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BRUCE.

Bradstreet's reports that Robert Beechey, blacksmith, Walkerton, has assigned to Robt. Millon.

The Young Liberals of Walkerton run a mock parliament, and one of their members will introduce a bill to the effect "that as the object which the Protective Association has is against public policy it is necessary and expedient to pass a bill making it a criminal offense to be a member of said association."

BRANT.

James Dunean, of the City Hotel, Brantford, a well-known citizen, died suddenly Thursday morning of heart disease. He was one of the most noted curiers in Ontario and was personally much liked. He leaves ten children.

Word has just been received in the city of the death of Mrs. Dillington, formerly Miss Daisy Ganson, of Brantford, which took place at her husband's residence in New York on Saturday evening.

A writ for \$1,000 for libel has been issued, at the instance of Lawyer L. F. Hoyd, upon Constable Adams, of Brantford. Mr. Hoyd, acting for a client named Swazie, charges the constable with supplying information to the newspapers libelous to his client. Mr. Adams will defend the suit. Mr. Hoyd has several similar libel cases in behalf of the same client against two or three newspapers.

ESSEX.

Mayor C. M. Walker, of Walkerville, in his annual message recommended that manufacturers there be exempted from taxation on all improvements for ten years, and that anyone building a house be granted the same immunity.

Sheriff Miller will be laid up for several months through illness.

In July last H. J. Corby married Mary E. Waterhouse in Windsor, Ont., and subsequently disappeared. It is alleged, with \$1,650 of the lady's money. He was arrested at Toronto, and pleaded not guilty to a charge of fraud. The case will be tried Jan. 31.

ELGIN.

Police Magistrate McDougall's house and office in Wallaceburg was set on fire the other night by incendiaries but it was discovered in time. It was sprinkled with coal oil.

Six people broke through the ice on Kettle Creek at St. Thomas, Wednesday, including Mrs. John Hammond. They were in the cold water 15 minutes before being pulled out by ropes.

HURON.

Prohibition vote in Huron: For, 7,420; against, 4,693; majority for, 3,322.

W. J. Younill, son of S. Younill, Wingham, and formerly connected with the Times, is now filling the responsible position of night editor on the Winnipeg Free Press.

While engaged in dehorning a bull the other day, Mr. J. Cameron, of the 4th con. of Stanley, was attacked by the brute, knocked down and had several ribs broken, besides being otherwise injured. The animal was shot forthwith.

Twenty members of the model school class of 1893 at Goderich failed to get schools for the present year.

KEEWATON.

W. Douglas, Q.C., has been appointed city solicitor at Owen Sound.

At Osgoode Hall Wednesday: Whitesell vs. Handy—Judgment in action tried at Kitchener. Action to have a mortgage and assignment thereof declared fraudulent and void against the plaintiff by reason of her insanity and to have the same delivered up to be canceled, and for other relief. Action dismissed with costs. Charles Macdonald for the plaintiff; M. Wilson, Q.C., for the defendant.

Len Shorman, of Thamesville, has been elected president of the East Kent Agricultural Society.

LANE.

Geo. Ley's new brick block, opposite Market Square, Sarnia, is completed and ready for occupation. It presents a handsome appearance.

During the recent soft weather some good fishing was done at Sarnia.

A fire insurance inspector has examined the Sarnia fire department and pronounced himself well pleased.

Drainage to the amount of \$50,000 is to be constructed during the coming summer in the townships of Brooke, Dawn and Enniskillen.

MIDDLESEX.

The village of Lucan is offering \$500 reward for the detection of fire bugs.

Glencoe Presbyterian Y. P. S. C. E. has voted \$120 to the support of a missionary in the Northwest.

The debtors of Glencoe on Jan. 1 was \$10,539 65, as follows: High school, \$7,495 65; public school, \$1,901; deep well, \$1,130.

Hon. G. W. Ross, has presented the Glencoe Mechanics' Institute with a copy of his work, "Patriotic Recitations and Arbor Day Exercises."

Glencoe News: A. Wade has sold his house and lot in Middlesex to Mr. E. L. Rodney, and will leave the village in February. Thos. Cooper, of Richards and the firm remains the same for the present at least.—W. G. Dods, who has been visiting friends in Middlesex, does not return to Idaho alone. He was married at the residence of the bride's brother at Stewart to Miss Tillie Loughton, of St. Thomas.

The residence of Mr. P. Portsmouth, of Caradoc, was the scene of a gay gathering of guests on Wednesday, Jan. 17, who assembled to witness the marriage of his daughter Tillie to Mr. Ernest Pulling, of De aware. Miss Ella Portsmouth attended the bride, while the bridegroom was supported by his younger brother Adrian. The bride wore a dress of gray, with orange blossoms in her hair, cream kid gloves and slippers. She carried cream roses. The bridesmaid was attired in a darker shade of gray and also carried cream roses. Rev. T. Brown, of Christ Church, Delaware, performed the marriage ceremony. Afterwards 50 invited guests sat down to an elegant repast, crowned with the beautiful wedding cake. The large supply of useful and costly wedding gifts showed the esteem in which the young couple were held. A number drove in a bridal pair to the station accompanied with the usual quantity of rice and shoes. Among the guests were Mr. Lambeth, St. Thomas, and Delaware. Mr. J. M. Pulling intend taking up their residence at Venetianishene.

