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TO ADVERTISERS.

Notice of charges must be left at this Office not later than Monday noon. The copy for changes must be left not later than Wednesday noon. Casual Advertisements accepted up to noon Thursday of each week.

Local Notices.

If advance notices in the local columns of THE SIGNAL of meetings or entertainments at which an admission fee is charged, or from which a pecuniary benefit is derived, must be paid for at the rate of one cent per word each insertion, no charge less than twenty-five cents. Where advertisements of entertainments are inserted a brief local will be given free.

BORN.

WILSON—In Goderich, on April 8th, the wife of A. B. Wilson, of twin-son and daughter.

MARRIED.

ROME—Book—On April 8th, by Rev. Jas. A. Anderson, B. A., in Colborne township, at the residence of Captain Andrew Bockie, his daughter, Mary, to William L. Rome, of Toronto.

DIED.

MARTIN—In Goderich, on Tuesday, April 8th, Sione, eldest son of Mr. J. C. Martin, aged 12 years, 11 months and 30 days.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wanted—Mrs. Polley.
Purse Lost—Signal Office.
Wanted—Mrs. Hutchinson.
Nose—Parks & Purdon.
Wall Paper—Fraser & Porter.
Card of Thanks—E. C. Behler.
Hair Goods—Prof. Dorenwend.
Girl Wanted—Mrs. McGillicuddy.
Salesman Wanted—E. O. Graham.
New Announcement—J. A. Reid & Bro.
Auction Sale—Cameron, Holt & Cameron.
Lowest Prices in Goderich—W. Acheson & Son.
Dissolution of Partnership—B. J. Crawford, T. G. Anderson.

TOWN TOPICS.

"A child's among ye, takin' notes,
An' faith he'll print it."

A GOOD PRESENT.—The most useful gift you can make is to give a Writ Pen. Apply to D. McGillicuddy, agent, Goderich.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union meet in the basement of North-West church every Tuesday afternoon. Prayer meeting at 2:30, business meeting at 3.

April, with its smiles, showers and cyclones, appears to be keeping people busy changing their raincoat, but the tailor, the people's tailor, can fill the bill for all kinds of suits and suitings.

Who want, the Hamilton-st. photographer, is still pegging away at his line in the latest and most approved fashion. In addition to good photos, all kinds of picture framing are attended to.

Look at the show window on Montreal street in connection with R. Sallow's studio on Saturday next. The newest wrinkle out will be seen there. Come one at a time and give orders for a show.

Merchants can get their Bill Heads, Letter Heads, etc., printed at this office for very little more than the cost of the paper, and it helps to advertise their business. Call and see samples and get prices.

Housecleaning has commenced in a small way, and the next two weeks should see everything outside, and inside, made neat and clean. When you are thinking of papering don't forget the bright and handsome patterns at Saunders & Sons; they are pretty and cheap. Everything required for housecleaning at the cheapest house under the sun.

WHO'S YOUR HATTER?

A. E. Pridham is proud to be the people's hatter, and on Saturday next is going to knock the end out of high prices. Look here! On Saturday, April 12, will sell his stock of hats and soft hats for value \$1.50 each, for 50c, and 5 doz. of boys' 50c knock-about hats, just the thing for school and playground, for 25c. Bring on your small change and don't go bareheaded.

BRIEFLETS.

Mr. James A. Reid spent Good Friday in Wingham.

Mr. W. Vivian, of London, spent Easter in town.

Miss Veal, of Brussels, visited in town during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson, of Richmond Hill, are visiting in town.

Miss Charles, B. A., spent her Easter holidays at St. Catharines.

Mrs. Ure and Miss Bella Wilson were delegates to the annual meeting of the Presbyterian Women's Foreign Missionary Society at Hamilton this week.

Dr. M. Nicholson, the West-end dentist, makes the preservation of the natural teeth a specialty. Gas administered from 9 a. m. for the painless extraction of teeth.

Mr. John Kay, of Guelph, spent the Easter holidays with relatives in town. He says Guelph is all right, but he can't help sighing for a snuff of the lake breeze occasionally.

LEFT FOR THE SOUTH.—Messrs Walter Sherman, Robert Reid and Charles Reid left on Monday morning for Louisville, Ky., to look for work. We wish them success.

Mr. Duncan McLeod, of Sarnia, has been secured as mate of the schooner Sophie for the coming season. He filed the same position very acceptably for a part of last season.

REOPENING "AT HOME"—Next Thursday, 17th inst., there will be an "At Home" under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid, in Victoria-st. church. Pleasure and enjoyment for all.

BLUE RIBBON TEA.—The members of the Y. W. C. T. U. will give a Blue Ribbon tea to the temperance folk, in the Temperance hall, on Tuesday next, April 15th, at 7:30 p. m.

Messrs Cameron, Holt & Cameron presented the fire brigade with \$20 during the past week in appreciation of services rendered in staying the spread of the fire at their office recently.

Capt. Wm. McLean, who has been for the past twelve years in the service of the well-known Ward line of steam-ships, of Detroit, left Monday last to take charge of one of the company's boats for the season.

Mr. Wm. R. Carr, of Westfield, has received his diploma as a graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto.

On Friday last, while Mr. John Healy was chopping some branches of trees, which his seven year old son, David, was holding across a block, the axe slipped and struck the boy's right hand, cutting a piece of one of his fingers.

A PROMINENT POLITICIAN.—Dr. Sloan, of Blyth, was in town Tuesday last. The doctor is an old political horse, and is full of reminiscence and solid opinion on current politics. There are few men better posted than he is on the history of his country and the politics of the day.

BUSINESS MEN.—We have added to our stock at THE SIGNAL since Jan. 1st, 1890, 50,000 envelopes, and fresh supplies are arriving as required. Every line has a fresh and new appearance. We want them to suit most reasonable prices. Call and see them.

LACROSSE.—The secretary of the Junior Huron lacrosse club has received the following letter from Sir John A. McDonald:—"Earnscliffe, Ottawa.—Sir John McDonald presents his compliments to the Junior Huron lacrosse club, and desires to thank them for their courtesy in sending him a card of admission to their matches for this year, April 2nd, 1890."

EASTER SERVICE AT ST. GEORGE'S.—There was a large congregation both morning and evening at St. George's church on Easter Sunday. The services were conducted by the rector, Rev. W. A. Young, assisted by Mr. Brown-Sydney. The music, rendered by the choir was of such a nature as to reflect much credit upon it. The church was suitably decorated for the occasion.

VICTORIA-ST. LADIES' AID.—The Ladies Aid Society of Victoria-st. Methodist church are pushing and energetic in their efforts for the comfort of their minister and the welfare of the church. We learn from various sources that they quietly they have raised large sums of money for parsonage purposes, and now, to crown the labors of the conference year soon to close, they have undertaken the painting and calsoning of the school room and kitchen of the church, and are casting longing eyes at the audience room. They are apparently determined to make Victoria at church the sweetest, neatest and most attractive church in town.

EASTER VESTRY.—The Easter Vestry of St. George's was held in the school room on Monday evening last, the rector presiding and Mr. F. W. Johnston acting as vestry clerk. The minutes of past meetings were read and confirmed, and the financial statement presented. The receipts were \$3,358.75 and the expenditures \$3,202.43, leaving a balance on hand of \$156.32. During the year the church debt has been reduced by one thousand dollars, and all current accounts and interest on mortgage duly paid. Messrs T. Weatherald and R. Radcliffe were elected churchwardens, Messrs Davison, Holt, Porter, Van Every and Shepherd as sidemen, and Messrs R. Radcliffe and R. S. Williams delegate to Synod. The Vestry concluded the appointment of Mr. Sherman as curate, and increased the rector's stipend by \$150. The thanks of the Vestry were tendered Mr. R. S. Williams, the treasurer, and Miss Davis, the secretary, for the painstaking report of the church's finances. Votes of thanks were tendered the ladies of the congregation for their success in reducing the church debt, and the choir, coupled with the name of Mr. J. Dowding, the leader.

