

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

MARRIED.

JONES-WARRIN.—At the Westminster parsonage, Lambeth, on the 22nd inst., by the Rev. T. Wesley Cosens, Mr. Charles Wesley Jones to Miss Minnie Isabella Warren, both of Westminster.

DIED.

AXTON.—Suddenly, at Wingham, Ont., on Jan. 22, 1901, George Axton, aged 67 years and 8 months.

FUNERAL will take place from his late residence, 370 Ontario street, on Thursday, Jan. 24, at 3 p.m., to Memorial Church. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

HANLON.—In this city, on Jan. 22, 1901, John Hanlon, aged 82 years, late of the G. T. R.

FUNERAL from the family residence, 277 Wellington street, on Friday, Jan. 25, at 2 p.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

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THE DEAD SOVEREIGN

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The Funeral Is To Take Place February 2nd

At Windsor Castle—The King Directing All Arrangements.

Telegrams Containing Messages of Sorrow and Sympathy Continue to Arrive From All Quarters of the World.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Jan. 24.—2:38 p.m.—The funeral of the Queen has been fixed to take place at Windsor Castle on Feb. 2. The body of the late Queen will be removed from Osborne House on Feb. 1. It is the expressed desire of the Queen that the funeral should be military in character. Several officials arrived from Windsor this morning bringing the state regalia.

A service will be held today for the royal family and the household in the chapel at Osborne. IN OSBORNE HOUSE DINING-ROOM. Queen Victoria's body was embalmed and occupies the center of the dining-room, which is hung with trappings of mourning. Outside two officers are on guard. Within, two Indian attendants remain in company with the ladies-in-waiting, who are constantly present. The body is attired in black. The face is perfectly peaceful, and the remains have been placed with the arms folded. On the breast rests a beautiful gold cross. The features are very calm. The head is inclined slightly to the right. All about repose quantities of beautiful flowers. The honor of first seeing the body of the Queen was conferred on her personal retinue, and such a simple, pathetic scene, as many of the Queen's courtiers could not have occurred in any other monarchy.

All the servants and tenants were admitted. The footmen, the householders, the coachmen, the stable lads and the policemen, dressed in their Sunday clothes, filed through the room for four hours.

NO FORMALITIES. There were no formalities. It might have been the body of any country lady, whose tenants were bidding her a last farewell. Bent old men, children and families who had grown up on the estate, who regarded the Queen Victoria as a friend and patron, rather than a sovereign, took their turn. Their grief was the sorrow of those who had lost a friend. Many residents of Cowes and neighboring towns and some prominent people applied at the porters' lodge for admission, but they were told to come tomorrow.

GENUINE SORROW. There is no mistaking the reality of the sorrow of Cowes. "The Queen was always so good to us," they say. She knew personally many of the townspeople, and took real interest in their families, and their children's joys. She could call many of them by name, and often stopped in her drives to talk to them. Almost every house has a half-masted flag, and the store windows are draped with black and white.

Emperor William and Princess Louise walked to Wimpington Church in the afternoon. The Queen's body was taken to the chapel at 11 o'clock today the members of the royal family will gather around the body of the late Queen, which lies in a simple coffin in the Chapel of the Holy Sepulchre, formerly of the late Queen Victoria, removed from the occasion from the private chapel, will read a portion of the service for the dead. The coffin rests upon a specially erected platform, draped with royal purple, the feet lying to the east. The head faces the simple altar. Over the features is a thin veil. For a few

hours after the conclusion of this service the public will be admitted to the room, and allowed to view the remains of the sovereign. The body will remain until its removal to Windsor.

The cause of the Queen's death, as officially given, is senile decay. The doctors have adopted this expression as most suitable and truthful. They attribute the paralysis which attacked her as secondary to the general weakness of her condition, nor is it considered advisable, for reasons of state, to intimate that her intellect was dimmed by this particular form of the disease.

The Lancet says: Death was due to cerebral failure. Transient, but recurring symptoms of apathy and torpor, with a phasic indication, gave great uneasiness to the physicians a few days before the final illness. From Saturday these symptoms grew steadily graver, but the heart's action was maintained throughout and the temperature was normal.

THE LAST HOURS. Details of the dying hours were not obtainable until now. It appears that the Queen was moved on Sunday into a small cot, specially built with springs, which was surrounded by a screen. This was to enable the doctors to reach the patient easily on both sides. In this small bed she passed away. When Emperor William arrived he rushed, without taking off his overcoat, to her bedside, and the first words he said were words of regret that his mother was unable to come. "Yes," murmured the Queen, "I wish 'Vicky' could be here," using a pet name of her eldest daughter. On Tuesday afternoon, all the members of family were in readiness for the end. At four the Prince of Wales was summoned. Half an hour later he was joined by the other members of the family. At five o'clock the Duchess of York arrived, and the Queen kissed her saying, "I am glad you have come." The Bishop of Winchester began to pray. The Queen slowly sank into unconsciousness.

At 8:15 p.m. the end was thought to have come. The Prince of Wales and several others walked out of the room. But the vitality of the Queen once more won the day. For another fifteen minutes, with only the princess and a few others present, the feeble spark of life was maintained.

WHEN DEATH CAME. At 8:30, with Emperor William, the Prince of Wales and the others absent, death actually came. Death has softened the beautiful face, and the thin veil conceals no terrible defects. The hand of the mighty leveler dealt with her lovingly, and, as the last visitation of nature has been mercifully mitigated, so also have been the pomp and glory which accompany the accession of the King. Tuesday night neither he nor his wife would allow their entourage to address them by their correct titles.

TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL. Buckingham Palace is being made ready for the royal persons who are arriving in London. Representatives of all the royal families in Europe are probably present at the funeral, including the courtiers of Italy, Belgium and Greece, the crown princes of Germany and Sweden, and Archduke Francis Ferdinand of Austria. All the European courts will go into mourning for various periods.

The large force of detectives present from London is a precaution against any Anarchism to His Excellency of Emperor William, and not on account of the new King.

A naval salute of 21 guns was fired at noon today in honor of King Edward VII.

MESSAGES OF CONDOLENCE do not cease to pour in from all quarters of the world. President McKinley's early cablegram created a most favorable impression. It was forwarded around among the royal personages, with the general comment that American sympathy was truly the first to be received.

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Most of the European courts announced official mourning periods of from 21 to 30 days. From Australia, South Africa, Jamaica and other colonial points expressions of condolence and unprecedented loyalty to the throne.

All the governors have sent on behalf of their respective colonies, telegrams of condolence to King Edward and Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies.

