

News from Western Ontario

NO MORE EVIDENCE IN WIARTON CASE

Crown Will Likely Drop the McCartney Case Altogether Very Shortly.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Warton, Sept. 29.—In view of the fact that it is deemed an impossibility to secure any further evidence, the inquiry into the death of James McCartney will be dropped by the crown. Relatives of the dead man are, it is said, convinced that his death was due to heart trouble, and that he fell heavily to the ground. It is falling easy today that McCartney left his home about 4 o'clock in the afternoon and was discovered dead about 10 o'clock. Although diligent inquiry has been made in the meantime there has been absolutely nothing discovered that would afford any clue that a murder was committed. Many still hold to the belief that McCartney came to his death at the hands of some unknown person. Others believe that he died of heart failure.

GOLDEN WEDDING OF BELTON COUPLE

Big Celebration Held at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paterson.

Belton, Sept. 29.—On Wednesday, Sept. 29, more than sixty of the relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paterson, of Belton, West Nisour, gathered at their home to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day. The day was ideal and the afternoon was most pleasantly in renewing old acquaintanceships.

Supper was served at 5 o'clock in a large marquee on the lawn, and the service was done by all to a splendidly served repast. After supper the gathering was called to order by Rev. A. E. Hannahan, B.A., of Nisour, congratulating the bride and groom on the success of the gathering, and conveying the warmest wishes for their future welfare, and wishing them many returns of the anniversary of their wedding day. All spoke in the highest terms of the kind qualities of Mr. and Mrs. Paterson as friends and neighbors through a test of half a century.

Pioneer Days.
Many most interesting reminiscences of pioneer life were related, and compared with modern life on the farm, nothing could more fully illustrate the real heroism and fortitude of our forefathers. Mr. and Mrs. Paterson have resided continuously where they now live since their marriage in 1861, and were among the first settlers in that district. They were blessed with a large family, six sons and four daughters, all of whom are living, and nearly all privileged to be present at the golden wedding of their parents. Thirteen grandchildren also were present. A telegram from absent members of the family in Vancouver, B. C., was read during the evening, which conveyed congratulations to the bride and groom. The guests were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Paterson, assisted by Mr. R. of Stratford; John D. and William C. of Calgary; George W. of Vancouver; Robert M. and Walter B. of Belton; Mrs. T. L. Wood, Brantford; Mrs. W. A. Woods, Oliver, Ont.; Mrs. A. Hobbs, Vancouver, and Mrs. A. McMillan, Pasadena, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Paterson were presented by the family with a gold-headed cane and gold brooch, and also a purse of gold. They were also presented with many beautiful and useful presents from the guests.

London Groomsmen.
An unusual feature of golden weddings was the presence of the best man and best girl of 50 years ago, in the persons of Mr. John Dodds, of London, and Mrs. Thomas Hogg, of Thamesford, along with eight others who witnessed the original ceremony. Mr. Paterson responded at length to the remarks of the bride, assuring all present of the appreciation of good-will which had been conveyed to Mrs. Paterson and himself, assuring all present of the appreciation of the warm friendships of half a century and of the presence of so many old friends and neighbors at this time. Some of the guests favored the audience with some good music and songs, and a most delightful afternoon and evening was brought to a close by singing the Doxology.

COMMISSION OBJECTS TO DIRECT CURRENT

St. Thomas Given Until Nov. 1 to Make Necessary Changes.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, Sept. 29.—The hydro commission has refused to rectify the rates that the city is now charging to users of direct current, and has called upon the city to discontinue the use of the direct current and later than Nov. 1. The council decided originally to end this service on July 1st, but the customers, who number about 30, objected on the ground their meters would be practically rendered useless, so the council extended the time to the 1st of November.

The objection to the direct current is that about 60 per cent is lost in transforming so that the users pay twelve to 16 per cent of the power that the city receives from the commission. No. 5 committee will likely take up the question with the power users at an early date. Chairman Price is corresponding with a firm who may be willing to handle the direct current, but allowing them to purchase alternating current motors.