Mr. John Elliott, B. A., of Walkerton, visited his brother, Mr. Geo. Elliott, of this town, during the Easter holiday.

Mrs. Cameron, of Paris, is at present visiting in Goderich, the guest of her son Wm. Cameron, manager of Geo. Rynas' drug store.

Rev. J. A. Anderson, B. A., delivered a lecture on "The Power of the Pulpit" Friday evening last in the Presbyterian church at Blyth.

Mr. John Lynn returned from San Francisco, Cal., on Monday last. He reports the crops looking well in that section of the far West.

The schooner Sophie is receiving a fresh coat of paint and is being generally overhauled. It is expected she will be ready to sail early next week.

A. E. Booth will (D.V.) deliver a course address in Assembly Hall, over J. W. Smith's bakery, East-st., on Lord's Day, April 13th, 3 and 7 o'clock p. m. All are cordially invited.

A new thing in hat ribbons has been introduced by R. R. Sallow. It is an indelible photo on the hat ribbon, and you can recognize the owner of the hat by the strawberry mark. We have one in our.

HIGH SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.—Don't forget the Literary Society's entertainment in the Grand Opera House next Friday evening. Music, recitations and tableaux. Popular prices, 15 and 25 cents. Let there be a full house.

WIGS AND TOPPERS FOR GENTLEMEN WHO ARE BALD.—Prof. Dorenwend, of Toronto, will be at the Albion Hotel Friday, April 25th, and will show a fine line of toppers and wigs for gentlemen who are bald. The Prof's goods are known the country over as the very finest, and a gentleman who has the misfortune to be without a full covering of hair should not miss this chance of seeing the Prof's goods.

Mr. E. Hodgkiss, tuner of the Goderich Organ Company, having taken up his residence in town, is now prepared to attend to all orders for work in his line. Orders left at the Organ Factory will be promptly attended to. Piano tuning and repairing a specialty. Mr. Hodgkiss has been for a number of years in the employ of Nordheimer & Bell, the well-known musical instrument dealers.

AT THE HARBOR.—Last week the schooner Gullair and Greyhound sailed for Cleveland and Kincardine respectively, the former with a part cargo of ice, the tug that has been built by Mr. Wm. Marlon during the winter was launched successfully on Saturday last.

The schooners that have been undergoing repairs are about ready for sea. Two of the three tugs and a fleet of sail-boats are fishing off the harbor daily.

TEMPERANCE.—The Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold their regular monthly meeting on Friday, April 11th, at 7:30 p. m. sharp, in the reception room of Geo. Stewart, photographer, over C. A. Baird's store, and will continue to meet in said room till further notice. All members are requested to be present, as there is important business to come before them. Others wishing to join the society will be made welcome.

A PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—Last week's issue of the Peel Banner, of Brampton, contains the following in reference to a former Goderich boy:—"John Leo, a pupil of the High School, met with a painful accident on Wednesday. He and other boys were operating the school 'oaken bucket' when the windlass suddenly began to revolve and the handle struck Master Leo's terrible thumb on the head and just below the eye, rendering him insensible for a few minutes. His face was badly torn and the services of a doctor were required."

ORIT.—The Newcastle (Eng) Chronicle contains a three-column notice of the death of the late Rev. Dr. Rutherford, who died on the morning of March 21st, aged 64 years. Deceased was both an lawyer and townsmen. Mr. R. L. Walton, and had been a resident of Newcastle for about 40 years. On the Wednesday preceding his death he attended the funeral of an old comrade in the temperance cause, Mr. Thomas Beckwith, and delivered the oration at the grave. On his way home from the cemetery he was stricken with paralysis, and despite the best medical attendance never rallied. The Chronicle, in addition to its extended obituary notice, makes the following editorial reference:—"The career over which death has thus so painfully laid its shadow has been one of exceptional energy and usefulness. In the sixty-fourth year of his age, and until the other day moving in our midst in this accostumed health, Dr. Rutherford could scarcely be regarded as an old man, but, if measured by deeds, his life has, indeed, been full and fruitful of work. How to be of benefit to his fellows appears to have been the doctor's ever-present and guiding principle, and in pursuit of it nothing seemed to come amiss to him. It would be difficult to point to any single man who has thrown himself into so many varied channels of activity as did the late Dr. Rutherford. His constant desire has been to raise to a higher and healthier atmosphere the social life of his fellow-townsmen; and in furtherance of this end, religious, educational, temperance, and many other philanthropic movements have, during the past forty years, found in him a zealous and indefatigable promoter and advocate."

MONTHLY PROMOTIONS.

The following pupils of the Central School have been promoted since the beginning of the year, as a result of leading their respective classes at the monthly examination:—From M as Campbell's to Miss A. Sharrman's, Irene Parsons, Bruce Watson, From Miss A. Sharrman's to Miss I. Sharrman's, Arthur Bates, From Miss I. Sharrman's to Miss Blair's, Annie Glover. From Miss Blair's to Div. I, Mary Campbell, W. Stevens, February—From Miss Campbell's to Miss A. Sharrman's, D. McVey. From Miss A. Sharrman's to Miss I. Sharrman's, Hattie Harrison. From Miss I. Sharrman's to Miss Blair's, Oliver Rhyman. From Miss Blair's to Div. I, H. Stoddard, Pearl Wynn. March—From Miss Campbell's to Miss A. Sharrman's, Eddie Bates. From Miss Campbell's to Miss I. Sharrman's, D. McKay. From Miss I. Sharrman's to Miss Blair's, Connie Le Touzel. From Miss I. Sharrman's to Miss Blair's, Jennie Dickson. From Miss Blair's to Div. I, Emily Millan. Hereafter the results will be published each month.

THE TRIGGER.—A friendly match at Standard targets, under Toronto Gun Club rules, took place at Clinton on Good Friday between seven Clinton trapshooters and a team from the Goderich Gun Club. There was a strong cross wind, which unfavorably affected the shooting. The scores were:—

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In shooting off the ties of 9, at five birds each, for the sweepstakes, E. R. Watson killed five straight, Hovey getting three and Gregg two. The visitors were most hospitably entertained and returned delighted with their trip.

THE CASE OF CONSTABLE YULE.—A peculiar case was tried before his worship Mayor Butler, Saturday last. Constable Yule, the Goderich night watchman, was charged with assaulting Gallagher, a tumb stone agent. The assault, we are informed, grew out of the following incident. Some time since Mr. Gledhill, of Benmitt, lost a buffalo robe from his vehicle in the stable of the Colborne hotel, and the matter was placed in the hands of Constable Yule to find out where the missing article had gone to. Yule in his quest discovered the missing robe in the possession of Gallagher, who gave it up and promised to recoup the constable for his time and labor in hunting it up. The amount recovered upon was \$5, but Gallagher, it is alleged, failed to connect when the settling-up time came. The constable then arrested him and in doing so the assault was committed. Yule was fined \$10 and costs. On the same day Constable Tichbourne was also fined 50 cents and costs for assaulting Gallagher. The appearance to have been a suit of a "Let'er G. Gallagher" in the actions of our constables of late.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.—The Board held its regular meeting on Monday evening, April 7th. Present: Messrs S. Malcolmson, chairman, M. Nicholson, H. W. Ball, Geo. Swanson and Alex. Chrystal. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The chairman stated that St. David's ward school is being kept in a very disreputable state and recommended the Board to draw the attention of the caretaker to the matter. Messrs Nicholson, accompanied by Chrystal, that the caretakers of the Central and of St. David's and St. Patrick's ward schools be informed that their duties must be performed in accordance with their contracts. Carried. It was resolved to carry out some minor improvements at the Central school. The principal's report, showing the total average attendance at the Central and ward schools for the month of March to be:—Boys, 293; girls, 239; total, 532, was read and filed. In accordance with the report of the principal, Miss Mary Sharrman was ordered to be paid 10 days' pay and Miss Walters four days' pay as substitutes during the illness of Miss Williams, teacher of St. David's ward school. The following accounts were ordered to be paid:—Huron Signal, printing, \$15.80; John Butler, stationery, \$2.50; Fraser & Porter, stationery, crayons, etc., \$17.23; Jas. Saunders & Son, work at St. David's ward school, \$1. The chairman was instructed to purchase trees for the Central school. The Board then adjourned.

