

HAMILTON NEWS

CONFEDERATION CELEBRATED

Maple Leaf Club Marked the 31st Anniversary by a Concert.

Address by Alexander Blair—A Representation in Dramatic Form Which Introduced All the Provinces—Transfer of Stock of the Radial Railway—General News Notes.

Hamilton, Feb. 18.—(Special)—The thirty-first anniversary of the Act of Canadian Confederation was appropriately celebrated by the Maple Leaf Club to-night with a concert and confederation.

Mrs. Frank Mackelcan was among the stars of the evening. Her song was followed by an oration by Mr. Blair, the author of the "Maple Leaf," after which the "confederation" was successfully put on the parts taken were:

- Britannia . . . Mrs. Robert Campbell
Canada . . . Mrs. R. W. Dumbell
Upper Canada (Ont.) . . . Miss M. Kelly
Lower Canada (Quebec) . . . Miss L. Mackie
Nova Scotia . . . Miss M. MacMahon
New Brunswick . . . Miss E. Boylis
Manitoba . . . Miss A. Brehony
British Columbia . . . Miss E. Land
Prince Edward Island . . . Miss F. Alston
Herald . . . Mr. J. P. B. Sutherland
The Stranger . . . Mr. W. C. Macpherson

Mr. Leather Sells Out. Managing Director T. E. Leather has sold out his half share in the Radial Electric Railway to W. A. Wood of Wood & Vallance, who now has a controlling interest.

TRADE GOOD IN CANADA.

Reports to Bradstreet's say Toronto Wholesale Houses are Working Night and Day.

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY.

Items of Passing Interest Gathered in and Around this Busy City. The Bishop of Ottawa (Dr. Hamilton) will preach at the Church of St. Mary Magdalene to-morrow evening.

A STRAIGHT FIGHT.

Hamilton Patrons Decline Not to Put a Candidate Up for Mr. Senn.

Cayuga, Ont., Feb. 18.—Owing to the resignation of Mr. John Senn, the Independent candidate for Hamilton, an emergency meeting of the executive of the Patrons Association of Hamilton was held at the Court House, Cayuga, to-day.

St. Vincent's Hall, Shuter and Victoria streets, has been consecrated by Archbishop Walsh as a place of worship for the Syrian Catholic colony, under the pastorage of Rev. Father Macarius Wasar, late of Zahle, Mount Lebanon, Syria.

At St. Paul's Church, Power-street, there will be grand musical services to-morrow evening for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society. The sermon will be preached by Rev. F. Ryan, and there will be musical selections by Mrs. Humphrey Ayer.

Elizabeth Nicholson, 131 Lippincott-street, attended the Crosby-Hunter mission meeting last evening in the Queen-street Methodist Church, and got so worked up by her teachings that she was attacked with hysteria, and had to be removed to her home in the ambulance.

Lectured on Poetry Making. "The Poet's Workshop" was the subject of a valuable lecture, delivered by the poet, John Innes, last night, in College-street Presbyterian Church. The address was much original, and Mr. Innes's poems were very enjoyable before and after the lecture, vocal and instrumental music was supplied by the church choir.

University Saturday Lectures. The lecture for this afternoon will be delivered by "Professor McCurdy at 2 o'clock in the Students' Union Hall. The subject of the lecture is "Our Debt to the East."

The Lodge Prospering. Old England, No. 328, A.O.U.W., held their regular meeting last evening in Booth Hall, and ended in a pleasant supper. Among the guests were P.R.M. Tait and P.S.M. Nixon. Four candidates were initiated, four propositions received and 16 new members introduced.

The Late John Keadler. A number of members of the Builders' Exchange and some old friends attended the funeral yesterday morning of Mr. John Keadler, formerly contractor. Deceased was buried from his late residence, 177 Front-street east, the remains being taken to St. Paul's Church, where requiem mass was said by Rev. Father Kilne.

