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Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED.

COCKELL.—In this city, on Feb. 5, 1894, at 233 Colborne street, John H. Cockell, a native of Wiltshire, Eng., aged 77 years. Funeral private on Wednesday.

SCRAGO.—In this city, on Feb. 5, Mrs. Scrage, aged 66 years. Funeral Wednesday, at 3 p.m., from Hinton's undertaking rooms, King street.

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FAIR AND MILD.

TORONTO, Feb. 5—11 p.m.—The pressure is highest over the Southern States and lowest over the Northwest Territories. The weather has been fine throughout the Dominion; decidedly cold in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, turning milder in Ontario and quite mild in the Northwest. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimaux, 36°-46°; Calgary, 32°-40°; Edmonton, 24°-40°; Prince Albert, 4°-24°; Qu'Appelle, 14°-30°; Toronto, 3° below-25°; Montreal, 8° below-4°; Quebec, 16° below-2°; Halifax, 8°-12°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.
TORONTO, Feb. 6—1 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville): Fresh to strong southwesterly winds; fair and mild.

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We'll forget the thorns that have pierced the feet.

And the nights with their grief and gloom.

And the sky will smile, and the stars will beam.

And we'll lay us down in the light to dream.

We shall lay us down in the bloom and light

With a prayer and a tear for rest.

As tired children who creep at night

To the love of a mother's breast.

And for all the grief of the stormy past,

Rest shall be sweeter at last—at last!

Sweeter because of the weary way

And the loneliness night and long.

While the darkness drifts to the perfect day

With its splendor of life and song.

The light that shall bless us and kiss us and love us

And sprinkle the roses of heaven above us!

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Life isn't all lilies and clover.
But—no use to kick up a row;
Don't grieve over the milk you've turned over
While there's hay in the loft for the cow!

—Mrs. Scragg, wife of the ex-caretaker of Queen's Park, died yesterday.

—“Willie” Hyslop, the Canadian champion bicyclist, has returned home after a week's visit in London.

—The London West Council meeting is postponed for a week from to-night on account of the illness of the auditors.

—Among the exhibitors at the great New York poultry show are George G. McCormick and W. McNeil, of London.

—A concert will be held in the St. George's school room, London West, to-night. A varied programme has been prepared.

—Mrs. Thornley, of London, and president of the Ontario W. C. T. U., is the guest of Mrs. P. Rutherford, 16 Sussex avenue. [Toronto Star.]

—In the Askin Street Methodist Church last night, the celebrated Bishop Hawkins, of Chatham, gave a thrilling account of his 25 years spent in slavery.

—The council, when they adjourned last night, had not reached the committee reports. A special meeting has been called for Thursday night to complete the business.

—A water pipe in P. J. Watts' store on King street broke last night, and before the water was turned off the ground floor was pretty well flooded. The damage, however, will only be light.

—Like everything the Young Liberals had previously undertaken, the carnival of Thursday night proved a success financially. With all expenses paid, there still remains a handsome balance of \$150.

—There is ample evidence of genuine interest in the coming of Barnard, Earl of Macdonald's “Robin Hood” Opera Company to the Grand Opera House on Monday evening, Feb. 12. Last year this organization made a decided success throughout the country, and this season it has been strengthened by its proprietors wherever and in whatever manner possible.

—Hon. Edward Blake, M.P., on arrival in New York on Thursday, will be the guest of Dr. Thomas Addison, president of the National Federation of America. At a meeting of the trustees of the federation it was arranged to give a public reception to Mr. Blake at the Hoffman House on Friday night. Mr. Blake will then make an address outlining the present status of the home rule question.

—Thomas Armstrong, a street railway employe, drove a horse that had a sore shoulder. He was fined \$2 and costs.

—Henry Smith, who left his horses in the roadway for two hours unattended, was similarly dealt with. Frank Watson, charged with stealing a turkey from Andrew McCormick, was remanded until Thursday.

