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J. YOUNG,
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TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION.

BIRTHS.

STRATHY—At Owen Sound, on Friday, 11th Feb., the wife of E. W. Strathy, manager of the Molson's bank, of a daughter.

HEWSON—On the 15th February, at Mount Fairview, Dundas, the wife of Wm. Hewson, Cobourg, of a son.

HELLMUTH—On Wednesday, Feb. 16, at 96 College street, the wife of J. F. Hellmuth, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

WIGHTMAN—HEWITT—At the residence of the bride's father, on February 16, by the Rev. John H. Castle, D.D., John A. Wightman, merchant, Port Perry, to Isabella M., second daughter of Wm. Hewitt, Esq., Toronto.

ARMSTRONG—MULHOLLAND—On Wednesday, Jan. 19th, at Wesley Chapel, Sale, near Manchester, England, by the Rev. J. Nettleton, John Nuttall Armstrong, Esq., Sale, to Sarah, second daughter of the late William Mulholland, of Lansing, Ontario.

DIED.

JONES—At 121 Denison avenue, Toronto, on the 16th February, 1881, Annie, the beloved wife of J. T. Jones.

Funeral at 3 o'clock to-day.

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Prizes to be given on Saturday afternoon next. eo

Corporation Sale of Market Fees on Saturday, the 19th Feb.

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1st. The fees derivable from the Western Cattle Market.

2nd. The fees derivable from the Upper St. Lawrence, St. Patrick's and St. Andrew's Markets, and the stalls and stands for Hucksters, Gardeners, and Petty Chapmen not licensed by the city within the limits of the said Markets.

3rd. The Hay and Straw Market fees.

Lease for 10 months from the 1st day of March to the 31st day of December, 1881. The lessee of each market to pay down at the time of sale the sum of $200. Sale at 12 o'clock noon.

Any other information required will be given at the office of the Treasurer or City Solicitor.

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Chairman Markets and Health Committee.
JAMES BANKS, Auctioneer.
City Treasurer's Office, Toronto, Feb. 10, 1881.

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The partnership heretofore subsisting between JONATHAN HODGSON, ALEXANDER BOYD, and JAMES BUNTIN BOYD, who carried on the Wholesale Dry and Fancy Goods' business in Toronto, under the name, style and firm of HODGSON & BOYD, was on the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, dissolved.

All debts owing to the said firm of HODGSON & BOYD are to be paid to ALEXANDER BOYD, who will settle all the liabilities of the said firm.

Dated at Toronto, this twelfth day of February, 1881.

JONATHAN HODGSON.
ALEXANDER BOYD.

In reference to the above, we, the undersigned, beg leave to intimate to the customers of the late firm of HODGSON & BOYD, and the public generally, that on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, we entered into copartnership, and will carry on the business of the late firm of HODGSON & BOYD, in all its branches, at the old stand, No. 41 Yonge street, Toronto, under the name, style and firm of BOYD BROTHERS & CO.

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WEMYSS & CLARKSON,
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MARKETS AND HEALTH.

At the meeting of the markets and health committee yesterday an application was received from Ironfield & Co. for a lease of the small-pox hospital building as a knitting-factory. It was decided to make further enquiry as to what could be done with small-pox patients should the malady break out in the city.

Francis Brown, a turnkey at the gaol, applied for an increase in his salary of $200. It was decided to let the application lie over until the governor and the sheriff appeared before the committee to explain about who should keep the gaol books, for looking after which Brown claims this $200.

A communication was read from George Hunt, market constable, stating that he had to work seventy hours per week, and asking for an increase to his salary, or a bonus.

The application was allowed to lie on the table.

To-day a fine vessel, manned by gallant sailors, was wrecked on the bay. The crew came near perishing, but brave efforts saved them from an untimely visit to the hospital. The Gossamer iceboat struck a rough ridge, and had her hull torn to atoms. She will be repaired as soon as possible.

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Her Majesty.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—The queen travelled to Windsor from Osborne to-day. There were only a few extra precautions observed en route.

Reduction of the Bank Rate.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—The Bank of England has reduced the minimum rate of discount to 3 per cent.

Fire at Toledo.

TOLEDO, Feb. 17.—The ship chandlery store and warehouse of Wilcox Bros. was burned. Loss $40,000.

Death of a Jockey.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Constable, the noted jockey, is dead.