California Got a Medal. Turner & Co. lead. Their pure fruit compound the grand discovery for nerve and brain phosphate food, recommended by the grape wine is also largely used for medicinal purposes, being tonic, cathartic, purgative, and tonic, best as a blood cleanser and tonic, and is very pleasant. Ask any grocer, druggist or liquor dealer. Turner & Co., 124 York-street. Telephone 2242.

Police Hunt to Go to Jail. Paris, Ont., Feb. 18.—C. M. Foley, the lawyer who is under arrest on a charge of fraud, and who was given until 2 o'clock today to make arrangements for his defence, failed to do so, and was taken to the Brantford jail to await the next morning's case will be brought up next Wednesday.

When you call for Sprudel get a red-labelled bottle and cork brand Sprudel.

The Fund is on the March. The sixteenth annual report of the Toronto Police Benevolent Fund for 1897 shows a balance of \$897.34. The assets over liabilities amount to \$109,78.26.

Radnor. "Of all table waters the most delicious."

Registration Court of Appeal.

The Court of Appeal in connection with the registration of votes will open to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock in the City Hall. There are 150 appeals to be heard.

Teachers' Association. The Hamilton Teachers' Association opened its annual two days' convention this morning in the Collegiate Institute.

General News Notes. Barton Hall famous for the bad break made by Mr. Middleton, has been prohibited for further meetings this afternoon.

The annual ball of the 13th Battalion sergeants' mess took place this evening in Newport's parlors. About 50 couples were present.

Alex. Schwabhammer, a young man well known to the police here, was arrested to-night at the instance of the police of Acton.

The Parks Committee was in session for five minutes this evening, and in that time passed the estimates for the year, amounting to \$8400.

About 500 persons attended the fancy dress contest held by the Crescent Hockey Club to-night.

A very successful entertainment, entitled the confederation, was given in the Association Hall to-night under the auspices of the Hamilton Business College.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Biennial Convention Closed—Election and Installation of Officers—For Closure.

The convention of Woodmen of the World of the world came to a close yesterday. Following are the new officers: Head Consul, Commander C. C. Hodgins.

In future closer fraternal relations will be extended to Sovereign Camp, which meets in Memphis in 1898. The afternoon of the 18th inst. was the appointment of a delegate to the camp, which meets in Memphis in 1898.

Who Knows Hackett? Chief of Police Grasset has received the following telegram from Deputy Sheriff Ball of Madison, Wis.:

We have the body of a boy, 17 years old, named Jas. Hackett, who was taken to the hospital in Madison, Wis., on the 12th inst. by the name of Hackett. Let it go that Hackett was a man once found in Toronto, and supposed to be a real boy, though everybody else knew it was not.

On Saturday, March 5, a Spring String Quartet of Chicago will appear in Association Hall under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society.

The Young People's Society of New Jerusalem Church scored a success last night in their annual "At Home." The event, which was a brilliant affair, drew nearly 200 guests.

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HENRY GEORGE'S CHARACTER

Brilliant Lecture by Louis F. Post on the Great Friend of His Kind.

The Prominent Single-Taxer Tells of the Mental and Moral Qualities of the Great Reformer—The System He Represented and His Close Reasoning.

Mr. Louis F. Post lectured last night in Guild Hall, McGill-street, to a large and appreciative audience on "The Mental and Moral Qualities of Henry George," the great political economist and advocate of what is known as the single tax.

As the old year neared its close there was witnessed in New York a funeral in many respects the most impressive in the history of that city.

The first of these great facts is the spiritual nature of the man.

Henry George went still further. He recognized the universal question of man's method of earning his living.

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Stouffville, Ont., Feb. 18.—This afternoon, while Mr. Herman Burkholder was attending to the chopping machine in Cook's mill here, his clothes were caught in the belt, and he was carried up to the pulley and thrown about it several times.

Such is the outline, roughly sketched, of the prophet of San Francisco. At first it may seem a very ordinary man, but as you read on you will find that he has a grand, a noble, a heroic character.

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