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AROUND HOME.

Interesting Items Picked Up by Our Correspondents.

COWAL.

Rev. Mr. Gilmour, of London, will preach in Chalmers' church next Sabbath, morning and evening. He will also deliver his popular lecture on his travels through British Columbia, which he will illustrate with lime light views, on the following Monday evening under the auspices of the Y.P.H.M. Society.

Elsie McNeil, who has been so seriously ill for some time, is some better and some hopes are entertained for her recovery.

David Anderson has had a windmill erected on his farm lately, which adds very much to its appearance.

WEST-LORNE.

W. McPherson, of London, was in town on Thursday.

Adam Zimmerla, barber, has moved into his new shop in the Cahill & Partridge block, and T. F. Robinson moves into his new store in the same block on Nov. 1.

Jabez Spencer returned home from Pipestone, Manitoba, where he has been visiting his son, Charles, on Friday last.

Miss Edith Spencer, of St. Thomas, and Mrs. Sinclair, of Fort Erie, are visiting relatives in town.

D. Turner, wife and family, visited at Mr. Turner's former home at Lawrence Station, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pzis attended Rev. F. E. Malott's wedding at Chatham last Wednesday.

Mrs. John Kiefer, who has been visiting relatives in Detroit during the past two weeks, returned home on Monday.

T. E. Montague has sold the canning and evaporating factory building to the West Lorne Canning & Evaporating Co.

At a meeting of the supporters of the public school on Saturday, Ben. Partridge was appointed trustee in place of Arch. McColl, who is moving to Fingal.

Miss Edith Easton, who has been visiting Miss Griffith, of Thamesville, returned home on Monday.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the public library, it was decided to spend \$100 in books and \$25 in magazines and papers, and if the finances will stand it they will spend another \$100 in books at the beginning of the new year. A concert in aid of the library will be given in the new hall in the near future.

Mr. Baldwin, barber, returned to his home in Fingal on Saturday to attend the funeral of his sister, Miss F. Baldwin, of that place.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. W. Hibbert is at Southwold at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Law, who is seriously ill.

Russell Roome has secured a situation as traveller for a wholesale dry goods firm in London at a salary of \$800 a year.

Mrs. McGill visited her sister, Mrs. Welch, in Mosa, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas-Clark, of Dutton, spent Sunday and Monday in town.

Alex. Beatou, license inspector, spent Sunday in St. Thomas.

THEY ARE BEAUTIES!

The two premium pictures for FAMILY HERALD and WEEKLY STAR readers are being distributed to subscribers. They are beauties! One is the battle of "Alma" in colors, the other is entitled "Pussy Willows." All yearly subscribers get both free, on receipt of a year's subscription (one dollar). It pays to subscribe to that great paper. The FAMILY HERALD and WEEKLY STAR, of Montreal, is in a class of itself. Canada should be proud of it.

SALE REGISTER.

FRIDAY, Oct. 20.—Credit sale of first-class stock, on lot 6, concession 2, the property of Duncan McIntyre. D. Black, auctioneer.

SAURDAY, Oct. 21.—Credit sale of farm 70 head of stock and implements, at Dromgould's hotel, Wallacetown. D. Black, auctioneer.

PRIZE LIST.

(Continued from last page.)

Kennedy, C. Patton, J. Brown. Drawn work... Charlotte Kennedy, 1st; John Campbell and S. Curtis, 2nd; L. Boer. Knitted lace. Charlotte Kennedy, C. Brown, J. Lyons. Undersuit... Charlotte Kennedy, H. Garbutt, Miss Thomson. Machine work... Miss Thomson. Needlework... D. G. Graham, 2nd; S. Curtis and J. Small, 3rd. Night dress, chain-stitched... F. Elise. Night dress, Charlotte Kennedy, J. Thomson, W. J. Mitton. Sofa pillow, crazy work... Mary Patton, D. G. Graham, H. E. Selman. Sofa pillow, braided... Mary Patton, F. Elise. Sofa pillow... J. Lyons, Miss Thomson, Mrs. Paupst. Sofa pillow, Berlin wool... D. G. Graham, T. Woodridge, Wm. Gunning. D'Oylyes... Miss Thomson, Mrs. Paupst, S. Curtis. Tatting... W. J. Mitton, Gilbert & Son, E. Brown. Crazy quilt... B. Willey, Mrs. Paupst. A Hodder. Five o'clock tea cloth... S. Curtis. Miss Thomson, Lottie Beer. Commode cover... Miss Thomson, W. J. Mitton. Dresser cover... Miss Thomson, S. Curtis.

