

The Green Diamond.

Exhibition Ball Games at Lancaster and Philadelphia.

The London Y. M. C. A. Wheelmen Getting into Line.

Swamp Maple Leaf Amateur Club Reorganized Wheeling, Turf and Other Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

EXHIBITION GAMES—MONDAY.
At Lancaster: R. H. E. 14, Lancaster 5 15 1.
At Philadelphia: 13 19 6.
At Rochester: 8 11 5.
Batteries—Orth, Fife, Murphy, Fisher and McFarland; Yerkes, Gillen, Morse, Boyd and Ganson.

THE MAPLE LEAFS.

The baseball enthusiasts of Guelph met there Friday evening, when the Maple Leaf baseball club was reorganized for the season. The committee reported that a league, composed of Berlin, Stratford, Galt and Guelph, would be compact and would prove both interesting and financially successful. The old constitution of the Canadian Amateur League of 1894-95 was recommended and it was proposed that the membership fee be \$1 without privileges. The following officers were elected: Honorary president, C. Klopfer, M.P.; M.P., M. Daly, Mayor; President, J. M. Duff, Vice-President, L. Goldie, Secretary, J. John, Treasurer, W. H. Millman; Directors, G. Higgins, J. Hough, E. P. Hawkins, E. Palmer, E. Morris.

ST. THOMAS CLUB.

Manager J. F. Shuster met the directors of the St. Thomas baseball club Friday night. Mr. Shuster was informed that St. Thomas must have a winner, and that he would be given a free hand. He says he has a winner now. He will carry the following men: Hardy, Sullivan and Hull, pitchers; Croft and Duffy, catchers; Rodden, McCurdy, Connors and Shuster, infielders; Shuster, Martin and Pool, outfielders. Improvements will be made at Atlantic Park and the diamond rearranged. Manager Shuster will release several players, including Green, Baltimore; Kibb, Black Rock, and Gordon, Toronto.

HAMILTON CLUB.

Hamilton Spectator: George Bradford, who pitched for Guelph part of last season, has been signed by Manager Stroud, of the Hamiltons. He has plenty of speed, and is a good pitcher when he takes care of himself. Manager Stroud has arranged to play a series of five exhibition games with Niagara University for a cup. The dates of the Hamilton games are April 23, 27 and 30. Tommy McAndrews is in form. If St. Louis has signed with the Rockfords, Ill. team, he will get himself into trouble. While he has not signed a contract to play with the Hamiltons, Manager Stroud has forwarded him advance money, and can hold him on his letters accepting terms.

THE GAME AT ANN ARBOR.
A dispatch from Ann Arbor, Mich., says: The Varsity nine won its first victory of the season here Friday in a fairly well-played game with the City International League team, by a score of 18 to 5. This was the first time the professionals had been beaten this season, and in consequence they were rather slow for the Varsity. Considering the weather, the play was quite satisfactory. The candidates seem to be in much better condition now than they were at this time last season, and the coaches were well pleased with the work. Young McManis did particularly well in the box.

FLY.

Frank Seale is seconding Nichols in his demand for \$3,000. The club owners, however, refuse to grant the Missouri boy his demand.

Toronto is making strong effort to buy Shortstop Wagner's release from Washington. Wagner played with Toronto last year, and is quite a favorite over the Don.

"Pulling away from the plate is perhaps the worst fault that can handicap a batsman," says Fred Ely, "and it's so hard to throttle this habit that many a player with a good natural eye for hitting has been spoiled by his nervousness and fear of being hit."

Doc Sheppard will play with the amateurs this year, and has signed the Toronto Athletic Club register. Billy Baker has gone to join the Rock Island team at Campaign, Ill.

THE TURF.

AT NASHVILLE.
Nashville, Tenn., April 2.—Raining yesterday; track heavy. Winners: Charlene B. Sling, Tom Collins, Nancy Beebe, Jim Flood and Percilla.

