

Huron Signal

DEVOTED TO COUNTY NEWS AND GENERAL INTELLIGENCE

GODERICH, ONT., FRIDAY, OCT. 11, 1889.

D. McGILLICUDDY, PUBLISHER.
\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

TO ADVERTISERS.

Notice of changes must be left at this office not later than Monday noon. The copy for changes must be left not later than Wednesday noon. Casual Advertisements accepted up to noon Thursday of each week.

Local Notices.

All advance notices in the local columns of this Signal of meetings or entertainments at which an admission fee is charged, or from which a pecuniary benefit is derived, must be paid for at the rate of one cent per word each insertion, no charge less than twenty-five cents. Where advertisements of entertainments are inserted a brief local will be given free.

BORN.

RYAN—In Goderich, on October 2nd, the wife of W. A. Ryan, of a son.

MARRIED.

THEYRON—HAMPTON—On the 10th inst., at the home of Mrs. Follock, Goderich, by the Rev. Geo. Richardson, Mr. S. A. Theobald, of St. Thomas, Dakota, to Miss Elizabeth A. Hamilton, of Goderich, Ont.

DIED.

MORTON—In Goderich, on the 7th inst., Alex. Morton, aged 40 years.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

For Sale—Wm. McCread, Scotch Specialist—By Sincere, Teacher Wanted—Robt. Quaid, The Cosmopolitan—Signal Office, Fall and Winter Goods—P. O'Dea, Teacher Wanted—Charles Hawkins, Fall and Winter Goods—H. Dunlop, For Sale—Cameron, Holt & Cameron, Another Stop to the Front—L. W. Cassidy, The Mammoth Harness Dept—Wm. Ache-son.

TOWN TOPICS.

"A child's amany you, tukin' notes, 'an' faith he'll prent it."

If you want to get good photos go to the studio of Geo. Stewart, and see his latest improvements.

A GOOD PRESENT.—The most useful gift you can make is to give a Wirt Pen. Apply to D. McGillicuddy, agent, Goderich.

The Wm. Christian Temperance Union meets in the Temperance Hall every Tuesday evening, commencing at 7:30, business meetings at 8.

"Jonah, come in out of the wet," is a good intimation from P. & A. Fridman on a dainty day when water-proofs are wanted, and if you want to not know what cold weather is, drop in and get fitted with their underclothing.

Now that the town has a brand new post-office and town hall, things must move briskly, and Salvo believes things will move in the picture line if elegant work and good and cheap mouldings are going to do it. Bring along your pictures to get framed, and if you haven't the pictures Salvo will furnish both pictures and frames.

The cold snap made everyone huddle at Saunders & Son's, and they took those of their customers whom they could not overtake to bear with them. The E. & C. Gurney Coy's stores have been selling fast, and they had to re-order. Every stove guaranteed, and prices very low. The cheapest house under the sun.

BRIEFLETS.

The first snowfall of the season was on Saturday evening last.

Mr. Hugh Danlop returned on Friday last from a pleasant visit to Chicago.

Miss Miller, of Galt, has been the guest of Mr. H. I. Strang for the past few weeks.

Mr. McDonagh will be in Goderich for consultation on the first Saturday of every month.

John G. Bissett, of Chicago, is at present visiting his sick father, Wm. Bissett, of Wolfe street.

Miss E. Wyatt has gone to Montreal to take a position as bookkeeper in a dry goods house there.

Mr. Wm. Proudfoot has purchased the residence of Dr. McMicking, corner of Waterloo and Elgin streets.

Mr. Wm. Mitchell was sworn in as town clerk on Monday last. He possesses the ability to make an efficient public official.

Dr. M. Nicholson, the West-end dentist, makes the preservation of the natural teeth a specialty. Gas administered from 9 a. m. for the painless extraction of teeth.

His Lordship Bishop Baldwin preached the Harvest Home sermon in St. George's church on Thursday evening of last week. A liberal collection was contributed by the congregation.

