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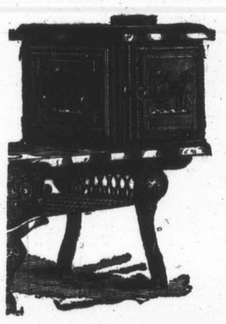

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Events as Seen by Our Knight of the Pencil—Local Announcements Boiled Right Down.

Minard's Liniment is the best.

Hand made, double team harness $25 net, at S. Boddy's.

No service will be held in the Baptist church on Sunday, 19th inst.

A full line of fancy goods at Mrs. F. F. Bristow's Dowsley Block, Athens.

About 75 stove pipes, nearly new, for sale at a bargain, apply at REPORTER office.

Men's overcoats $4.50 up and boy's $2.50 up; men's suits $5.00. Boy's suits $3.00 at G. W. Beach's.

Mr. E. R. Witherll was successful at his examination at Queen's University last week. He has now completed two years of the Arts' course.

Call and inspect our stock of French, English and American millinery, at our rooms in the Dowsley Block. Mrs. F. F. Bristow.

Minard's Liniment cures Diphtheria.

Melton dress goods 10c per yd; all wool dress goods 17c per yard new German flannel dress goods 25c per yd; new velveteens 25c per yd, at G. W. Beach's.

"These curious and presumptious christians" will be the subject discussed in the Baptist church on Sunday evening next by Rev. D. D. Munro. Services begin at 7 p. m.

An old and much respected resident of the township of Kitley passed away on Sunday night in the person of Mrs. O'Rora De Wolfe. She was in the 80th year of her age.

At the Presbyterian anniversary on 19th, Rev. C. H. Cook M. A., of Smith's Falls will occupy the pulpit morning and evening. The usual tea will be served on Monday evening and an enjoyable programme is being arranged for the evening.

Minard's Liniment for Rheumatism.

We regret to hear of the very serious illness of Jas. Stinson, road master of the B & W. He was taken about a week ago with hiccoughs, which terminated in bilious fever. Sunday night he was almost given up by the doctors in attendance. Yesterday morning he took a turn for the better, and strong hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Joseph Robbins and old and respected resident of the Lee neighborhood, near Lyn died on Sunday afternoon last. He had been in poor health for some time. He formerly resided in the vicinity of Greenbush, his first wife being a daughter of the late John Wilmer of Rockspring. His second wife was a Miss Clow of Lyn, who survives him.

Mr. Geo. F. Donnolley, who has held the position of foreman in the REPORTER office for nearly six years, severed his connection therwith and left for Toronto on Thursday evening, where he enters into partnership with a well known publisher of that city, and will start a weekly advertising sheet. "Don's" many friends in this section will miss him, but we know they will join with us in wishing him prosperity in his new undertaking.

Minard's Liniment cures Colds, etc.

We understand that a requisition is being extensively signed in the township of Kitley asking the municipal council to submit a by-law granting a bonus to the B. W. & S. S. M.R., extension from Athens to Perth. In conversation with the Reeve and several influential taxpayers in Kitley, we learn that the projected line of railway is looked upon with favor by a large proportion of the electors of that township, and they believe that a by-law granting a good liberal bonus to the proposed extension could be carried without much difficulty. We further learn that the town council and Board of Trade of Perth are working in favor of the extension and have called a meeting of the Reeves of the municipalities through which the line would pass, to see what steps they can take to best promote the interest of the proposed road.

What might have resulted in a very serious conflagration occurred at the residence of Geo. Smith, who occupies a portion of the house in which Geo. W. Greene has his law office. About 2 a.m on Monday morning Mr. Smith heard a strange sound down stairs and on going down to see what was the matter, discovered fire in the back of a sideboard that stood against a board screen which covered the front of an old fashioned fire place. With remarkable presence of mind he pulled the sideboard out and extinguished the fire, and found that fully 18 inches of soot had accumulated in the old fire place. He thinks the fire had been smouldering in the pile of soot for several days as the family had noticed the smell of burning soot on several occasions. Our fire inspector should carefully examine a number of houses having the same kind of fire traps and order them filled up at once.

