

Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.
WHITE-WELDON.—On April 26, 1899, at the residence of the bride's mother, Chestnut Hill, South London, by Rev. R. J. Trevelyan, assisted by Rev. R. Hobbs, Dr. Edwin Bruce White, of Oil City, Pa., to Sadie, youngest daughter of the late Andrew Weldon, Esq.

DEATH.
SHORT.—In this city, on April 24, John Short aged 82 years.
 Funeral private, from his late residence, 716 York street, on Wednesday, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Omit flowers.

Amusements and Lectures

SPECIAL MESSRS. DAYTON & Mc CORMICK have secured the services of a first-class quartet, to sing at the residence of Mr. J. J. Wilson, formerly of Toronto, on "Something Everybody Wants." Admission 10c.

WHITNEY MOCKRIDGE, CELEBRATED tenor, song recital, May 1, Auditorium. Tickets at Heinemann's and Y. M. C. A. Prices, 50c, 25c and 10c.

HEAR WHITNEY MOCKRIDGE SING "Afton Water," old melody. 25c.

HEAR WHITNEY MOCKRIDGE SING "If With All Your Hearts," Elijah. 25c.

SONG OR SPEECH—WEAK, DEFECTIVE or ugly voices improved in power and quality in ten lessons or money refunded. Voices tried free Wednesday. Herbert Connop, vocal science system. Studio, Somerset Hill, 240 Dundas street.

"TROUGH DEEP" IS THE SUBJECT of the Rev. John Morrison's lecture, which will be given in the Kensington Methodist Church, Thursday evening. Tickets 15c.

BE SURE AND TAKE IN THE LECTURE in Colborne Street Church, Thursday evening, April 27, by the Rev. J. J. Wilson, formerly of Toronto, on "Something Everybody Wants." Admission 10c.

THE STEAMSHIPS CALIFORNIAN, Gallia, Tainui, Parisian, Bavaria, Tunisian do not carry cattle on the Allan Line. F. B. Clarke, agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

LECTURE BY DR. RUKE-SUBJECT, "Walt Whitman." Thursday evening, April 27, Kensington Women's Christian Association. Collection.

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS—OPEN Saturday and Sunday until further notice, under the new management of C. E. Edwards, proprietors. xxtv

VOICE CULTURE. EVA N. ROBLYN. Studio, Bell Piano Parlors, residence, No. 320, Dundas street. Concert engagements. Tell home 1,270.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING—COME and learn the new dances, the Boston Schottische and the Society Cakewalk. The same careful attention given to teaching the waltz and two-step. Lessons any hour. R. B. Millard, teacher of dancing, 36 Pines avenue.

Meetings.

I. O. O. F.—DOMINION LODGE, No. 48. Regular meeting this (Wednesday) evening. Visitors invited. Syd. Smith, G. E. Thos. D. Hastings, Secs.

MORRILL LODGE, I. O. O. F. MEETS at Somerset Hall every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting members always welcome.

A MEETING OF THE LOCAL COUNCIL of Women will be held in Y. M. C. A., on Thursday evening, April 27, at 7:30. Lady Tilley will be in the chair. Public cordially invited.

MISS SMITH, B. E. REPRESENTING the Viatic Company, will speak to young ladies on "Dress in its Relation to Health," on Friday, at 8 p.m., in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. All welcome. No admission.

School of Art & Design

Classes commencing March 6, 1899, in the Public Library. Evening classes, from 7:30 to 9:30.

Mechanical Drawing—Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Per term, \$2.

Freehand Drawing—Tuesday and Thursday. Per term, \$3.

Afternoon classes, from 2 to 4, Tuesday and Thursday. Per term, \$5.

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Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRL, THOROUGHLY experienced; good wages. Apply J. J. Cox, Dominion House. 25c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—RE-ference required. Apply Mrs. C. S. Tamin, 34 Oxford street. 25c

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SER-vant. Apply 201 Oxford street. 25c

WANTED—NURSE GIRL—APPLY 288 Dufferin avenue. 25c

WANTED—COOK—QUEEN'S HOTEL. Apply at once. 25c

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED DINING-room girl at once. Mrs. J. M. Lewis, Huron House, corner Richmond and Maple streets. 25c

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST with general housework; references required. Apply Mrs. F. Plant, 790 Queen's avenue. 25c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, no washing. Apply 288 Dufferin avenue. 25c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—Apply Mrs. S. K. Manness, 745 Water-loo. 10c.