Rev. L. Hutton delivered a lecture on "Love, Courtship and Marriage," in the Victoria-st. Methodist church on Monday evening. Dr. J. B. Whitley, who occupied the chair, performed the duties of the position admirably.

Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Loistete, 237 Fifth Ave., N. Y., for his prospectus post free, as advertised in another column. 10-14

Dr. Sinclair, of Toronto, the well known specialist for diseases of brain and nerve, chronic diseases, diseases of heart and lungs, female diseases, &c., will be at the Albion Hotel, Goderich, on Thursday, Oct. 24th. Consultation free. See advt.

Dr. McMicking left town for Toronto on Saturday last, and will hereafter abide at the Provincial capital. His many friends in Goderich regret his departure, and will miss his genial presence. The best wishes of THE SIGNAL accompany the Doctor in his new sphere of usefulness.

AMINER.

Box 3661.)
ORK CITY.
Baptist Newspaper,
we Dollars a Year,
a "trial trip" from
BER 1, 1889,
-70-
RY 1, 1890,
ominal sum of

T-CELLARS.

of Proverbs, Together
Notes Thereon,
and most common sense
and seven names and \$2.10
to gift, send whatever
can, at the same time send

MISSION LIST.

some books, including THE
can add to your library,
gift books, just by indicat-
ing trip subscribers to re-
regular price of \$2 a year,
ok for every such name

eam Boiler Works

lished 1880.

& Black,

ers and dealers in
alt Pans, Tanks, Heaters,
and all kinds of Sheet
on Work.

mail out-of Corlies En-
Horizontal Engines, Ma-
of every description.

receive prompt attention.
R. E. Stanton.
mpty attended to.

P. O. BOX 361

Knox Church Mission Band will meet tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be present to practice for the coming engagement, which will be held on the 25th inst.

AN IMPORTANT IMPROVEMENT.—The new Soft Stop and Practice Pedal attachment to a Newcomb Upright Piano serves the nerves of the listener or performer, when practicing, as well as the instrument from wear, and preserves the tone.

A social under the auspices of St. Stephen's church will be held at the residence of Mrs. B. Whitley, 5th con., Goderich to-morrow, on Tuesday, Oct. 15th. A good literary program. Rev. W. A. Young, rector of St. George's, will preside. Doors open at 7 p.m. Tea at 8. Admission 50c.

At a meeting of the directors of the Mechanics Institute, held on Saturday evening, Mr. W. R. Robertson was re-elected as teacher of the evening classes, which will be organized at a meeting to be held on Tuesday evening next in the rooms. All intending pupils are requested to be present.

SOMEWHAT OF A TRAVELLER.—Mr. Jaa Graham arrived home from a trip around the world. During his absence he visited South Africa, Tasmania, Australia, and the Sandwich Islands. He thinks of taking a run to South America shortly. Up to the present he is beyond question the most travelled man in the section.

OPEN MEETING.—Eureka Council, No. 103, R. T. of T., will hold an open meeting in the Temperance Hall on Tuesday evening, Oct. 22nd, on which occasion an interesting address will be given by Rev. B. L. Hutton, of Victoria-st. Methodist church. A choice program of music will also be presented on the occasion.

OF INTEREST TO THIRD CLASS CANDIDATES.—The Head Master of the High School has just received a card from the Education Department stating that "candidates who obtained an aggregate of 600 marks at the recent third class examinations, and are recommended by the Head Master as fit, may proceed with the work prescribed for a second class certificate."

A COMING MAN.—Mr. M. G. Cameron, of Toronto, was in town for a few days during the past week on legal business. We are pleased to see that on Monday evening last during his absence from Toronto he was elected vice president of the Young Liberal Club of that city. Mr. Cameron is a rising young man, and holds a front place in the political affection of the people of West Huron.

REV. J. JAMIESON, OF FORMOSA, BETTER.—Wm. Reid, of Toronto, writes to the Canada Presbyterian: "Within the last few days I have received letters from Rev. Dr. McKay and Rev. J. Jamieson, of Formosa, of date 22d of August. Mr. Jamieson had been unwell, but is now much better. The work was going on vigorously, and the students and preachers were receiving instructions and training in Oxford college."