AT LITTLE ROCK.
Little Rock, Ark., April 2.—Light rain yesterday; track slow. Winners: Queenma, Etholm, Katie Gibbons, Lady Irene, Onotavia, and Demosthenes.

AT OAKLAND.
San Francisco, Cal., April 5.—Weather clear, track fast at Oakland yesterday. Winners: Miss Rowena, Sweet

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TIPS.

Lephe Park, Montreal's noted old track, is to be closed, and there will be no more racing there.

WHEELS.

LONDON WHEELMEN.
An enthusiastic meeting of the London Wheelmen was held last night in the Y. M. C. A. parlors. It was decided to change their colors from heliotrope and black to red, yellow and myrtle green. A committee was appointed to look after arrangements and programme. The date has not yet been decided upon. The fee was not set, in order that they might confer with the C. W. A. The question of evening runs was left with a special committee. The boys will also try and organize a bicycle race. A membership will be sent to the C. W. A. meet on Good Friday.

TRAVELING RULES.

The act passed by the Ontario Legislature in 1897, governing traffic by bicycle or tricycle, enacts as follows:

"1 (a). In case a person traveling on a bicycle or tricycle is overtaken by a vehicle, the person shall give to the other person audible warning of his approach before attempting to pass."

"1 (b). In case a person traveling on a highway on a bicycle or tricycle overtakes any vehicle or horseman traveling at less speed, or a person traveling on foot, the person traveling on a bicycle shall give to the other person audible warning of his approach before attempting to pass."

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DEAL IN FROZEN EGGS.

Mr. Vest Took Them to the Klondike and Brought Back \$9,321.

Nearly every man who has come out of Dawson during the past two months or more has something to say of the "frozen egg man." They met him at the summit and the Yukon River, trading along with one companion and four dogs, pulling a cargo of frozen eggs bound for the Klondike. The eggs are worth more than \$1 each, and this high price proved such an incentive to freeze a lot of them and take them in. The egg man has been a source of no little amusement for the Klondikers who have come out. They have frequently laughed at his foolhardy speculation and often predicted his failure. He has been a prolific hand, and one of the stock questions which Klondikers have asked each other here has been, "Where did you meet the egg man?"

The egg man is in Seattle. He has sold his eggs and returned with a sack which many a Klondiker might envy. His name is Charles Vest. Vest left Portland last October on the steamer Elton. Before leaving he packed 1,743 dozen eggs. He broke and packed them in tin cans holding one gallon each, frozen and put on ice. They weighed 2,025 pounds in cold storage. One man to help him and his dogs Vest hurried the eggs up to Sheep camp and buried them in the snow. He put four cans in a sack and tied the sack over the dog's backs. Each dog carried 25 pounds in this way. Once over the summit the cans were piled on sleds pulled by the dogs, and the journey continued.—Seattle Intelligence.

A LA CITY HALL.

The Police Court Floor at Owen Sound Started to Sink.

Owen Sound, Ont., April 5.—Nearly a similar accident to that which happened at the London city hall a short time ago occurred here yesterday morning. In the police court were about 200 people, congregated to hear a burglary trial.

Just before the opening of the court a sharp crack was heard, and the floor started to sink. The crowd immediately scrambled out of the doors and into the street. The flooring sank about two feet. Underneath the court room is the fire hall.

It is supposed the floor started from two iron posts, to make it more convenient to turn the hose and ladder wagon.

PERISHED FROM COLD.

Chesley, Ont., April 5.—Mrs. Milne, widow of the late Judge Milne, of Ben-tinck, was found Sunday morning lying in an unconscious state in a field some distance from her home. It is supposed she started late on Saturday evening to go to a spring creek a short distance from her home for a pail of water, and as the evening was very dark and stormy, she became confused and lost her way. The rest of the family were all away from home, and on their return they supposed she had gone to some neighbor's house. Towards midnight, however, they became alarmed at her absence and began searching for her, but failed to find her until a o'clock in the morning. She died two hours after being taken home.