Sausage and Corn Beef at Wilson's.

Potatoes are being bought at Ottawa for 30 cents a bag for shipment.

The deer hunting season in Ontario opens on Oct. 15th and ends on Nov. 30th. Charley, get your gun ready.

Another lot of those cheap Dinner Sets, just opened, at China Hall, Brockville.—T. W. DENNIS.

What are the Directors of our Mechanics' Institute doing about the Reading Room and night classes promised in last annual report?

Salt Pork, 10c. at Wilson & Son's.

Although 2407 colored and 3600 white cheese were offered on the Brockville Board of Trade last Thursday, not a single box was sold. The sellers wanted 10½ while the buyers would only offer 10 cents.

The cost of the Birchall trial it is said will not reach quite $10,000. The Ontario government will pay the fees of the counsel and detectives, while the county will pay the county crown attorney's and witnesses' fees.

We regret to learn of the death at the age of 58 years of Adeline Wiltse, relict of the late Jerry Wiltse. She was taken with appolexy while engaged milking in the yard and never rallied. Her funeral which occurred on Friday last was largely attended.

On Saturday afternoon last a birthday party was held at the residence of Mrs. C. C. Slack, in honor of her daughter, Mabel, at which 20 little girls, under the age of ten years, attended. Many presents were presented and a merry time enjoyed.

A prominent member of the Methodist church wishes us to give a word of advice to the boys and young men, who congregate at the church doors immediately after service and by jostling and loud talk cause annoyance to those attending service. Our advice is, boys, don't do it! Make your arrangements beforehand, if possible, and catch on to your best girl and away. If unfortunately you have no best girl don't stand around in the way of those that have, but go out and sit on the fence and watch the more favored ones go by. Seriously, we think some of the young men of this town are lacking in that very essential qualification, good manners, by hanging around church doors before or after service. We have often remarked this want of good manners, and wondered why the church authorities did not put a stop to it. We consider it as much a sin as many others that is denounced from the pulpit and no minister should hesitate to point out to those guilty of the practice, the wishes of the church authorities in the matter.

By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that His Honor the Junior Judge of Leeds & Grenville has ordered that the Court of Revision for the Township of Rear Yonge and Escott shall be held at Cedar Park Hotel, Charleston. No doubt there are those having business at said court, who will feel under deep and lasting obligations to His Honor for giving them an opportunity to sniff the invigorating air of the lake region and feast their eyes on the picturesque beauty of the autumn foliage to be found in that classic section, but we opine that the majority of those interested will feel that it is, to say the least, a great stretch of authority on His Honor's part, to take the court so far from the centre of the township, when the court room in the township hall is to all intents and purposes good enough to hold such courts in. We know of several places in these United Counties where the floors are no cleaner, or the walls any whiter than in the township hall in Athens, and still we hear no complaint or remonstrance as to the lack of accommodation in those places, but it is just possible that the immediate surroundings of some of the places referred to has a great deal to do with their being no fault found with them.

We've heard of a woman who said she'd walk five miles to get a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription if she couldn't get it without. That woman had tried it. And it's a medicine which makes itself felt in toning up the system and correcting irregularities as soon as its use is begun. Go to your drug store, pay a dollar, get a bottle and try it—try a second, a third if necessary. Before the third one's been taken you'll know that there's a remedy to help you. Then you'll keep on and a cure'll come. But if you should'nt feel the help, should be disappointed in the result—you'll find a guarantee printed on the bottle-wraper that'll get your money back for you.

How many women are there who'd rather have the money than health? And "Favorite Prescription" produces health. Wonder is that there's a woman willing to suffer when there a *guarantee* remedy in the nearest drug store.

Call at REPORTER office and see a second hand New Westminster coal stove, with oven, as good as new. Having put in a furnace will sell this stove for less than half cost, or exchange for wood or farm produce.