Some weeks ago we sent out a number of accounts to subscribers in arrears. Several persons owing us were kind enough to respond at once, and we return our thanks to them. A number have not yet been heard from, and this week we send out duplicate accounts to many who have failed to respond. We will continue to send out accounts to all in arrears until our books are straight. Even if you don't get an account this week, look at your label, and if you are in arrears be good enough to pay at once. The item is only a small one to you, but the aggregate to us foots up several thousand dollars. Pay up!

Mr. John Alexander, well known as "The Lion," in East Huron and Perth, was in town Tuesday last, and dropped in to see THE SIGNAL. Some years ago he began using St. Leon mineral water for curative purposes, and so much benefit did he get from it that he at once took the road to sound his praises over the length and breadth of the land. THE SIGNAL was glad to see its old friend, whose vigorous physical appearance looks as if he leaped up from Brown Squard's elixir of life morning, noon and night. May his shadow never grow less.

WEST HURON FARMERS' INSTITUTE.—A directors' meeting was held at the Albion Hotel, on Wednesday afternoon. President J. Kermichael in the chair. Moved and seconded that this institute hold a meeting in Goderich, on the 6th of November, at the hour of 10 a. m., to continue through the day. A musical program will be arranged for the evening. Free to all. All invited.—Carried. Moved by Mr. J. Linklater and carried unanimously that this institute hold meetings in each township of the Riding through the year. On motion by Mr. J. Aikenhead, seconded by J. Washington, the institute adopted the idea of the "question drawer" at its meetings. A motion was carried that a professor from the Agricultural College be invited to speak at the ensuing meeting.—Professor Shaw to be invited. Moved and seconded that the Secretary get all laws respecting milling and testing.—Carried. Moved, seconded and carried that the Secretary notify all the millers in the Riding to be present at this meeting. Moved by Mr. Aikenhead and seconded that the milling question be taken up at 1:30 o'clock at the meeting. On motion the meeting adjourned.

John Sharman, formerly of THE SIGNAL staff, left on Thursday morning for Peterboro', where he has accepted a permanent position, which will be held on the 25th inst.

THEY APPRECIATED IT.—P. F. Austin, formerly of Kingsbridge P. O., and now of Everett, Cass Co., Dak., writes to a friend: "Get the address on our SIGNAL. The new proprietor is a thorough newspaper man, and although the SIGNAL has always been in the front rank of Provincial journalism, we feel confident an onward tendency is in store for it. We welcome Bro. Aleck once more to the field of Provincial journalism."

HE'S AT IT AGAIN.—The Chicago Live Stock Journal of Friday, Sept. 27th, has the following: "The old reliable 'Davy' Fisher, whose name has for twenty-five years been synonymous with the word 'patent' in the horse world, is well and favorably known from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and from the lakes to the Gulf, with his affable partner, Mr. Gillson, are on the ground with fourteen head of magnificent Dominion Draught and Canada Coach horses. In the exhibit are a number of other fine horses which cannot be appreciated unless seen. Mr. Fisher is the proprietor of the splendid stock farm in Colborne, near Goderich, Ont., and knows the country over as 'Lake View,' where he and Mr. Gillson have what is considered one of the finest studs of draft horses on the Western Hemisphere, which are always for sale and vary in price from \$1300 down to \$100. His horses have that type of their own peculiar to Ontario, abounding in firm characteristics, undying, in their habits, and that have always held their ancestral heredity in spite of all opposition, and it is these facts that makes them in such demand throughout the States. He has sold a great many to citizens of Indiana and the demand is still increasing."

