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WEEKLY WEAVINGS.

HUMPHREY & GRAHAM shipped a car-load of staves to Thorold last week.

CHARLES ALLEN had his thumb badly crushed by a grindstone last Thursday.

W. ARKELL, of St. Thomas, has sold the wheat deposited in his Dutton storehouse to Mr. Goldie, of Ayr.

We are informed that a petition is being circulated throughout the township for the repeal of the Scott Act.

J. A. SHANNON, dentist, will be in his office Dutton the last three days of each week. He will be away the first three days until further notice.

The Presbyterians of Rodney have purchased half an acre of ground from S. Patterson for \$265, and will commence the erection of a manse thereon at once.

MR. JAMES PENNINGTON, of Dutton, will open the premises formerly occupied by Mr. T. McTaggart as a confectionery store, as a hotel and restaurant in a few days.—Journal.

A NUMBER of our young people drove to Port Stanley last Friday to attend the Elgin Farmers' picnic. They returned about 10:30 p.m., much pleased with their day's outing.

HOME CIRCLE.—Dutton Home Circle meets next Monday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. A full attendance of members is requested as business of importance must be transacted at this meeting.

A. C. GRAHAM, furniture dealer, has concluded to push business vigorously, and assist, if possible, in breaking up the Undertakers' Association. He has a quantity of large posters which he purposes distributing through the country.

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CHEAP MILLINERY.—The Misses Yates are holding a genuine clearing sale of spring and summer millinery and fancy goods. Now is the time to secure fashionable hats and bonnets at and below cost. The goods must go to make room for fall purchases.

HE is a BEAT—"Prof." A. E. Solder (colored), who advertises himself as a native of the Fiji Islands, and a Christian and educated cannibal gave a couple of lectures here last week, and jumped the town without paying his board and printing bills. Pass him round.—Waterford Star.

SUNDAY was children's day at the Methodist church. The exercises partook of a song service by the congregation and a paper and chalk talk by the pastor which proved very interesting not only to the little ones but to the older ones as well. The secretary's report showed the school to be in a flourishing condition.

WEDDING BELLS.—On Thursday of last week, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mr. D. McNabb, of Cowal, was united in marriage to Miss Jane McBride. The wedding party drove to Dutton, where the bride and groom took the afternoon express for the west. The ENTERPRISE joins their many friends in tendering congratulations.

HERE is a neat little arithmetical problem upon which our readers may exercise their ingenuity: Put down in figures the year in which you were born; to this add 4; then add your age at your next birthday, provided it comes before Jan. 1, otherwise your age at your last birthday; multiply result by 1,000; from this deduct 677,423; substitute for figures corresponding letters of the alphabet, as A for 1, B for 2, C for 3, D for 4, etc. The result will give you the name by which you are popularly known. Try it, and you will be surprised. It beats Donnelly's cipher.

D. J. THOMPSON is building a picket fence around his property.

THE Fingal club have signified their willingness to play the Shamrocks here the 1st of July. The challenge will be accepted.

I AM lending money at present in large loans on good farm security at 5 1/2 per cent.—A. McCrimmon, St. Thomas.

THE Thistles play the return match with the Atlantics, in the Atlantic park, St. Thomas, on Saturday. We hope our boys will again be victorious.

THE revival meetings, conducted by Hunter and Crossley in St. Thomas, and which were intended to have been brought to a close Monday night, will be continued a few days longer. 954 persons have been converted at these meetings.

TWO train loads of delegates of the New York State County Democracy passed over the M. C. R. westward, one on Friday, the other on Sunday. The latter was drawn by two engines. They were en route for St. Louis to attend the Democratic Convention which opened at that place on Tuesday, 5th.

ANOTHER pest has made its appearance in the country which, it is feared, is going to do great damage to the grain crop, and particularly to peas and wheat. The insect is about half an inch long, and notwithstanding that the grain is only coming above ground the destructive worms are at work at the root and the stalk is killed. It is a few days now since they were noticed first.

SHELDON DEFEATED.—The Sheldon and Iona base ball clubs tested each other's mettle on the diamond at Iona on Saturday. The Sheldon club was defeated by 43 to 13. It must have been Sheldon's off day. That they are capable of playing better ball no one will dispute. Knight and Lumley formed the battery for Iona, while Frank Howard took the receiving end for the visitors.

J. H. LE BLONDE will give lessons on piano or organ, and in harmony and thorough bass; also lessons given in singing—Italian system of voice culture. Will give lessons in the country. Leave orders at Price's bookstore, Dutton.

EARLY CLOSING.—The success of the early closing movement is assured. For the past week the stores have been closed promptly at the ringing of the bell at 8 o'clock. Although some have been disappointed in not being able to get into the stores after that time, it ought now to be generally known throughout the township that the business places of Dutton close promptly at a specified hour, 8 o'clock.

THE editor of the Transcript thus bewails the result of Glencoe's artesian well:—

AN EPIGRAM.
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With dynamite, or sledge or drill—
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As long as Glencoe doth endure—
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Which not but death can from them sever.

THE editor is away on his holidays. The type and printing editor have formed a combination and will hold the fort against the sheriff, bailiff and life insurance agents until his return. "The man who knows it all" called on us to tell us how a paper should be run. His remarks wounded the sporting editor's feelings and he was obliged to fill him with double pica space. The last words he uttered were, "Sic transit gloria mundi." What left of him will be used as a paper weight. No orders have as yet been received to "stop my paper," and if we can manage to pacify the paper-maker, the stationer and the drayman for a few days longer all will be well.

