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Business is what you are after. Don't try to disguise the fact. People know you're not in business for your health.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and Deaths 50c.

DIED.

HARRISON—At his residence, 339 Hill street, on Dec. 9, Thomas Wood Harrison, aged 75 years.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, on Sunday, at 2:30; service at 3 p.m. Friends will please accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line, each insertion.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Matinee and night, Saturday, Dec. 10, Klaw & Erlanger's superb production of Barnet & Sloane's fairy extravaganza, "JACK AND THE BEANSTALK." Prices—Matinee, $1, 75c, 50c, 25c, children, 50c; night, $1.50, $1, 75c, 50c, 25c. Seats on sale Thursday. 9k

ENJOY YOURSELF AT THE PRINCESS to-night. Music Saturday afternoon and night.

MISS ETHEL WEBB, ELOCUTIONIST; W. Graham Hodgson, tenor, Au Rorium, Monday, Dec. 19, 1898. Admission 25c. b

WAIT FOR REV. WM. PATTERSON, who lectures in King Street Presbyterian Church, Dec. 19. b

PRINCESS—MUSIC THIS AFTERNOON and tonight. The ice of the season. b

MISS CHARLOTTE E. WIGGINS IN Somerset Hall, Dec. 13. "Child Culture in Relation to Purity," 3:30 p.m. "Shall Women Vote?" 8 p.m. Silver collections. b

GOOD SKATING AT NORTH END RINK —Corner Grosvenor and Wellington. 12u

MONDAY EVENING—A PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT in Wellington Street Methodist Church, consisting of music by the choir, assisted by H. Ruthven McDonald and Miss Myra Pickard. Also a popular lecture by the pastor of the church, Rev. J. Edge, on "Take Home Things You Borrow." Admission 15c; two for 25c. b

GRAND CHRISTMAS CANTATA TALBOT street Baptist Sunday school, Friday Dec. 16; 7:30. All welcome. Collection 10 cents or over. b

VOICE CULTURE EVAN N. ROBLYN. Studio, Bell Piano Parlors. Residence, No. 30 Dundas street. Concert engagements. Telephone 1,270. xt

JUBILEE RINK — BAND TONIGHT — Grand ice. Good music. Splendid skating. 10c only.

FRIDAY, DEC. 16—"SOME SCOTTISH Heroes in Church and State," lecture by Rev. Robt. Johnston, in St. Andrew's Church. b

GRAND CONCERT— DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST CHURCH, next Tuesday evening. Spohr's cantata, "God, Thou Art Great," will be rendered by the choir, in addition to an excellent miscellaneous programme, assisted by the SHERLOCK MALE QUARTET, of Toronto, and MR. J. M. SHERLOCK, solo tenor. Admission 25c. b

BLACKFRIARS STREET NEW RINK— The Red Light. Splendid ice. Skating afternoon and evening. Band Monday. 11u

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 7— Opening date for advanced class for ladies and gentlemen. Special season tickets from December to May, at reduced rates. Dayton & McCormick.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY — NEW term for primary pupils commences first week in January. Membership list now open. Call early and register your names. Dayton & McCormick.

CHRISTMAS SHIPS TO ENGLAND—S. S. Paris, American Line, sails from New York for Southampton Wednesday, Dec. 14, due Southampton Dec. 21. Havre and Paris are reached by steamers from Southampton, leaving every week night. Umbria, Cunard Line, sails Dec. 17. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser agent.

Meetings.

I. O. O. F.—FUNERAL NOTICE—ALL members of the order will meet at the Oddfellows' Hall, tomorrow (Sunday), at 1:30 p.m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Thomas Harrison, of Eureka Lodge, No. 30. S. W. Priestly, N.G.; John Crawford, Sec. b

BRICKLAYERS' AND MASONS' UNION notice—Quarterly meeting Monday evening, Dec. 12. All members must attend. H. Kerr, Pres.; Hy Rymill, Sec. b

CHOSEN FRIENDS COUNCIL, NO. 75, will meet on Monday, Dec. 12, for the last time this year. Nomination and election of officers of 1899. John Tonton, Recorder. b

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED PARLOR maid. Apply Mrs. V. Cronyn, 591 Dundas street.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—ONE who can cook. Apply in the evening, 420 York street. 9tf

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT; REFERENCES required. Apply 308 Wolfe street. 7tf

Female Help Wanted.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED FOLDERS— Piece-work. Chapman's Binder. 12c

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO RENT—HOUSE WITH STABLE ON William street, north of C. P. R.; in good repair; $8 per month. For particulars apply to J. W. G. Winnett, Barrister, etc., 420 Talbot street. ywt

TO LET—NO. 427 KING STREET—APPLY at 383 King street. 96tf

TO LET—BRICK HOUSE—FOUR BEDROOMS, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and basement. Apply 138 Queen's avenue. 95tf

TO LET—COVERED MOVING VANS— When moving have your furniture and pianos carefully moved. Address 97 Carling street. Phones 1,102 and 1,167.

