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### City and District

### Division Court.

A sitting of the ninth division court was held at the court house this morning under Judge Macbeth. A number of minor cases were disposed of.

### Historical Society.

Dr. C. T. Campbell will give an interesting paper on the Canadian postal system at the meeting of the Historical Society this evening.

### Former Glencoe Resident Dead.

A well-known former resident of Glencoe died in the Aged People's Home on Saturday in the person of Robert Cathcart. Mr. Cathcart was 74 years old. The funeral was held yesterday morning from D. A. Stewart's undertaking rooms in Glencoe.

### A Lucan Recital.

A grand organ recital was given in the Trinity Church, Lucan, Monday evening in connection with the opening of the new church by Mr. Thomas, Mitchell, assisted by Miss Cullis, of London. Miss Cullis delighted the audience with her two numbers. She possessed a beautiful voice of good range, and her enunciation is perfect. Miss Cullis and Mrs. Bawden were the guests of Miss Gerlie Hodgins, of Lucan.

### London Ladies Entertained.

Toronto Saturday Night: Miss Macdonald, of Cona Lodge, and Mrs. Chas. Macdonald gave an unusually pleasant tea for Mrs. Frank Hobbs (nee Marshall, of London), a recent bride, and a former fellow-citizen of Mrs. Charles Macdonald (nee Magee, of London). The guest of honor received with Miss Macdonald and was presented to those who had not yet called upon her in her pretty home, while new-old friends greeted her with the cordiality which

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The postmasters throughout the western district have received a circular from the Government annuities branch at Ottawa, stating that postmasters are now required to receive deposits for the purchase of Government annuities.

These annuities cannot be seized on any account, and the whole cost of management is paid by the Government. If the applicant dies before the maturity of the annuity, all the payments, together with compound interest, at 3 per cent, is returned, and no medical examination is necessary.

Forms and Cards.

Forms and cards have been forwarded to the postmasters, and may be obtained on application. As an illustration of the working of these annuities, it may be mentioned that if an applicant at 20 years of age pays 25 cents a week until 60 years of age, \$120 per year will be paid as long as the applicant lives. The payments may be made in almost any sum preferred by the applicant, ranging from \$50 to \$500 a year.

Plans of Annuities.

There are two plans, "A" and "B," under which contributions may be made. Under plan A, in case the annuitant dies before the first installment of annuity is due, all that has been paid in, with 3 per cent compound interest, will be returned to the heirs. Under plan B, where the same annuity may be obtained for lower payments, there will be no return in case of death.

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### BUILDERS' EXCHANGE ELECT OFFICERS

Mr. John Whittaker Was Again Chosen President.

At the annual meeting of the Builders' Exchange of this city the following officers were elected for the year: President, John Whittaker (re-elected); first vice-president, George Everett (re-elected); secretary-treasurer, Geo. Gould (re-elected).

Executive Committee—George Young, Arthur Nobbs, W. Nutkins, John Jones and George H. Belton.

Representatives to Western Fair Board—John Whittaker and George Hyatt. Auditors—Ald. D. Ferguson and T. R. Widdows.

The president read his annual report, in which he referred to the fine prospects of the building trade for the coming year, which he said was highly satisfactory to all hands.

### EFFORTS TO FIND GOLDNER HEIRS

Said That at One Time a Miss Goldner Was in Mount Hope.

Efforts to find the missing heirs of Wm. Goldner, who it is claimed was formerly a resident of this city, have so far been unsuccessful. The only man who ever lived here by that name, so far as is known, was Jake Goldner, a former occupant of Clark's tobacco store. He is now dead.

Three daughters and two sons survived him, William and Jacob, Jacob, the eldest son, met his death some time ago in Woodstock, being suffocated with gas.

The whereabouts of William Goldner at the present time are unknown. The daughters are believed to be residing in Toronto, on Church street. Miss Jennie Goldner is employed by the Nordheimer Piano Company in that city. It is said it is more than probable that the Wm. Goldner mentioned is a brother of Jacob's, and has bequeathed his possessions to Jake's children.

It is said that at one time one of the daughters was in Mount Hope convent here.

### JOHN McDONALD WAS ARRESTED

Charged With Stealing From Duncan Campbell, of Moss.

John McDonald, a Scotchman, who has only been in this country six months, was arrested at the farm of Mr. Duncan Campbell, some miles north of Glencoe, in Moss Township, on a charge of stealing \$22.55, a watch and a variegated assortment of wearing apparel.

