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These Prices Are Making Business as it Should Be.

Sparks From the Wire.

It is proposed to test Canadian winter wheat in New Zealand, and Mr. G. F. Marter, M.P., is sick, and has been confined to his bed for several days.

A 10-year-old boy named Ross was killed in a runaway near Plainfield, Ont., Tuesday night.

The factory and warehouse of Axtell & Gross, at Harrow, England, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$250,000 on Thursday.

Edward Eddy, of Denver, Col., the multi-millionaire, and one of the best-known mining experts in the world, died Tuesday night of pneumonia, aged 57 years.

Wm. Swart, aged 32 years, died last night at the home of W. H. Woods, in Federal, Pa., the victim of an accidental shooting while surrounded by a young married couple Tuesday night.

Fire in New York on Thursday destroyed the fertilizer factory of Truett & Sons, in Blissett, N. Y. The machinery, which is a total loss, cost \$100,000. There were six frame buildings, covering an acre and a half of ground.

A crowd of Polish women and girls, returning from work, attempted to cross the track ahead of a train at about 10 o'clock Tuesday night, and, as a result, Rosa Kampista, aged 17, was killed in sight of her mother, who narrowly escaped death herself.

Sir Oliver Mowat is to be informed of the doing of a special investigation. He will be requested so to amend the criminal code that any tramp arrested with a revolver or other weapon may be liable to six months' imprisonment and fifteen lashes of the cat-of-nine-tails.

DIVINITY DEGREES.

Successful Candidates at the Recent Examinations.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—The Board of Degrees in Divinity in connection with the Church of England in Canada met yesterday in the library of St. Albans Cathedral. The Bishop of Toronto occupied the chair. Among those present were Rev. Provost Watkins, M.A., Huron College, London. It was announced that the successful candidates in the recent examinations were as follows:

Second (final) examination for the degree of Bachelor of Divinity—Rev. R. H. Hunt, M.A., King's University, Nova Scotia; Rev. Wilson McCann, B.A., Wytheville College; Rev. J. C. H. Mockridge, M.A., Trinity University, and Rev. W. J. Wilkinson, M.A., King's University.

First examination for degree of Bachelor of Divinity—Rev. W. McCormack, Wytheville College.

Preliminary examination, class II.—Mr. L. H. Donaldson, Wytheville College; Mr. W. Hunter, Wytheville College; Rev. A. S. Madill, B.A., Trinity University; Mr. C. J. H. Mockridge, B.A., Trinity University; Mr. W. J. Southam, Wytheville College; Mr. C. W. Vernon, King's University, Windsor, N. S.

Messrs. Donaldson, Hunter, Mockridge, Southam and Vernon and Rev. A. S. Madill obtained over 50 per cent of the aggregate number of marks in the preliminary examination, and are therefore held to have passed the first examination for B. D. as well.

At the official trial of the Vimero torpedo boat destroyer, built by the Lairds, a mean speed of 20.10 knots was made on the measured mile, while 20.07 knots was the average for the three hours' continuous speed. The coal consumption being 2.40 pounds per horse power per hour.

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Western Ontario.

Stratford Youth Charged With an Offense Under the Charities Act

Big Order for Carriages for the Transval—Rev. Dr. Kilroy's 66th Birthday Celebration.

The price of bread in Windsor has fallen 4 cents.

Mr. Dan Thompson, Guelph, has a lilac bush in full bud in his garden.

Mr. John Hanlon, Puslinch, has lost four horses through some unknown disease.

Mr. James F. Williams has been appointed assistant sub-collector at Ingersoll.

Wm. Gray & Sons, of Chatham, have an order from the Transval for 80 buggies, carriages and phaetons.

On Sunday Rev. Robert Cameron preached his first sermon as pastor of the North Easthope and Hamstead congregations.

Joseph Wilton, of West Lorne, was driving a load of apples to the wagon upon the apples fell on him. He had his collar bone and arm broken.

Andrew Vetter, of Leamington, has been sentenced to one month in Sandwich jail for the theft of a set of harness from Elisha Harris, a farmer, of Mersea township.

John Sheppard, of Stratford, is charged with an offense under the Charities Act, Emily Cawston being the victim. Sheppard was released on \$1,000 bail being given.

H. Trumble has purchased the property on the northeast corner of Windsor avenue and Pitt street, Windsor, from the Mackay estate. The price paid was \$4,000 cash.

Mr. James O'Donnell has sold his farm, consisting of 50 acres, in the 6th concession of North Easthope, to Mr. Richard Quilley for \$2,400. The farm is considered a good one and the price realized satisfactory.

Rev. J. H. Hazlewood, pastor of the Paris Methodist Church, appealed to his congregation for a thanksgiving offering to raise money for a fund of the church, instead of raising it by the usual annual tea meeting and concert, and the contributions almost reached the sum of \$500.

On Tuesday afternoon, at Stratford, the 66th birthday of Rev. Dr. Kilroy, of St. Joseph's, was remembered in a pleasing manner by the students of Loretto, an attractive programme being given by the pupils. Among those present were Messrs. J. H. Hazlewood, Kinkora, Brennan, St. Marys, and Downey and Foster, Stratford.