DEAD BABY FOUND

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Windsor, Sept. 29.—No clue whatever has as yet been obtained toward identifying the remains of a baby which was found on the shore in Livingston Channel workings in the lower Detroit River. It could not be determined whether the child had been drowned or had met a violent death before it was thrown in to the water. No marks could be seen on the body. The Grosvenor authorities took charge of the case.

SPARTA HORSEMAN INSTANTLY KILLED

C. J. Parker Struck by M. C. R. Express While Returning From Fair.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, Sept. 29.—M. C. R. express No. 36 struck and instantly killed Mr. C. J. Parker, aged 22, of Sparta, and his fine racing mare, Lady Brino, at the first road crossing just east of Shedd at noon today. Mr. Parker had been to the Wallace town fair with his horse, having won the 230 race with his horse on Thursday, and was making his way to St. Thomas when he met his death. He was driving in a sulky at the time of the accident, and this was dashed out. He was trying to get across the track ahead of the train. Coroner Guest, of St. Thomas, was notified, and will hold an inquest. The deceased was a son of the late Judson Parker, of Sparta. He was unmarried.

SHERIFF OF OXFORD DIES AT WOODSTOCK

James Brady Had Been Ill Only Short Time With Pneumonia.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Woodstock, Sept. 29.—James Brady, for the last twenty years sheriff of Oxford County, is dead at his home here after an illness of only a few days with pneumonia. Deceased was 80 years of age, and was born in Brock County, Ontario, and was a very successful. The late sheriff was one of the best known men in Oxford County, and was universally respected. He was a great friend of the poor, and it was his delight to assist in any work of charity that was undertaken. The deceased had only been ill a few days, having contracted pneumonia some time early in the week. In religion he was a Roman Catholic.

HEARING FOR MURDER ON WEDNESDAY NEXT

Chatham Township Man Will Face Very Serious Charge Shortly.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Chatham, Sept. 29.—The examination of Thomas Griffith, of Chatham Township, who is now under arrest on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Orlando Arnold, will be held next Wednesday. It is understood that the defence will be in the hands of a result of an illness which was not in any way brought about by the blows that Griffith struck in the fight at Arnold's home on the night of July 29. Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Griffith are sisters.

MILVERTON FARMER LOST BARN AND CROP

Fire Did Heavy Damage at George Grop's in Mornington Township.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Milverton, Sept. 29.—The big barn of George Grop, of the Township of Mornington, was completely wiped out by fire today, together with his season's crop, implements and a lot of valuable stock. The fire broke out near the peak of the barn, and rushed out to save his stock. He succeeded with difficulty in getting out his imported Clydesdale stallions, Knight of Glamis and Milton Chief, valued at \$3,000 each. His other horses, consisting of his season's grain and fodder, and a few implements, a four-year-old ham, and 37 pigs, were destroyed. The loss is in the neighborhood of \$4,000, on which there is insurance of \$2,000 in the Kima Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

BARN COLLAPSED

Big Tobacco Building Near Bleheim Is a Complete Wreck.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Bleheim, Sept. 29.—A big new tobacco barn, which was in the process of construction, and which was complete, except for the closing in of the ends and shingling, collapsed today. A large crop of tobacco was stored in the building. It is thought that the collapse was due to the wind causing the building to sway. A number of workmen had been inside the barn only a short time before.

LOST \$1,000

Jury at Woodstock Reduces Award Previously Made in Zulfeld Case.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Woodstock, Sept. 29.—The Zulfeld case, in which the C. P. R. appealed against a former award, was concluded here today when the jury returned and gave the Zulfelds an award of \$2,000. The previous award was \$3,000. The verdict turned down was based on the claim of the plaintiffs that the train did not sound the usual crossing signals. The case just closed was the longest civil action ever heard in Oxford County. About thirty witnesses were heard. The case resulted from an action to recover damages for the deaths of Ernest and Marion Zulfeld, of Beachville, who were killed on the night of Jan. 4 by being struck by a C. P. R. snowplow at Beachville crossing.