EASTER SERVICES AT ST. PETER'S.—The services at St. Peter's church on Easter Sunday were of unusual impressiveness. The singing both morning and evening was of a particularly high order, and was well deserving of the praise so freely bestowed upon it by all who had the pleasure of listening to it. Miss Annie Doyle, the new organist, presided at the organ, and the musical portion of the services gave ample scope to the high order of talent which she undoubtedly possesses. The Kyrie, Gloria and Agnus Dei were well rendered and the interjuncting solos were prettily sung. The Regina Caeli was beautifully given by Miss Mary McCormack and

Thomas Dachman and Miss Worthington were called to show that no poison had been registered as being sold to Minnie Johnston on the date she alleged it was purchased. Dachman was the person from whom she said she procured it, and in addition to the fact of its not being registered, as was the custom, he felt sure from memory that he had never sold her any. He also described the label placed upon arsenic when sold, which the witness Johnston had said had the word arsenic printed on it in large characters. A label was produced and showed that the word poison was printed, but the name of the poison was written on.

Dr. Reeve, of Clinton, said he had attended the deceased Whitley for some years before his death, having treated him for dyspepsia and an affection of the eyes. On the 29th of March, 1888, Whitley called at his office in Clinton and again on the 2nd of April. Afterwards he attended him at his house, where he was confined to his bed. At first he thought he was suffering from inflammation of the liver, but subsequent developments convinced him that the disease was acute yellow atrophy of the liver; a disease of which he had met three cases in this county before. He was convinced that it was of that complaint and not from arsenical poisoning that his death was caused. Under cross examination Dr. Reeve admitted that in many respects there was great similarity between the symptoms of arsenical poisoning and acute yellow atrophy of the liver, but still maintained that the distinction was clear enough to enable him to say that it was the latter that was the cause of death. He admitted, however, that arsenic skillfully administered would produce symptoms which might be almost impossible to distinguish from those of the yellow atrophy.

The Whitley poisoning trial was resumed on Friday. The court room was crowded. The counsel for the prisoner put in the box Dr. R. G. Shannon, Goderich, and Dr. Appleton, Clinton, who agreed in the main with the opinion given by Dr. Reeve from what they had heard of the symptoms in Whitley's case with Dr. Reeve's diagnosis of his ailment and the cause of his death. Their cross-examination by Mr. Johnston resulted in an admission of the similarity of the symptoms of arsenical poisoning to those of the disease diagnosed by Dr. Reeve, but they held that the leading symptoms of arsenical poisoning were absent in Whitley's case as described, while the more prominent indications of the acute yellow atrophy were present.

ADDRESSING THE JURY.

This evidence closed the defence, and Mr. Cameron proceeded to address the jury. He dwelt mainly upon the utter unreliability of the testimony of the girl Minnie Johnston, who, if her statement was true, they would be told by the Judge was an accomplice in the crime, and on her incorroborated testimony they would not be justified in finding a verdict of guilty. Her story was widely improbable. It was inconceivable that a woman of the prisoner's intelligence should openly in the presence of this girl, attempt the crime with which she stood charged. On the other hand he reviewed the testimony given by Dr. Reeve, who had unequivocally expressed his full belief that yellow atrophy of the liver and not poisoning was the cause of Whitley's death, and the ailment he suffered from previous to his death. He concluded an eloquent appeal for the release of the prisoner to rejoice in her present husband, who was anxiously watching the result of the trial in the court, and to her son of tender years.

Mr. E. J. B. Johnston, for the Crown, proceeded to show the strong points of the Crown case, and the weakness of the theory of the defence.

STUMMING UP.

His Lordship's summing up was a most careful review of the testimony given, and was pointed as to the great care that must be taken in weighing the evidence of the principal witness, Minnie Johnston, upon whose testimony the Crown mainly relied, which, as she was by her own statement an accomplice in the crime charged, must be most amply corroborated. On the whole, the charge was very favorable to the prisoner.

ACQUITTED.

The jury after a brief retirement returned to the court room with a verdict of not guilty. The prisoner, who during the progress of the trial had betrayed little emotion or interest in the proceedings, was completely overcome and had to be assisted into an adjacent room by her present husband, Mr. Edwards, and other friends.

AUCTION SALES.

All parties getting their sale bills printed at this office will get a free notice inserted in this list up to the time of sale.

A sale of horses, harness, bugies, etc., will be held at the Albion Hotel, Goderich, on Friday, April 11th, at 1 o'clock p. m. John Knox, auctioneer.

Sale of six acres of land belonging to the estate of the late Stephen Irwin, situated one mile north of Duragan, on the Gravel Road, at Duragan, on Saturday, April 12th, at 2 p. m. Joseph Malough, auctioneer.

Sale of household furniture of Mrs. Duckham, at her residence, Hamilton-st., Goderich, on Saturday, April 19th, at 1 o'clock p. m. John Knox, auctioneer.

Mr. Smith Eno, Hullett, has rented his father's farm for \$250 a year, for the term of five years.

THE DEFENCE.

For the defence Mrs. Steep was called, who related a conversation she had with the witness Minnie Johnston, in which the latter had said she knew nothing wrong of Mrs. Whitley.

THE DOMINION IN BRIEF.