FINE ARTS.

Figures or historical subject... Miss Thomson, W. J. Mitton, 2nd and 3rd. Landscape or marine... Lottie Beer, S. Curtis. Mrs. Paupst. Landscape, not Canadian subject... S. Curtis. Eva Glasgow, Mrs. Paupst. Animals... Miss Thomson, W. J. Mitton, J. H. Mitton. Inanimate objects... Eva Glasgow, 1st and 2nd; Mrs. Paupst. Flowers or fruit... Eva Glasgow, W. J. Mitton, Miss Thomson. Portrait... S. Curtis, Mrs. Paupst. Water Colors, figures... J. H. Mitton. Landscape or marine, J. H. Mitton. Animals... Eva Glasgow. Inanimate objects... 1st and 2nd, Eva Glasgow, W. J. Mitton. Portrait... J. H. Mitton. Gray drawing from east... Eva Glasgow. Portrait in light and shade... A. E. Cantelon, Mrs. Geo. Meyers. Pencil drawing... Lottie Beer, H. E. Selman. Chaucer drawing... Lottie Beer.

WESTERN ONTARIO.

Typhoid fever is prevalent in Dawn township.

Squire McIntyre, of Lobo, left an estate of \$74,000.

The St. Clair Borderers have offered themselves for service in the Transvaal. Ingersoll has increased 222 during the past year. The population is now 4,845.

Parkhill has dispensed with electric light. Some people love darkness rather than light.

D. J. Kenyon, formerly editor of the Wheatley Journal, has enlisted in the American army and will serve two years in the Philippines.

The large frame house of Duncan D. McLachlin, near Kilmartin, was burned on Friday while the family were at a funeral. The fire was supposed to have been caused by a defective chimney.

The death occurred on Tuesday of Wm. H. Essery, of the township of Mosa. Mr. Essery was in his 68th year. He had been ailing for some time, but was not seriously ill, and the end came rather suddenly from heart failure.

The only business before the Chatham Presbytery on Wednesday was the resignation of Rev. Mr. Mustard, of Kent Bridge and McKay's Corner, on account of the ill health of his wife. The resignation was accepted with regret.

A man named Clark, accompanied by his wife and two children, crossed the river from Detroit in a prairie schooner being driven from Mosa, 1,100 miles in five weeks. Clarke's return trip to Woodstock, after an absence of six years.

A conscience stricken Tilburyite has sent a letter enclosing 15 cents to one of the merchants of that place. He lacked that amount in purchasing an article some months ago and promised to call again and pay the balance, but neglected doing so. He was converted at Crossley and Hunter's meetings and his conscience smote him.

In a suit against a Windsor hotel-keeper every witness for the prosecution refused to testify. This course was adopted as a result of the decision given recently by Judge Falconbridge that it is not compulsory for persons to give evidence which may incriminate themselves in liquor cases. The case was adjourned, and the Attorney General's department will be communicated with to see if Judge Falconbridge's decision cannot be overruled.

The death occurred in London of Dr. J. B. Campbell, as a result of heart trouble with which he had been ailing for two years. He was born in Yarmonth, Elgin county, in 1848, and began the practice of medicine at Belmont in 1868. In 1888 he went to London, where he continued his practice until his illness. He took an active part in educational matters, and was for seven years a member of the Board of Education. Deceased was the eldest of a family of twelve—nine boys and three girls. Seven of the boys became doctors.

Itching Piles.

False modesty causes many people to endure in silence the greatest misery imaginable from itching piles. One application of Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment will soothe and ease the itching, one box will completely cure the worst case of blind, itching, bleeding or protruding piles. You have no risk in running for Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment, as it is guaranteed to cure piles.

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DUTTON.

WALLACETOWN.

BIG BLAZE AT RIDGETOWN.

Ten Business Places and the Arlington Hotel Destroyed.