COURT MOURNING. Orders have been issued for 6,500 troops to line the streets of London for the proclamation ceremony. The first of these, the court mourning, will last until July 24 and into half-mourning until Jan. 24, 1902. Lord Roberts ordered the army to adopt mourning until March 5. Memorial services will be held in St. Paul's Cathedral, morning and evening daily until the interment. At the first of these, the bishop of Winchester will read the service for the dead, and the choir will sing the "Dead March" and other funeral music was rendered.

IN NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON. New York, Jan. 24.—The governors of the stock exchange have decided to close the exchange from 10 to 11 o'clock on the day of the funeral of the late Queen Victoria.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.—Secretary Hay received from the clerk of the House of Representatives the resolution adopted by the House in observance of its sentiment upon the occasion of the death of the Queen. The Secretary caused this to be cable immediately to Ambassador Choate, with instructions to submit to the British government. The same treatment will be accorded the senate resolution on this subject when it is received at the department of state.

IN CANADA. Ottawa, Jan. 23.—It is very probable that the day of the Queen's funeral will be named as one of general mourning in Canada. The entrance to the parliament buildings will be draped with black, and the hall and private residences are already draped.

Today militia orders were issued providing that 101 minute guns shall be fired by the Canadian flags shall fly at half-mast, the color of the regiments shall be covered with crepe, bands shall not play, nor drums beat, and the military band shall be without the regulation shall be worn. The ribbons of decorations are also to be covered with crepe.

Montreal, Jan. 23.—The Montreal Corn Exchange for yesterday afternoon and adjourned for two weeks out of respect for the Queen's death. The usual resolution of condolence with the Queen was adopted.

Quebec, Jan. 23.—On receipt of the news of her majesty's death, about 1:30 p.m. yesterday, the bells of all the churches rang out in sympathetic accord. At the old city the royal standard was hung at half-mast to the breeze. Public and private entertainments have been canceled, and in

hours after the conclusion of this service the public will be admitted to the room, and allowed to view the remains of the sovereign. The body will remain until its removal to Windsor.

The cause of the Queen's death, as officially given, is senile decay. The doctors have adopted this expression as most suitable and truthful. They attribute the paralysis which attacked her as secondary to the general weakness of her condition, nor is it considered advisable, for reasons of state, to intimate that her intellect was dimmed by this particular form of the disease.

The Lancet says: Death was due to cerebral failure. Transient, but recurring symptoms of apathy and torpor, with a phasic indication, gave great uneasiness to the physicians a few days before the final illness. From Saturday these symptoms grew steadily graver, but the heart's action was maintained throughout and the temperature was normal.

THE LAST HOURS. Details of the dying hours were not obtainable until now. It appears that the Queen was moved on Sunday into a small cot, specially built with springs, which was surrounded by a screen. This was to enable the doctors to reach the patient easily on both sides. In this small bed she passed away. When Emperor William arrived he rushed, without taking off his overcoat, to her bedside, and the first words he said were words of regret that his mother was unable to come. "Yes," murmured the Queen, "I wish 'Vicky' could be here," using a pet name of her eldest daughter. On Tuesday afternoon, all the members of family were in readiness for the end. At four the Prince of Wales was summoned. Half an hour later he was joined by the other members of the family. At five o'clock the Duchess of York arrived, and the Queen kissed her saying, "I am glad you have come." The Bishop of Winchester began to pray. The Queen slowly sank into unconsciousness.

At 8:15 p.m. the end was thought to have come. The Prince of Wales and several others walked out of the room. But the vitality of the Queen once more won the day. For another fifteen minutes, with only the princess and a few others present, the feeble spark of life was maintained.

WHEN DEATH CAME. At 8:30, with Emperor William, the Prince of Wales and the others absent, death actually came. Death has softened the beautiful face, and the thin veil conceals no terrible defects. The hand of the mighty leveler dealt with her lovingly, and, as the last visitation of nature has been mercifully mitigated, so also have been the pomp and glory which accompany the accession of the King. Tuesday night neither he nor his wife would allow their entourage to address them by their correct titles.

TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL. Buckingham Palace is being made ready for the royal persons who are arriving in London. Representatives of all the royal families in Europe are probably present at the funeral, including the courtiers of Italy, Belgium and Greece, the crown princes of Germany and Sweden, and Archduke Francis Ferdinand of Austria. All the European courts will go into mourning for various periods.

The large force of detectives present from London is a precaution against any Anarchism to His Excellency of Emperor William, and not on account of the new King.

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La Grippe and Pneumonia

Are claiming more victims than war.

If the names of all who have died from la grippe and pneumonia in Canada alone, during the past week could be given, it would make people believe that there are worse things than war. Day and night the doctors are busy trying to relieve the sufferers.



Dr. E. L. Shurly, Detroit, an authority on pneumonia, says: "The exceeding prevalence of pneumonia at the present time is the direct result of la grippe. The symptoms vary according to the patient, sometimes developing into dysentery or nervous disorders, and more frequently into pneumonia. The ordinary pneumonia is not nearly so vicious as la grippe pneumonia. If the person attacked by the latter is in a condition of lowered vitality, the epidemic combination is likely to result fatally. On the contrary, if the patient is in good physical condition, an attack of bronchitis may be the only result."

With la grippe, as with every disease which leads to lung trouble, prompt action is of utmost importance. If taken frequently during the early stages of la grippe, Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine will positively prevent the disease from assuming serious proportions, and will guard the lungs from pneumonia, that dreaded companion of la grippe.

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As a means of loosening the cough, allaying the inflammation in the air passages, and soothing and healing the irritated membrane, this prescription of Dr. Chase is surprisingly effective. It has long been familiarly known as mothers' favorite remedy for croup, whooping cough, bronchitis and asthma, and since la grippe has been known in this fair land, has proven the most successful treatment attainable.

For the weakening and depressing effects of la grippe, and as a means of overcoming a low vitality, which is invariably an accompaniment of la grippe and pneumonia, many physicians recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. It is, beyond doubt, the most successful restorative and blood builder that this age has known. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, 25 cents a bottle. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box; all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Company, Toronto.

LOSS AWAY UP IN MILLIONS

Disastrous Conflagration Last Night in Montreal.

The Board of Trade and a Number of Other Buildings Burned—Blaze at Southampton.