WENT TO HIS REWARD.—One by one Dunwich's old settlers are passing away. On Wednesday of last week at Cowal, the widely-known and much-respected pioneer, Stephen Griffin, uncle of James Griffin, Dutton, passed peacefully away at the ripe age of 75 years. The remains were interred in the Iona burying-ground on Thursday, Rev. J. W. Mann, of Iona, conducting the funeral services. Notwithstanding the disagreeable state of the weather, a large number turned out to pay their last respects to their deceased friend. Mr. Griffin, with the exception of a few years, was a resident of Dunwich all his life, and was well known in East Elgin. He took a deep interest in church work, having been an elder of the Free Will Baptist church for a number of years.

IN MEMORIAM.

"Those whom the gods love die young." The words of the poet are very fitting and expressive in the subject of our brief sketch. Mr. D. McPhedrain, a student of our High School, passed away on Tuesday, 5th inst., at the age of 22 years. Deceased had been sick since Christmas with that fell disease, consumption, which baffles all medical skill, and which terminated his life while on the threshold of what we have every reason to expect would have been a brilliant career. An apt student, a lovable classmate, he was loved by teachers and scholars. To know him was to love him, and time will not erase the warm place his memory has secured in the hearts of those with whom he came in contact. He threw his whole soul into everything he did, and whether at his studies or sports he worked with a determination which invariably brings victory. The funeral was held on Wednesday from his father's residence, five miles north of Dutton. The High School was closed from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., to allow the scholars to attend the funeral.

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WISE AND OTHERWISE.

—Pay car went east yesterday.

—Dominion Day four weeks from tomorrow.

—Bogus \$5 U. S. certificates are floating around.

—Quite a frost fell in this section on Saturday evening.

—Rev. R. D. Hamilton is attending conference in London.

—Several of our townsmen are going around with bruised fingers.

—Miss Ellen Conn, of Tyrone, is visiting Mayor Midgley's, St. Thomas.

—D. W. McGill, teacher, Yarmouth Centre, spent Saturday in Dutton.

—N. Phelps and family are visiting friends and relatives in Springfield.

—L. J. Willson & Co. are paying from 18 to 20 cts. per pound for good, clean-washed wool.

—A Michigan editor advises that he will take fish or frogs on subscription this spring.

—The many friends of Mrs. Drinkwater will be pleased to learn that she is recovering her health.

—Rev. A. E. Griffith, of St. Thomas, will run an excursion over the M. C. R. to the falls on July 2.

—You never hear of the heirs of a rich grandfather advising the old gentleman not to try bicycle riding for his health.

—Rev. Mr. McAuley, some years ago stationed at Fingal, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church last Sabbath.

Trust not the seeming summer breeze,
That with your whippers flirts;
To-morrow it may be busy attending
To keep on your flannel shirts.

—B. J. Schultz has moved his fence to the line. The fences from his place to the station grounds are all on the road allowance.

—N. D. Gunne, gold medalist of McGill Medical College, Montreal, left for Chicago this week. He intends making that place his future home.

—Rev. F. W. Anvache, returned missionary from India, attended the Western Association at Chatham last week. He is improving in health.

—Read the advertising cards of Messrs. Ermatinger & Robertson, solicitors, money lenders, etc., and of H. H. Way, dental surgeon, St. Thomas.

—The first bundle of wool of this year's clip was brought to the Dutton Woolen Mills last week. Wool shearing is about ten days late this year.

—Every person, says an exchange, can be kept reasonably busy by attending to his own business, but there are many who insist on being overworked.

REFORM MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Provincial Reform Association for West Elgin was held in Dutton on the 5th inst., James M. Glenn, Esq., in the chair. Resolutions were adopted by the meeting expressing full confidence in the Mowat Administration, and endorsing the creation of a Provincial Department of Agriculture, also the Attorney-General's manly defence of Provincial Rights against the persistent encroachments of the Dominion Government.

Messrs. Glenn and Brierley were appointed to prepare resolutions expressing sorrow at the death of T. M. Nairn, M. P. P., and sympathy for his widow and family.

The following officers were elected: R. R. Cranston, Pres.; Peter Stalker, Vice-Pres.; C. St. C. Leitch, Sec. Treas.; J. Spencer, Chairman for Aldborough; Dugald Campbell, for Dunwich; Donald Turner, for Southwold; James Brierley, for St. Thomas. After a vote of thanks had been tendered the retiring officers the meeting adjourned.

NOTES OF SPORT.

Detroit is playing pennant ball now. Donovan now captains the Londoners.

The Shamrocks are anxious to hear from Highgate.

Johnny Gordon aspires to be a professional ball twirler.

Len Sanders will join the Tecumsehats at Troy to-day.

The Iona team should change their name to the "Sluggers."

Catchers O'Neil and Crowley have been released by the Tecumsehats.

Washington is trying to buy Joe Knight's release from Hamilton.

Manager Watkins fears that "Lady" Baldwin's pitching days are over.

Samples of "Musoka" ball: Grimsby 50; Hamilton Bicycle Club 2; Millbridge 49; Banockburn 43; Sheldon to be heard from.

Pitcher Stovey, of last season's Newark's, just signed by Worcester, is the first colored man that ever played in the New England team.

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The special train which run over the Brantford & Tilsonburg R. R. to carry the Grange excursionists to Guelph on Tuesday, consisted of ten cars, which were crowded, the platforms being also crowded. There was a large number went from St. Thomas.

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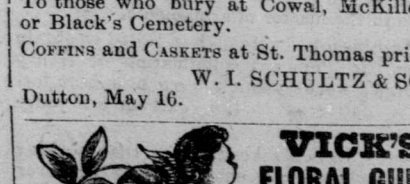


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