Attorney General Martin, of Manitoba, has resigned. It is reported that John McArada, the missing Windsorite, is in the Pontiac Asylum. The legal profession of Hastings County have determined to establish a law library for the county. Charles Foster, wood-sawyer, Belleville had the fingers of his left hand taken off by a circular saw. Farmers in Middlesex County report fall wheat in a bad condition, and newly-sown clover has failed. G. D. Swanton, the forger, was on Saturday at Belleville sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. The Richelieu hotel, in Montreal, will be closed on April 8, and the furniture disposed of by the sheriff's sale. John E. Vaughan, the Philadelphia bigamist, was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary in Montreal. Halifax painters and decorators have given notice that they will work only nine hours a day henceforth. The Quebec Bridge Company want the Ottawa Government to obtain the guarantee of interest on \$2,000,000. The schooners Waterdown and Ella Murton cleared from Kingston Thursday for Charlottetown, loaded with fish. The Quebec banks have about \$2,000,000 invested in timber to go forward to the European market this season. A true bill has been found against Morin, the Montigny murderer, and his trial will take place at the present session. Lady Stanley, accompanied by her son and daughter, sailed from New York on the steamer Germanic for Liverpool Thursday. During the recent blow on Lake Erie the steamer Lakeside, lying in the Kingsville harbor, was lifted high and dry on the beach. A largely attended meeting held in Toronto unanimously resolved in favor of a viaduct as the solution of the Esplanade difficulty. Montreal is perturbed by the recently acquired knowledge that frequent wagon loads of dynamite are carried through its streets. It is understood that the Manitoba Government intends establishing a State University, with an annual endowment of \$50,000 or \$75,000. A special cable says the English press are beginning to see the gravity of the Newfoundland fisheries dispute, and are discussing it. The man supposed to be McDuff, the murderer of Mr. Holton, of Tilbury, who was arrested in Manitoba, is now in jail at Windsor. An Indian on the Brokenhead River Reserve, Manitoba, jealous of his wife, attempted suicide with a shotgun and lost an arm as the result. Mr. Bender, the promoter of the Direct Meat Company, says a syndicate is ready to pick the scheme up if the company do not care to continue. It is stated that Mr. G. L. Davies intends erecting a new patent slip at Indian Cove Quebec, which will be capable of taking in the largest sized ship. The death is announced of Mr. Andrew Robertson, president of the Montreal Board of Harbour Commissioners, and one of Montreal's most prominent citizens. Dr. Jenny K. Trout, of Toronto, has given \$500 towards the new building of the Women's Medical College at Kingston, with a promise of \$500 more in November. At a meeting of the Lincoln Conservatives held at St. Catharines, Major James Hiscott, of Niagara, was selected to contest the constituency for the local Legislature. The Allan Steamship Company has arranged that clerical men shall accompany their ships for the next three months to attend to the spiritual wants of the immigrants. Special Customs Agent Drulard on Saturday seized the plant of the French paper press, Windsor, for passing machinery through the Customs at an undervaluation. Lieutenant-Governor Schultz refused to prorogue the Manitoba Local Legislature on Saturday because he has not been furnished with copies of all the bills passed during the session. Several Londoners who had accounts against Joe Hess, the temperance evangelist, have presented their claims and received payment since the ex-boxer has been laboring in the Forest City. The coroner's jury found that Saloon-keeper Hodgins, London, died of natural causes, and the man supposed to have struck the blow from which it was believed he died has been released. A coal oil lamp exploded in the office of Dentist J. A. Smith, in the Opera House block, Windsor, and in his efforts to put the fire out Mr. Smith had his hands and face severely burned. The Consul-General of Spain for Canada intends shortly to interview the Dominion Government with a view to induce them to co-operate in establishing a direct trade between Spain and Canada. Andrew Kane, about 70 years of age, was found dead on the roadside, near his home at Killen, about five miles from Hespeler. He had been in Galt and was walking home, and is supposed to have dropped dead. The Quebec Mercury seems confident that the Dominion Government will guarantee at least \$2,000,000 to aid in building the Quebec-Levis bridge, and securing a terminus for the Intercolonial Railway within the ancient capital. P. W. Bell, merchant, Orillia, was tried at the Orillia Police Court for fraudulently selling the salvage of his stock after the fire of January 22nd. After a lengthy hearing the J. P., Messrs. Miller and Quinn, reserved decision. John Hutchinson, the man who is alleged to have struck Freeman Hodgins, London, whose death took place from congestion of the lungs, was arrested by Detective Graham on Westminster road. He is about 25 years of age. The action brought against the city of Kingston, by G. T. Driver, for \$5,000 damages, for injuries received by a falling into an open drain, has been settled. The city will pay Driver \$350, both parties to pay their own costs. A writ has been issued against Alderman E. G. Porter, of Belleville, claiming damages for the alleged seduction of a young woman named Sweet, who was for two years a domestic in his service. Mr. Porter denies the charge and will defend. The Manitoba immigration report shows that last year 725 cars of settlers' effects arrived in Manitoba, and the immigration was largely in excess of any recent year. The total area prepared for crop in 1889 was 865,245 acres, against 698,285 in 1887. The acreage grown for 1890 exceeded by 45,305 that of 1887. A large gathering at St. John's denounced the French encroachments on the maritime rights of Newfoundland. The speakers urged that if England does not protect the Newfoundlanders in their rights an appeal should be made to the United States. Similar meetings were held at Herber Grace, Little Bay and other principal settlements. Great excitement prevails.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

David Dowd, the well-known New York merchant, is dead. Vicksburg, Miss., is flooded with water to the extent of 10 feet. The Chicago Board of Trade stopped for a week on April 1st. Forty thousand employees in the factories of Catalonia, Spain, are on strike. Gen. Daniel E. Sickles has taken the oath of office as sheriff of New York city. The Russian Government proposes to establish consulates at several South African ports. The ocean greyhound, City of Paris, was towed into Queenstown of Saturday disabled. The Brazilian Government telegraphs that the reports of the disaffection in Brazil are untrue. A Conservative was elected in the Ay district for the British Commons in place of Sinclair, Home Ruler. The grand church at Apeldoorn, adjacent to the royal palace on the Hague, was destroyed by fire on Saturday. Count Herbert Bismarck has retired, and his place in the Foreign Affairs Office has been taken by Herr Von Alvensleben. A despatch from Duhah announces the arrival there of McLennan, the man reported as devoured by wolves on Lake of the Woods. Eight youths of Belfast have been sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment at hard labor for disgraceful and unnatural practices. The town of Marshfield, Mo., has been burned. The ill-fated place has been twice destroyed by cyclones and once nearly wiped out by fire. A committee of the Anti-Slavery Conference, sitting in Brussels, has decided in favour of prohibiting the sale of alcohol in the African territories. The marriage of Miss Margaret Blaine, eldest daughter of the Secretary of State, and Walter Damroch, of New York, is announced to take place April 17th. Michigan lumber manufacturers are working at Washington to fix the U. S. tariff on lumber to retaliate on Canada if the export duties on logs are continued. There is alarming epidemic of diphtheria at East Stroudsburg, Pa., and deaths are occurring daily. The course of the disease is traced to improper drainage. Major Panitz, who was arrested for conspiring against Prince Ferdinand, has confessed that the object of the plotters was to reconcile Bulgaria and Russia. E. Eckhart, living fifteen miles north-west of Fulton, South Dakota, stabbed his two sons and cut his wife's throat on Friday morning. The injured still live. Mr. Veey Knox (Nationalist) was elected to the seat in the House of Commons, for the west division of County Carlow, in place of the death of Mr. Biggar. There was no opposition. The miners of the Gallatin Coal and Coke Company's mines, Pennsylvania struck yesterday in opposition to the steam mine driller which the Company introduced. The works are closed. The British sailing schooner Fathfinder, was seized and taken to Portland, Oregon, on Friday night by the U. S. revenue cutter Corwin. By orders from Washington, she was released on Saturday. A German spy has been arrested at Epinal with documents in his possession which show that there exists an organized system of espionage of the French forts and camps along the Franco-German frontier. In the parish of Buckingham, near Montreal, lives Madame Poirier, who is 93 years old, and is the mother of 21 children. She married when 15 years of age, and at the age of 17 was the mother of three children. Dr. T. S. Wilcox, Superintendent of the Brooklyn Sanitarium and Dispensing Hospital, was convicted of larceny in having obtained \$1,746 from the fund set apart for charitable institutions, claiming he conducted a charitable hospital. London Punch publishes a cartoon on the resignation of Bismarck entitled "Dropping the Pilot." The cartoon represents Emperor William leaning over the bulwarks of a vessel and contemplating Bismarck as he descends a ladder hanging over the ship's side. The bill granting to telegraph companies the right to construct lines of telegraph on all railroads in the States of Washington was passed by the Senate last week and by the House Friday last. The bill was in favor of the Canadian Pacific and Postal Company's system of telegraph. A general strike is threatened at the Remington Type-writer Works at Ilion, because of the discharge of Foreman Clark and of the resignation of Superintendent Jenne. Both have been employed in the business twenty years, and many of the improvements in the Remington machine have been made by Jenne. THE ALIEN LABOR LAW. Witnesses Favor Mr. Taylor's Bill as a Protection to Workmen. OTTAWA, March 28.—A meeting of the Alien Labor Law Committee was held this morning, Mr. Taylor being in the chair. The first witness examined was Mr. Elliott of The Bridge Times. He was in favor of the bill, not in the way of a retaliatory measure but as a protection to workmen. Mr. Corey of St. Catharines, who represents the Knights of Labor and other labor unions, was next examined. His evidence was to the effect that in the interests of the working classes the bill was a good one. The workmen did not wish it as a retaliatory measure, but merely as a protection to themselves. He did not object to reciprocity in labor, but as long as the United States refused to allow Canadians to reside in Canada and work in the United States, as though this country ought to take a similar position.

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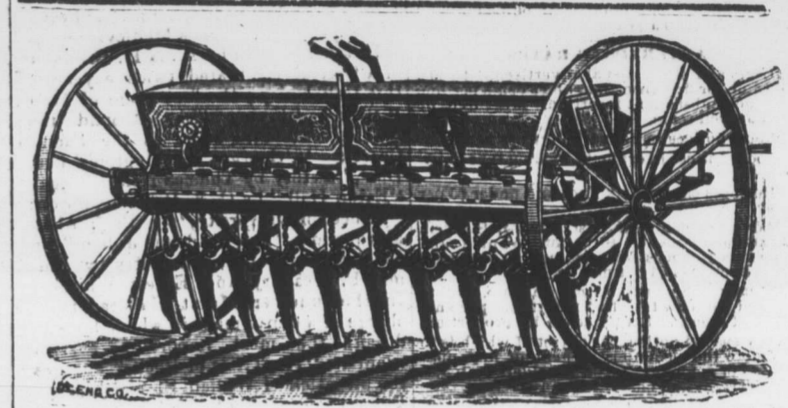
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TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the Special Meeting held Tuesday Evening Last. The town council met last Tuesday evening, the 8th inst. The members present were the deputy reeve and councilors Dunlop and McKennie. The minutes of last special and regular meetings were read, approved and signed.