At 4.30 o'clock Tuesday morning fire broke out in the Livingstone block, Ridgetown, occupied by Thomas Craig. Owing to a high wind and the fire having gained much headway before being discovered, the firemen were unable to stop its progress, and before it got under control it spread both east and west to the adjoining blocks, totally destroying them. Among the losers are Thomas Craig, four stores; Hay's bookstore; telegraph, customs and inland revenue offices; J. E. Nelson, jeweller; P. Bawden, druggist; Thorold & Bawden, merchant tailors; C. E. Davidson, confectioner; R. Bodman, barber and billiard parlor; Dr. Coyne, dentist; Smith & Jeffries, grocers; P. R. Campbell, Arlinton Hotel; Reycroft & Smith, barbers; I. N. North, photographer and several societies. The loss will be between \$50,000 and \$60,000.

COMMERCIAL.

DUTTON MARKETS.

Wednesday, Oct. 18.

PRODUCE.	
Butter, per lb.	0 16 0 17
Eggs, per dozen	0 13 0 13
Lard, per lb.	0 07 0 10
Tallow, per lb.	0 04 0 04
Potatoes, per bag	0 50 0 60
Shorts, per ton	1 00 0 100
Bran, per ton	12 00 12 00
Chop and Feed Flour	1 40 0 1 80
Flour, per hundred	0 40 0 50
Cabbage, per dozen	0 08 0 10
Honey, in comb, per pound	0 08 0 10
Honey, strained, per pound	0 06 0 07
Onions, per bush	0 08 0 08
Onion, per bush	0 08 0 08
Tomatoes, per bushel	0 40 0 50
Pork, farmers' cured, per pound	0 08 0 10

FRUIT.	
Apples, per bag	0 40 0 50
Pears, per bushel	0 75 1 00
Dried apples, per pound	0 04 0 05
Plums, per bushel	2 00 2 25
Grapes, per pound	0 02 0 02

GRAIN.	
Fall Wheat, per bush (standard)	0 58 0 65
Oats	0 25 0 25
Barley	0 35 0 45
Peas	0 46 0 50
Beans, per bushel	75 0 90
Clover seed, per bush	4 00 4 50
Alfalfa, per bush	1 50 2 00
Timothy, per bush	8 00 10 00
Hay, per ton	2 00 4 00
Straw, per load	0 10 0 12
Wool, per pound	0 13 0 13

St. Thomas.	
Wheat per bush	\$0 65 0 68
Oats	25 27
Barley	35 40
Peas	45 50
Bran, per ton	15 00 15 00
Butter, per pound	16 16
Eggs, per dozen	16 16
Potatoes, per bag	7 50 7 75
Hay, per ton	8 00 9 00
Chickens, per pair	0 45 0 50

London Grain Markets.	
Wheat, 66c to 70c per bushel.	
Oats, 28c to 28c per bushel.	
Peas, 50c to 54c per bushel.	
Barley, 40c per bushel.	
Corn, 42c to 45c per bushel.	

The Hog Market. The local hog market is unchanged, and \$4 per cwt. is the ruling figure. Buyers state that the tendency of the market is towards lower prices.

A Street Railway Conductor Killed.

Wm. McKellar conductor on the London Street Railway, was instantly killed Wednesday. One of the rear wheels of his car passed over his shoulders close to the neck, crushing his life out and mangling the body in a horrible manner. The accident was due to McKellar's disregard of a rule of the company. The car was backing down a gentle slope, and McKellar was sitting on the railing of the rear

CASH FOR EGGS.

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"The Niagara Falls Route."

TIME TABLE.

GOING EAST.			
	Mail.	Exp's	Local
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Ridgetown	8:17	7:11	10:50
Gods	8:46	7:38	11:35
Bismarck	9:06	7:46	12:00
Dutton	9:10	8:00	12:08
Bismarck	9:22	8:11	1:22
Shedden	9:30	8:19	1:38
St. Thomas (arrive)	9:50	8:40	2:20

No. 36, Atlantic Express, leaves Dutton at 12:45 p.m.

GOING WEST.

	Mail.	Exp's	Local
	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
St. Thomas (depart)	2:40	6:00	5:00
Shedden	2:59	6:19	5:27
Gods	3:05	6:26	5:50
Dutton	3:17	6:36	6:46
Bismarck	3:30	6:48	7:08
Rodney	3:38	6:56	7:22
Ridge own	4:05	7:21	8:45
Windsor	6:45	10:00	8:40

No. 37, Pacific Express, stops at Dutton at 12:45 p.m.