Miscellaneous

NEW PATENT — ANYONE WISHING sashes adjusted cheap, equal to pullies and weights, drop a card or call on J. L. White, sen., Pottersburg. Territory for sale. 10n

8 SITS.

Last week we announced six situations secured by our graduates. This week we have placed Miss Noble with Fried, Wright & Co., wholesale furriers, and Miss Thompson with R. Greene & Co., manufacturers, city, making eight situations in two weeks secured by graduates of

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Sunday in London

What Is Going On In The Leading Churches Of The City.

NOTICE—CHANGES FOR CHURCH SERVICES MUST BE HANDED IN BY FRIDAY EVENING.

AUDITORIUM — SUNDAY, 4:15 — MEN'S popular meeting. Address on "Great Men of Israel," singing by male choir, service illustrated with stereopticon views. b

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH —Pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson. Services, morning, 11; evening, 7. Sabbath school, 2:45 p.m. Everybody welcome.

ASKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH— Rev. Richard Hobbs, pastor. Services tomorrow as usual.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST —11 a.m.—Rev. John Morrison; 7 p.m., Mr. C. E. German. Good musical service.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES — THE church anniversary services of Wellington Street Methodist Church, will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Joseph Edge. Morning subject—"How to Win Souls." Evening subject—"The Value of a Church." Collections in interests of trustee board. Special music by the choir.

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH— Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. 11 a.m.—Communion. 7 p.m. Pastor's Bible class and Sabbath school, 3 p.m.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH— W. J. Ford, pastor. Morning—Rev. L. W. Wickett. Evening—The pastor, subject, "Elijah's Sacrifice and Prayer."

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST CHURCH —Rev. R. Fulton Irwin, of Adelaide, will preach morning and evening.

Morning — Anthem, "Great Is the Lord" (Lohr); solo, "Saved by a Child" (Piccolomini).

Evening—Anthem, "O, Lord, How Manifold are Thy Works" (Barnby); quartet, "The King of Love" (Shelley); duet, "Just to Trust Him" (Herbert.)

EMPRESS AVENUE (WEST LONDON) Methodist Church. 10 a.m.—General fellowship meeting. Morning—"God's House." Evening—"Draw Net."

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH— Rev. J. W. Pedley. Morning—"Making God Tired." Evening—"Jesus, Every Man's Brother," fourth in series.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (SCIENTISTS)—Duffield Block—Sunday services, morning, 11 o'clock, subject—"Sacrament." Evening, 7 o'clock, subject—"King Jehoiakim's Rejection of God's Message." Wednesday evening meeting, 8 o'clock. Sunday school immediately after morning service. All welcome. D. S. Robb, C.S., first reader; Mrs. Edna Robb, C.S., second reader. Residence 293 Princess avenue.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—REV. W. J. Clark, pastor, will preach 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School and Society for Bible Study, 3 p.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH— The pastor, Dr. Smith, will preach at both services.

11 a.m.—"A City On Its Knees."

7 p.m.—"The Measure of a Man."

Special collection by the choir. Bright, helpful service.

A warm welcome for all.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH —Rev. J. G. Fallis, pastor. Rev. W. J. Ford will preach at 11 a.m. Rev. W. L. Wickett at 7 p.m.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (South London)—Rev. J. G. Stuart, pastor. Topic for both services, "Our Brother's Keeper." Morning—"Cain and Abel." Evening —"Dives and Lazarus."

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Rev. Thos. Wilson. Morning—"A Searching Question." Evening—"Amusements: Where to Draw the Line." Seats free. All welcome.

LATTER DAY SAINTS—11 AND 7—ALL welcome.

MEMORIAL CHURCH ANNIVERSARY —Morning service—Dean Innes, "Gathering Fragments." Evening—Archdeacon Davis. Liberal offertories expected.

