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FATAL FLASHES.

Two Little Children and a Man Killed by Lightning.

Stephenson, Mich., April 20.—Lightning killed two children in the farmhouse of Andrew Olsen, near Wallace. Five children were sleeping together on the floor, and Olsen, wife and baby in a bed in the same room. The bolt ran down the stovepipe, followed the floor to where the oldest child, a girl of 12 years, was lying, and killed her, then passed over the next child and killed the third, a boy 3 years old. It then passed over the other two children and struck the bed in which the father, mother and baby were sleeping, the father receiving a shock which rendered him unconscious. The stairway was torn into splinters. Neighbors sent for a doctor, who found the father unconscious. Olsen will recover.

Romney, Mich., April 20.—Jesse W. Page, an ex-dryman here, was killed by lightning while walking from the barn to the house.

Plant early, but not too early. There is a golden mean between early and late, when the risk of frost is slight and a quick and abundant crop fairly certain. An irregular, struggling crop does not pay, even though it comes a few days earlier. While, on the other hand, with some vegetables the profit of an early and large crop is double that of a late one. It pays to incur risk, but only to a certain limit.

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Buluwago's Peril.

Fully 15,000 Armed and Trained Matabeles

Have Been Gathering for a Combined Attack.

Provisions and Reinforcements on the Way to the Town, but They May Be Too Late.

Cape Town, April 20.—Buluwago is in the greatest danger. The latest advices received here from Buluwago have greatly increased the anxiety felt for the safety of that place. Military men, scouts, Dutchmen and Englishmen, civilians of all classes, veteran troopers and government officials concur in the statement that the Governor of Cape Colony, Sir Hercules Robinson, has not told the truth if he has notified the Home Government that Buluwago is in no danger.

The number of fighting men at Buluwago is under 900, and of this small number, compared with the 15,000 Matabeles in the vicinity of the town, 200 are reported to have been dispatched to hold Mangwe Pass, which is a steep declivity, with angular turnings, and can be rendered impregnable. Other dispatches announce that a strong force of the remaining 600 whites intend to leave Buluwago in order to attack a Matabele impi, composed of Lobengula's crack impi regiment, from which the native police have been started. Besides, the rebellion were recruited. Besides, the attack of the Matabeles from the outside is more than likely to be assisted by a rising of the Matabeles inside the fortifications.

THE GREAT TROUBLE at Buluwago seems to be that the majority of the leaders are dashing, dare-devil men, who are prone to engage the enemy first and estimate his numbers later, generally too late. In addition, the Boers are not so well known that two other formidable Matabele regiments are in close proximity to Buluwago, and it would seem that a carefully prepared plan of attack has been drawn up and is being carried out with skill and deliberation, which gives additional color to the report that the Boers are behind the whole uprising.

The armament of Buluwago is five 7-pounders, twelve 12-pounders, three 15-pounders, and a number of Nordenfild rapid-fire guns. There are only about 1,000 rounds of cartridges at Buluwago, and those who have seen the Matabele impi, and the fire guns "vomiting" fire at the rate of hundreds of shots to a minute, know that a million cartridges will not suffice to enable Buluwago to be held for any length of time against the repeated night attacks of a fierce, persistent enemy. Then, to make matters worse, the ammunition, which the million rounds of cartridges have already been greatly drawn upon.

SHORT OF FOOD. It is known that the food supply of Buluwago, at last accounts, was giving out. It is true that eighteen wagons loaded with provisions are reported to have reached the town, but the road from Buluwago, where they are laagered, awaiting a favorable opportunity to enter the town, is expected to be a very difficult one. The Boers, who are being sent to the front. It is stated, too, that the chiefs of the native tribes of Bechuanaland, which the relief forces have been perfectly peaceable in their demeanor up to the present, and are helping the Government. In consequence, it is expected that numbers of wavering chiefs who remember Ulundi will join the British when they hear that the troops are going to the front.

THE BOERS. There is no change in the situation, so far as the Boers are concerned. They are continuing to hold the town, apparently for a great struggle, and it is feared here that the fact that the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, though necessary to notify President Kruger that the dispatch of reinforcements to the Cape did not imply a change in the friendly policy of Great Britain towards the Transvaal will encourage the Boers in their idea that Great Britain is afraid of them, and that it will only require a speck about 80 miles towards the Transvaal to force upon the part of the Boers of the Cape Colony to drive the British out of this part of the world. The Boers are expected to muster about 60,000 fighting men, and they claim this force can defy the whole British army.