LONDON AND ST. THOMAS.

GOING NORTH.

	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Leave St. Thomas	8:10	4:40	5:55
Arrive at London	10:50	5:45	6:55

GOING SOUTH.

	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Leave London	4:30	1:50	7:00
Arrive at St. Thomas	6:10	3:30	7:45

S. HEPALMERE.

Passenger Agent, St. Thomas.

JAS. BALKWILL, Agent, Dutton.

platform and held the trolley pole down from the power wire while the car was backing. The pole caught in a guy wire, and the jerking of the rope unbalanced the conductor, and with a yell he fell backwards and in an instant had met death. The deceased was at one a well-to-do and influential merchant at Kenoka. He was 62 years of age, and had been a resident of London for several years. He joined the street railway staff since the strike. Two daughters survive him.

Political Notes.

It is stated that the West-Elgin bye-election will be held some time in November.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier began to address a series of meetings in Ontario at Bowmanville on Monday. Meetings will be addressed at Paisley, Wingham, Kincardine, and Sarnia during the next two weeks. Mr. St. John, ex M.P.P., has been nominated by the Conservative for West York.

A report comes from Toronto to the effect that changes in the Ontario Government have been made. Hon. A. S. Hardy has resigned, and will take a position on the bench as Chief Justice of the Court of Appeal. Hon. G. W. Ross will be premier; Hon. J. M. Gibson, Attorney General; and Hon. Rich. Harcourt, Minister of Education. Hon. Wm. Hartly will resign, and O. K. Fraser and J. R. Stratton taken into the Cabinet. The new premier will deliver his first address in St. Thomas in connection with the bye-election.

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MATRON AND MAID.

Ima Dais, Cook is the name of a new postmistress in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Mary Pidecock of Chester, Pa., who is 84 years of age, is getting a third set of teeth.

Mme. Emile Loubet, the first lady of France, is of peasant stock and is a gentle serious woman.

Mrs. Lowndes, wife of the Maryland governor, claims that buttered bread is a sovereign cure for whooping cough.

Sarah Bernhardt's first application to a theatrical manager was denied because of the length and thinness of her neck. Mrs. Edith Poyer, a resident of Woodstock, Ill., indulges in an odd fancy. She keeps a mouse farm for her own amusement.

At the Emporia (Kan.) State Normal school one of the girls is known to her chums as "Postscript." Her real name is Adeline Moore.

Lady Henry Somerset conducts an industrial farm for the benefit of inebriate women. It's said that more than half of last year's inmates were cured.

Mrs. Phoebe R. Sturtevant of Jamaica Plain, Mass., has agreed to furnish the greater part of the money to build a \$70,000 dormitory for girls at the Hebrew (Me.) academy.

It appears that Miss Edith Yandell is not the only woman sculptor member of the National Sculpture society. In addition to Miss Yandell, the society includes Mrs. E. H. Kisson of Boston and Miss Bessie Potter, who, like Miss Yandell, now lives in New York.

A great-granddaughter of Betsy Ross, who made the first American flag, is living in Washington. She is Mrs. Southwick Guthrie. Mrs. Guthrie remembers her great-grandmother, who died when she was a child of 5. Mrs. Ross was 90 at the time of her death, but when she made the first flag she was but 23 and quite girlish in appearance.

THE FASHION PLATE.

It is reported from official sources that the tunic in the hands of French designers has had its day.

Plain and figured black satins and striped, plain and polka dotted taffetas will be in marked vogue the coming season.

Many of the kid gloves of the autumn will match in pronounced coloring the brilliant and showy effects in the season's gowning.

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Mr. E. W. Day, 62 Close Avenue, Toronto, writes: "My eldest daughter, aged eight, became very much run down. Her fretful, nervous, sleepless condition greatly alarmed her parents. She was taken from school, and in spite of the best nursing, the thin, weakened, bloodless face grew painfully worse. Fortunately we used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. An improvement became apparent in a few days. It continued, and in a few weeks she returned to school built up anew, and greatly to our joy fully restored to health."

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