Montreal, Jan. 24.—Several million dollars' worth of property was destroyed by fire here last night. The splendid board of trade building, built in 1891 at a cost of over half a million dollars, and regarded as one of the show buildings of Montreal, is in ruins, and the fire also destroyed many big wholesale establishments on St. Paul street, between St. Peter and St. Nicholas streets, including such big establishments as H. A. Nelson & Sons, fancy goods; Silverman and Boutlers, wholesale furriers; Beaudouin & Son, hats and furs; Jas. Coristine & Co., furriers; Seybold & Son, hardware; Laporte, Martin & Co., wholesale groceries, and a number of smaller establishments.

The fire started about 9:30 o'clock in Saxe & Co.'s clothing warehouse, on Leinster street, and jumped across to Nelson's fancy goods warehouse, and then to the board of trade building, a large stone six-story structure, occupying the best part of a block. The fire caught in the top stories of the building and spread rapidly, the whole building being soon in flames, and presenting a magnificent though terrible sight.

The flames jumped from the board of trade building to the buildings in the rear of the north side of St. Paul street from St. Nicholas to St. Peter streets, destroying all the establishments on that side of the street.

It then jumped across St. Paul street, and destroyed a number of buildings on the south side, and extended along Leinster street. It is impossible to give any accurate idea of the loss, but it is estimated that it will amount to between two and three million dollars.

THE LOSERS. Among the biggest losers outside of the destruction of the board of trade building are the following: Leinster street—M. Saxe & Son, on St. Peter street—H. A. Nelson, fancy goods; Silverman & Boutlers, wholesale furriers; Beaudouin & Son, hats and furs; Jas. Coristine & Co., furriers; Seybold & Son, hardware; Laporte, Martin & Co., wholesale groceries, and a number of smaller establishments.

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MAKING OF ART PIANOS

Some Beautiful Specimens of New Art Pianos on Exhibition at the Warehouses of Heintzman & Co.

The trend in piano making today, with those who would stand in the front rank as manufacturers, is towards instruments in special cases, and art designs, discarding in themselves and often made in cases to conform to the architecture and surroundings of the home. We have had these conditions brought to our observation when on a visit a few days since to the warehouses of Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, and had shown us a beautiful style "S" piano, representative of the art class. This piano is in a mahogany case of classic design. The gables are tastefully paneled, with cheek decorations and very artistic decorations of classic character in the upper panels. The trusses are square and decorated in conformity with the other features of the case. Quite naturally Mr. J. A. Croden, local manager, was taking a great deal of pleasure in showing these instruments to visitors. In this particular, as in others, the firm of Heintzman & Co. holds a distinctive and unique place as manufacturers.

If the world be divided into land and water hemispheres, London is the center of the land, New Zealand of the water.

SO RAPIDLY does lung irritation spread and deepen, that often in a few weeks a simple cold culminates in tubercular consumption. Give heed to a cough, there is always danger in delay, get a bottle of Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, and cure yourself. It is a medicine unsurpassed for all throat and lung troubles. It is compounded from several herbs, each one of which stands at the head of the list as exerting a wonderful influence in curing consumption and all lung diseases.

BLAZE AT SOUTHAMPTON. Southampton, Jan. 24.—Early yesterday morning fire completely destroyed Victor McGregor's store, occupied by James Pirie, drygoods and groceries. The building was valued at \$1,000; insurance \$300. Pirie's loss is \$1,000 covered by insurance. The cause of the fire is unknown.

A HAMILTON FIRE. Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 23.—The Dundas Lithographing Company, which occupied a large two-story brick building in rear of the market square and James street, was completely gutted by fire yesterday morning. Loss about \$20,000, fully covered by insurance. The concern is run by a joint stock company, and was pushed with orders.

LOSSES AT CINCINNATI. Cincinnati, Jan. 24.—The opera house here, which was destroyed by fire Tuesday night, belonged to Mrs. Charles P. Taft. It was uninsured, and she will lose \$20,000. The losses were about \$10,000, insured. The loss in the Butler building is \$75,000. The opera house will be rebuilt. Mrs. Taft's loss in costumes, scenery, etc., as stated yesterday, was about \$50,000. Mrs. E. H. Sothen was conspicuous in helping the women to escape. After all were out she fainted from excitement and exhaustion.

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Easy to Take Easy to Operate Hood's Pills AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

—Mr. John Mills has been confined to his house for over a week by illness.

—Miss A. H. Archer, of this city, left this afternoon for Boston, for an extended visit with friends.

—Mr. Archibald McPherson has been unable to attend his business for some days owing to illness.

—The annual ball of the employees of D. S. Perrin & Co., announced for Friday evening next, has been postponed on account of the death of the Queen.

—Mr. Harvey Skye, of the staff of the Bank of British North America, has been transferred to the Montreal branch and leaves for that city this afternoon.

—Mr. Roland Harris, mining engineer, son of Mr. Geo. B. Harris, of Ridout street, left yesterday for England, where he will engage in the practice of his profession.

—The fifth entertainment of the popular concert course at the Auditorium, which was to have taken place tomorrow night, has been indefinitely postponed. Tickets sold will be good when concert comes off.

—In the report of the concert held in Croydon Hall on Thursday evening last the name of Mr. Roscoe Packer was inadvertently omitted. He kindly played the violin obligato to Mr. Matthew McDonald's solo.

—Owing to the death of the Queen the tea meeting which was to have been held in connection with the annual meeting of Knox Presbyterian Church, on Friday evening next, will be dispensed with. The business meeting only will be held.

At the Kensington Mission last night a debate was held on the subject of "The Kindergarten." Mr. Ernest Dennis contended that the kindergarten was a waste of time, while Rev. E. Smith and Mr. E. E. Parsons were in opposition. The discussion was very interesting. No decision was given. Mr. W. J. Saunders presided, and readings were given by Miss Green, and a programme of music was also furnished.

—Your attention is called to the announcement of an exhibition of paintings by Florence Carlyle, A. R. C. A., at the Graves at rooms, Dundas street, four days this week, commencing Thursday, Jan. 24. Miss Carlyle spent three weeks at Provincetown, Cape Cod, during the summer, and the exhibition will include the result of her work there. At the conclusion of the exhibition the works will be forwarded to Philadelphia, where the well-known artist, Mr. C. W. Smith, will exhibit a special exhibition to open early in February. We wish for Miss Carlyle, who is undoubtedly one of our strongest and ablest artists, every success in her great work.

POLICE COURT.

Three offenders appeared at police court this morning. The case of James Taylor, the alleged wife-beater, was further postponed for a week. Two old offenders charged with being drunk were allowed to go.

BAUNTY-KING.