Fred Stafford the driver of the Brockville & Westport stage met with quite an experience yesterday while on the road between Delta and Athens. He took on a young lady passenger, a Miss Churchill, and when at Rich Kelly's, stopped to water the horse, taking the bit out of the animals mouth, before going for the pail of water. No sooner was his back turned than the horse made a dash down the road. He had only gone a short distance before the carriage came in collision with the fence, throwing the young lady quite a distance and spraining her ankle very badly. The horse continued on down the road at a furious pace and when oppsite John Crawford's house some parties undertook to stop the animal, which shied to one side, overturning and almost completely demolishing the rig. Fred was on hand in a few minutes after the last smash and brought the mail through on time with a borrowed rig

Dr. Pierce's Pellets regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Mild and effective.

A woman named Lida Freese, after being engaged for ten years to a man named Camm, married him last Friday, and Sunday morning when she awoke she found her husband dead, hanging by a rope in front of the bed. The deceased had pinned an open letter on the cushion, which said: "Nobody knows a woman until he is married to her."

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

The Gems of This Week's Events and the Very Latest Telegrams.

Smith's Falls want a new Chief of Police as the one lately appointed does not fill the bill.

Sir John McDonald, is reported to have said at a political gathering at Halifax, Nova Scotia, that there would be no election in the Dominion this year.

The Peterboro *Review* of last evening says: "A fashionable wedding is being solemnized at Lakefield this afternoon when Miss Ida Schofield, sister of Mr. Geo. Schofield, of Peterboro, is being united in matrimony to Dr. W. P. Chamberlain, of Morrisburg.

The Portland phosphate mines, owned by Mr. T. K Scovil, are being worked this fall to some extent, ther being now several men engaged in getting out phosphate. They have exposed the vein to the depth of 28 feet, with a width of 8 feet 8 inches. The output is said by experts to average 80 per cent of pure phosphate. Mr. Scovil has had several applications to bond the property but has refused so far to do so.

Counterfeit bills are reported to be in circulation about Smith's Falls, and as it is possible for them to make their way in this direction our readers should keep a sharp look out for them. One of the counterfeits is a $5 note on the Bank of British North America, and the other a $2 Dominion note. Both clever imitations, but can be detected by comparing them carefully with the genuine. A gentleman in Arnprior got stuck $7 worth, having had passed upon him two bills of the above denominations.

A sad accident happened to Mr. John Forgie's son on Thursday last by which he lost his right hand. He was out at Harlem with his steam thresher and while running it along the road from one farm house to another he thought he detected a noise in the gearing near where he stood that betokened a loose nut. He reached his hand down to see and in some way it was caught in the machinery and literally chopped off up to the wrist.

A case that concerns corporations as well as private individuals was tried a few days ago at Hamilton. A man named Palmer who fell through a rotten culvert in Barton township sued the corporation for damages. The jury brought in a verdict of $375, whereupon Judge Rose sent them back to reconsider their verdict and they brought in a second verdict awarding the plaintiff $568. Some of the Hamilton lawyers dispute the right of the judge to redirect a jury on such a case.

A case which brings one of the effects of the McKinley Bill home to this section came to our notice today. Our townsman, Mr. Howard Bissell, about a year ago was commissioned by a gentleman named Ware to purchase some good horses in this section for the American market, and did so. Since last spring he has bought and shipped about fifty animals, paying in all cases enough money to bring the aggregate up to a large amount. His operations came an end yesterday, however, when he was notified by Mr. Ware that, owing to the McKinley Bill, all profit was swept away and the business would have to close.—*Recorder.*