LAMBETH.

Lambeth, Sept. 29.—Mr. G. Vandellinder has returned from a six weeks' trip through the Canadian West. Mr. and Mrs. Kerr, of St. Thomas, spent Sunday with Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Garbutt. The Westminster Agricultural Society will hold their fall show on Oct. 3. Every effort has been made to make the show a success. Nine hundred dollars are to be given in prizes. Mrs. Robert Willis entertained her class of young men on Friday evening. Eber Kelly & Co. are extending a portion of cement sidewalk on Andrews avenue. A stone mason returned to his home at Toronto on Tuesday. Mr. Grover Willis, of Vancouver, returned home last week. The Sunday school of the Meth-

odist Church held their rally day last Sunday. Mrs. James, of Craig street, South London, spent Monday with Mrs. J. W. Woodhull. Mrs. Richard Wilson is on the sick list this week. Mrs. William Thorne, of Port Huron, visited Mrs. G. A. Routledge and Mrs. G. T. Carley. The Lambeth elder mill is running and large quantity of apples are coming in. Mrs. (Dr.) G. A. Routledge returned on Thursday from Sarnia. The Lambeth Male Quartette sang very acceptably in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening.

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FINING.

Finlay, Sept. 29.—Mrs. A. Culver visited friends in Ridgeway on Sunday. Mrs. Dean, who has spent some months with her sister, Mrs. J. Gillis, returned to her home in Toronto. Miss Mabel Harris is in Lucknow, attending the wedding of Miss Annie Joynt to Rev. Mr. Harrison. Miss Laura Timewell is visiting in Detroit. Mrs. Traverser, of Welland, is visiting her nieces, Mesdames McIntyre and McDiarmid.

Harvest home services in Knox Church were well attended on Sunday, being conducted by Rev. James Robinson, of Dutton, who preached very eloquent and impressive sermons. Miss Florest Dewar, of St. Thomas, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Turner. Mr. Colin Gillan left on Monday to attend the London Normal School. The Ladies' Aid of Knox Church meet on Wednesday of next week instead of Tuesday, to arrange for the anniversary tea to be held on Nov. 6. Mr. and Mrs. S. Lethbridge and Mr. John Patterson and mother, of Centre, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Waters on Sunday. Miss Stella Stafford, of Shedd, visited the Misses Waters on Wednesday.

The Masonic services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Hughes, of Carleton Place, in the Baptist Church on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Gilmore was in Toronto on Monday in the interests of the Farmers' Bank depositors. Mrs. J. Smith visited her daughter, Mrs. Brown, on Sunday. Mrs. James McNamee, of Woodville, returned from a visit to the hospital, somewhat improved in health. Mr. D. A. Cattamach is visiting in London.

Miss Pearl Ferguson, who has been teaching in Saskatchewan, returned home on Monday to attend the London Normal School. The Misses Kettlewell, of Talbotville, spent last week with the Misses McLennan. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burger returned from a long trip in the west. Miss Nellie Ball, of St. Thomas, visited Mr. Robert Beattie this week. Mr. Melvin Harris has returned from a visit in Detroit. Mr. Charles Gundy, of St. Thomas, will conduct the rally services in the Methodist Sunday school next Sunday.

Mr. Ed. Burwell, Mrs. Bugbee and Mr. and Mrs. G. Graham returned to Lansing after visiting Mr. S. E. Burwell. The Misses Lute and Mr. N. Clay visited in Delaware on Sunday. Mr. R. G. Mowka attended the State Fair in Detroit last week. Mrs. M. Anderson leaves today to visit in Traverse City.