PERTH.

Word has been received of the death of Dr. T. B. A. of St. Mary's, at his home in Manitoba. He will be buried in St. Mary's. North Perth Agricultural Society will hold a one-day show instead of two days in future.

Prohibition vote in Perth county: For, 3,954; against, 2,650; majority for, 1,304. Including Stratford and St. Mary's the majority is 1,652.

At the annual meeting of shareholders of the Blanchard and Nisour Cheese and Butter Company (Limited) the financial statement showed that \$21,147 had been received for cheese and distributed among patrons, milk-drawers, maker, etc. The average amount of milk per pound of cheese was 10.63; average price for the season, 9.84c.

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FIXING THE SALARIES.

The Middlesex County Council and the Municipal Incomes.

London West Wants Better Street Railway Connection—The General Hospital.

Thursday Morning.

The Middlesex County Council resumed this morning at 10 o'clock after an afternoon spent chiefly in committee work. The principal item brought up for consideration was a petition from Samuel Glass, D. C. Macdonald and about 200 residents and property owners in London West, asking that the council, as far as the same came under their jurisdiction, to allow the street railway company to lay their tracks over the Kensington bridge for the running of horse-cars only. The petition was referred to the board of road directors.

The medical superintendent of the hospital, Dr. J. D. Balfour, submitted the annual statement of receipts and expenditures. A few of the items are as follows: Total expenditure for maintenance, \$19,253 06; received from paying patients, \$8,858 98; Government grant, \$5,325 43; interest on endowment, \$454 75; capital account, \$25,000; original capital, \$8,000. There were altogether 634 days' sickness of patients at 71.74 cents per day, and 2,044 days at 75.08 cents per day, a total of \$2,063 04. The total stay of patients was 19,463 days; paying patients, 4,760, and county patients, 2,678. The report was referred to the finance committee.

Deputy Reeve Scarrow, of London West, asked the warden if the cost of the hospital had not nearly doubled, as such was the nature of reports at the last municipal election.

Mr. Gilmour, the county representative on the Hospital Trust, assured Mr. Scarrow that he would give full information tomorrow dating as far back as 1882.

The finance committee presented their first report. It recommended the payment of various accounts and that the salaries of county officials be as follows for the current year: Warden, \$300; clerk, \$180; treasurer, \$1,600; bridge commissioner, \$3 50 per day for actual services; and for extra services re small bridges a salary of \$300 per annum; janitor at court house, \$500; keeper house of refuge, \$550; matron, \$200; assistant matron, \$120; county jailer, \$750; first turnkey, \$550; second turnkey, \$450; third turnkey, \$400; night watchman, \$400; matron, \$400; assistant matron, \$300; jail surgeon, \$300. Adopted.

The board of road directors recommended that a sub-committee composed of Messrs. Scates, D. Campbell, Scarrow, Hardy, Dreaney, Murray, Elson, the engineer and chairman of the board be appointed to visit the Byron bridge and report; that in connection with the tenders for the building of a bridge over Dingman's creek between Delaware and West Nisour, we would recommend that the tender of J. Thompson for the creation of McEwen's bridge on the town line of Caradoc and Metcalfe for the sum of \$122 be accepted, and also that the tender of Fellows & Lewis for the stone work of Weir's bridge over Doty's creek between Dorchester and Nisour for the sum of \$3,219 be accepted. The report was adopted without amendment.

It was moved by Peter Elson and E. Dunn that the warden and clerk be auditors of the criminal justice accounts. Carried.

John Hall and Geo. Scates submitted a petition to the effect that the positioning committee be instructed to draft a resolution to be presented to the Ontario Government asking for an amendment to Sec. 18, Chap. 214. Referred to the committee.

This afternoon's session will be spent mostly in committee work. The road directors will take a trip to Byron and make an examination of the bridge there.

MARRIED HIS NURSE.

An Australian Millionaire Marries the Girl Who Cared for Him.

OMAHA, Jan. 25.—An Omaha girl named Eva Barnett has been married to an Australian millionaire. Miss Barnett went to Chicago a few years ago, became a professional nurse, and accepted a position in a hospital. While there a middle-aged man suffering from pneumonia was brought in. Miss Barnett attended him. He was restored to health and discharged. Two years passed; the man returned, a courtship was begun and a wedding resulted. Not until then did the wife learn the story of millions in Melbourne, whether they have gone.

Slept Nearly Sixteen Years.

WINONA, Minn., Jan. 25.—Cerman Harris, of Ulica, Minn., who has slept most of the time for 16 years, and whose case has become famous, has awakened again and is apparently in a normal state. He weighs less than 100 pounds, but has a good appetite, and is improving in health. This is the first time in several months that he has been awake.

Four Boy Burglars Sentenced.

TORONTO, Jan. 25.—In the police court this morning four boy burglars, Edward Harmer, George Beamish, Donald Morrison and George Rudd, were brought up for sentence. Harmer and Beamish were sent for six years to Kingston, Morrison to five years in the same prison, and Rudd to two years in the Central Penit. Each of the quartet had previous convictions, and were too old to be sent to the reformatory.

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