Lost and Found.

LOST—BETWEEN SYDENHAM and Waterloo, on Monday, silver brooch. Reward at advertiser's office. 25c

STRAYED FROM BELLEVILLE, WORT-LEY road, red and white cow; small size; white hind and front foot; star on forehead; short switch tail. Send information to A. M. Smith, London. 25c

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 Many styles; all one price; \$1.50 a pair. Sole agent for London.

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"MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE—" Will assist with transportation this month, give complete outfit of tools, allow commission and pay \$15 weekly, when competent. Two months' complete. Two years' saved. Can't supply demand for graduates. Write at once. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 25c

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WANTED—PAINTER, A GOOD BRUSH hand; must be temperate, steady job to right man. Apply at once to W. A. Harris, Alisa Craig. 25c

WANTED—MAN TO WORK ON THE farm, who can drive span horses. Give board and lodging. Will be at Bernard's Hotel, London, Saturday next, between 12 and 1 o'clock. Wm. Patrick, Birr, London Town-shire. 25c

CARPENTERS WANTED—IMMEDIATE-LY. Apply 528 Dundas street. 25c

YOUNG MEN WANTED IN EVERY county in Ontario to put in and take orders for electric bells, annunciators, burglar alarms, telephones, medical batteries, etc. Send for particulars. R. M. Millar & Co., 434 Talbot street, London, Ont. 9c

Female Help Wanted

GIRLS—WANTED—BART. COTTAM Co. 25c

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED SALES-ladies—Apply Whiskard's Drygoods, 230 Dundas street, London, Ont. 25c

Agents Wanted.

WANTED—GENERAL AND LOCAL agents in every unrepresented county, for a quick-selling family medicine. Exclusive territory. Light capital and all expenses to start. Write at once for special terms. Herbaroot Medical Company, Montreal. 25c

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WANTED—GOOD RELIABLE MEN TO push the sale of "Sheep's Heroes of Five Wars," a book in great demand. Write for particulars, by letter. Box 831, St. Thomas. 25c

Business Chances.

HOTEL—THE CRAWFORD HOUSE TO rent. One of the finest hotels in the city of Windsor, furnished complete, up-to-date in appointments. For further particulars address: Frank St. Louis, Crawford House, Windsor, Ont. 25c

FOR SALE—COUNTRY HOUSE and dwelling; new and up-to-date; plate glass front; 24 me. front station; excellent 100 x 250 acre; postoffice; also stock of \$2,500, all new. Move quick. Apply J. Bloomfield, Moorsville. 25c

IN ORDER TO CLOSE AN ESTATE the following properties are now offered for sale, viz.: Brick dwelling, No. 227 Queen's avenue; 3 frame houses, Nos. 229, 231 and 233 Queen's avenue; brick dwelling, No. 432 Park avenue; brick cottage, No. 340 Hurwell street; 2 frame houses, Nos. 127 and 129 Mill street, and 2 frame houses, No. 1072 Dundas street, together with lands thereto belonging. Also a number of good building lots on Charlotte and Dorrington streets. For particulars inquire at Abbott's Carriage Factory. 25c

FOR SALE—THE JACOBS PROPERTY, facing Oxford and Whitelocke, West London. Apply Box 51, Florence, Ont. 25c

FOR RENT OR SALE—TWO-STORY detached brick residence; 12 rooms, 625 Queen's avenue; modern improvements. Cronyn & Betts. 25c

Articles For Sale.

CHEESE NEW CHEESE—TWO NEW—Only ten days old, 12 lb. October cheese, extra quality, 12 lb. Cheese nearly a year old, flavoured with pepper, 12 lb. Choice roll and crock butter 13c to 14c lb. Fresh eggs 12c doz. Faulds' Provision Store, 3 Market Lane. 25c

FOR SALE—STRAWBERRY PLANTS—Select varieties. Send for price list. 782 Main Street, South London. 17s xvz

JUST RECEIVED—TWO CARLOADS of Early Rose seed potatoes. G. Leith, 778 Dundas street. 25c

FOR SALE—FOUR BLACK and white English Cocker Spaniel Pups. Very pretty. 662 Dundas street. 25c