A very interesting ceremony was performed at the Methodist parsonage, West London, by the Rev. Mr. Harrison, on Monday evening, Jan. 21, when Miss Ethel May King, second daughter of Mr. Edward King, of Yale, Mich., was united in marriage to Mr. Thomas E. Saunby, of this city. After the ceremony they returned to the home of the groom's brother-in-law, Mr. E. Blinckhorn, where they partook of a dainty repast. Mr. and Mrs. Saunby will reside at 629 Colborne street.

EDICAL BOARD ELECTS OFFICERS.

The medical board of the Victoria Hospital held its annual meeting in the city hall last evening. The officers elected for the year are: Dr. C. T. Campbell, chairman; Dr. John D. Wilson, vice-chairman; Dr. D. H. Hogg, secretary.

The arrangements for the staff during this year will be the same as last year.

Dr. Perdue Blake was recommended to go into mourning for four weeks. The board expressed the opinion that the increased duties devolving on Miss Murray, superintendent of nurses, were such as to justify some increase in her salary.

A DARING DEED.

A large crowd of people on Dundas street, last evening, witnessed a daring deed on the part of one of the local telephone men. The ropes on the flagstaff surrounding the tower of Perrin's factory some time ago rotted away and broke. Yesterday it was desired to hoist a flag at half-mast, on account of the Queen's death, and the firm made the offer to a group of linemen of a \$5 bill to the man who would climb the pole and attach the ropes. One of the linemen volunteered to make an attempt, the daring of which will be understood when it is known that the top of the tower reaches a height equivalent to six stories, while the flagstaff tapers about 60 feet higher. About 5 o'clock the linemen made his first attempt, climbing without the aid of either climber's belt. He reached a point about three feet below the top of the pole, when the wind from the north and the weight of his body caused the pole to sway and bend until he hung out over Dundas street. Cold and possibly a diminution of his nerve caused him to descend. Equipping himself with a pair of climbing and a belt, he again made the ascent, reaching the top and accomplishing his object. It was nearly 6 o'clock before he descended and claimed his reward.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. E. W. G.

St. Louis has completed the World's Fair fund of \$5,000,000.

"IT IS A GREAT PUBLIC BENEFIT." These significant words were in relation to Dr. Thomas' E.lectric Oil, by a gentleman who had thoroughly tested its merits in his own case—having been cured by it of lameness of the knee, of three or four years' standing. It never fails to remove soreness, and is an incomparable pulmonary and corrective.

MOORING FOR THE QUEEN

Will Probably Be Worn for Three Months.

Opening of King Edward's Reign Will Involve Many Changes in Social England.

London, Jan. 23.—The mourning for Queen Victoria will be general, says the New York Tribune's London correspondent, and there is already a great scarcity of black goods and gloves in the London shops. The period during which mourning is worn for the sovereign of the realm is usually three months, full mourning being worn eight weeks.

The opening of the reign will involve many changes in social England. It is expected that the King will reside at Windsor during the early months of his reign, and that the Duke of York will occupy Sandringham, but that ultimately their chief residences will be Buckingham Palace and Marlborough House.

All royal functions will be suspended during the next six months, and there will be no London season. Country house pleasures will be suspended, and the English upper classes will go to the continent until the period of mourning shall have ended. Ultimately, London will be a sayer capital than ever before, for the King after his coronation is expected to live at Buckingham Palace and Sandringham, and the functions with unwonted splendor. The tradesmen's view is that titled and rich people will spend more time in town, and that country house gaieties and reactions will decline.

THE DUKE OF YORK.

The Duke of York will not necessarily become the Prince of Wales now that his father has ascended the throne. The principality was granted by Edward I. to his son, King Edward II., and his heirs, kings of England. Consequently, when the Prince of Wales succeeds to the throne, his princely title merges in his sovereignty. The new sovereign's eldest son is still Duke of York, but he becomes Duke of Cornwall, this title descending to him from his father. It is generally assumed that the King will immediately confer his principality upon him, as he is within his royal prerogative to do so.

ROYAL PENSIONERS.

There has been a general belief that the Queen was one of the richest sovereigns and that she would leave an immense estate to her heirs. There is the highest authority for stating that the amount of her personality, shown by the provisions of her will, instead of being very great will prove to be of moderate value, and that all estimates of her private fortune will be found fallacious. The truth seems to be that the Queen, like other rich people, had a great number of relatives dependent on her, and she was compelled from time to time to pay debts and extricate them from embarrassments.

Another fact, which has not been known, is the intimate friendship between the Queen and the King. Leopold of Belgium. His father was her chief adviser when she ascended the throne, and helped to bring on her marriage with the Prince Consort. The present King of the Belgians for many years has corresponded weekly with the Queen, and his letters have been forwarded to her year after year. The king will be one of the sincerest mourners when he comes to England to attend the final services at Windsor.

THE POPE IN PRAYER.

New York, Jan. 23.—The pope received the news of the Queen's death through Cardinal Rampoldi, says a World dispatch from Rome. His holiness said not a word, but fell upon his knees to pray, and remained in that attitude for a considerable time. Afterward he gave orders that in all churches prayers for the Queen should be offered up. The pope will be represented at the funeral by Cardinal Vaughan.

TRIBUTES OF ESTEEM.

The court of Berlin has been ordered to go into mourning for four weeks. The empress has arrived at Homburg and proceeded to the royal castle, in order to be near Dowager Empress Frederick.

Emperor Francis Joseph went to the British embassy this morning and personally expressed his sympathy to Lord and Lady Plunkett.

Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal is quoted in a New York Herald London dispatch as follows: "The death of Queen Victoria," "Great Britain mourns her most resplendent personality. Canada's grief surpasses words. Every city, town and hamlet, every farmstead in the Queen's North American dominions will be overwhelmed with sorrow."

At Melbourne, Victoria, business is entirely suspended as a result of the death of Queen Victoria, and the deepest grief is manifested. Everywhere there are signs of mourning. The deepest sympathy with the royal family on the death of Queen Victoria is felt throughout the Island Ceylon. The flags are at half-mast, and the functions have been postponed, and business is suspended.

At Bombay all public functions have been cancelled, the public offices have been closed and business has been suspended. The genuine sorrow of the natives is extraordinarily marked. Queen Victoria was the owner in fee simple of much real estate in New York city below Grand street. At one time she owned the Bowling Green offices, No. 11 Broadway.

At New York the day on the post-office was at half-mast, as a mark of respect to the memory of the dead Queen.