Monday evening, 12th—Anniversary concert in school room. Select vocal and instrumental music by Mr. J. W. Fetherston, Miss Hayward, Mr. Pardee Bucke, Miss Pousette, Mr. Julius McVicar, Miss Robinson, of Toronto, and others; recitations and readings by Miss Agnes Hull Simpson, elocutionist. Admission, 15c. b

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL—MORNING— Venite (Frost); Benedicite (Best); Benedictus (Spohr). Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Evening—Magnificat (Clarke Whitfield); Nunc Dimittis (Clarke Whitfield); anthem, "Hearken Unto Me." Preacher, the Dean.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, SOUTH LONDON— Rev. Archdeacon Davis, pastor. Services tomorrow as usual.

ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH— Rev. A. G. MacGillivray, M.A., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Communion service at close of morning service.

ST. ANDREW PRESBYTERIAN Church— Rev. Robert Johnston, B.D., pastor. Rev. J. C. Cooper, B.A., of Listowel, will preach at both services.

3 p.m.—Sabbath school and pastor's class.

Monday—Y. P. S. C. E.

Wednesday—Prayer meeting.

Friday—Lecture by pastor, "Scottish Heroes in Church and State."

SOUTHERN CONGREGATIONAL Church, Horton street. Rev. W. H. A. Claris, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath school and pastor's Bible class, 2:45.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH— Ira Smith, pastor. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. as usual.

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WANTED — BOARD FOR ELDERLY lady; also gentleman and wife. Address Box 95, this office. 11c

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FOR SALE—CUTTER—NEW LAST WINTER—Apply 540 Pall Mall street. 12c

GATES—FARM AND LAWN. A BARGAIN if sold on Saturday. Locked Wire Fence Company, Bathurst street. 11u

FOR SALE—CUTTER—NEARLY NEW— Cheap. E. N. Hunt, 356 Dundas street. b

FOR SALE—PARLOR COOK STOVE, $5 50 —Also box stove, $1 50, at Branton's grocery, 103 King street. b

THOS. H. JANES, SOUTH LONDON. We are giving special attention to Xmas goods, 3½ lbs. raisins, 25c; 3½ lbs. currants, 25c; peels, 20c lb. Ask for trading stamps. ywt

$8.50 WILL BUY $10 MAHOGANY Bedroom Suites, for this week only. Keene Bros.' Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street.

HORSE FOR SALE—LIGHT DRIVER— Bargain. Apply 258 Dundas street.

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FOR SALE—POCKET KNIVES, DOOR keys. Sewing machines repaired at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

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LOST—IN POSTOFFICE—FOUNTAIN PEN —Finder rewarded at this office. b

LOST—GOLD WATCH, INITIALS "J. A." engraved on case. Liberal reward for return to this office. 10c

NOTICE—CREDITORS AND ALL OTHER persons having claims against the estate of John Howard Griffith, late of the township of Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, who died on the 30th day of October, 1898, are, on or before the 10th day of January, 1899, to send in their names and addresses and particulars of their claims to Macbeth & Macpherson, of 57 Dundas street, London, Ont., solicitors for J. H. McMechan, executor of the will of the said deceased. After the said 10th day of January, 1899, the said executor will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice. Dated this 8th day of December, 1898. Macbeth & Macpherson. 12c t

THE ONTARIO Loan and Debenture Co.

Dividend No. 69.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of 3½ per cent upon the paid-up capital stock of this company has been declared for the current half year ending 31st inst., and that the same will be payable at the company's office, London, on and after 3rd January next. The transfer books will be closed from 17th to 31st. London, Dec. 6, 1898. WILLIAM F. BULLEN, Manager. 12u t

Real Estate.

A SNAP — THAT HANDSOME NEW modern residence, 330 Central avenue, near park. Has been reduced in price to insure quick sale. Ten rooms, closets, bathroom, lavatory, all modern appointments. Open for inspection from 4 to 5 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. t

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P. Walsh's Bulletin.

260 Cheapside street—1½-story frame house, stone foundation, 5 rooms, large lot. Price $750. Cheap.

16 Campbell street—A nice frame cottage, 7 rooms, large lot. Price $550.

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231 Hyman street—A splendid 2-story brick house, stone foundation, 10 rooms, finished in style, frame barn, one block from the park. Price $3,700.