DEATH OF AN OLD RAILROADER.
Stratford, April 5.—His many friends on the Grand Trunk and elsewhere will regret to hear of the death of ex-Conductor Lindsay Smith, of Sarnia, who died at his home here last night. The event took place Sunday evening at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Crosson, Grand street here. Mr. Smith was for many years a conductor on the Grand Trunk, with headquarters here. Five years ago he was removed to Sarnia, and about a year ago severed his connection with the company, and went into business in the Tunnel City. Subsequently he secured a lucrative position in Medicine Hat, Assn. He was on his way to the west, and not feeling very well stopped off here. His illness developed into acute tuberculosis, which

carried him off at the age of 44 years. Deceased left a wife and two children. He belonged to Sarnia Lodge of the Independent Order of Foresters.

Surprised Visitor.

An Old Charge Comes Up Against a Missouri Man.

Arrested for an Offense Alleged to Have Been Committed Eight Years Ago.

William C. Roberts, a young married man, was arrested Saturday night at East Niasouri by Sheriff's Officer Wm. Tisdale. The arrest was made in compliance with instructions from Meredith, Cameron, Judd & Dromgole, barristers at this city. Roberts was taken to Woodstock jail on Saturday. The prisoner is a son of Wm. J. Roberts, town line between East and West Niasouri, one of the most influential and best-known farmers in the township. He is charged by Wm. Elgie, a respectable farmer of the same township with having seduced his daughter. A writ has been issued claiming damages for this act, and for the board of the child for eight years.

It is alleged that the offense took place about eight years ago, under a promise of marriage, and that Roberts disappeared just before the day set for the wedding.

Roberts left for California, and was married four years ago, and Miss Elgie in the meantime became a mother.

On Friday last Roberts and his wife visited his father at whose house the arrest took place. Bonds were given on Monday morning, and the young man was released on bail. There is a possibility of the matter being settled out of court.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Editor Brann, of the Waco (Texas) Democrat, shot and killed T. E. Davis. Editor Brann was also shot and will probably die.

Of the 20,000 clerks employed by the United States Government in Washington more than 6,000 of them are women. Their salaries range from \$500 to \$1,800 a year.

Prof. Callendar, professor of physics, at McGill University, received a cable message from London informing him of his appointment to the chair of physics at University College, London.

The Methodist-Episcopal conference for the southern district of New Jersey voted in favor of the equal representation of laymen and the clergy in the general conference. The vote was 110 to 65.

Andrew Cairns, 65 years of age, of Flamboro township, while driving home from Hamilton market, fell from his wagon, caused by a jolt on the rough roads, and died within an hour afterwards.

Mr. Arthur Braden, of the Royal Engineer depot, Chatham, England, who is to join the staff of the Royal Engineer depot at Esquimaux, says all the ships of the British navy are being got ready for active service in anticipation of trouble over the eastern question.

A Galician named Joseph Prohaski, lost his life through exposure in the storm of last week. The man and his son had gone some distance north of Winnipegosis for hay. The boy had come separated from his father, and when search was made the latter was found dead. The boy escaped with slight injuries.

Mrs. Michael Fitzgerald, living in Deerfield township, five miles west of Esquimaux, has been playing up stairs, since she started up stairs, in 1831 by his enlisting in Co. 1, 1st Vermont cavalry. He was mustered in as second lieutenant, promoted to captain the following year, and in 1864 made major of the 26th New York Cavalry.

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COLLISION AT BOTHWELL.

Two G. T. R. Freight Trains Come Together—One Was Pulling Into a Switch—Six Cars Wrecked.

Bothwell, Ont., April 5.—A collision occurred here between two and a clock this morning on the main line of the G. T. R., east of the station, and several freight cars and one engine were badly smashed. The trains were coming in opposite directions on the parallel tracks, the road which is heavily cracked here, and the east-bound freight was pulling into a switch to let the express pass, when the other train ran into it, bringing one survivor. He is Capt. Henry Hall, first mate of the St. Elmo, Capt. Henry Hall, from Rockland, Me., for there were five men in the crew, and the captain's wife accompanied him on the trip. Road states that all on board the vessel except himself were lost.