PROGRESS OF INVENTIONS SINCE 1845.—In the year 1845 the present owners of the Scientific American newspaper commenced its publication, and soon after established a bureau for the procuring of patents for inventions at home and in foreign countries. During the year 1845 there were only 503 patents issued from the United States Patent Office, and the total issue for the establishment of the Patent Office, up to the end of that year, numbered only 4,347. Up to the first of July this year there have been granted 406,413. Showing that since the commencement of the publication of the Scientific American there have been issued from the U. S. Patent Office 402,166 patents, and about one third of the applications have been made that have been granted, showing the ingenuity of our people to be phenomenal, and much greater than ever the enormous number of patents issued indicates. Probably a good many of our readers have had business transacted through the offices of the Scientific American, in New York or Washington, and are familiar with Munn & Co.'s mode of doing business, but those who have not will be interested in knowing something about this, the oldest patent soliciting firm in this country, probably in the world. Persons visiting the offices of the Scientific American, 361 Broadway, N. Y., for the first time will be surprised, on entering the main office, to find such an extensive and elegantly equipped establishment, with its walnut counters, desks, and chairs to correspond, and its enormous staff, and such a large number of draughtsmen, specification writers, and clerks, all busy as bees, reminding one of a large banking or insurance office, with its hundreds of employees. In conversation with one of the firm, who had commenced the business of soliciting patents in connection with the publication of the Scientific American, more than forty years ago, I learned that the firm had made application for patents for upward of one hundred thousand inventions in the United States, and several thousands in different foreign countries, and had filed as many cases in the Patent Office in a single month as there were patents issued during the entire first year of their business career. This gentleman had seen the Patent Office grow from a small, shabby, and unimpressive building to the present imposing structure, and modestly hinted that many thought the Scientific American, with its large circulation, had performed no mean share in stimulating inventions and advancing the interests of the Patent Office. But it is not alone the patent soliciting that occupies the attention of the one hundred persons employed by Munn & Co., but a large number are engaged on the four publications issued weekly and monthly from their office, 361 Broadway, N. Y., viz.: THE Scientific American, the Scientific American Supplement, the Export Edition of the Scientific American, and the Architects and Builders Edition of the Scientific American. The first two publications are issued every week, and the latter two, the first of every month.

Mr. Wm. Mitchell was sworn in as town clerk on Monday last.

The revival services in North-st. Methodist church are still going on, and the interest continues unabated.

Mr. Alex. Saunders left on Thursday last for Kinardine, to put in a hot water service in the house of Mr. John Gentles.

Mr. Albert Humber left last week to continue his studies at Ann Arbor College, Mich. He is in his last year.

Saunders & Son have been awarded the Government contract for the plumbing in connection with the new post-office. They tendered successfully against a number of London firms.

Capt. Sloie, from Lucan, and Lieut. Woodall, from Parkhill, are now in command of the Salvation Army at this point. Capt. Drewe and Lieut. Tracy having been transferred to Saultforth.

PLATE GLASS.—Messrs P. O'Dea and C. A. Nairn put in plate glass fronts to the Signal news-stands on Thursday. The large plate for the window recently broken in McLean's block arrived at the same time as the fronts for Messrs Nairn and O'Dea, but when the case was opened the glass was discovered to have been broken in the transit. Mr. McLean has been in hard luck, with his glass fronts thus far.

YOUNG MEN'S LIBERAL CLUB.—The Young Men's Liberal Club held a very successful meeting on Monday evening last for the purpose of reorganization for the winter months. President Proudfoot occupied the chair. On motion by A. Saunders, seconded by Geo. Nairn, it was unanimously decided to reorganize. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Wm. Proudfoot; Ist vice, D. McGillicuddy; 2d vice, J. D. Malcomson; recording secretary, G. F. Blair; corresponding secretary, Alex. Murdoch; treasurer, R. P. Wilkinson. On motion it was decided to hold an open meeting on Tuesday, the 15th inst., at which meeting besides some other program there should be a debate on the question, "Resolved, that a federal union of Great Britain and her colonies is desirable." Leaders of opinion were J. D. Swanson; and of the negative, G. F. Blair. This meeting will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening at the Club Rooms. All are invited no matter what their political views may be. Reserved seats for ladies, of whom we hope to see a large number present.