The treasurer's statement for March, showing a balance on hand of \$2,431.75, was referred to the finance committee. The fire warden reported three fires since his last report, and the action of the fire department reported nine accidents during the month of March—six adults and three children.

Communications from Messrs John Acheson and Colborne Bros., stating that they do not object to continue the use of the electric light (Saturday excepted) until September, as the lamps are not lighted until after the closing hour of their stores, were referred to the electric light committee to make arrangements for their use on Saturday evening.

A communication from Willis Chapman, objecting to the reputation by the council of two items in his account, was referred to the waterworks and electric light committee; and one from the Gordon Steam Pump Co., respecting their account, was sent to the same committee.

A number of accounts were referred to the finance committee. REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE. Your finance committee beg to report that they have examined the following accounts and would recommend their payment upon being duly certified, viz:—Goldie & McCulloch, \$20.47; Ogilvie and Hutchison, \$3.28; Hart & Co., \$9.00; J. M. Proudfoot, \$7.50. We would recommend that the accounts of the Globe Carbon Co. and the Gordon Steam Pump Co. lie over for future consideration. We have examined the water rates book in connection with members of the waterworks and electric light committee and would recommend the adoption of the rates as therein made out.

(Signed) Wm Proudfoot, Chairman. The report was adopted. The waterworks committee was instructed to connect the two new wells in use at the harbor with the wells at present in such manner as they shall deem advisable, and it was also empowered to purchase a car load of 4-inch pipe.

The application of Mr. Jos. Williams for water to supply a motor was referred to the waterworks committee for reconsideration. Moved by Nicholson, seconded by Holt, that Ogilvie & Hutchison be requested to have the track in front of their mills planked and the clerk be instructed to notify them to that effect. The matter was referred to the harbor committee.

The public works committee was empowered to purchase what plank is required from Jos. Kidd at \$10, to be examined by the inspector. The council then adjourned.

The Lady Next Door. Mrs W. envied the lady next door because she always seemed so well and happy. "She enjoys life and I don't," said the discontented woman. "How I would like to change places with her!" At last she made the acquaintance of the object of her envy, and this is what the lady told her: "Happy? Of course I am not happy. You are suffering from functional derangements. I was a martyr to female weakness for years, but Dr Pierce's Favorite Prescription cured me, as it will you if you try it. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or price (\$1.00) returned.

Dr Pierce's Pills, one a dose. Cure headache, constipation and indigestion. Miss H. Foxton, Clinton, let for Manitoba on Wednesday last week.

THE DOMINION IN BRIEF.

Sheriff Charneau is reported to be dying in Quebec. Seeding is general in Southern Manitoba and on the Portage plains.

Premier Marcellin intends bringing on the local election at any early date. Montreal Gas Company paid semi-annual dividends of 8 per cent. last year.

A spring flood is threatened by the rapid rising of the Rideau river at Ottawa. Prof. Goldwin Smith is expected to visit Winnipeg in the course of two months.

The evidence in the Weeks-Sutherland poisoning case at Charlottetown, P. E. I., is all in.

Mr. J. M. Robertson, of the Central Experimental farm, expects to visit Manitoba shortly.

At a meeting of Maritime stove founders, it was agreed to advance the price of stoves 7 1/2 per cent.

A carpenter's strike is threatened in Winnipeg in the attempt to enforce the nine-hour system.

W. C. McDonald, of Montreal, will make a donation of \$150,000 towards the law faculty of McGill.

The schooner Queen of the Lakes cleared from Kingston for Oswego Friday morning, with 17,500 bushels of barley.

Michael Smith, Owen Sound, was sentenced to 23 months in the Central Prison for the abduction of Ellen Jane Dalby.

Rev. Mr. Tonson, president of the Primitive Methodist Conference, at London fell lead on the street Saturday.

Five thousand bushels of two-rowed barley for distribution among the farmers of the Dominion has arrived in Montreal.

John Fall, member for East Victoria was nominated to carry the colors of the party at the next Legislative elections.

A representative of an English syndicate is in Montreal wanting to buy up the lithographic establishments of that city.

Graham and Wilson, Whitty burglars, have been sentenced to ten months and a year, respectively in the Central Prison.

Rev. J. J. Forbes, son-in-law of William Crawford, of Montreal, who went as missionary to the Caroline Islands, is in the city.

Tramps entered the house of Rev. F. Corrivault, parish priest at Disraeli, Quebec, and beat him badly after robbing his house.

A convention of East York Conservatives voted 22 to 5 against E. A. Macdonald's candidature, but he was still in the ring.

Edward Mason, a youth employed in Labatt's brewery, London, had his left hand triflingly cut by the bursting of a bottle.

The death is announced of Mr. Hugh Mackay, head of the Montreal dry goods firm of Mackay Brothers. He was 57 years of age.

The New Canadian tariff on nursery stock has caused the agents of American nurseries to retire from business in Windsor and Essex.

The Lincoln Reform convention, nominated Capt. W. Garson, the sitting member, to contest Lincoln county for the Local Legislature.

The Fuel Conservative Association has nominated Mr. Jas. L. Hughes, School Inspector of Toronto, to contest the riding for the Local House.

Toronto is threatened with a big labor strike. A large number of masons and bricklayers are now on strike and other trades are expected to follow suit.

J. G. White, the New York commercial traveler, who attempted to commit suicide at the St. Lawrence hall, Montreal, lies in a very precarious condition.

Mr. Victor A. Robertson, son of Judge Robertson, of Hamilton, died at Portage on Friday of inflammatory rheumatism. He was 35 years of age.

Mr. Johnson, manager of Dup, Wiman & Co., at Montreal, has estimated that the amount of savings during February and March is about 60 per cent.

Donald Chisholm, M. P. for the New Westminster district, died on Sunday morning, aged 68 years. The remains will be taken to Antigonish, N. S., for interment.

The Conservative of Addington have reaffirmed their decision to sustain Mr. James Reid, of Camden, as the standard-bearer of that riding for the Local Legislature.

Mr. Chas. Saywell, of Southwold, settled the \$10,000 to the Mackay Institute for Deaf Mutes; \$1,000 to St. Andrew's Home and \$1,000 to the Montreal General Hospital. The estate foots up over a million dollars.

James McLeod of Whitehill, near Ficton, who was committed for trial for poisoning his wife by mixing oxalic acid with her tea, and was held in \$5,000 bonds, has been arrested. It was feared he would skip and his bondsman withdrew.

On March 28th a man named B. Hanger tried to slip with another man's wife, a Mrs. Lafontaine, both residents of the town of Lunenburg, Quebec. But while trying to cross over to Port Louis on the ice they were through, and both were drowned.

William Harris, brakeman, was killed at Timonburg on Thursday. The train was rounding a sharp curve, and Harris who was on top of the car, was thrown to the ground. His head struck the timbers of a cattle-guard and he only lived a few minutes.

Constant Girardin, heir to the estate of the late Ernest Chanteloup, brass founder, valued at \$250,000, arrived in Montreal from France Sunday to claim the property. She had never seen her Uncle Chanteloup and the bequest was an entire surprise.

A farmer named Taylor, who wanted to take his daughter away from the International Hotel at Bury, Que. where she was employed as a servant, quarreled with Hunt, the proprietor, over the matter, when the latter shot the farmer. The wound is likely to prove fatal. Hunt has been lodged in jail.