Buluwago, April 20.—A mounted British force, numbering 40, while reconnoitering in the outskirts on Friday, encountered a speck about 80 miles from Buluwago, whom it immediately engaged. The natives were driven back with the loss of 50 killed. The British, on the other hand, lost 10 men. The anxiety of the residents of Buluwago increases hourly. The relief column from Salisbury is now reported to be within 40 miles of Buluwago, and advancing steadily.

THE ENEMY INCREASING IN FORCE. Cape Town, April 20.—A dispatch from Buluwago, dated Saturday, says that the number of rebellious Matabeles is increasing daily, and that they are massing close to the town. A dynamite train that is arranged to be fired by electricity has been laid in the outskirts and along the streets. The mines are all connected with the central laager, and can be exploded separately. On Friday night some of the Matabeles changed their positions. It is believed that they moved southward to attempt to prevent the advance of 500 men from Mafeking, who are marching to the relief of Buluwago.

THE BRITISH COMMANDER. London, April 20.—Major-General Sir Frederick Carrington, at present commanding the infantry brigade at Gibraltar, has been appointed to the supreme command of the campaign against the Matabeles. The Central News says that the War Office has telegraphed to all military officers who are away from South Africa on leave of absence to hold themselves in readiness to immediately return to their regiments.

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Western Ontario.

Latest Happenings in This Section of the Province.

Charges Against Rev. J. C. Madill to be Investigated—Blood-Poisoning from a Pin.

The tug Teller, of Detroit, was the first boat of the season to enter Chatham on Friday.

D. G. Hogg, of Brussels, has assigned to P. S. Scott. His liabilities are said to be in the neighborhood of \$2,300. Mrs. Susan Marr, aged 87, and Mrs. Elizabeth Bullock, aged 86, two of Ingersoll's oldest residents, died Friday. The death is recorded of J. E. Nabis, of the Howard road, near Thamesville. About two weeks ago he fell from a tree he was trimming, breaking some ribs and receiving internal injuries. He leaves a widow and grown-up family. Deceased was highly respected. Miss Mabel Tomlinson, Brantford, an employee in the press room of the Exporter office, the other day met with a painful accident. She was feeding a Gordon press, when by some means her right hand got caught and badly squeezed, the thumb and third finger being crushed.

On Saturday John Sadler, of Staffa, came very near losing his life. He was sharpening a knife in his mill when the emery stone burst, a piece of which struck him on the temple, and for a time he was unconscious. He rallied, however, and medical care is now getting on nicely.

Inspectors have been going through the peach orchards of Essex during the past week, to determine whether the crop would be injured by the unusually long winter. They failed to find any damage done to the buds, and there are no frosts later on the prospects for a large crop are good.

Thirteen million young white fish from the Sandwich hatchery have been deposited in Lake Erie at Leamington, Kingsville and Bar Point. Fifteen millions more are to be set free around Bois Blanc; also large numbers around Fighting Island, in Lake St. Clair, and in Lake Huron. In all about 75,000,000 young white fish will be distributed from the hatchery this month.

The sensation of the day is the disappearance of Thomas Smith, a young married man who some time ago bought the G. G. Hartley farm on the second line. A week ago last Friday Mr. Smith took a train at Wyoming for Sarnia, ostensibly to purchase seed for Sarnia, ostensibly to purchase seed for Sarnia, ostensibly to purchase seed for Sarnia. A grain to begin early spring work. But not turning up next day his friends set on foot the only conclusion was that he had left for good. Mr. Smith is a son of Rialto, Ontario, married, and brother of J. R. Smith, lately of the London road. About twelve or thirteen months ago he was married to a daughter of Mr. Stonehouse, Enniskillen townline—Forest Free Press.

The Western Congregational Association, in convention at Paris, have discussed the case of Rev. J. C. Madill, of Sarnia, who, charged before an ex-parte council of the church with having expelled certain members of the church in a high-handed manner. The ex-parte council brought in a finding against Rev. Mr. Madill, and the moderator of the council asked the association to investigate the matter and find out the facts of the case. A special committee, consisting of Rev. J. Morton, Hamilton; Rev. J. W. Peck, London; Mr. Henry Cox, Burlington; Mr. John Brockbank, Paris; and Rev. E. D. Silcox, Paris, was appointed to try the case.