The theft was committed on Sunday evening. It is alleged, while the family of Mr. Campbell were at church, McDonald was arrested yesterday by Constable Stewart, of Glencoe, and appeared before Squire McKenzie, of that place, who committed him for trial.

### HORSE FRIGHTENED BY TOBOGGANS

Serious Accident on King Street Hill Yesterday.

The practice of many school children of converting many of the city roads and sidewalks into toboggan slides is becoming a serious menace to the public safety.

About noon yesterday a man driving in a cutter down the King street hill, towards Thames street, was passed by a load of these youngsters. The horse, frightened by the passing sleighs, kicked itself loose, throwing the man heavily to the ground in the process. Though not badly injured, the man was severely shaken up. The horse continued its journey along Thames street, and across the Dundas street bridge, with the shafts of the cutter still attached.

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Saturday, Jan. 23 and Monday, Jan. 25

This will be our second 98c Coupon Sale. Many can recall with pleasure and profit the splendid bargains secured at our last mid-Winter sale. Being manufacturers, we are not only able to give you a genuine bargain in dress goods, but also in the making. A coupon will be given with every misses' or ladies' skirt length, which will entitle the purchaser to have the same made up into a skirt for the small sum of 98c. Your choice of twelve different styles. Every skirt will be made to measure and guaranteed to fit.

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### Mayor Stevely's Speech in Syracuse

Sprung Joke on Governor Hughes

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Two Fast Ones.

Some idea how about some Grand Circuit races," he said, "for we people over in Canada take a keen interest in these events. Perhaps more so than the people of New York state, for it is possible to place a little bet on the side over there once in a while."

"At the last Grand Circuit meet we sent you one of the fastest pacers in the business, The Bel, which won the free-for-all in easy fashion, and now we have sent you Tom Longboat, the fastest long-distance runner in the world, and these two, together with Governor Hughes, should make a running trio that the world could not beat."

Mayor Stevely brought with him greetings from the Onondagas and Oneidas, of Canada, who were brother Indians to those at the reservation here, and he intimated that the Mystique Krewe idea would probably be copied in some of the Canadian cities.

In a brief outline, he told of the growth of his country, and gave in figures how its natural resources have been cultivated and developed within the last few years.

### THE MAYOR'S JOKE.

Here is an account of his worship's joke on Governor Hughes:

"That Governor Hughes can take a joke on himself with good grace was demonstrated when Mayor Stevely, of London, Ont., hinted that it was possible to place a little side bet on a race in Canada without violating the law. Throwing his hands in the air, the chief executive of the state laughed heartily at the reference to his achievement at lawmaking, and assumed that expression which says in plain talk, 'Guess that's on me.' He afterward complimented Mayor Stevely on his address, and told him it was a pleasure to meet 'fearless' men."

### LENEHAN BOUND TO KEEP THE PEACE

Appeared in the Police Court This Morning on a Charge Three Weeks Old.

Arthur Lenehan, who has been wanted by the police since Dec. 29 for assaulting a citizen, was arrested by the police last night, and this morning appeared in the prisoner's cage.

Lenehan has been on the Indian list, and is not unknown to the police. On Dec. 28, he accumulated a "jag," and conjuring up a grievance, assaulted the citizen. A warrant for his arrest was at once issued, but he "jumped" the town.

In the police court today he was penitent, and pleaded guilty, saying that he was drunk when he committed the offense, and did not know what he was doing. He had not had a drink this year, he alleged, and if allowed to go would conduct himself properly.

Plaintiff Lenient.

The man who had the warrant issued refused, out of regard for Lenehan's family, to press the charge.

Magistrate Love stated that had it not been for this action on the part of the complainant, Lenehan would have been very seriously dealt with. He bound Lenehan over in the sum of \$500 to keep the peace, and assessed him with the costs of the case. Lenehan had no money and asked until

Saturday to pay the bill. The magistrate bound him over to appear Saturday for sentence, and in the meantime Lenehan will endeavor to raise the money.

"Had it not been for the fact that the complainant has been very lenient," said the court, "I would have fined you very heavily, as I think the assault was entirely unprovoked, and I think you acted very wrong in the matter. I will bail you to appear again in a week and bind you over in the sum of \$500 to keep the peace towards everyone, but especially towards the citizen whom you assaulted, but who has been lenient enough not to press the charge."

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