856 Queen's avenue—A large frame cottage, 8 rooms, in good repair, lot 33x200 feet. Price $900.

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College	50x150, to lane	400
Dundas	Corner Wharncliffe	800
	Etc., etc., etc.	
	COTTAGES.	
Arthur	Corner lot, frame, 6 rooms	800
Piccadilly	Frame, 7 rooms	1,000
Princess	Brick, furnace, gas	1,900
Center	Frame, 5 rooms, monthly payments	500
Horton	Brick, 7 rooms	900
John	Brick, new, 8 rooms	1,700
Clarence	Frame, 6 rooms	600
	Etc., etc., etc.	
	RESIDENCES.	
Queen's ave	Brick, modern, 10 rooms	3,200
Waterloo	Brick, modern, 9 rooms	3,000
Wortley	Brick, modern, cornerlot	3,500
Elmwood ave	Brick, modern, large lot	4,600
Albert	Brick, large, modern	Inquire
Queen's ave	Brick, modern imp'vts	4,500
King	Brick, central, modern	4,000
Dundas	Attractive, brick, modern	4,700
Grand ave	Brick, lot 100x519	3,500
Maitland	Handsome brick	4,000
Dundas	Brick, corner, suitable for physician	6,700
Queen's ave	Brick, very central	3,100
Grosvenor	Attractive brick	4,000
Queen's ave	New brick, modern	3,200
	Etc., etc., etc.	
	BUSINESS PROPERTY.	
Richmond	3-story, central, dividend payer	9,000
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Bathurst	110 to G. T. R. siding	4,000
Dundas	Frame store and dwelling. A snap	2,400
	Etc., etc., etc.	

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1899.

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to the 31st December, both days inclusive. By order of the board.

GEO. A. SOMERVILLE, Manager.

London, Ont., Dec. 1, 1898. 12u 10 24

TENDERS FOR SEWER —AND— TENDERS FOR STORM DRAIN.

SEPARATE tenders will be received at this office, up to 4 o'clock, on Thursday, 15th December, for the construction of a TILE SEWER on Waterloo street, also for a TILE STORM DRAIN on same street.

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.

ALD. H. M. DOUGLASS, Chairman No. 2 Committee. 10c eod

ADJOURNED AT FOUR A. M.

An All-Night Session of the Hospital Committee.

Preparing the Agreement for the County Council Today.

Seven Hours' Talk Chiefly About the Legal Phraseology of the Document —The Chief Difference Was About the Management.

The hospital committee had an all-night session last night, beginning at 9 p.m. and lasting till 4 a.m. today. The members present were Ald. Carrothers (chairman), Jolly, Wilkey and McPhillips and the mayor. City Solicitor Meredith was also present, and, as the object of the meeting was to consider the proposed agreement with the county, Warden Elson, County Auditor Stanley and County Solicitor T. H. Purdom were comrades with the city representatives in their dissipation.

The agreement at yesterday's special meeting of the council had been referred to the committee and solicitor, with power, for the purpose of straightening out a few tangles so that the final ratification of it could be secured from the county council today.

The differences were left largely with the respective solicitors to debate and adjust, and at the end of the seven hours the agreement was in a shape satisfactory to both parties.

One right claimed by the county and refused by the city was that in the management of the new hospital the former should have one member to represent them on the trust board, as is the case at present. To this the committee would not agree, on the ground that it would prevent the council taking the control of the hospital out of the hands of the trust if it were so decided upon a vote of the people. A compromise was effected, and it is now understood between the two parties that the county can get representation only by legislation.

As the members wended their weary way homeward in the light of early dawn, they congratulated themselves that, so far as they were concerned, they had gone through the last—although the longest—act of the hospital agreement controversy.

MANGLED IN THE G. T. R. YARD

Brakeman R. E. Van Horne Pinched Between Two Cars—Died at the Hospital Soon Afterward.

Another terrible accident happened in the G. T. R. yard this morning, by which Brakeman R. E. Van Horne lost his life. Mr. Van Horne left the Western Hotel (his boarding place) at an early hour this morning, to go on his usual run, between here and Hamilton. While Conductor J. Rich was checking his train, the Hamilton way freight, Brakemen R. E. Van Horne and G. McDonald, were engaged in preparing things around the yan. Mr. Van Horne was transferring some necessary articles from a van on the south side, which they had used yesterday. Three feet behind the way freight van were some stationary cars, and between these the unfortunate man was passing, when the cars, by some means, came together, possibly by the engine being put on, and Mr. Van Horne was pinned between the drawheads. His cry attracted the attention of his comrade, who ran to the roundhouse and telephoned for Dr. Drake. In the meantime the maimed man was lifted into the caboose, in which he was brought to the station, and then removed to the city hospital in the ambulance, arriving there about eight o'clock, and died an hour afterwards.

Mr. Van Horne had been on the road for a number of years, and was very popular with those who knew him. The deceased was 38 years of age.