SCHOOL BOARD.—The regular monthly meeting of the School Board was held on Monday evening. Present—Messrs S. Malcomson, chairman, Wm. Acheson, H. W. Ball, C. Crabb, A. S. Chrysal, H. M. Nicholson and Geo. Swanson. The chairman, on calling the meeting to order, addressed the board regarding the death of trustee Morton. Mr. Malcomson spoke with great feeling and said that the death of our lamented friend and co-trustee, A. Morton, had caused a feeling of sorrow not only among the members of the Board, but throughout the whole community. That as a citizen, friend and neighbor he was ever kind, and that his course had earned the respect of all, for he was "an honest man." In conclusion the chairman recommended that a committee be appointed to draft resolutions of condolence to the deceased's family, and that the Board should adjourn. Mr. Crabb also bore testimony to the worth of the deceased. Moved by Mr. Crabb, seconded by Mr. Ball, that the chairman and Messrs Crabb and Swanson be a committee to draft resolutions of condolence, and present the same next Board meeting; and that the Board adjourn for one week in memory of our late friend and member—carried. Moved by Mr. Ball, seconded by Mr. Swanson, that the chairman attend the funeral of our late member—carried. Moved by Mr. Ball, seconded by Mr. Swanson, that the Central and West schools close on Wednesday afternoon—carried. The Board then adjourned.

AN ARTIST'S STUDIO.—Thursday last, while noticing the improvements around the Square, where plate glass fronts are being placed in position, we noticed at the corner of Hamilton-st. and the Square that considerable embellishment had been made to the entrance of Stewart's photograph studio, and that the painter and decorator, Mr. Wm. McCread, had been at work. Ascending the handsomely painted staircase, we found that the whole of the stairs had been remodelled and decorated to correspond with the approaches, and that even the ante-room had not been overlooked. The photograph parlors, superintended by Mr. Stewart, are beyond question a credit to the town, and we are aware of no city establishments that surpass it for ornate design, fancy finish and general appearance. The walls have been handsomely papered and the wood work has been painted and varnished to correspond, giving a rich hue to the entire surroundings. In conversation with Mr. Stewart we learned that he has confidence that a boom is ahead of the town, and he has made his new department at that when the rush of business comes, as come it will, he will be prepared to meet it half-way at any rate. With a handsome set of parlors, the latest and best appliances in his art, and a thorough knowledge of the requirements of the business, he is satisfied that he will be able to control a large trade from an appreciative public. THE SIGNAL is proud of the enterprising spirit shown by our business men generally, and is satisfied if some of the best take a leap out of Mr. Stewart's block, Goderich is bound to move onward toward prosperity hitherto unknown.

DEATH OF ALEX. MORTON.

On Monday last Alex. Morton, one of the most highly esteemed and universally respected residents of Goderich, passed away after a short illness. On Thursday, Sept. 26th, he in conjunction with Mayor Butler was engaged during the forenoon in locating the new electric light circuit on the hill leading to Saultforth, and the day being bitterly cold, he contracted a heavy cold, and was stricken down so severely with illness that he had to take to his bed. For a week no serious apprehensions were felt, but on Friday, the 4th inst., the malady reached a critical stage, on Saturday his medical advisers gave up hope, and on Monday, as before stated, he departed this life. In the death of Mr. Morton the town loses a valued resident, the business community has lost an enterprising and energetic fellow-worker, his wife and family mourn the loss of an affectionate husband and father, and the Presbyterian church regrets the departure of a faithful and constant worker from its ranks.