The famous radical slander case, which promised a sensational trial at the Belleville assizes, has been antily settled. The parties having been examined on oath in presence of each other, Dr. Gibson denied that he had uttered any of the slanders charged. Dr. Wilson accepted the denial and stated his belief that Dr. Gibson made no mistake in the diagnosis of Mrs. Boyle's case.

Judge Botsford fell through a second-story window in the Moncton, N. B., Club Saturday and struck the sidewalk 15 feet below on his back. He was put on his back and is supposed to have fainted. He was picked up unconscious and grew steadily worse till noon Sunday, when he expired. Deceased was 77 years old and weighed over 200 pounds. His wife, three daughters and a son survive him. He was a brother of Senator Botsford.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

It is stated the Russian Czar is suffering from fainting fits. The Horace Greaves, the explorer, has started from Zanzibar for Rome.

All the Joliet, Ill., stone quarries are idle. Nearly 1,000 men quit work. The Horace Greaves homestead at Chipewagan, N. Y. is burned down.

There are rumors of a partially successful attempt upon the life of the Czar. The French Government has ordered the construction of 30 torpedo boats in private yards.

A nihilist who was concerned in the murder of Prefect Meuseff has been arrested at St. Petersburg.

The Shah of Persia has signed a tobacco monopoly in Persia to a syndicate of English capitalists.

H. M. S. Sultan has captured a dhow with 12 enslaved Wanganem workers aboard near Zanzibar.

The Birmingham, N. Y., painters and decorators struck for an increase of wages from \$2 to \$2.50 per day.

The Brazilian bishop will shortly issue a pastoral refusing to consent to the separation of Church and State.

Dom Pedro is unwell at Cannes. Dr. Charlier was summoned from Paris, considering his illness not serious.

The United States steamer Alliance was not allowed to enter the harbor of Malaga as she had no bill of health.

The hide, leather, and shoe trade of New York is protesting against the proposed duty of 15 per cent. on hides.

The United States Tariff bill has been amended so as to increase the duty on the finer grades of cotton hosiery.

The Prince of Wales paid a flying visit to Paris on his way from Berlin to Cannes. He took breakfast with Baron Hirsch.

John Kemmler has been re-sentenced to death, and he will be executed by electricity within the week beginning April 28th.

Five hundred union carpenters at Lynn, Mass., quit work in an effort to enforce a demand for nine hours a day at \$2.75 per day.

A young professor named Odin, connected with the Lausanne Academy, was killed recently while making the ascent of the Alps.

Dom Pedro has refused to accept the proceeds of the forced sale of his Brazilian property ordered by the Provincial Government.

William Schreck, a former hotel keeper in Rochester, whose mind had become weak, wandered away on Wednesday night and his body was found in a pond.

Rumors are afloat in Berlin that the Emperor has had a scene with his new chancellor, Count von Caprivi, and that Prince Bismarck will likely be recalled.

Three valuable paintings in the Maria della Pace Church were burned Saturday by the upsetting of a lamp. Raphael's fresco "The Sibyls" narrowly escaped.

Search is being made for one McGregor, bank clerk, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and a socialist. He was traced to Niagara Falls and there he bought a ticket for Kingston. He cannot be located.

A bill has been introduced into the New York State Senate authorizing the construction of a railway bridge over the Niagara River, between the cantilever and the old suspension bridge.

The Portuguese Government has invited one firm in America and several firms in other countries to make tenders for construction of four new cruisers. No tenders from English firms are invited.

The peasants are rising in Riazan, and blood has already been shed. The agitation is spreading to Finland and Poland, and general strikes and Cossacks have been sent to quell the disorder. The excitement is intense.

The stove mill of J. H. Husing & Co., Huntsville, Ill., was blown to pieces by a boiler explosion, and the proprietor and one of his men were instantly killed. Nine persons were injured. Three were fatally hurt.

The New York grand jury found an indictment for criminal contempt against Dwight Cheate, the reporter who was caught excusing himself in the Place Vendôme, and has been sent to jail for contempt of court.

The New York grand jury made a presentment in which they insist that the Legislature amend the present law against him, as it will be a felony for any public official to take money in any shape outside his salary and legal fees.

Enin Pasha has arrived at Zanzibar. He has less objection concerning the proposed expedition than his employees, and he reported he wishes to cancel his engagement and return to Europe before deciding as to his future plans.

A craft containing twenty negroes who were trying to escape from the flood, was capsized in the mouth of Bogue Falaye at Vicksburg, the rapid current having carried the frail craft against a tree. Thirteen of the crew reached the shore alive.

The Pope has finally declared what shall be the position of the Vatican respecting the Brazilian Republic. Nuncio Sovernini has been instructed to order the bishops and clergy of Brazil to recognize the Republic on condition that the rights of the Church are respected.

Lord Randolph Churchill ridicules the idea that the Land Purchase bill is a pacifying and tranquilizing measure. He predicts that the tenants will resort to repudiation of rent, which will throw Ireland into such a condition of anarchy as will give strong support to the Home Rulers' demand for an Irish Parliament.

When six men boarded a train near Mount Carroll, Ill., and with drawn revolvers cried, "Throw up your hands!" the passengers became frightened, thinking they were train robbers. They were relieved, therefore, when the men produced handcuffs and placed two of the passengers under arrest. The prisoners were the notorious Bennett brothers, who are accused of safe-blowing.

George Lang, aged 42, became suddenly insane at his home, three miles from Egg Harbor, N. J. He set fire to a bed in which his 2-year-old daughter was sleeping, and afterwards fired the house. Mrs. Lang and seven children were rescued with difficulty. Lang himself refused to leave the building, and threatened his rescuers with a shot gun. Lang finally jumped into a burning bed and perished.

A fog signal prematurely exploded Saturday night at the famous Bell Rock lighthouse off the east coast of Scotland. The dome was shattered by the explosion and the light was extinguished for the first time since the lighthouse was built in 1811. After the explosion a passing steamer had a narrow escape from being wrecked on the rocks owing to the absence of the light. She was warned just in time by fog signals.

The unaccountable disappearance of a package containing \$10,000 is troubling the United States Express Company. The money was sent by Saturday between the United States express office and the National bank of Illinois, Chicago, for which institution it was intended. The messenger in whose keeping the package had been given has not been arrested. He says when he looked in the little safe the money was gone.

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COUNTY CURRENCY.

Items of Interest from over the County.

A Weekly Digest of the County News...

O. Tuesday, 25th ult., Geo. Campbell left Bussell for Killarney, Manitoba.

Mr. James McNeil has rented his 50 acres on the 3rd con. of Hallett to his brother.

Dr. Wright has returned to Bayfield, and is now in possession of Dr. Nichol's practice.

Principal Turnbull, of Clinton College Institute, is now on the highway of recovery.

Mr. David Naylor, St. Helens, left on Tuesday of last week for Deloraine, Manitoba.

Mr. Misner, of Dunganook, has secured the position of head-sawyer in Mr. Todd's mills of St. Helens.

Messrs. Ransford, Clinton, have bought the 114 acres on the Huron road, Tuckersmith, owned by Mr. Geo. Shipley.

Mrs. Stewart, of McKillop, has purchased the small house on Goderich street, Seaforth, from Dr. Hanover, for \$250.

Mr. Simon Barrows and family, McKillop, move this week from the thirtieth concession to their farm west of Walton.

Old Mr. Bates died on Monday, 24th ult., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Fralick, Morris, at the advanced age of over 80 years.

Whitlat bailiff Campbell, of Blyth, was making a seizure of some chattels on a farm near Blyth, he was attacked by the owner with a pitch fork.

Wingham is about to lose two very popular young ladies, in the persons of the Misses Bonthron, as they intend to leave there in about two weeks.

Mr. Jas. D. McGill of the 9th con. of Hullett, has gone to Colorado, where he will spend the summer, and if the country and climate suit him he may locate there.

Mr. George W. Forest has rented his farm on the 5th concession of Stanley, to his neighbor, Mr. John Reid, for a term of years and intends retiring from the business.

Mr. W. McMullen, Clinton, died on Monday morning of last week. For a number of years he resided in Hullett, but he moved to Clinton to reside several years ago.