Mrs. Mitchell, of Newport, was taken to the hospital Thursday from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Norris, suffering from blood poisoning, the cause being a pin prick. They are now lying in a pin in one of her fingers, and though painless considerably at the time, thought of the matter, the wounded member, however, commenced to swell greatly, and Dr. Digby was called in. He found that blood poisoning of a severe kind had set in, and Mrs. Mitchell growing rapidly worse, he ordered her removal to the hospital. There the lady now lies in a very precarious condition, and her recovery is extremely doubtful.

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Philadelphia, April 20.—Three firemen were crushed to death and several others seriously injured, as the result of a fire which destroyed the old depot of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, at Thirty-second and Market streets, about half past afternoon and entailed a loss of about \$40,000. The names of the killed are: Hugh McGranigan, of Company D; William H. Staigert, district engineer; George W. Preston, assistant foreman of truck A.

The seriously injured are: George Jennings, John Blinn and Samuel Sneyd, all of whom sustained bruises and have fractured ribs.

The unfortunate men were working on the slanting roof of the car shed in the rear of the front wall, when the wall crashed down upon them without a second's warning. All of the men were buried beneath the wall. McGranigan, Staigert and Preston dying before they reached the hospital. Eight Pullman cars were destroyed.

KILLED WITH A GASPIPE.

Chicago, April 20.—John F. Smith was murdered Saturday afternoon at his place of business, Market street, by five men, who made their escape. His firm, Patek, Smith & Co., painters and decorators, had trouble with their painters last winter, and a strike resulted. The feeling was very bitter, and the assault is supposed to be a result. Saturday afternoon five men went into the establishment, and after a few moments' talk, invited Smith to step to the street. As he reached the doorstep he was struck with a piece of gaspipe on the head and killed instantly. His dead body rolled down the steps.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron states: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice I procured the medicine, and less than a half-bottle cured me. I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

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FINE AND WARM.

Toronto, Ont., April 19—11 p. m.—The disturbance which was over Kansas Friday night traveled directly northwards to the Qu'Appelle Valley, and on Saturday gave a heavy fall of snow in nearly all localities from the Rockies to Manitoba. Scattered showers have occurred from the lakes to the Atlantic, and in Ontario the temperature continues abnormally high.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 24—26; Prince Albert, 28—30; Winnipeg, 30—40; Port Arthur, 30—38; Toronto, 48—76; Ottawa, 42—82; Montreal, 42—76; Quebec, 36—62; Halifax, 38—43.

PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, April 20—1 a. m.—For the lower lakes region (including counties lying south of the Georgian Bay region, east as far as Belleville)—Fine and warm.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday, April 19, 1896, were: Highest, 83 degrees; lowest, 54.5 degrees.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Sunday, April 19, 1896, were: Highest, 72 degrees above; lowest, 55.5 degrees above.

HOT APIL WEATHER.

Yesterday's Detroit Free Press says: For three days in succession all previous April weather records have been smashed and smashed into smithereens. * * * Inspector Conger has a little chart that tells how warm and cold it has been during the month of April for the past 25 years. The record is divided into three decades, three sections of ten days each. The warmest weather of the first decade was April 7, 1869, 78 degrees; the coldest was on the 4th, of 1874, 9 degrees. In the second decade, in which we are at present sweltering, the warmest record previous to the present was April 14, 1883, 78 degrees; the coldest, April 18, 1875, 8 degrees. The warmest weather of the third division was April 29, 1888, 82 degrees; the coldest, April 23, 1879, 20 degrees.

Saturday's record was as high as it was on the preceding day, and no higher, according to the weather bureau. There the thermometer registered 82 degrees at 2 o'clock. In Wyoming on Friday, the thermometer was only 10 degrees above zero. In Dodge City, Kan., it was just at freezing point, and frosts were reported. In North Dakota the boys were playing snowball.

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A CALF'S BITE

Blood-Poisoning Set in and the Injury Had a Fatal Termination.

Napanee, Ont. 20.—Luke Doyle, of Camden, near Camden East, about two weeks ago while learning a calf to swim, was bitten on the thumb by the animal. About a week later blood-poisoning set in, and notwithstanding all that medical skill could devise, he died. He was in his 43rd year.