Mr. G. Gilmore was called to her father's bedside in London, owing to his severe illness. Mr. Barber, of New York, visited Miss Belle McColl last week for Vancouver, accompanied by Miss Campbell. Miss McColl will be married to Mr. A. Errington, formerly of Glenworth. Mr. and Mrs. Crowder, of Morpeth, visited Mr. Crowder's sister, Mrs. Arthur Ball, of the Sterling Bank, returned from holidaying in Toronto. Mr. Roy Evans, of the Dominion Bank staff, Guelph, visited here last week. Mrs. Malcolm Campbell and Mr. James Campbell are visiting in Powell, Ohio.

Miss Morton, evangelist, of Toronto, occupied the pulpit in the Methodist Church last Sunday, in the absence of Rev. A. G. Harris, and preached two eloquent sermons. They were the first of the Misses Harris while here, and has gone to Florence, Ont., where she will conduct an evangelical campaign.

Rev. A. G. Harris preached anniversary sermons on the Bethel appointment of the Florence circuit last Sunday.

ZURICH.

Zurich, Sept. 29.—The fall fair, held today, was a big success, as the weather was favorable except that it was a little on the cold side. But the crowd came in the afternoon in great numbers. The society feels proud of the results of its efforts. They, the roots, grain and potatoes, which made the finest display of years. Ladies' work and flowers made a grand display. The gate receipts were very satisfactory to the society, as everything was favorable.

CABLE LINES LEASED.

London, Sept. 29.—At meetings of the stockholders of the Anglo-American Cable Company and the United States Cable Company today, the agreement to lease their lines to the Western Union Telegraph Company for a period of 99 years was unanimously approved. The agreement will become effective on its ratification by the Western Union.

LOUDO RENDEMOVED.

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 29.—Arthur B. Loudo, a Toronto man, said to be the son of the prominent and wealthy Toronto City resident, who was arrested yesterday in a questionable resort in Detroit, charged with forgery, was arraigned before Magistrate Leggett this morning. He would not plead until his father's name to checks and drafts. It is said that between \$2,000 and \$3,000 is involved.

GERMAN BANK SUSPENDED.

Berlin, Sept. 29.—There was a heavy break in the market today. The Goettlinger Bank suspended today. The directors expressed the belief that the bank will be able to pay its depositors \$270,000 due them. They say that the suspension was due to the difficulty of the money market. The bank's capital is \$500,000.

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Montreal, Sept. 29.—Announcement was yesterday made of the most complete reorganization of the executive domestic economy of the Grand Trunk Railway since Mr. C. M. Hays took charge of the road in 1895. Not only have the old offices of vice-presidents been altered, so that there are no longer first, second or third vice-presidents, each in charge of a particular department, but the whole economy of the railroad has been so changed as to enthrone Mr. Hays, and thus take a good deal of the burden off the shoulders of Mr. Hays. This is following the lines of the New York Central and Erie, the Great Northern and the Great Western, and the other big railways. Incidentally the officials on the Grand Trunk Pacific are also changed about, but not to the same extent as on the Grand Trunk. In all, nine of the principal officials are affected by the reorganization, and it is particularly marked in the case of the seven other English or Canadian born. Only one new man is introduced, Mr. H. R. Safford, who will come to the Grand Trunk from Chicago.

The New List.

According to the reorganization, the new official list will be as follows: Mr. E. H. Fitzhugh, formerly vice-president of the Grand Trunk, becomes president of the Central Vermont Transportation Company, Southern New England Railway Corporation, New England Railway Company, Montreal and Southern Counties Railway. He therefore relinquishes his former duties as vice-president of the Grand Trunk. In all, nine of the principal officials are affected by the reorganization, and it is particularly marked in the case of the seven other English or Canadian born. Only one new man is introduced, Mr. H. R. Safford, who will come to the Grand Trunk from Chicago.