King Charles of Portugal intends to attend personally the funeral of Queen Victoria. Court mourning for a month has been ordered. The papers are filled with eulogistic articles on Victoria and her reign.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR BURIAL.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Jan. 23.—Unless the King otherwise shall direct it is probable that the Queen's body will be taken on board the royal yacht Alberta tomorrow for conveyance to Windsor. The dining-room at Osborne House has been transformed into a mortuary chapel. The body has been removed from the bedroom and lies there at present. The servants will be admitted to view the remains. There will be no public funeral in relation to Dr. Thomas' E.lectric Oil, by a gentleman who had thoroughly tested its merits in his own case—having been cured by it of lameness of the knee, of three or four years' standing. It never fails to remove soreness, and is an incomparable pulmonary and corrective.

WAITING FOR KING EDWARD!

Salutes of 81 Guns Signalize the Queen's Death.

The New Ruler's Arrival in the Metropolis.

To Formally Assume His New Duties—Lord Strathcona Among the Prominent Personages Present at the Imposing Ceremonies—The King Takes the Oath of Office.

London, Jan. 23.—London donned today a garb of mourning from end to end, and the early hours found a thick fog enveloping the city like a pall. Throughout the west the blinds were drawn. On all the embassies, government offices, and public buildings the flags were half-masted. The law courts, the stock exchange and all the produce and metal exchanges throughout the country assembled only to close immediately after the presiding officers had addressed to the respective members a few words of tribute to the dead monarch. There were unquestionably large congregations in the churches. At St. Paul's Cathedral the King and the Queen Consort. All the services were ended by the playing of a dead march.

The various naval and military stations fired salutes of 81 guns at midnight to signalize the death of the Queen, one gun for each complete year of the Queen's age. The public buildings were also draped in black, the black, the stores were displaying many signs of mourning and business was practically at a standstill.

Large crowds beginning at St. James' street lined the entire route to Victoria station from an early hour. The Pall Mall and the front of Buckingham Palace were a scene of great activity. Along the former, from the palace to Marlborough House, carriages filled with ladies stood as if for a drawing-room, waiting to receive the monarch. The footmen and the occupants were dressed in mourning. The police precautions were unusual. Men on foot counted the guard, and every inch of the way was waited patiently for hours to greet their King.

Eventually, preceded by half a dozen mounted policemen, a plain brougham, driven very rapidly, with the coachman and footman in their usual gray liveries, wearing mourning bands on their arms, brought the view to the palace. An equestrian guard of honor, dressed in black, and carefully raised his hats in acknowledgment of the monarch's arrival. The King looked tired and very sad.

Following him came the Duke of York, the Duke of Devonshire, and the Duke of Cambridge. All the officers had craped on their left sleeves.

AT ST. JAMES' PALACE.

The King drove to St. James' Palace from Marlborough House to reside at the White House and Yucca Rooms. The King's arrival was attended by Lord Suffield (who has been lord of the bedchamber to the Prince of Wales since 1872).

By the time the King arrived a great gathering of privy councillors in levee dress, with crapes on their left arms, had taken up a position in the throne-room. Members of the royal family, cabinet ministers, peers, commoners, bishops, judges, the lord mayor, etc., including the Duke of York, the Duke of Cambridge, and the Duke of Salsbury, Lord Rosebery.

LORD STRATHCONA PRESENT.

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Salutes of 81 Guns Signalize the Queen's Death.

The New Ruler's Arrival in the Metropolis.

To Formally Assume His New Duties—Lord Strathcona Among the Prominent Personages Present at the Imposing Ceremonies—The King Takes the Oath of Office.

London, Jan. 23.—London donned today a garb of mourning from end to end, and the early hours found a thick fog enveloping the city like a pall. Throughout the west the blinds were drawn. On all the embassies, government offices, and public buildings the flags were half-masted. The law courts, the stock exchange and all the produce and metal exchanges throughout the country assembled only to close immediately after the presiding officers had addressed to the respective members a few words of tribute to the dead monarch. There were unquestionably large congregations in the churches. At St. Paul's Cathedral the King and the Queen Consort. All the services were ended by the playing of a dead march.

The various naval and military stations fired salutes of 81 guns at midnight to signalize the death of the Queen, one gun for each complete year of the Queen's age. The public buildings were also draped in black, the black, the stores were displaying many signs of mourning and business was practically at a standstill.

Large crowds beginning at St. James' street lined the entire route to Victoria station from an early hour. The Pall Mall and the front of Buckingham Palace were a scene of great activity. Along the former, from the palace to Marlborough House, carriages filled with ladies stood as if for a drawing-room, waiting to receive the monarch. The footmen and the occupants were dressed in mourning. The police precautions were unusual. Men on foot counted the guard, and every inch of the way was waited patiently for hours to greet their King.

Eventually, preceded by half a dozen mounted policemen, a plain brougham, driven very rapidly, with the coachman and footman in their usual gray liveries, wearing mourning bands on their arms, brought the view to the palace. An equestrian guard of honor, dressed in black, and carefully raised his hats in acknowledgment of the monarch's arrival. The King looked tired and very sad.

Following him came the Duke of York, the Duke of Devonshire, and the Duke of Cambridge. All the officers had craped on their left sleeves.

AT ST. JAMES' PALACE.

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THEN AND NOW

The Changes in London Since the Queen's Accession.

Her Sixty-Four Years Practically the City's Lifetime—Great Growth in All That Makes a Municipality.

The Queen's death brings to mind the growth of our own city during the years of her reign. The 64 years during which Victoria was in power are practically London's lifetime. When she ascended the throne in 1837, the ground where London now is was unoccupied, for the most part. In fact, very little of it was built upon. A few small log and frame buildings were scattered here and there between the present Blackfriars and Clarke's bridges now stand. There were two bridges spanning the Thames at that time, possibly three, and all were wooden structures, of rather flimsy construction. It is told of the old Blackfriars bridge, that in the year of the Queen's accession, while the troubles of 1837 were in progress, sentinels were posted there and no one was allowed to pass who could not give the countersign.

It is said of the place at that time that London had excellent roads, which, of course, simply started from the old bridge and branched off to other centers. For the most part they were of corduroy. A patent had just been issued two years before, by Sir John Cowe, governing lines run into the establishment of a public market. The waterworks system then consisted of a well sunk on Ridout street, from which pipes were run to the city, where a reservoir was constructed. There were no street lights, save such as were furnished by lanterns and the candle light gleaming from windows, until as late as 1852.