FOR SALE—FIVE HORSES—AT 662 DUN-das street. 25c

FOR SALE—GOOD PHANTOM—ALSO a light rig. Apply Taylor's Hardware, or 571 Adelaide street. 25c

85 CENTS WILL BUY A CARPET SEAT at Keene Bros' Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street. 25c

BICYCLES TAKEN IN EXCHANGE on Weiland Vale wheels. Selling at cost. Repairing promptly attended to. Stringers, 141 King street. 25c

BICYCLES, TIRES, CEMENT, GRAPH-ITE etc., etc. First-class bicycle repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street. 25c

KEENE'S MASONIC TEMPLE IS THE largest stock on hand.

ONE HEINTZMAN & CO. PIANO, UP-RIGHT, 7½ octaves, slightly used, at a bargain. Heintzman Co., 27 Dundas street, corner Clarence. 25c

MERRY BELLS—WE MAKE BELLS and Brass Work. Our Babbitt metals are equal to any, and cannot be beat. John Law, 141 Clarence street, London. 25c

DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD jewelry made up-to-date at small expense. J. T. Westland, 340 Richmond street, upstairs. 25c

BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Badley, 171 Dundas street. Phone 1,124. 25c

FIRST-CLASS WOOD—HARD AND SOFT—stove lengths or cordwood. Prompt delivery to any part of the city. Prices reasonable. Phone 1,312. S. Gilles & Son, Sawmill, East London. 25c

In No Hurry to Leave

Chinese Slow in Getting Out of Kow Loos.

Russia Said to Have Secured a Port in the Persian Gulf.

Scheme to Connect Scotland and Ireland by Tunnel.

"Abdul the Damned"—Poet Laureate Austin's Stigma on the Sultan Emphasized by Rev. Dr. Parker.

Hong Kong, April 26.—The British are not over-sanguine of a peaceful occupation of the new British district of Kow Loon, opposite Hong Kong. The natives, though easily routed, do not scatter, and are now reoccupying villages in the interior from which they were driven. A force of 40,000 Chinese is now gathering back of Tai Po Fu.

OUTRAGES ON MISSIONARIES. Fresh outrages on missionaries have occurred in Shang Tung, and Germany has sent troops into the districts affected. Chinese soldiers murdered two or three German soldiers at the beginning of April in the vicinity of Kiao Chou. The Germans entered the village and shot the murderers. Germany has preferred several demands on China with regard to the I Chow affair. She asks for mining and railway concessions and the right of collecting kiau daily in Chan Tong Province.

Thirty Chinese Buddhists have been murdered in Gansu by rebel Moham-meds, and a general rebellion is feared.

RUSSIA REACHING OUT. London, April 26.—The Times of India says it learns from an unimpeachable source that Russia has secured an interest in a port on the Persian Gulf.

Wanted. Apply at once, Leary's Bros' new store, 146 Dundas street. 25c

WANTED—TO BORROW \$2,700 (PRIVATE) funds, for five years, on first-class real estate security; state best terms. Box 257, London. 25c

WANTED—HOUSE, 7 OR 8 ROOMS, RENT not to exceed \$14. Write "M. A." Advertiser office. 25c

WANTED TO RENT—PREMISES SUIT-able for wholesale tea business. Apply Alfred Tyler, 288 Dundas street, city. 25c

WANTED—HORSE AND DOUBLE SET of harness. Apply J. M. Hargreaves, 687 Queen's avenue. 25c

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE-men's out-of-clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to. 25c

Situations Wanted

WANTED—SITUATION AS HOUSE-keeper, by capable person. First-class references. Address 136, this office. 25c

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET—HOUSE—10 ROOMS, FURNACE, 469 Colborne street. Apply Johnston's Shoe Store. 25c

TO LET—DWELLING—CENTRALLY LO-cated, all modern conveniences, \$22 per month. Apply Casey, barrister, 90 Dundas, London. 25c

TO LET—ROOMED HOUSE, NEWLY papered, with garden and lawn. Apply 332 Queen's avenue. 25c

TO LET—COMFORTABLE HOUSE—NINE rooms, furnace and all modern conveniences, stable, etc.; central location. Apply J. H. Shuttleworth, 388 Clarence street. 10c

TO LET—2-STORY BRICK RESIDENCE, No. 443 Colborne street, corner Queen's avenue; first-class condition; possession May 1. Apply S. H. Brown, 391 Queen's avenue. 25c

TO LET—THE MOVING VANS—OF FICE, 97 Carling street, near Talbot. Phone 1102. Night Phone 1167. 25c

FOREST CITY MOVING VAN—LARGEST in the city. 20 years' experience. 398 Talbot street. Joseph Brown & Co., auctioneers, proprietors. 12c

TO LET—JOHN BIGGS, THE FURNITURE mover, 22 years' experience. The only Co. will do you a good job. Call phone 310. 25c

Miscellaneous.