Alex. Morton was born at Grand Bay, in the Saguenay district, Province of Quebec, some forty years ago. He continued to reside in that section until he had almost reached maturity, when his father moved to Trenton, New Jersey, where they resided for a short time. Subsequently they removed to Ayr, Ont., where his father established a successful business, and where Alexander learned his trade as a carriage trimmer. After completing his apprenticeship he went to Hamilton, where he worked at his trade for a short time, and about the year 1872 came to Goderich, where he secured a position in the carriage works of the late Robt. Whitley. After a residence of a couple of years here, he went back to Ayr, and on his return brought with him his bride, to aid him in life's struggle on the shores of Lake Huron. His marriage relations were of a most happy nature, and to the day of his death he was as devoted a husband as when he brought his bride home with him fifteen years ago. Three children blessed the union, and in the domestic circle happiness and contentment was his portion. Some twelve years ago, when Mr. Whitley relinquished business, Mr. Morton, in company with Mr. O'Connell, purchased the plant and good will, and continued in partnership until about six years ago, when, on the retirement of the latter, Mr. Morton assumed the proprietorship of the Dominion Carriage Factory. In the years that have intervened he succeeded in working up a remunerative trade, and in securing the esteem and good will of not only the purchasing public, but of the employees under his control. Notwithstanding his retiring disposition, his natural abilities and sound judgment were so apparent that his fellow townsmen would not allow him to rest in his domestic retirement, and for some eight years he was elected to the honor of membership on the board of the town, a position which his intelligence and culture eminently fitted him for. Outside of his labors as a school trustee he took a deep interest in the dissemination of knowledge, and as secretary and director for several years of the mechanics institute he devoted much energy and earnest labor to the spread of education amongst the masses. He was also a member of the town council for some years, and last year was elected by acclamation, which showed that his course previously had been approved of by his constituents.

During the present year he was one of the trustees and earnest laborer to deal with the waterworks and electric light extensions, and it was while in discharge of his onerous duties that Death laid its hand upon him. In church relations he was most exemplary, being a faithful member of the Presbyterian body, and at the time of his death was one of the trustees and treasurer of Knox church. Upright and kind, honest and true, consistent in all things was Alexander Morton, and the universal regret at his decease is summed up in the sentence, "A good man has gone from amongst us."

The funeral, which took place on Wednesday afternoon to the railway station, en route for Ayr, where the family burying ground it was largely attended. The procession was headed by Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 27, A. O. U. W., of which the deceased had been Receiver for a number of years; then came the hearse, the mourners, the town council and school board in a body, carriages, and a large concourse of private residents and public school children. The pall-bearers were: W. R. Robertson, G. W. Thomson and R. Price, members of the A. O. U. W., and H. I. Strang, Alex. Saunders and Geo. Stiven, of Knox church board of managers.

The services at the house were conducted by Rev. J. A. Anderson, of Knox church, in a most impressive manner. Of the eulogy were floral designs as follows: Cross and crown, from teachers of public school; wreath from school trustees; wreath from teachers of Knox church Sabbath school; wreath from Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 27, A. O. U. W.; floral pillow from Horace Fulford.

The remains left for Ayr by the 1:55 p.m. train, accompanied by Mrs. Morton, Mr. R. T. Morton, brother of deceased, and other members of the stricken family, and by Reeve Proudfoot on behalf of the Town Council, and Chairman Malcomson for the School Board.

After the departure of the train, the members of the A. O. U. W. reformer and marched to the lodge room, where a committee was appointed to draft a vote of condolence to the bereaved widow.

VOTERS' LISTS COURTS.—Judge Tomes will hold Revision Courts as follows:

Ontario Voters' List—Exeter, October 10; Stephen, at Crediton, Oct. 11; Osborne, at Elmville, Oct. 12; Wingham, Oct. 14; Grey, at Cranbrook, Oct. 15th; Morris, at Town Hall, Oct. 16; Brussels, Oct. 17; E. Wawanosh, at Belgrave, Oct. 18; Howick, at Gorrie, Oct. 22; Wroctester, Oct. 22, 4 p.m.; Turnberry, at Bluevale, Oct. 23; Ashfield, at Dunganon, Oct. 28; W. Wawanosh, at Dunganon, Oct. 29th; Seaforth, Oct. 31; Tuckersmith, at Brucefield, Nov. 4; McKillop, Nov. 13. Dominion Voters' Lists, South Huron.—Seaforth, Oct. 31; Tuckersmith, at Brucefield, Nov. 4; Stanley, at Yarna, Nov. 5; Bay, at Hensall, Nov. 6; Bayfield, Nov. 7; Hulet, at Londeboro, Nov. 9; McKillop, at Fulton's Hotel, Nov. 13.