A sad feature is the fact that deceased was to have been married in a few weeks to a young lady of Elmira, Ont., his former home. His fiancee was notified by telegraph and arrived in the city this afternoon with relatives of deceased.

Coroner Flock investigated the circumstances, and concluded that an inquest was not necessary, death being purely accidental.

Situations Wanted

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN in office or store or any useful employment at moderate remuneration. Is willing to work, and can bring good recommendations. Address, Ernest Atkins, 265 Clarence street, London. 7n

Auction Sale of Household Furniture and Piano, Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 10:30 a.m.

J. W. JONES has been instructed to sell at the residence of the late Rev. Wm. Chapman, 527 Dundas street, the whole of the house effects, comprising grand upright piano, sofas, lounges, easy and other chairs, center tables, stands, hall stands, sideboards, dining table and chairs, dinner and tea sets, crockery, glassware, fruit jars, fine silverware, carpets, sewing machine, books, contents of three bedrooms, wardrobe, crib, toiletware, No. 9 cook stove, coal or wood, square baseburner, baseburner (with oven), good as new, gas cook stove, washing machine, wringer, kitchen utensils, garden tools, hose, etc. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer. 12u

HEADQUARTERS, 7TH Fusiliers—London, Dec. 9, 1898. Regimental orders by Lt.-Col. W. H. Lindsay, commanding: No. 1—All articles of uniform, arms, etc., or any other regimental property in the hands of the non-commissioned officers and men of the 7th Fusiliers must be returned to Company or Regimental Stores at the Drill Shed not later than evening of the 12th inst. The Drill Shed will be open from 2:30 p.m. till 5 o'clock p.m., and from 7:30 p.m. until 10 p.m. on Saturday the 10th, and Monday the 12th inst. during which time the above will be taken over. By order, W. A. McCrimmon, lieutenant, acting adjutant. 11u

HUGGING COMES HIGH

Soldiers Fined $500 for Squeezing Women.

Kansas Girl Bet a Thousand Kisses On Her Candidate Against Thirty Head of Cattle, and Lost.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 10.—In the city court yesterday Judge Thomas M. Norwood, former United States senator from Georgia, fined Pte. J. E. Moore, of Battery A, First Maine Artillery, $500, or six months on the chain gang, for embracing the wife of a prominent county official on the street while the soldier was intoxicated.

BET ONE THOUSAND KISSES.

Kansas is again at the front with one of the most peculiar election bets that has so far come to light. Out in Grant county, part of the district over which Jerry Simpson and Jerry J. Long have so bitterly contested for the last few years, there is situated at the junction of the north fork of the Cimmaron River and Prairie Dog Creek, the little town of Golden. The inhabitants of the surrounding country are mostly ranchmen and cowboys, who center at Golden for the purchase of supplies.

Miss Lucy Withers, a resident of Golden has brought this isolated prairie town to the attention of the public. Miss Withers is a comely woman of some 20 Kansas summers, a school teacher, and lives with her widowed mother. She has always been a great admirer of Jerry Simpson from Medicine Lodge and never loses an opportunity to champion his cause.

A few evenings before election there was a social gathering in the neighborhood, and it was during this time that Miss Withers and a young and well-to-do ranchman, by the name of Harold Owens, took opposing views on the political situation. The young teacher wished to know if Owens would bet on his candidate, and he informed her that he had 30 of the finest steers that ever grazed in Grant county, all of which he valued at $1,000, and which he would bet that Mr. Simpson would be elected to congress.

"What have you, Miss Withers, to show your faith in the return of Simpson to congress?" asked the ranchman.

Now the teacher owned no steers or their equivalent, but she determined not to be outdone. She hesitated a moment, and added:

"I will wager you 1,000 kisses at $1 each against your steers that Jerry Simpson wins."

The young ranchman had civilized bucking bronchos, mastered the lariat and many other difficult feats in a ranchman's life, but this offer was the most perplexing proposition that had ever been handed to him. There was something fascinating about the collateral offered, and he replied:

"I will accept with the understanding that in case I win you allow me to collect my winnings on the installment plan."

"You may suit your pleasure about that."

"Then its is an agreement, and our listeners are the witnesses."

The election resulted in a bad defeat for Mr. Simpson. Harold Owens says he will collect 20 kisses a week until the obligation is canceled.