CLAIRVOYANTS—PROFESSOR AND Madame Rayon, greatest of all Clairvoyants. Room 10, City Hotel. Hours 10 to 9. 25c

THE LONDON CARPET-CLEANING Works—Carpets cleaned and relaid and every carpet disinfected. Jas. S. Shaw. Phone 1328. 25c

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THE HARDING HALL GIRLS' SCHOOL LIMITED. 25c

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL. Summer term commences April 15. Physical culture and elocution. E. Rowland, Stratford, or at the sheriff's office, London. 25c

D. M. CAMERON, Assignee. MAGEE, McKILLOP & MURPHY. Assignee's solicitors. 25c

Boats! Boats! Boats!

BY AUCTION. THERE WILL BE SOLD ON THE PREMISES, Milne's Boat House, Thursday, April 27, at 4 p.m.: 25c

Forty boats, skiffs, skimmers, single and double sculls, boat supplies, boat house, etc., without reserve. Terms cash. Open for inspection Wednesday afternoon, from 6 to 6 p.m. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer. 25c

Children Have Been Recovered from the Ruins, but it is feared there are more victims.

CHINESE CONCESSIONS. Pekin, April 26.—The contract with the Chinese Government providing for the concession of mining rights in the Province of Szechuan to Mr. William Morgan, M.P., and his American associates, by which the latter are assured equal mining rights with the British shareholders, has received the imperial consent.

ANOTHER LINK. Mr. Pirie has obtained the first place in the commons on Tuesday, May 3, for a resolution calling attention to the question of a tunnel from Scotland to Ireland, which was before the president of the board of trade by a deputation two years ago. Mr. Pirie proposes to ask the house to agree to preliminary surveys, which ought to be taken by the government, with the view of ascertaining for the public information whether such a tunnel is practicable. It is estimated that the cost of a preliminary survey would be \$500 or \$750, and Mr. Pirie and other members who sympathize with him maintain that the benefits which the tunnel would confer to the United Kingdom, and especially on Scotland and Ireland, would more than justify the expenditure.

REV. DR. PARKER'S STRONG LANGUAGE. The 300th anniversary of the birth of Oliver Cromwell has furnished the occasion for biographies, appreciative articles, portraits in all the papers, and the fulfilment of a sermon, and delivered an extraordinary oration to a large congregation. During the course of his remarks he attacked the Prince of Wales as a "certain card-playing prince." After eulogizing Cromwell, Dr. Parker said: "When the prince falls, then let the country mourn. We look to princes for noble deeds and a high example. When I see my prince and my premier on a racecourse I don't go."

These remarks were cheered by the audience.

Dr. Parker, in speaking of the Sultan of Turkey, said: "Emperor William may call him his friend, but in the same way God the Father and the Son and the Holy Ghost, I say God damn the sultan."

The preacher concluded with a denunciation of the church for "accepting Protestant money for performing popish tricks." Then, drawing from his Bible the undertaker's bill for his wife's interment, he read the word on top of the bill, "Unconsecrated."

"Shame!" shouted Dr. Parker, and the congregation loudly re-echoed the word. Continuing, the preacher said: "When I read the word it meant vitriol poured into a red, gaping wound. It is a knavish trick, a popish device, detestable blasphemy. It made me still more faithful to nonconformity, which made England possible to live in."

ESTERHAZY'S BAD RECORD. Countess Esterhazy, who has begun proceedings for a divorce from Count Esterhazy, said that the publication of her husband's letters to M. Jules Roche had hurt her other course. She would have forgiven him the ruin and disgrace he undeservedly brought upon herself and daughters, but now that he had published degrading, groundless details of her life, she could no longer refrain from taking the present step.

CABLE NOTES. Don Carlos, the pretender, is said to have sent a fresh manifesto to his adherents.