KINTAIL.

From our own correspondent.

Miss Lizzie Donohue, of Tawas, Mich., is spending a few weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Foley, Kintail, and will return home by way of Toronto and Niagara.

GARBRAID.

From our own correspondent.

Tuesday afternoon last nine valuable was belonging to Mr. Joseph Morris, of this locality, were worried by dogs, one of which died, and four of the others are not expected to live. It is high time that steps were taken to make away with all sheep killing dogs in the section. There are several brutes of this description known around here, and the sooner they are disposed of the better it will be for the farmers and the township generally.

BAFFIELD.

On Friday evening last the town hall was packed to the door, the Royal Troupe of this place having arranged with Eureka Council, No. 103, R. T. of T., Goderich, to give us a concert. The occasion proved to be quite an event, as the program furnished was first class in every respect, a very pleasing feature being the selection of the orchestra of North-st. Methodist Sunday School, and also the renditions by Mr. Belcher and Mr. W. Hyslop. In fact the entire program was well sustained by all who took part, and we feel grateful to our Goderich friends for the courtesy shown us. The total receipts amounted to \$25.00.

PORT ALBERT.

Mr. and Mrs. George, of Chatham, were visiting at the residence of A. C. Hawkins.

Mr. Fred Graham, (G. T. brakeman), is visiting his father this week. His sister Annie was lately married to Mr. Thomas Nelson, in the Queen City.

The young men of the vicinity gave a farewell party in the "Royal," previous to their departure for the woods of Michigan.

On Monday evening next Mr. R. R. Sallows will hold forth in the Presbyterian church. Let there be a good meeting, as the entertainment will be interesting and instructive as well as profitable to the Sabbath School.

The following is the standing of the pupils in our school for the month of September.—Jr. Part Second, 1st Maudie McClelland, 2nd Hattie Thurlow, 3rd Barbara McGee, Sr. Part Second, 1st Lettie Brown, 2nd Laura Thurlow, 3rd Troy Hawkins. Second Class, 1st Samuel Draper, 2nd Alphy Bennett, 3rd Grace Richardson. Jr. Third, 1st Kitty Campbell, 2nd Lily Stevenson, 3rd Walter Hawkins. Sr. Third Class, 1st Lizzie Stevenson, 2nd Mary Stevenson, 3rd Nina Gaudoir.

LEEBOURN.

From our own correspondent.

Miss McPhail, of Goderich, visited friends here this week.

Our townsman, J. O. Stewart, was one of the judges in the horse department at Lucknow fair last week.

James Sallows has, we learn, arrived safely at North Bay, in company with his cousins, the Misses McFarlane, who were visiting relatives here this summer.

Miss Clutton, of Edgar, Simcoe Co., returned home this week after a pleasant visit of over a fortnight to her parents here.

M. Dixon, of Brucefield, and his sister Ellen, visited here last week for several days, being present at the wedding of their cousin, Miss Horton.

CORRECTION.

In one of the marriage notices in THE SIGNAL last week, the name should have been Gavin Clutton, instead of John, as the latter has been on the married list for the past seven years.

HYMEN'S BONDS.—

Wednesday afternoon of last week Ellen, daughter of Mr. John Horton, was married to Gavin H. Clutton, formerly of this burg and now of Stratford, and youngest son of our townsman, Wm. Clutton. The nuptial rite was performed by Rev. J. A. Anderson, at the residence of the bride's father, in the presence of a large number of relatives of the contracting parties, with friends of each. The groomsmen's duties were discharged by A. H. Clutton, and those of bridesmaid by Edith Horton. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all, breaking up with good wishes for the bridal pair, who have gone to the Classic City to reside. The departure of Mrs. G. H. Clutton from here will be deeply felt in our social circle, the Sunday school and the I. O. G. T. here losing one of their best workers.