Mr. John Galbraith, of Camden East, has kindly furnished us with a sample of his two-rowed barley, grown from the seed obtained from the Dominion Government last spring. From two bushels of seed he has twenty bushel measures well heaped up, and without being closely cleaned it tests 50 lbs. to the bushel. The sample is bright and plump, the kernels being very large. The ground upon which this was grown was very ordinary. The yield is not large, but is much larger in quantity than the ordinary six-rowed grown by Mr. Galbraith under precisely similar conditions, and the sample is far superior to the latter. There is no doubt in Mr. Galbraith's mind that the two-rowed barley is what our farmers should grow.—Kingston *News.*

In connection with the Prescott fair a circumstances comes to light which shows the "innate cussedness" of human nature. An Augusta farmer had in his garden a couple of magnificent specimens of Hubbard squash which he had given very careful attention, with a view to exhibiting them at the fair. A morning or two before the fair opened he went out to take a look at them, but they were gone. While at the fair the farmer saw a couple of these squash with the first-class prize ticket attached, and felt sure they were his. What made him more sure was the fact that the party who stole them in taking them from the vine broke the stem very irregularly. The original owner then posted back home, cut the remaining part of the stems and brought them in, and the manner in which they fitted the squash left no doubt that they were his property. The entry book was then looked up and it was found that they had been entered by a neighbor, who is a leading church man and whom no one would have suspected of being guilty of such meanness. The original owner of the squash out of regard for the man's family did not make an open exposure, but he will keep a close watch on that neighbor in the future.

Director's Meeting.

The directors of the Unionville fair met on Friday last to finish up the business in connection with the recent fair. The president, secretary, treasurer and Messrs. Keeler, Forth, Moore, Lee, Beecher, McDougall, Moore and Brown being present. The minutes of the last regular meeting of the board was read and adopted. A protest had been made to the secretary in regard to the prizes awarded on a sample of Beauty Hebron potatoes. A letter was read from one of the judges in relation to the matter, which was finally dropped, as the party entering the protest failed to appear, although duly notified.

A number of bills were read by the secretary for work and supplies furnished during the year and on motion the treasurer was ordered to pay the same.

On motion James Stevenson, Brockville, was given $10 as a special for the exhibit of house plants and flowers, he made at the fair. He was barred from competing, and the directors decided to give him the above amount as a partial help towards defraying expenses.

On motion, W. C. Bowey, Brockville, was awarded $2 for a display of live birds, as the Directors were satisfied that the judges made a mistake in awarding the prizes in that class.

On motion the sum of $4 was appropriated as specials on discretionary articles entered in the ladies work class. The secretary to approximate the amount to be given to each article.

At the close of the regular meeting the members of the board indulged in a general discussion on matters connected with the fair and from the expressions made by those taking part, there seems to be a general feeling that some very radical changes will be made in the manner of conducting the fair of 1891. Also that a number of very essential additions would be made to the accommodations for exhibitors and visitors before another fair time.

MARRIAGE.

FITZPATRICK—EARL.—On the 24th inst, by the Rev. L. A. Betts, at the residence of the bride's father, Mill Street, Athens, James A. Fitzpatrick, of Township of Yonge, to Charlotte Ann Earl, of Athens.

C. C. RICHARDS & Co.

Gents,—I took a severe cold, which settled in my throat and lungs and caused me to entirely lose my voice. My wife advised me to try MINARD'S LINIMENT and the effect was magical, for after only three doses and an outward application, my voice returned and I was able to speak in the Army that night, a privilege I had been unable to enjoy for six weeks.

CHARLES PLUMMER.

Yarmouth.

TOWNSHIP OF Rear of Yonge and Escott

Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held, pursuant to *the Ontario Voters List Act, 1889*, by His Honor, the Judge of the County Court of the County of Leeds and Grenville, at *Cedar Park Hotel* in the *Village of Charleston*, on the twenty-first day of October, 1890, at the hour of *Eleven O'clock* in the forenoon, to hear and determine the serveral complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters List of the Municipality of the Rear of Yonge and Escott for 1890.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

Dated at Elbe Mills this 6th day of October, 1890.

RICHARD E. CORNELL,
Clerk of the Township of Rear of Yonge and Escott.

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Orders delivered to any part of the village.

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