A Mitchell exchange referring to the electric light says:—"The lights, after burning fifteen minutes, went out on Monday evening and again left the town in darkness."

Mr. P. Anderson, of the 6th con., Turnbull, has sold his 100 acre farm to a gentleman from near Whitechurch for \$6,000. Mr. Anderson retaining possession of the farm for this season.

Mr. James Riddell, formerly of Manitoba, who has been working his father's farm on the 13th con., Hullett, for the last three years, has returned with his family to Manitoba.

Mrs. James Love, of Seaforth, has been prostrated with an attack of paralysis, and is now in a critical condition, and being a lady well up in years makes her recovery more doubtful.

While Robert, youngest son of Samuel Thuel, Morris, was driving to the bush for a load of wood on his father's farm on the 6th line of Morris, he met with an accident whereby his leg was broken in two places below the knee.

Jno. McKenzie, of Guelph, has secured the appointment of section boss for Brussels section G. T. R. He is an experienced railroad man and is a brother to K. McKenzie, who is retiring for the purpose of going into farming.

Mr. James A. Anderson, Seaforth, was appointed Sanitary Inspector at the same salary as last year. The Seaforth Board of Health for 1890 will consist of Dr. Mackie, Medical Health Officer, Wm. Selater, Wm. Kline and Michael Madigan.

Mr. Will Floody, formerly in the News-Record office, Clinton, but later of Toronto, who has been spending a few weeks with the old folk in Clinton, left last week for Albany, N.Y., where he expects to secure work in the State Printing Office.

While Mr. G. Tebbutt, Holmesville, was sawing wood one day last week, a limb from a tree fell and struck him on the back of the neck, knocking him senseless, which was a very lucky escape, for had the limb not fallen across the log, thereby breaking the blow, it no doubt would have proved fatal.

Mr. James Gilmore, of the 3rd con., Stanley, will be 95 years old if he lives until the 6th day of April, 1890. He has lived in the township during the last 47 years. He is in the best of health and bids fair to see the end of the present century. If there is an older man or woman in the county we should like to hear from them.

Mr. Brew Williams has leased that choice farm lately owned by Geo. Gibson, E. Wawaroch, for a term of five years, paying \$200 for the first year and \$250 a year for the remainder of the term, with the privilege of putting \$50 in improvements each year. Mr. Gibson proposes removing to Manitoba and settling on his land there.

On Friday evening, 21st ult., after an illness of only a couple of weeks, Robert, son of Wm. Sholdice, of the 9th con., Morris, died at the early age of 18 years. The remains were conveyed to their last resting place in Brussels cemetery on the Sunday afternoon following. This is the second death in the family within a month, and other members of the family are prostrated with the disease.

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HEALTH NOTES.

Some Serious Mistakes.

It is a mistake to labor when you are not in a fit condition to do so. To think that the more a person sets the healthier and stronger he will become. To go to bed at midnight and rise at daybreak, and imagine that every hour that he sleeps is an hour gained. To imagine that if a little work or exercise is good, violent or prolonged exercise is better. To conclude that the smallest room in the house is large enough to sleep in. To eat as if you had only a minute to finish your meal, or to eat without an appetite, or sometime after it has been satisfied, merely to satisfy the taste. To believe that children can do as much work as grown people, and that the more hours they study the more they learn. To imagine that whatever remedy causes one to feel immediately better (as alcoholic stimulants) is good for the system without regard to the after-effects. To take off your proper clothing out of season because you have become heated.

Worry Kills, Not Work.

It is not the revolution that destroys machinery, but friction. Work is good for the soul, good for the body and good for the mind. If you want a good appetite don't worry. If you want to stand well with yourself and the world, and want things to go right in your home and your business, do not worry. If you want to size up 100 cents on the dollar do not worry.

Early Rising.

Most of the talk about early rising is moonshine. The habit of turning out of bed in the middle of the night, and some people; let them enjoy it. But it is only folly to lay down a general rule upon the subject, says a writer in the Domestic Monthly. Some men are fit for nothing at all after they have risen early every morning. The energies are exhausted, their imaginations are heavy, their spirits are depressed. It is said you can work so well in the morning. Some people can, but others can work best at night; others, again, in the afternoon.

Long trial and experiment form the only conclusive tests upon these points. We all know the model man, aged eighty. "I invariably rise at five; I work three hours, take a light breakfast—namely, a cracker and a pinch of salt—work five hours more, never smoke, never drink anything but barley water, eat no dinner and go to bed at six the evening. If anybody finds that a keyed sort of life will suit him, by all means let him continue it. But few people would care to live to eighty on these terms.

Minard's Linctament is used by Physicians.

If a man cannot get all withered and crumpled up on an inferior condition than those it is almost as well that he should depart before he is a nuisance to himself and a bore to everybody else. School-boys and young people generally ought to get up early, for it is found that nine-tenths of them can stand it, and it does them good. But let no one torture himself with the thought that he could have been twice as good a man as he is if he had risen every morning at daylight. The habit would kill half of us in less than five years.

Hints for April.

The first balmy breeze of spring are very apt to suggest to the inexperienced the need of lighter wraps than the heavy coats and cloaks of winter. It is an exceedingly dangerous thing to make any changes in the clothing at the present time, when the weather may change in an hour from a mild, "lamblike" southern breeze to a heavy "lionlike" north-easter. It is far better to endure a little positive discomfort from the weight which will result from a change at this season. The old wives' rule, "Make no changes in your undergarments until the apple blossoms fall," is a wise and safe one. When the season is not backward, however, the winter coat and cloak may be replaced by lighter ones long before this time. Our apple blossoms seldom fall before June, though varying with the season several weeks. In an ordinary season it is time to replace winter wrappings with spring coats and jackets and put away furs by the middle of April, but not before. The time when Easter was the appointed day for donning a spring gown and bonnet, whether the day fell in March or later in April, has gone by. The state of the weather has far more to do with the time of changing from winter to spring attire than anything else. New York people are much more in dread of being thought "to rush the season" than of keeping their winter dresses on beyond the season, as a rule, the denizens of the kitchen bloom out in their spring gowns long before their mistresses. Delicate persons are likely to feel first the oppression of heavy winter wrappings and should be the last to remove them. In point of fact, the most intelligent physicians now advocate the use of light underwear of pure wool all the year round. It has been repeatedly proved that those who wear wool undergarments do not suffer so much from the heat as those who do not. It is also known that little children who have been brought up from infancy clothed in a complete suit of wool next the skin, including socks or stockings, do not suffer from diseases of the bowels and digestive organs to any such extent as those who are not so protected. Certainly the greatest care should always be exercised in reducing the amount of clothing worn by a young child, though it is a greater burden the child with clothes. Changes should be made as late as possible.

Constipation claims many victims. Ward off this dread disease by the use of Small Sugar-Coated Burdock Pills when needed.

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FARM AND GARDEN.

Support for Grape Vines.

The advantages of wire or brush support to a growing grape vine are too often overlooked, and the young canes are left to swing about, at the sport of the wind, which, by its continued twisting and turning of their weak frames, about brings their growth to a standstill. Almost every observer has at some time had opportunity of seeing with what a constantly accelerating rate of progress a cane pushes on which has caught the hold of a tree top, where there are twigs at hand for every touch to clasp as soon as formed, and so full means of holding one node of growth safe and firm while the material goes on to build the next. It is only the small twigs which serve as such ladder steps, and wire as a good substitute because it is of the same size and affords a firm hold. Some think it is the vapor transmitted from the foliage of a tree which so encourages the growth of grape shoots and leaves in its top. That may be an aid, especially in preserving them from mildew, but we see equally free growth in a tree top destitute of leaves if the twigs are yet strong enough to carry the weight which gradually accumulates upon them. Nurserymen, when desirous of raising strong young vines of best quality, substitute string ties now and then for the natural clasp of the tendril, and so confine the young shoot to an erect and pinching off all laterals and even the tendrils, but taking the utmost care not to harm a leaf. With this treatment and clean culture the one shoot left, and its leaves, become so large and heavy that it will be ready to produce fine specimens of fruit the next year. On the other hand, the individual shoot may be thus treated with great advantage where there is leisure to so train it.