A reference to the troublous times that ushered in the Queen's reign, made at that time, is to the effect that "London has been one continual scene of confusion, crowded with soldiers, and large numbers were billeted on each house for want of barracks." Compared with this, how stands the London of today? A city of nearly 400,000 people, noted far and wide for its cleanly and beautiful streets and business activity. Corduroy has given place to asphalt, macadam and block pavements, wooden bridges and ferries have been replaced by steel structures. Many railway lines run into it. Its volume of trade is immense. Hospitals, churches and charitable institutions have been built. In short, a well-conducted, well-built, beautiful, thriving and prosperous city has grown up in the place of the struggling collection of houses that stood when Victoria became Queen.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 23.—The steamer Dolphin, from Skagway, reports that the White Pass and Yukon Route is still snow blocked. Three hundred people are stormbound at Skagway.

SUIT WITHOUT PRECEDENT.

Tuscaloosa, Ala., Jan. 23.—A damage case has been settled here for which no precedent in law could be found. O. E. Wilson was talking over a telephone wire during a thunderstorm and was struck by lightning and killed. Suit was brought for damages and settled by the payment of \$1,000 by the telephone company.

D. E. Hall, brakeman, was killed on the G. T. R., at Deseronto.

Tello Bushy, aged 10 years, of Hamilton, has been sentenced to the Mimico Industrial School for six years for stealing.

Mr. Johnston, school teacher, Flam-boro Centre, was shot in the fleshy part of the leg by a boy, and he is still unable to teach.

The United States Senate has ratified the treaty with Spain for the acquisition of the Islands of Sibutu and Cagayan, of the Philippine group, at a cost of \$100,000.

"I had What the Doctors Call—Indigestion."

James McCracken, night watchman for Nordheimers', married, and living at No 6 Rose avenue, Toronto, says: "I have been afflicted with indigestion and dyspepsia for years. I have been real sick at times, and while I look healthy, as I weigh 265 pounds, I have been a sick man. Doctors told me that I had indigestion, that my stomach was lined with fat, and that it was hard for me to digest my food. I took Hutch tablets, first out of curiosity and because it seemed the proper caper, but I found that they gave me quick relief, and I was soon cured of that bad taste in my mouth, those headaches, and the heavy feeling on my stomach. I can recommend Hutch, for I never felt better in my life. You can publish this."

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THE PRINCE IN LONDON.

Visit to This City in 1860 of England's Present King.

In 1860 the Prince of Wales' Oxford studies were interrupted by his visit to Canada and the United States. Embarking on board the Hero at Plymouth on July 10, the prince reached St. Johns, Nfld., fourteen days later. His reception there was enthusiastic in the extreme. After visiting Halifax, the prince proceeded to Quebec, Montreal, Cobourg and Toronto, coming thence to this city. The demonstration on that occasion was said by one who accompanied the prince to have been superior to anything elsewhere in Canada, where his visit was one continual ovation. The prince and party arrived on the afternoon of Sept. 12. The Volunteer Artillery band, a band of 100, and a guard of honor was made up of the Volunteer Rifles, Highlanders and Cavalry.

The city was magnificently decorated. Population and wealth considered there has been no such demonstration here since. On a handsome pavilion erected near the station, the prince and party were received by the mayor, parliamentary representatives, councilors, and citizens' committee. An address of welcome was presented, to which the prince made a suitable reply, expressing his pleasure at the tokens he had witnessed of the progress of the young country. A party of two thousand children sang the National Anthem. In the evening there was a display of fireworks and a torchlight procession.

The next evening a ball was given at the Tecumseh Hotel, at which 300 couples were present, and at which the prince danced all of the 21 numbers on the programme with some of London's beautiful maidens and matrons.

The morning there was a turnout of volunteers, firemen, trades societies and citizens generally, and at 10 a.m. his royal highness took his departure for Niagara Falls, returning later through London on his way to visit Chicago and other western cities. The royal salute as the prince left Canada, at Windsor was fired by the London Field Battery.

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Iowa has 46 colleges, according to the last directory of educational affairs, issued by the superintendent of public instruction.
STREET CAR ACCIDENT.—Mr. Thos. Sabin says: "My 11-year-old boy had his foot badly injured by being run over by a car on the street railway. We at once commenced bathing the foot with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, when the discoloration and swelling was removed, and in nine days he could use his foot. We always keep a bottle in the house ready for any emergency."

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Meteorological.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 23, 8 p.m.—Fine and somewhat milder weather has prevailed today. In the Province of Quebec, and the temperature has risen above the freezing point in Western Ontario. Comparatively mild weather continues in the Northwest Territories. The 24th seems to be a pronounced disturbance over the Atlantic north of Bermuda, and stormy weather is probable in the Maritime Provinces. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 36-44; Kamloops, 16-20; Edmonton, 8-24; Prince Albert, 8-12; Qu'Appelle, 6-14; Winnipeg, 12-20; Port Arthur, 18-26; Parry Sound, 6-28; Toronto, 18-25; Ottawa, 1 below; Montreal, 6 below; Quebec, 8 below; Halifax, 4-30.

Local temperature—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, Jan. 23, were 32 and 17 degrees.

Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 7:43 a.m. and sets at 5:17 p.m. The moon rose at 9:36 a.m. and sets at 10:35 p.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

Mayor Rumball yesterday gave an unfortunate slip discharged from Victoria Hospital a pass to Hamilton.

Mr. J. F. Haines, of Walkerville, auditor of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway, was in the city yesterday.

Owing to the death of the Queen, the dinner to Mr. Hyman is postponed. The new date will be announced in due course.

Miss Jennie Boyd, 178 Mill street, is at present in Wyoming, on account of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Alfred Westland.

The anniversary reception that was to have been held in Cronin Hall this evening has been postponed owing to the death of the Queen.

The many London friends of Mr. Beauchamp B. Tesseman, of Toronto, the popular young comedian, will regret to hear that he has had to go away for an indefinite period, owing to ill-health.

Dr. Taylor, lately from China, and Mrs. Taylor, addressed a meeting in Wesley Hall last night on the subject of their work. Dr. Taylor said the blame for the recent war largely at the door of the grasping nations, especially Russia.

The Lord Bishop of Huron has ordered that a united memorial service of the Church of England will be held at St. Paul's Cathedral, city, on the day of the funeral of the late Queen, and also that a service be held

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throughout the diocese on the same occasion.
—James E. Haldane, of Metcalfe, who was arrested a few days ago on a charge of insanity, yesterday came before Judge William Elliot, who found from the testimony of Drs. McArthur and Waugh that Haldane was insane, and sent him to the asylum.