GOBBLING UP RAILWAYS

Syndicates Secure the Street Railway Systems of Cleveland and Baltimore.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 10.—A syndicate of New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore capitalists has purchased the city passenger street railway system here for $12,600,000.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 10.—It is reported that an English syndicate is negotiating for the purchase of both the Big and Little Consolidated Street Railways, the two companies which control and operate all the street railway lines in the city, both cable and electric, as well as all the suburban lines in and about Cleveland. The combined capitalization of the two companies is $20,000,000.

M'KENNA SAVED THE HEROINE

Startling Scene in an Armagh Theater.

An Excited Irishman Leaps on the Stage, Drives Off the Villain and Saves the Victim.

Belfast, Dec. 10.—An exciting scene occurred during the performance in the theater at Armagh Thursday evening. A battle dealer named McKenna, whose feelings had become overwrought by the incidents of the play, suddenly seized a chair, leaped upon the stage, drove off the villain and his confederates, and rescued the heroine from the guillotine.

The audience became panic-stricken, and several women fainted.

The curtain was rung down, and the police finally subdued and arrested McKenna, who was completely exhausted by the violence of his frenzy.

IRVING AGED BY SICKNESS.

London, Dec. 10.—Sir Henry Irving was seen today, and gave an opportunity for a few minutes' conversation. There is a striking and painful change in his appearance. Not only is he weak and feeble as a result of his sickness, but he seems to have aged ten years, and to lack all his former intellectual energy. It is feared it will be much longer than is generally supposed before he is able to resume active work in his profession.

MR. GARROW'S MAJORITY 55.

Goderich, Dec. 10.—The two missing polls in the West Huron election have been heard from. These figures are as follows, majorities only being given in each case: Goderich township, No. 2, Beck 44 majority; East Wawanosh, No. 4, Garrow 18 majority. This reduces Hon. J. T. Garrow's majority to 55.

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COUNTY COUNCIL OF MIDDLESEX

Have Completed Their Labors and Gone Home—Hospital Agreement Passed and Signed.

SATURDAY.

The county council finished the business before them at 2 o'clock today, and adjourned sine die.

The first report of the board of road directors was adopted. It recommended that no action be taken on the petition of the residents of Caradoc, re bridge on the Giles site. Tenders will be called for the rebuilding of the bridges mentioned in the commissioners' report. On the recommendation of the committee, the resolution of Ekfrid township council, re bridge on the Appin road, was referred to special committee. The committee visited the site of the proposed bridge over the River Thames between Ekfrid and Dunwich townships, reported it suitable, and that a bridge there would benefit a number of residents.

On motion of C. C. Hodgens, it was decided to procure a wardrobe for Judge Wm. Elliot's room in the courthouse. Six hundred copies of the December minutes are to be printed for distribution.

On motion of H. Hardy and James Bennett, the following resolution was passed: "That the unanimous thanks of the members of this county council be and are hereby tendered to our warden, Mr. P. Elson, for the kind, efficient and impartial manner in which he has faithfully performed the various duties in connection with his office, and also our appreciation of the courtesy extended by him to each member of the council, and that the clerk have this resolution engrossed and presented to him."

The hospital agreement was read by County Solicitor Purdom and adopted, and signed by the county officials, who were empowered to apply for the necessary legislation to confirm the same.

FURS GALORE

Unexcelled Display of Goods Suitable for Christmas Presents at Spittal, Sabine & Co.'s

Do the cold weather and the Christmas season ever suggest to you that one of the most acceptable gifts in the world is something in the line of fur goods. Thousands of citizens are at this present moment racking their brains, and worrying over what they will purchase for a Christmas gift. They want something nice, something good; but what that will be is indeed a puzzler. To those who are thus undecided, a visit to the large establishment of Spittal, Sabine & Co., 146 Dundas street, is recommended, as it will in all probability settle the perplexing question. Here may be seen one of the finest displays of fur goods in Western Ontario. Special attention is drawn to the beautiful stock of gauntlets, caps, caperines, ruffs, capes and jackets, which are shown in profuse quantity, in seal, otter, sable, Persian lamb, mink and other furs.

Among other specialties which Spittal, Sabine & Co. offer this year is a choice collection of celebrated mountain and grizzly bear robes, for which they are sole Canadian agents. These celebrated goods are now known from one end of the country to the other. All who anticipate the purchase of furs, should first pay a visit to 146 Dundas street before buying. **

W. F. BROCKENSHIRE, East End Gallery, is still making those beautiful cabinet photographs at $2 per dozen. Gallery open on Thanksgiving Day. 666½ Dundas street. ywt

One may smile and smile and be a villain still.—Shakespeare.

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