EDUCATIONAL SUPPLIES.

Queer Revelations in Connection With the Educational Department.

In the public accounts committee this morning Mr. J. B. Carter and Dr. May were examined respecting supplies furnished in past years to the depository in the education department. Mr. Carter has received large sums for map-mounting, and Dr. May admitted that the work was done without tender, but asserted that Mr. Carter was the only person in Toronto with the experience and appliances for doing the work. The price was one agreed upon with Mr. Carter. Dr. May admitted that the capital of the Canadian apparatus manufacturing company was supplied chiefly by himself on behalf of his son, who was the manager. Other members of the company were Major John Brown, of Brown Bros., and Dr. Archibald. Only $800 worth of goods had been sold to the depository by the company direct, but Dr. May admitted that their goods had found their way into the depository through the medium of agents, such as Copp, Clark & Co. and Elliott & Co., of Toronto, and Dawsons, of Montreal. He also admitted having other business relations with Messrs. Carter and Potter, whose invoices to the depository he vouched for. He and they had been in housebuilding operations together. The examination of Dr. May was conducted by Mr. Harcourt and the chairman, Mr. Ferris, and Mr. Meredith did a little cross-examination with a view to showing the transactions referred to in a light as little objectionable as possible. The investigation will be continued.

LATER CITY NEWS.

Two inches of snow would make good sleighing.

The ice is three feet thick on the bay in some places.

To-day the G. T. R. express from the east due here at 11.07 a.m. was an hour behind time.

Philip Hopkins, a colored man, was sent to the central for one year this morning for stealing a pair of shoes.

Eight hundred and fifty fat cattle have passed through the city for the English market since noon on Sunday.

The members of the theatre Comique paraded the principal streets of the city at noon to-day preceded by a band.

A visit was made to the old fort last night by parties who wished to know whether the magazines were guarded or not. Had they been inclined they could have blown up the whole west end of the city.

The case of Lizzie Carter, charged with selling liquor without a license, was adjourned till to-morrow. The defence was that at the time of the alleged sale of liquor Carter was not the tenant of the house.

A fight between a hound owned by Mr. Henderson of St. Patrick's square and a horse belonging to Mr. McGuire of Yonge street took place to-day. It was public, however, and there were no "hissers."

The west end temperance society gave a concert at the asylum last night. They were successful in snatching away for one hour the bitter cup which ever rests on the lips of the poor patients.

Emerson (Manitoba) News: We have received several copies of that bright, spicy, and interesting daily, the Toronto World. This lively journal is rapidly becoming popular, and now takes rank among the leading papers of Toronto.

The first man who loomed up in the police court to-day was Vanderlip. He is the whiskey detective who has been raising a storm among the unlicensed groggeries in the city for the last month. He was charged with being a party to the row in the noble ward last night but the evidence was not sufficient to convict.

PERSONAL.

Mr. P. M. Goff, Hamilton, is at the Rossin house.

Charles L. Davis and company are registered at the Rossin.

Rev. Riddell Morrison, chaplain of H. M. forces, and wife, are staying at the Queen's hotel.

Miss Verne, the actress, is staying at the Walker house.

R. H. Merriman, Hamilton; O. J. Phelps, St. Catharines; Allan, Lamont and Allan McEachern, Mount Forest, are at the Walker house.

Rev. R. Dobie, Milton, Jos. Bigelow and Wm. J. Trounce, Port Perry, are at the Walker.

AS SWIFT AS WIND.

The Entries for the Ice Boat Regatta To-morrow.

To-morrow an ice boat regatta will be held on the bay should the weather prove favorable. The entries for the sweepstakes are:

Island Girl, owned by Jack Hanlan.
Fleetwing, owned by Mrs. Mead.
Swallow, owned by Capt. Lundy.
Mystery, owned by R. Morris.
Dreadnaught, owned by J. Dyer.
Iceberg, owned by Capt. Parkinson.
Ice Witch, owned by ———.

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GRAND FANCY DRESS CARNIVAL!
TO-MORROW EVENING.
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Admission, 10c. and 15c. Season Ticket-holders free.
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IRISH AFFAIRS.

Land Leaguers Vanishing—No Sympathy with Continental Revolutionary Leaders.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—The Times says we are informed that in one district in the west of Ireland, notorious as the scene of more than one scandalous land league victory, between twenty and thirty village tyrants quietly absconded since the second reading of the protection bill.