A Trellis of Sweet Peas.

One of the most lovely of all trellises is one covered with sweet peas. A light frame of galvanized wire made in network to support the delicate tendrils of the vine is necessary. There have been great improvements in sweet peas in late years, the new varieties producing a much larger flower and one of a more varied hue. Nothing is prettier, however, than the pink and white "painted lady," which is one of the easiest and most robust varieties. A trellis of sweet peas may be started in any sunny spot at once, the sooner the better if the ground is well fertilized in the fall. Gardeners sow their sweet peas in the fall.

An Intelligent Dog.

There is a dog we are acquainted with, Lion by name, who gives daily proofs that he knows what is said to him. A lady called the other day. During her call Lion came in, lay down on the parlor carpet and shut his eyes. The conversation went on, and the visitor said:—"What a handsome dog you have!" Lion opened one eye. "Yes," said his mistress, "he is a very good dog, and takes good care of the children."

Lion opened the other eye and waved his tail and fro along the carpet.

"When the baby goes out he always goes with her, and I feel sure that no harm can come to her," his mistress went on.

Lion's tail thumped up and down violently on the carpet.

"And he is so gentle to them all, and such a playmate and companion that we would not take up thousand dollars for him."

Lion's tail now went up and down, up and fro and round and round with great glee.

"But," said his mistress, "Lion has one fault."

Total quiet of Lion's tail, together with appearance of great concern on his face.

"He will come in here with dirty feet and lie down on the carpet, when I have told him time and again that he must not do it."

Lion rose with an air of shame, and slunk out of the room, with his tail down.—Boston Record.

A Trip to Manitoba.

Last year I went to Manitoba on the C. P. R. At Rat Portage I got sick, and at Winnipeg I was so weak I had to be assisted off the train. I got a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and after the first dose felt better. When I got to Boissevain I was as well as ever. The Bitters cured the effects of the surface water of the prairie.

2 DONALD MUNRO, Bolover, Ont.

A Fastidious Appetite.

Farmer—You kin feed them cows some corn in the ear tonight. New Hen—No, I don't. Yesterday air, but they-peared to like it better in the mouth.—American Grocer.

Josephine's Jottings.

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Heir to an Estate.

"Sure," cried an Irishman, "and I'm heir to a splendid estate under my father's will. When he died, he ordered my brother to divide the house with me; and by St. Patrick, he did it—for he made me the heir, and gave me the outside!"

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Pearls Before Swine.

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COLBORNE. COUNCIL MEETING.—The council met in the township hall pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. The minutes of last meeting read and approved. The following accounts were passed, viz:—Jno. Clark (charity purposes), wood per Mrs. Brindley, \$5.25; R. Kerr, repairing bridge at B. M. V., \$125. A. Young moved, seconded by A. Molloy, that P. A. Robertson's application to change W. 1 of lot 3 on 3rd con. from S. S. No. 2 into S. S. No. 1. Carried. A. Molloy moved, seconded by A. Young, that the clerk be instructed to get one set of Revised Statutes of Ontario for each member of the council board. Carried. The roads and councillors appointed the 20th day of May for going around and examining the roads, and then to let the jobs on the 30th and 31st days of May. The board then adjourned to meet as a Court of Revision on the 28th day of May. J. H. RICHARDS, Clerk. Carlow, April 1st, 1890.

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A Variety of Jottings of the Paris Spring Fashions. A jaunty, and at the... mical, little fad is the... customary costs in the... kind of skirts which do... pleasantly in color. Th... blue or brown, made ex... cutaway coat, fastened... with one button, and of... fancy skirts made also i... of those worn by me... tight fitting at the bas... down collar and lapels... is completed with gold... these are rather too... livery to become uni... A black skirt, a blue or... blue linen or silk shirt... the most "swagger" an... outfit now in the marke... Walking dresses form... of the modish woman's... athletic exercises are... fashionable daily reg... worn only for the purp... gnated their creation... style and unique in fash... girls average three an... in width, and reach ba... For slim, girlish figure... very much in front and... fitted closely to the fig... fullest massed at the... more substantial fabric... gathers or flat plaits al... ed on a waistband and... or flannel shirt. The... opens to show a white... coat, or is closed near... playing only a neat col... type and unique in fash... soles, high in the leg... boots, complete the cas... ually of rough serge i... gray, or of the so-c... rough in texture but li... As sleeves increase... minish in circumference... Steels have been per... most ingeniously; his... naturally less, and are... remedy nature's defect... fullness is no more. e... fine, falling as straight... close as possible, or pl... no vestige of drapery; a... materials are character... of fashion's most cle... eccentric and exagger... the fashionable sleeve... gest that there wasn't... the dress pattern... skirts, and generous... eliminated, from u... nomy. However, th... and little limbed Hebe... in the style which r... and beauty of form, a... dumpy, unfortunate... women don the clings... high bitterness of so... they are immodest an... they will be glad... changes.

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THE POET'S CORNER.

Advanced Thought. Men don't believe in the devil now As their fathers used to do; They've fished the door of the broadest creed To let his majesty through.

THE FASHIONS.

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Progress in Science. Metal tires for railroads are proving very satisfactory. French wine-growers have superstitious appreciation of comets, and expect good crops because four comets will be seen during the summer.

How to Wash Light Curtains. India silk, pongee or other light silk curtains should be carefully washed with the hands in lukewarm soda made of pure, white soap, and rinsed two or three times in clear, cold water; wring them out, fold and roll them tightly in a dry cloth, but do not let them get dry before ironing or they will never look smooth.

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Central Telephone Exchange, Cor. North-st. and Square. Goderich, April 10th, 1890.

From our own correspondent. La grippe has relinquished his grip about here and retired unobtrusively for by the numerous parties who suffered from his noxious grip.

From our own correspondent. NILE. Our roads are improving. Miss Barbara Jackson continues very low.

From our own correspondent. BULLETT. Mr. Melbourne Spring is confined to his house with inflammatory rheumatism.

From our own correspondent. BENMILLER. Mr. G. Maedel, of Clinton, spent Good Friday here.

From our own correspondent. SALTFOURD. Mr. George McIntyre spent Good Friday in Clinton.

From our own correspondent. DUNGANNON. The concert under the auspices of the Y. P. S. here was held according to previous announcement in the Methodist church on Wednesday evening, the 2nd inst.

LEEBORN. From our own correspondent. Several children about here are suffering from the measles rather severely this week.

From our own correspondent. HOME AGAIN—Master Willie Linklater, who has been residing in Edgar, Simcoe Co., for the past six months with his uncle, Dr. W. H. Clutton, returned home on the 3rd inst.

From our own correspondent. CHURCH NOTES—As mentioned several weeks ago, Captain James Bogie was appointed, at his own request, to assist in aid of the present debt on the church here.

From our own correspondent. Robert Mullen has given up hotel keeping and left our burg. Nile is too dry a place for that business.

From our own correspondent. GREY. The roads are in a very bad state just now.

From our own correspondent. A public school examination was held in school section No. 8, on the 3rd inst.

From our own correspondent. The monthly meeting of the directors of the popular society known as the West Wawanosh Mutual Fire Insurance Co. was held in the court room on Tuesday, the 8th inst.

From our own correspondent. Business is still on the increase in our hamlet. Miss Allie McMath has opened out an establishment for cleaning, repairing and trimming ladies' bonnets or hats.

From our own correspondent. Mr. Jas. McKaig and wife returned last week to their farm near Dunganon, and intend to work it as formerly.

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Local Notice All advance notices in the Signal of marriages, deaths, etc., are charged, or from which any benefit is derived.

BORN. CLUTTON—At Bradfordville the 8th of April, 1890, a daughter.

MARRIED. McLILWAIN—McPHER—On the 8th of April, 1890, at the residence of Mrs. J. A. Anderson.

DEPARTED. TEWSELEY—In Colborne's 18th, Barbara, eldest daughter of J. A. Reid.

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