THE SEASON BEGUN.

"Have you begun making garden yet, Mr. Outsider?"
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—The summer hotel man's smile may now be measured by a yardstick.

—Spring was omitted from the make-up of 1896. The seasons this year are summer, autumn and winter.

—The managers of Knox Church, South London, have given the organist and choirmaster, Mr. Fred L. Evans, an unsolicited increase of \$10 in his salary. Mr. Evans has raised the choir to a gratifying standard of efficiency.

—Friends of Miss Spring will be pleased to hear that she has entirely recovered from constriction of the lower limbs, caused by the undue lingering in her lap of heavy old Mr. Winter. Summer, who was relieving Spring for a few days, has resumed her place in the almanac.

—The funeral of the late George Summers took place from the family residence, 1, Wharfedale road, yesterday afternoon to the Brick street cemetery and was very numerous attended. The brethren of Mr. Lockhart's friends and fellow-employees waited on him on Friday evening last and presented him with a handsome gold-headed cane and wished him a hearty bon voyage. The gentleman is a brother of Mr. J. Coates Lockhart, the popular local tenor and decorative artist.

—Mr. Norman Lockhart, of the G. T. R. restaurant, leaves today for Brighton, England, on a visit to his parents. A number of Mr. Lockhart's friends and fellow-employees waited on him on Friday evening last and presented him with a handsome gold-headed cane and wished him a hearty bon voyage. The gentleman is a brother of Mr. J. Coates Lockhart, the popular local tenor and decorative artist.

—(Mrs. Rev.) G. B. Sage, of St. George's rectory, writes: "Will you kindly permit me to acknowledge the following donations, received since last week, for the bazaar being prepared by Bishop Reeves, of Mackenzie River: E. L. Adams & Co., pearl barley, snowflake barley, condensed milk, condensed coffee and Leblanc's extract; J. G. Shuff, quinine pills; Mrs. Boomer, \$4; Mrs. Mills, 50 cents; W. T. Strong, \$1. In accordance with my special request, no bale will be sent to Mrs. Boomer this year, but donations in money towards building will be thankfully received. I beg to acknowledge the following: Mrs. Boomer, \$2; Mrs. Mills, \$2; a churchwoman, Dutton, \$10. Also for Mr. Stringer: Mrs. Boomer, \$2; Memorial Church, \$10. All contributions to bale for Mr. Stringer, please send to Wycliffe College, Toronto. It is much to be regretted that Mrs. Boomer, who a year ago herself undertook all the responsibility and labor of the bazaar to Bishop Reeves, as well as one to Mrs. Boomer, and who brought her task to so successful an issue, is unable through illness to undertake it again this year; but we hope the kind friends who helped so liberally before will see their way to doing so again, more especially as the unfortunate destruction of Bishop Reeves' house, together with six months' supplies, makes it the more urgent that, if possible, a greater effort than before should be made this year. Will friends please send donations to St. George's rectory, London West, not later than Friday, April 24, as the bazaar must be packed on Saturday morning."

METHODIST MISSIONARY APPOINTMENTS.

The executive of the Methodist Board of Foreign Missions have made some important appointments to the mission field. Rev. Charles E. Rand has been appointed for evangelistic work in Japan, his location to be hereafter decided upon, and Rev. E. W. Smith, M.D., of Dalrymple, accepted as medical missionary to China. He will supply the vacancy caused by the removal of Rev. D. W. Stevenson on account of ill-health. The board of management of the French Institute, in Montreal, have appointed Rev. J. P. F. as principal, and the executive approved the appointment. A joint meeting of the representatives of the executive and the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society discussed the internal arrangements of the institute at Chilliwick, B. C.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What is has done once it will do again.

"Bill Nye's" directions: Callers at his office, which was on a stable, were to go into the stable and twist the tail of a grey mule the way when take the elevator.

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Two Mine Disasters.

One in Minnesota and the Other in Pennsylvania.

Eleven Men Killed and Seven Painfully Injured.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 20.—A special from Nishant, Minn., says: An explosion occurred in the Broadwater mine early Saturday morning, by which seven men lost their lives and six others are seriously hurt. The dead are: Frank Doran, W. J. Morrison, Hugh McKenzie, Dan O'Leary, D. H. Rose, John Cairns, James T. Gallagher, and Wm. Harvey. The seriously wounded are: Joseph Doran, James Connolly, George Doran (a brother of Frank Doran), Chas. Smith, Mike Tobin, Mattie Brown. Several others are bruised and cut somewhat.

