh Peat, Regina. The appointment of the executive was left in the hands of the executive council of the congress.

Manitoba—Vice-President, W. J. Bartlett, Winnipeg. Executive—W. J. Goodwin, W. H. McKinnon and T. P. Robb, Winnipeg.

Ontario—Vice-President, J. Barnett, Toronto. Executive—E. Cardine, Ottawa; C. Hahn, Berlin, and F. Bancroft, Toronto.

Quebec—Vice-President, G. Franco, Montreal. Executive—Louis Beullon, Montreal; T. Fliser, Montreal, and O. P. Macdonald, Quebec.

New Brunswick—Vice-President, C. W. Blakney, Moncton. Executive—E. J. Neave and M. J. Kelly, St. John, and F. O. Gardiner, Moncton.

Nova Scotia—Vice-President, John J. Joy, Halifax. Executive—J. R. Martin, Sydney; George W. Murray, Truro, and Chas. Nelson, Halifax.

Prince Edward Island—Vice-President, George Carson. Executive to be appointed by the executive council of the congress.

Fraternals delegate to the next convention of the American Federation of Labor, to be held at Denver—P. M. Draper, Ottawa.

Quebec was the unanimous choice of the congress for the next place of meeting.

LOCAL INFECTION EPIDEMIC IN LONDON

Many People Are Ill and Imagine They Have Colds.

An epidemic, which has all the symptoms of cold, has broken out in London, physicians stating that they are called upon to attend many cases. The dust and all-round peculiar weather conditions are blamed for it. "We have more cases of local infection to deal with now than ever before," said one physician to The Advertiser. "Only a change in the weather will bring relief."

EARTHQUAKE AT SEA

Steamer Tossed About Violently—Four Persons Killed.

Mexico City, Sept. 24.—Advices received here today from Acapulco are to the effect that two heavy earthquake shocks were felt yesterday at that port. The sea was greatly agitated, and broke in tremendous waves. The Cosmos Line steamer Badmeze, from San Francisco, Sept. 8, for Hamburg, was caught and tossed about by the waves. Four persons were killed and several others were wounded by rolling spars and falling woodwork. The earthquake was barely perceptible on shore.

CONTINUED DRY SPELL IS AFFECTING CATTLE

Prices Decline on Account of Poor Quality Being Shipped.

Toronto, Sept. 24.—Despite the growing opinion that the price of beef will be as high this winter as it was last year, the cattle dealers state that according to the present outlook, cattle should not be very high.

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NEW YORK.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

New York, Sept. 25. The market continues to show strength and the movement seems to be fairly well sustained. The Harriman shares have been the feature and there has been a better tone to the Hill stocks. Although the strength has been attributed to manipulation, it looks as if some of the large interest had taken, temporarily at least, a positively bull position. There is no news.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.