Captain Billingham, Conservative, and home rule member of parliament and private chamberlain to Pope Leo XIII., publicly protests against the interviews of Irish members of parliament with continental revolutionary leaders, and says he must completely dissociate himself from the sentiments expressed in such interviews.

Forcing the Irish Coercion Bill.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—In the commons this afternoon Mr. Gladstone gave notice that unless the committee on the protection bill closed to-night he will move to-morrow, as chairman to report the bill before midnight. This motion will be in accordance with the speaker's new rules, which provide that such motion be put without debate, and if carried by 3 to 1 the chairman of the committee will leave the chair at midnight, thus compulsorily closing the committee stage of the bill.

Canadian Despatches.

The seventh annual convention of the county of Oxford S. S. association has been in session at Tilsonburgh for the past few days.

Mr. Edward Attrill, formerly of Hyde park now of the Gore of London, has been notified of a fortune which has fallen to him in Plymouth, Eng., amounting to some $40,000. He leaves shortly to claim his property.

Almost Beyond Belief.

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 17.—A correspondent states that a person in Moore township was driving home one night last week with a five-year old child in a sleigh. On the way the child began to cry from the cold, when the father seized it, choked it, as he supposed, threw it off the sleigh, and drove home. On arriving there the mother asked for the boy, and was told by its father that he knew nothing about it, but supposed it was lying where he pitched it off the sleigh, choked. The mother at once dispatched a party in search of the child, but before they reached the spot the poor little unfortunate had been cared for, having attracted the attention of a passer-by through its piteous cries.

A Wealthy Farmer Killed.

WHITBY, Ont., Feb. 17.—Jas. Mitchell, a wealthy and well-known farmer residing on Dundas street, Whitby, was killed at noon to-day. He had two teams bringing in posts to town. He drove the first himself and the other team was driven by his hired man. A bridle of the latter broke and the horse ran away. Mitchell jumped off his load to stop them and was knocked down and trodden on by one of the runaway horses, the calk of one of the horse's shoe entering the brain. The deceased leaves a widow and five young children. He is reputed to be worth $100,000.

Killed by a Falling Tree.

OAKVILLE, Feb. 17.—Robert A. Kennedy, aged 23 years, second son of David Kennedy, Trafalgar, was killed yesterday while chopping in the woods, the top of a tree striking him on the head. He lived about five hours after receiving the injury, but never became conscious.

Fatal Cave In.

OAKDALE, Mass. Feb. 17.—An embankment caved in on the Massachusett's Central railway yesterday. Two laborers were suffocated.

Hanlan to be Feted.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Previous to embarking at Liverpool to-day Hanlan cabled his acceptance of the Atlanta boat club's proffered reception at New York.

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At last night's sittings of the grand lodge the province was divided into nine districts, and deputies were appointed for each to supervise and promote the work of the order. G. A. Pennington was re-appointed deputy grand master and general agent for the organizing of new lodges. The business of the grand lodge was not concluded until three o'clock this morning. The next annual meeting will be held at Hamilton.

THE LAW COURTS TO-DAY.

COMMON LAW CHAMBERS.

Before Osler, J.

Harper v. Davies—A. Cassels moved absolute a summons for security for costs, on the ground that another action is pending for the same cause. J. McGregor showed cause. Judgment reserved.

Ontario Bank v. Mitchell (two cases)—Summons absolute to strike out pleas, on the ground that defendant did not attend to be examined. Holman for summons; J. B. Clarke showed cause.

Re Arbitration; Kerr, Carlow v. Livingston—Holman moved absolute a summons to have submission brought into court. Order made.

CHANCERY CHAMBERS.

Before the Referee.

Hughes v. Hughes—Motion to set aside a bond. Enlarged, with leave to both parties to file affidavits as to value of property of bondsmen. Donovan for the motion. Miller (G. & H. B. Murphy) contra.

COURT OF CHANCERY.

RE-HEARING TERM.

Before the Chancellor and Vice Chancellors.

Jellett v. Anderson—This case is being argued and is likely to last all day. Bethune, Q.C., for the appeal. Boyd, Q.C., for the decree.