—Messrs. R. B. Hungerford, J. D. Balfour, M.D., J. S. Dewar, A. G. McWhinney, P.W.D., Brodick, A. Findlay, J. W. Butler, O. Ellwood, U. A. Buchner, D. Fraser, R. W. Evans, W. A. Wilson and others from this city, attended yesterday's meeting of the Grand Chapter, R. A. M.

—The remains of Peter West, who died at Toronto from pneumonia, were brought to the city yesterday, and the funeral was held at 2 o'clock in the afternoon from the residence, Burwell street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Deceased was well-known in this city, having lived here for a number of years. His wife and a brother and sister survive him. His father and mother predeceased him some two years ago.

—Manitoba Free Press: Mr. A. C. McEwen, city agent of the Confederation Assurance Company, has resigned his position with that company, and left yesterday with his family for London, where he will reside in future. Mr. McEwen is one of the best known agents in Manitoba, and his departure from this city is regretted by many friends, who are nevertheless pleased to know that in making the change he is bettering his position.

FORMS HAVE ARRIVED.
The forms for the South African police have arrived. Parties desiring them will please apply in writing to the D. O. C., giving age, size, trade or calling, etc. Should they call in person the office hours are 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

POULTRY MEN MEET.

President McNeill presided at the regular monthly meeting of the London Poultry Association on Tuesday night. There was a large attendance.

Five new members were elected. Messrs. J. W. Cahill, Jas. Boyce, S. J. Southcott, John Bartlett and James McCormick.

Mr. McNeill gave an interesting description of the birds at the Boston show, held last week.

The remainder of the evening was taken up in discussing the barred Plymouth Rocks. Several specimens were exhibited, each being scored and the defects and good points being carefully pointed out by the president, who acted as judge and critic.

The next meeting will be devoted to the Wyandotte family, and a discussion of the best methods of judging.

AT CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC.

An interesting recital was given by Miss Florence Lamont, pupil of Miss Helen Paterson, A. L. C. M., in Conservatory Hall last evening. She was assisted by Miss Lizzie Sample and Miss Jessie Stewart, pupils of Miss Katharine Moore. The programme was as follows:

Rubenstein (two pianos)...Valse Caprice
Misses Lamont and Paterson.
Strauss, Johann...Barcarolle
Streizki...Day Dreams
Miss Lamont.
Chadwick...Pas des Amphores
Ladlow...Music Box
Miss Lamont.
Schubert...Who is Sylvia?
Godard...Veniennne
Miss Lamont.
Molloy...The Carnival
Miss Stewart.
Liszt...Consolation, No. 4
Grieg...Ich Liebe Dich
Miss Lamont.
King...Israel
Liszt...Nocturne
Miss Lamont.

SERVICE OF PRAYER.

At the service for evening prayer at St. Paul's Cathedral last night, in connection with the celebration of the 6th anniversary of the dedication of the cathedral, Bishop Baldwin made a touching reference to the loss which the nation had sustained in the death of their beloved sovereign, Queen Victoria.

His lordship stated that he would reserve much of what he had to say until the holding of the memorial service, which has been arranged to take place on the day and hour of the funeral in England. He however said that the empire as one individual was bowed in sorrow. He made reference to Christ's weeping at the tomb of Lazarus, and also that he saw the fact of the Lord's sympathy with the state as well as with the individual. His lordship said that the crowning glory of the noble life of the Queen had been her qualities of womanhood. The chance of the cathedral was draped in black and the choir wore badges of mourning. At the conclusion of the service, Mr. G. B. Sippi, the organist, played the Dead March in Saul, the congregation and clergy remaining standing.

PROMINENT CITIZEN DEAD

W. C. L. Gill, City Registrar, Dies of Heart Failure—A Sudden Summons.

Mr. William C. L. Gill, for nearly half a century city registrar of London, died suddenly at his residence, No. 2 Cartwright street, shortly after nine o'clock last night. During the day Mr. Gill had complained of feeling ill, and had had a fainting fit. Although this was an unusual circumstance, in view of Mr. Gill's ordinarily

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robust health, no grave fears were entertained. Mr. Gill retired about 9:15, and a few minutes later the other occupants of the house heard him breathing heavily. They hastened to his bedside, and found him dead. Dr. Niven was called, and he pronounced the cause of death to be heart failure.

William Charles Lyons Gill was one of London's oldest and most highly esteemed citizens, he having been a resident of this city since 1842. Coming to the city at the solicitation of his uncle, the late H. C. R. Becher, Q. C., he was a law student in his uncle's office for some years. He later received the important appointment of city registrar, which position he held till the time of his death. Mr. Gill was a man of splendid constitution, and wiry physique, due in large part to the interest he took in athletic sports. When the first cricket club was organized in this city, in the forties, Mr. Gill was one of the most active members. He also took a prominent part in church work in connection with Memorial Church, having been for many years churchwarden and lay delegate. Mr. Gill was a widower, his wife having died about two years ago. He leaves four daughters, three being Mrs. St. George, Chicago; Mrs. Gower, Oxford street; Mrs. Barnard, New York, and Mrs. Dupuis, in the Northwest Territories.

ST. ANDREW'S ADJOURNED MEETING

Building of the Proposed New Sunday School Postponed.

Interesting Discussion on the Subject—Yearly Reports of the Churches—Various Missionary Societies.

The adjourned annual meeting of St. Andrew's Church and congregation was held last night in the lecture room. Mr. Alex. Fraser was chairman. The reports of the secretaries and treasurers of the organizations connected with the church were presented, and with the exception of the building committee's were unanimously adopted.

MISSIONARY SOCIETIES.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer of the missionary association were presented by Mr. Alex. Calder and Mr. C. R. Somerville respectively. In the first named report the secretary said that the net result of the year's work as regards contributions to the society was \$1,763 85, a decrease from last year of \$163 15. This decrease was accounted for by the century fund and special collections. The receipts, as reported by the treasurer, amounted to \$4,117 62, and the disbursements to \$1,599 55, leaving a balance on hand of \$2,517 97.

The secretary reported the following officers for the ensuing year: Honorary president, Mrs. Purdon; president, Mrs. R. Johnston; vice-president, Mrs. W. Ross; 2nd vice-president, Miss A. Watson; 3rd vice-president, Miss Kessack; 4th vice-president, Miss Hopkirk; secretary, Mrs. Taylor; tidings secretary, Mrs. J. W. MacIntosh; treasurer, Miss Fraser; organist, Miss Gunn; executive committee, Mesdames Morphy, McCallum, Gunn, Gillespie, Waugh, Morrison and Carrie.

The membership was 120, with an average attendance of 62, the amount of the contributions being over \$300.