The accident occurred in the magazine used for storing powder. Frank Doran was looking after the powder, and had just commenced loading the magazine when the explosion occurred. It is supposed that his candle must have ignited some powder. He was found twenty feet from the magazine in another drift, and must have seen the danger and tried to escape. The men had just finished eating their midnight lunch, and were on their way back to work. Thirty of them had to pass this magazine, and it exploded as about half were past. Those in the center are the dead and seriously wounded. The mine is badly caved in. Superintendent Connolly says there could not have been over 30 pounds of powder in the magazine at the time, as it was not customary to keep more than enough for one round of shots there. Doran leaves a wife and two children; the others are single men.

Olyphant, Pa., April 20.—Four men engaged in driving a heading from the top to the slope of the Eddy Creek colliery, near this place, were instantly killed Friday, and a fifth was painfully injured. The dead are: Jas. McFall, Wm. O'Harvey, Wm. Harvey, of Priceburg; James and Ralph Abbott, brothers, of Throon. The men were working at a point about 1,000 feet from the shaft, and had just fired a blast. When the smoke had lifted they returned and commenced to clear away the debris. They had been at work only a few minutes when a roof, weighing near 20 tons, gave way, crushing the men to death. Francis Lewis, who was also at work at the time, was badly bruised, but it is not thought fatally.

A FARMER'S LOSS.

Disastrous Fire Near Allen Craig—Mr. Stewart's Heavy Loss.

Special to the "Advertiser." Allen Craig, April 19.—About 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon a heavy thunderstorm and lightning passed over this vicinity, doing some damage. The barn and outbuildings of Mr. Archibald C. Stewart, one and a half miles east of this village, were struck by lightning and burnt to the ground, with all their contents, consisting of about 3,000 bushels of grain, 20 tons of hay, and some implements. No insurance. Mr. Gilmour had moved his hay press to the barn in the morning, ready to work, but thanks to the timely aid of neighbors and people from the village, the hay press was saved, besides a number of cattle and horses that were tied in the buildings. Mr. Gilmour had his coat burned, with \$17 in cash.

The world may owe a man a living, but it is always best for a man to go out and collect it by a little hard work. Greatness which is real is the greatest of doing great services and making great sacrifices. The toilers, the burden-bearers, and cross-carriers—these are the really great ones. The men who go down to the lowest, who do for humanity the hardest work, who minister to its deepest woes, who grapple with its heaviest and sorest evils—these are society's true princes.

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32-Inch Chambrays, extra heavy cloth, in pale pink, pale blue, bluette, indigo blue, gray, strawberry, old rose, garnet, steel gray, 11c and 12 1/2c per yard.

DUCK SUITINGS.

28-inch Duck Suitings, blue grounds, with narrow white stripes, wide white stripes, blue checks and blue spots; white grounds with blue checks, black stripes, blue spots, blue stripes, pink stripes and black spots; Holland grounds with white spots and stripes, worth 12 1/2c, our price 10c per yard.

32-inch Duck Suitings, both plain and satin finished, in white, navy, holland, fawn, black, pink, and a large variety of designs and patterns, regular price 17c, our price 12 1/2c.

34-Inch Duck Suitings, both satin finished and corded, all imaginable patterns and designs, both plain and fancy, worth 25c, our price 15c a yard.

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42-Inch Crepons, All-Wool Crepons, black and colors, worth 50c, for 40c per yard.

Extra Heavy Crinkled Crepons, 44 inches wide, in cream, pale blue, pink, Nile green and black, worth 65c, our price 50c a yard.

46-Inch Rook Crepons, 46 inches wide, in cream and black, worth \$1, our price 65c a yard.

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Special 30-Inch White Spot Dress Muslins, regular 15c goods, our price 12 1/2c a yard. A finer lot of white spot Swiss Dress Muslins for 15c per yard.

Very Fine 30-Inch White Spot Dress Muslins, worth 25c, for 18c a yard. 36-Inch White Spot Swiss Dress Muslins, extra fine goods, and worth 30c, our price 18c a yard.

32-Inch Fine Corded White Swiss Dress Muslins, with small white spots, very choice goods, worth 30c, our price 20c per yard.

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