Sylvanus Shaw, of Dresden, and Miss Edith Shaw were married on Wednesday at the residence of the bride, Morley street, Detroit. Mr. Shaw is bookkeeper for Laird and both the bride and his wife, who was for some time connected with the Bell Telephone Company, are well known in the city. They will reside in Dresden.

On Monday morning Henry Rodgers, of Hulse, was taken to the hospital by Francis Durrant, in Fullerton, to get his brother-in-law, Blake Durrant, to join him in a business trip.

In leaving the house Rodgers' gun was accidentally discharged, the shot entered Durrant's chest, and the knee of Durrant was badly hurt, but no serious results are anticipated.

St. John's Church, Woodville, was the scene of a very interesting service on Monday morning, when T. Fitzgerald was united in marriage with Miss Agnes Strong, third daughter of P. Strong, of Brockton, Ontario.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Hodgkinson of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and J. Fitzgerald, brother of the groom, was best man.

On Wednesday afternoon one of Chatham's most prominent citizens, Ward Stanworth, and Miss Frances Brown, pastor of St. Andrew's, were united in marriage.

The bride's uncle, Peter Black, Catharine street, South, Hamilton, Miss Margaret Black, of the same address, acted as bridesmaid, the groom being supported by Gideon Moody. The bride's father, Rev. Mr. Fletcher, Presbyterian Church, was officiating.

The residence of Mr. Jas. D. Stewart, town clerk of Sarnia, was the scene of a very pleasant affair on Wednesday, when Miss Kate Cavell, niece of Mr. Jas. D. Stewart, and the bride, Miss B. Clark, of the drygoods firm of Clark & Fowler, of that town. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Cameron, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Miss Belle Clark, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, and Mr. G. Gaud, of Hamilton, was groomsmen.

The case of Armour vs. the Corporation of Ingersoll, a claim for \$1,000 damages, was heard before Judge Street at Woodstock, and resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff for \$400 and costs. The jury found that the defendant had shipped and fell on the icy sidewalk on Thames street south, and sustained injuries of a serious character. The costs in this action will run up to about \$300, so that what might have been a small claim, or less has cost the town about \$700.

The inquest into the circumstances attending the late fire at Mr. Robert Haskett's store, Watford, held by Provincial Coroner Noble, was opened at the fireman's hall there on Wednesday morning. The court sat until midnight, and a dozen witnesses were examined. Nothing positive was elicited, but it appeared evident the fire was the work of an incendiary. The inquest was adjourned until Dec. 3.

Before Mr. Justice Street, at Toronto, in the suit of the Bank of Montreal vs. West, judgment was rendered in action tried without a jury at Chatham. Action for a declaration that plaintiffs are entitled to rank upon the estate in the hands of the defendant's assignees, and to receive dividends upon that sum in excess of \$9,324.87, admitted by defendants. Judgment declaring plaintiffs entitled to rank for the amount of their claim, deducting only the value placed upon the two securities in this claim filed by them in July, 1888, with costs up to the hearing. The defendants may, at their own risk as to costs, have a reference to ascertain the proper claim of plaintiffs. If defendants elect to take a reference, costs thereof will be reserved.

Remedies are positively cured by the use of Parmed's Pills. They not only cleanse the stomach and bowels from all bilious matter, but they open the excretory system, causing them to pour copious effusions from the blood into the bowels, after which the bowels are purged, and the natural passage of the body. They are used as a general family medicine with the best results.

Sir John Lubbock told some London school children recently that one of his nieces described air as consisting of Oxygen and Cambridge.

SMALL HANDWRITING.

Mention was made in the Table, not long since of the microscope ring presented to Queen Elizabeth, consisting of a silver penny on which Bales "put more things than would fill several duodecimo pages." For a long time, Bales' remark that Cleo had once seen Homer's Iliad in a nutshell was considered an exaggeration, at least. But an old French writer named Huet proves the statement to be true. A sheet of sheep-skin can be neatly folded up so as to fit the shell of a large walnut. In its breadth the strip will contain one line of 30 verses, and its length, 250 lines. Each side of the page would then contain 7,500 verses, or the whole of the Iliad! Huet proved this fact in the presence of the Dauphin, using a sheet of paper and a crow quill pen.

In the library of St. John's College, Oxford, is the head of Charles I. made up of minute lines of script which at a little distance resembles common handwriting. The lines of the head and ruff form the Psalms, the Creed, and the Lord's Prayer. There is a portrait of Queen Anne, in the British Museum, "not much above the size of the hand." This drawing, too, is made up of microscopic lines and scratches which form the contents of an entire folio.

Elizabeth's silver penny ring was surpassed by the farthing of Peter Almus, an Italian monk. On the coin was engraved the Acts of the Apostles and the Gospel according to St. John. Another example of microscopic writing was presented to Elizabeth in the shape of a piece of parchment the size of a finger, containing the Decalogue, the Creed, the Lord's Prayer, the canon of the Mass, and the date. A pair of spectacles accompanied this ill-fated manuscript. Aelian, an old and an artist who wrote a "distich" of letters of gold, which he enclosed in the rim of a grain of corn, while Menage writes of microscopic sentences, pictures and portraits. He mentions reading an Italian poem in praise of the princess, "written by an officer in the shape of a foot and a half."

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