The Spanish Government has received a dispatch from Gen. Rios, Spain's principal commander in the Philippines, asserting that Maj. Gen. Otis has requested him not to withdraw the Spanish troops from the island of Mindanao until the arrival of the American force of occupation.

The following cable message has been sent to Mayor Harrison, of Chicago: "Local government happily established. Ireland waits your message on her march to home rule. (Signed) Editor, Irish Independent, Dublin." The only Government consent that the British triumph, "Full freedom must follow."

A mob in Kungu, Corea, has sacked the French missionary's residence and carried him off captive. Troops have been dispatched to attempt to recover the missionary, whose fate is unknown.

The Fremdenblatt, organ of the Austro-Hungarian foreign office, comments on the Coghlan incident, invites the United States to abandon Great Britain and join the triple alliance.

On the suggestion of the Premier of New Zealand, the Premier of Victoria has cabled a message to Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, urging that the British Government conserve the interests of the empire in Samoa.

At Budweis, Bohemia, the strike that has been in progress for some time, culminated in collisions between the troops and rioters and several persons were injured.

A boat's crew of the British barque Clyde, which has arrived at Hong Kong, contained 14 mate and crew. They reported the barque lost on Pratts Shoal, in the China Sea.

REVELATIONS IN THE DREYFUS CASE. According to the Paris Temps, a member of the Dreyfus court-martial named Freyestatter testified that it was the evidence given by Lieut.-Col. Henry which decided the court-martial to convict Dreyfus. Mr. Barthou, who also held the portfolio of minister of the interior, said he heard General Billot, minister of war in the Melne Cabinet, express doubts as to the guilt of Dreyfus during the trial of M. Zola, and that he (the witness) got the impression that the forgery was fabricated to dissipate these doubts.

Senor Guerin testified that when Gen. Mercier first acquainted the cabinet with the discovery of the border-eau, M. Hanotaux at once made objections, speaking of the diplomatic complications likely to ensue if Dreyfus were prosecuted.

Moderate. The German press continues to maintain a moderate tone regarding the utterances of Capt. Coghlan.

THREE HUNDRED HOUSES BURNED. Budapest, April 26.—About 300 houses of the town of Guta, in the Komon district, have been burned. The charred remains of seven women and four

Calumpit Attacked!

The Outer Defenses Stormed by Gen. MacArthur's Men.

Artillery Dragged Through the River, Which Was Shoulder Deep.

Some 6,000 U.S. Troops Engaged—Eight Americans Killed—The Enemy Driven Back to the Mountains.

New York, April 26.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Manila, April 26, says: "Gen. MacArthur's division, 6,000 troops, annihilated the insurgents at Calumpit today. Aguinaldo's troops made a stubborn resistance, but were driven to the hills. Eight Americans were killed."

A Manila dispatch to the World tells of the capture of Calumpit. It says: "Manila, April 25.—The outer defenses of Calumpit were stormed by Gen. MacArthur's men at 11:30 o'clock this forenoon, and taken at 1 o'clock. These defenses were finely constructed, having emplacements along the bank of the Bagbag River and across the angle at the entrance of the Calumpit River into the Bagbag River. Gen. Hale flanked these entrenchments with the Iowa, North Dakota and Nebraska regiments, while Gen. Wheaton took them in front, advancing along the railroad.

"An armored train and three guns of the Utah Battery, with the Montana regiment and three guns, with Gen. Hale, advanced with the first line. Their work was most effective, demonstrating the advantage of having artillery, as the guns again saved the infantry a great deal.

AMERICAN LOSSES. "The loss in the advance here was 5 killed and 23 wounded. Col. Funston, having swam the Bagbag River, was the first man in the captured entrenchments. One span of the railroad bridge had been thrown down by the insurgents, and the track was torn up for a mile. The engineers are repairing the bridge so that Gen. Wheaton's force and his guns can cross.

"Gen. Hale was separated from Gen. Wheaton by the Guinagari River, which empties into the Bagbag at the junction of the Calumpit. Hale's men found a ford of the Bagbag, and although

they plunged in and floundered deep, the big guns were quickly passed over their heads, the mules swimming the pieces dragging entirely under water.

"In a few minutes it was seen that Calumpit was burning, and the town is apparently being evacuated by the insurgents, who are retreating to the other