The King's Messengers' Mission Band, presented by Miss Gretta Jarvis, gave a bright resume of the year's work, mentioning particularly the help to the band, derived from Miss Gunn's action in giving her life to mission work. The amount given by the band to the general fund was \$64.

The officers of the Outlook Mission Band were: Honorary president, Mrs. R. Johnston; president, Miss L. M. Fraser; first vice, Miss L. Hopkirk; second vice, Miss E. Gunn; third vice, Miss H. McCallum; fourth vice, Miss Rena Turner; secretary, Miss E. MacArthur; treasurer, Miss F. Fraser; organist, Miss K. Fraser; reporter, Miss May Smith. The total number on the roll was 90, with an average attendance of 43. The work done by the band during the year included the shipment of a box of goods valued at \$35 to the Portage la Prieve, and the collection of about \$120. The band had a most successful year.

THE SABBATH SCHOOL.

The Sabbath school report was presented by the superintendent, Mr. John Lochard. The following are the officers for 1901: Honorary superintendent, Mr. A. Little; superintendent, John I. Orchard; assistant superintendent, J. R. Sanderson; treasurer, A. S. Macgregor; organist, Miss M. J. Gunn; choir leader, R. H. Morrison; librarians, S. J. Hatcliffe, B.A., N. McDougall, J. B. Smith; recording secretary, Miss M. J. Gunn; school secretary, R. Ironside; assistant secretary, Percy Evans; secretary for literature, G. A. Matheson. The total number on the roll, including scholars, teachers and officers, was 399, or 15 less than last year, while the average attendance was 272, or 39 less than last year. The collections for the year amounted to \$389 60. The treasurer's report showed receipts of \$108 22 and disbursements of \$17 91, leaving a balance of \$90 95.

THE BUILDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Fraser then vacated his position as chairman, and it was assumed by Mr. James McEwen, who introduced the report of the building committee. It was as follows:

Your committee, after conferring with the superintendent and teachers, has to report the desirability, as well as the actual necessity, of increased space for the proper management of the school. The recent changes made in the present school have done away

with two class rooms, thereby causing in part a reduction in the average attendance during the past year, which is to be deeply regretted. They further desire to report that the school, in its present state, cannot, in their opinion, progress or become creditable to this large congregation. In view of these facts your committee would recommend that the building of the new Sabbath school be proceeded with at as early a date as possible, and if this is agreed upon by the congregation we would make the following proposal:

That instead of contributing 60 per cent of our century fund to the common fund (which would amount to \$3,000 out of our total of \$15,000 that we make a straight contribution of \$5,000 to the common fund, and retain the balance of our fund, whether funds or less than the \$15,000, to apply on our present indebtedness and proposed Sabbath school building.

That we have examined a plan for an independent building at the north-east side of the church, which would accommodate a Sabbath school of 600, which can be built and furnished at an outside figure of \$15,000; this figure would include heating, lighting and chairs. An expenditure of that amount would place the congregation in the following position:

PRESENT INDEBTEDNESS.
Mortgage debt.....\$ 9,500 00
McNee loan.....900 00
Total.....\$10,400 00
Cost of new Sabbath school building.....\$15,000 00
Grand total.....\$25,400 00
Century fund.....\$15,000 00
For common fund.....5,000 00

Already applied on building account.....\$5,000 00
Leaving a balance of indebtedness of.....\$19,900 00
Interest on \$19,900, 4 per cent, \$790 per annum.

Towards the interest we would recommend that until this debt is paid off that the Sabbath school assume their own expense, which would be a relief to the congregation on the average of, say \$200 per annum; this would leave about \$500 of interest per annum for the congregation to make up. Alex. Fraser, chairman; C. R. Somerville, secretary.

This report was the source of a lengthy discussion.
Mr. Malcolm Rowland, a member of the committee, desired it known that he did not approve of it.

Mr. Alex. Fraser said that some of the members of the committee opposed its suggestions, others did not. The idea was to present something to the congregation for consideration. It was that they had the right to obtain the money by way of the century fund. It had, however, been understood, so some said, when subscription were made that 60 per cent of the century fund was to go into the general fund and 40 per cent was to be given to pay off the church debt. St. Andrew's could do as it liked with its fund. In 1894, he said, \$120,000 had been subscribed—\$500,000 to the general fund and \$723,000 to the debt fund. Was that 60 per cent and 40 per cent? Could not St. Andrew's then, change the original plan as well as the whole church? However, it was not the desire to force this mode of raising funds upon any one. The Sunday school was needed, and this was one way of getting it.

Miss Crowley said that if there was any doubt about it being right, then they should not take that money. If it had been promised to the general fund, it would be better to repeat what had been done for the century fund, preach special sermons and make special collections in special envelopes, and build the Sunday school in that way.

Mr. Angus Gunn said that what other churches did should not be considered at all. St. Andrew's should give the 60 per cent. It would be a pity to lay violent hands on it. Forty per cent of the century fund was to be used to pay off debts. Now they were going to create a debt for the purpose of getting at part of that money. He considered this would be unjust. Even if some of this money was taken it would not help them much. He questioned if that debt should be incurred. If not—if the congregation should not be placed in that position—then they should not build the Sabbath school at present.

Mr. C. R. Somerville was anxious to get the school and at once. He compared the average attendance per capita of membership in the city churches, showing St. Andrew's to be away down. This he attributed to the present lack of accommodation. As for the funds, the suggestion made in the report would not be forced upon any one.

Mr. D. McDonald considered that fuller particulars about the proposition should be made known.

Mr. C. McCallum's opinion was that it should be left over for two years. Finally, it was moved by Mr. Somerville that the work of construction be commenced at once, and a committee be appointed to attend to it. This did carry with it the matter of how to provide the funds.

Mr. Rowland moved in amendment that the school be not built until \$10,000 had been subscribed.

The amendment carried.

After a brief address by Dr. Johnston, who urged increased effort, the meeting adjourned.

KICKED BY A HORSE.

Robert Hall, of Forest, Ont., Has a Narrow Escape.

Forest, Ont., Jan. 21.—One of the best-known men in Warwick and Bosanquet townships is Mr. Robert Hall, of Forest. To be twice kicked by a horse in the same spot is quite an uncomfortable experience. This happened to Mr. Hall.

He says: Five years ago last spring I was kicked by a horse in the left kidney. The doctor said the kidney was turned out of place. I passed blood for several days. Before I had recovered I got another kick in the same spot which caused me to pass blood again. I doctored till the fall of '98, till the doctor told me I could never get well.

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