The reorganization of the vice-presidents of the G. T. R. is as follows: Mr. William Walworth, formerly second vice-president of the Grand Trunk, becomes vice-president of the G. T. R. and second vice-president of the G. T. Pacific. Mr. M. M. Reynolds, formerly third vice-president of the G. T. R. and the G. T. P., becomes vice-president of the Grand Trunk, in charge of financial and accounting departments. Mr. Safford, who was chief engineer of the Grand Trunk, becomes vice-president in charge of construction, transportation and maintenance departments on the Grand Trunk. Mr. J. E. Dalrymple, who was assistant freight traffic manager of the G. T. P., becomes vice-president of the Grand Trunk, in charge of traffic, both passenger and freight. Mr. S. Logan, who for some years has been assistant to President Hays, is promoted to vice-president of the G. T. R. in charge of land, tax, claims, and mail departments.

All these were reorganizations of existing officials. The first starburst of the reorganization is the appointment of Mr. H. R. Safford as chief engineer of the Grand Trunk, with headquarters at Montreal. Mr. Safford was for many years with the Illinois Central, recently as engineer of maintenance of way, and after that as chief engineer of the Edgar Allen American Manganese Steel Company, of Chicago Heights. Mr. D. E. Galt, formerly secretary to President Hays, has been made assistant to the president. Mr. Hays, having been elected chairman of the board of directors of the Canadian Express Company, is succeeded as president of that company by Mr. John Bull.

Mr. J. E. Dalrymple is also appointed fourth vice-president of the Grand Trunk, in charge of traffic, with headquarters at Montreal. It is expected that these important changes will mean a new era of better relations within the near future, but these will, of course, be left to the heads of the various departments as they get to shape to undertake their work. All the changes now announced are to become effective on Monday next.

The statement of the Grand Trunk sets forth that the changes have been made "in order to relieve the president of the more important detail work, which has heretofore been largely centralized. The London board of directors has approved of the reorganization of the Grand Trunk and affiliated companies."

LISTEN TO MAX

Aiken Says Asquith is Responsible For Defeat of Laurier.

London, Sept. 29.—The Globe (Unionist) describes speeches at the Ottawa Canadian Club banquet as the rising sun banishing the mists of Laurierism and imperialism. There was no talk of insensate bonds such as delights home radicals. "Max Aiken, speaking at Manchester, said 'Canada has smashed with her own hand the door barred and bolted by Churchill. He blamed Asquith, not Laurier.'"

"Laurier," he said, "working with Manchester free traders convinced our colonies we did not sympathize with the policy of imperial preference. As he could not sell himself to the Irish, but he could not dispose of Canada."

ARCHBISHOP M'EVAY'S WILL

Five Thousand Dollars Provided for Care of Mother.

Toronto, Sept. 29.—The last will and testament of the late Archbishop McEvay was made public yesterday. The will is dated June 23, 1910. By it the late archbishop bequeaths the sum of five thousand dollars to the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation, the corporation to pay his mother, Mary McEvay, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars annually. From the time of his mother's death, the whole \$5,000 is to remain in the hands of the corporation as a fund for the support of students in the St. Augustine Seminary. His



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personal library was bequeathed to St. Augustine Seminary.

He directed his executors to pay the sum of five hundred dollars to the Catholic Extension Society of Canada as an offering that five hundred masses be said for the repose of his soul.

All the rest, residue and remainder of the estate and effects, he directed his executors to pay to his successor in the office of the Roman Catholic Archbishop in Toronto for the purposes of the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Toronto.

In his will he directed that his body be buried in the grounds of St. Augustine Seminary, the location there to be selected by his executors.

Very Rev. Dr. John T. Kidd, administrator, and Rev. M. D. Whalen were appointed executors of the will.

FREIGHTS CANCELLED.

Hamburg, Sept. 29.—The German-Levant Steamship Line has served notice that it cannot accept freight for ports in Tripoli at present.

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NEW PASTOR AT PRESTON.

Preston, Sept. 29.—Rev. W. H. Porter has arrived from Toronto, and will conduct the services in the Baptist Church here temporarily. Mr. Porter will take over his new charge today, and will preach at both services tomorrow.

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