The following cases have been set down for hearing for Wednesday the 23rd instant. Anglo Canadian mortgage company v. Buckingham; McNally v. Dawson; Rowe v. Rowe; Todd v. Harmon; Stephens v. Williams; Barber v. Victoria railway company; Walmsley v. Rent guarantee company; Dalby v. Bell; Archer v. Gray; and for Thursday, 24th instant, Wilson v. Webb.

COUNTY COURT CHAMBERS.

Before Judge Mackenzie.

In Francis v. Dennis a summons was granted to put off the trial. In Brethour v. Bingham a summons for substitutional service of an order to examine was granted, and an order to examine the defendant in Gregory v. Griffin.

LATEST CITY NEWS.

Only one arrest up to 4 o'clock, and that was a drunk.

Mr. John Cameron, of the London Advertiser, is in town to-day.

There were eighty-seven valentines delivered at one boarding-house on Richmond street on the 14th.

The friends and opponents of the London Junction railway bill are actively lobbying for and against the bill.

The board of trade is holding its annual meeting this afternoon. Mr. W. B Hamilton has been elected president. The other offices are now being filled.

Bailiffs Gegg and Armstrong took possession of the Windsor hotel to-day. Their claims amount to $2900. Before leaving the house the servants had a dance in the laundry-room. The boarders are out on the streets hunting for other quarters.

The new time table on the Northern railway is not very well arranged for the convenience of people up north. From Orillia, for instance, passengers cannot reach Toronto until 10 o'clock at night, and as the only train by which they can return leaves at an early hour in the morning they lose three days whenever they come to Toronto on business. Under the old time table they could make the journey in one day, and spend several hours in Toronto. This is awkward.

These pocket whistles, made of wood, which are constructed to imitate bird calls, have been put to a bad use. Last night John Meynall of No. 51 Sackville street was awakened by a mysterious crying sound at the door. His wife roused him and whispered her suspicions. John, who is one of the boys himself, rose with much trepidation and strolled to the door. On the step was a basket, and there was something in it. He returned and reported matters. Mrs. M. dressed herself and went out of the back door and got a neighbor laly to assist her. A deputation soon arrived, investigated the basket and found a dead pup therein. A boy at the corner was observed to be much interested in the proceedings.

RAILWAY AMALGAMATION.

The railway committee of the house were occupied three hours to-day in considering an act to amalgamate the Port Dover and Lake Huron, the Stratford and Huron and the Georgian Bay and Wellington railway companies as the Grand Trunk, Manitoulin, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie railway company. The effect of the bill is to give the Grand Trunk the control of these roads. Mr. Idington, Q. C., opposed the bill in the interests of Stratford, which had given the lines a bonus of $200,000 on condition that they were to be run as independent roads. The town either wanted this agreement adhered to, or it wanted its debentures returned. Col. Tisdale, of Simcoe, supported the bill. He said that unless the roads were allowed to amalgamate with the Grand Trunk, they would have to be closed up, as the companies could not support them. This led to the suggestion that other railway companies be placed on a footing with the Grand Trunk, as far as running powers over the roads in question were concerned. An amendment was offered in accordance with this suggestion, but it was pointed out that the Grand Trunk would not undertake to run the lines unless they had sole control of them, and the amendment was lost by a vote of 5 to 14. The preamble was proven and the committee spent the balance of the sitting on details.

A SURPRISING SCANDAL.

A Western Clergyman Charged with Violating a Girl of Tender Years.

The London Free Press contains the following disgraceful story:

The people of Thedford are at present perfectly paralyzed at the development of a scandal, which reflects seriously on the character of a clergyman recently officiating at that place and at Arkona.

It would seem that late last fall this clergyman violated a girl of tender years in a ravine north of the village. He was detected by a young man, a resident of the village, whose word has always been looked upon as reliable. The minister begged of him to keep the matter a secret, and promised him money if he would do so. He replied that he would, but that the minister must leave the place at once. This the minister agreed to, and removed to Arkona. The young man kept the secret as long as he could, but finally it leaked out and a friend of the minister having warned him, the reverend gentleman deemed it prudent to leave for Chicago. Meantime the scandal was spread all over the place, and is now the all-absorbing topic. The young man still sticks to his story, but refuses to reveal the name of the girl. The minister in question was a talented man and had a large congregation. The affair has caused the members great annoyance, and it is hoped that the facts may not be as stated.