—At a regular meeting of Council No. 75, Canadian Order of Chosen Friends, a large excursion committee was appointed with the following friends as officers: R. H. Geldart, chairman; Robert Whitton, treasurer; Wm. Loughrey, secretary. They are all members who have had several years' experience the public can rely on having three good excursions during the coming summer. The first will take place to Detroit on Queen's Birthday.

—At the last regular meeting of Daughters of Rebekah, Degree Lodge Victoria, No. 1, the following officers were installed by D.D.G.M. Sister Childs, assisted by Sister Pringle, Short, Hardie and Smale, of May Queen Lodge, with Sister Waddell, of Edna Lodge, St. Thomas, officiating as grand marshal: Sister Parkhouse, P.G.; Sister Pearce, N.G.; Sister Ferguson, V.G.; Sister Tanner, treasurer; Brother Tanner Secretary; Sister Eiland, warden; Sister Levine, Con.; Brother Levine, R.S.N.G. After installation refreshments were served and an enjoyable time was spent with speech and song.

—“Y” Lecture Course.
Don't fail to hear Principal Miller's scholarly exposition of Elizabeth Barrett Browning's poems in the “Y” rooms this evening.

The London West Reeveship.
Mr. Winchester, master in chambers at Osgoode Hall, yesterday, in the case Reg ex rel Macdonald vs. Spence (Middleton for the relator), obtained a fiat for leave to serve notices of motion to set aside the election of Wm. Spence as reeve of the village of London West. The ground on which the fiat was granted is that the respondent was a member of the council of 1893, and the council did not, as was its duty under section 373 of the Consolidated Municipal Act of 1892, and amendments, provide a sinking fund for the payment of a debenture debt of the municipality.

Ida Van Cortland.
The favorite actress, Ida Van Cortland, returned to the Grand for a week's engagement last night with the best company she has ever had and one of the best plays—“The Blacksmith's Daughter.” The audience was large and enthusiastic.

“The Blacksmith's Daughter” is a comedy-drama, well suited to the suave methods of Miss Van Cortland, and abounding in quiet but keen humor. Some capital specialties were introduced by Lew Warner, B. V. Streeter, and the I. V. C. quartet. Little Pansy, too, proved a prodigy. To-night “A Rash Marriage” will be performed, with incidental specialties, and for the family matinee Wednesday afternoon “Hazel Kirk” will hold the boards, Miss Van Cortland is to be congratulated on her capable support.

Mission to Lepers.
The regular monthly meeting of the Mission to Lepers was held in Somerset Hall at 4:30 yesterday afternoon, the president, Mr. Robertson, in the chair. The meeting was opened with prayer and Scripture reading, after which an interesting programme was presented. A letter from Mr. Bailey, secretary and superintendent of the Mission to Lepers in India and the East, was read, acknowledging the receipt of \$30 sent by the London branch of this mission. The missionary solo, “Cast in the Net,” was excellently rendered by Mrs. Henderson, and an admirable reading given by Miss Cullen. An article entitled “A visit to the Home for Lepers at Mandalay” was read by Miss Edith Vining, giving

There are plenty of people who look all around town before they buy. You may be sure they don't come back here just to do us a favor. They come back from having found that our siding, shingles, lumber are of the highest grades and our prices save them money. W. D. WILLIS & Co., corner York and Adelaide streets.

A very thorough and instructive account of leper life at a leper asylum. Many new members were added to the society, which meets monthly in Somerset Hall.

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Why is it that ladies are permitted to propose in leap year? Here is the answer given in a contemporary: “It appears that in the year 1288 a statute was published by the Scotch Parliament, ordaining that during the reign of ‘Her Most Excellent Majesty Margaret’ every maiden and her of high and low estate should have liberty to speak to the man she liked. If he refused to take her to be his wife she should have the privilege of fining him £100 or less, according to his estate, unless he could make woman, in which case he would be free to refuse. After the death of Margaret the women of Scotland became clamorous for their privileges, and to appease them another act of Parliament allowed them to propose every fourth year.”

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