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GOVERNOR OF VERMONT.

Josiah Grout Sends an Open Letter to the Proprietors of

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The present Governor of the Green Mountain State, though born in Vermont, has lived in Vermont since he was 6 years old. His course at the St. Johnsbury Academy was interrupted in 1831 by his enlisting in Co. 1, 1st Vermont cavalry. He was mustered in as second lieutenant, promoted to captain the following year, and in 1864 made major of the 26th New York Cavalry.

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was loaded with oranges, and the golden fruit was scattered in every direction. Another car carried oats. Some of the cars were smashed to kindling wood almost, and about six were badly damaged. The auxiliary arrived from London a few hours after the accident. An old switch admitted trains to pass by without hindrance.

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Life is too short to waste one day of it sick, ailed, grumpy or ailing. Indigestion, nervousness and rheumatism make one old before one is made, take the heart out of work, and make one a burden at home and a weight to one's friends. Every one owes it to his family, to his friends, to his success and happiness to get strong and stay so.

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For Canada First.

Hon. David Mills, Dominion Minister of Justice, on the All-Canadian Route to the Yukon.

State manlike Exposition of the Government Proposition.

The Gross Partisanship of the Opposition Senators Clearly Proved.

In closing the recent debate in the Senate on the proposal to throw out the Government bill providing for an all-Canadian route to the Yukon, Hon. David Mills, the Government leader, made what has been described by the newspaper correspondents as the ablest speech delivered in either House in the discussion of this important matter. We select a number of his more striking passages:

AN UNSEEMLY EXHIBITION.

"I was for 30 years a member of the House of Commons, I have seen and heard during that time many warm contests and many heated observations; but I must say that for what seems to me an exhibition of cool and determined spirit of political partisanship, I have never seen in this House by several honorable gentlemen during this discussion. I hope that the Senate is not going to delude itself, that it is not actuated by political feeling, for I am perfectly sure in my own mind—and I think when the discussion that has taken place on this bill in this House is read in the country, there will be no two opinions upon that question, that in respect to those measures which emanate from a Reform Administration, they are not likely to be received with very much generosity. We were told there were men in the old Greek republics who, on account of their hostility to others whom they regarded as political rivals, were ever siding with Philip of Macedon, and it does seem to me that in this discussion we have had exhibited a strong inclination on the part of some honorable gentlemen to cast their political influence in favor of those measures of public policy, those works and undertakings, that would place the Yukon under the control of that country under the control of our powerful neighbors, instead of being under the control of the people and Government of this country.

ALLIES OF OUR TRADE RIVALS.

Those people who are seeking to control the trade of the country, seeking to close the avenues by which we are to gain admittance to our own territory, with the intention of governing and controlling that country, find in honorable gentlemen who are supporting this six months' hoist motion the most effective allies they could acquire on the continent of North America. . . . It is a proposal, when carried, and I suppose it will be carried, that will help the United States, that will help the people of San Francisco and Seattle to control the trade of the Yukon country.

VASSALS OF WASHINGTON.

If this measure is defeated, if this Senate undertakes to take the work of administration in that country out of the hands of the Government, to disable them and disqualify them in this respect for the discharge of an important public trust to the people of this country and to the Sovereign of the British Empire, they have but to persist in the course which they have taken, they have but to carry the motion of my honorable friend, and they will put it in the power of the United States to exclude almost every dollar's worth of goods and products of this country going into the Yukon, and they will enable us, if we hold the country at all, to hold it by the grace and favor of the Government at Washington.

"A BAD THING FOR THE COW."

I suppose honorable gentlemen remember very well the answer of Mr. Stephenson when it was proposed to send the first locomotive over the railway track to Manchester. Some one asked him what would be the effect if a cow came upon the track, and he said it would be a very bad thing for the cow. I think when honorable gentlemen are undertaking to place this House in antagonism to the House of Commons, to the Government, and to the people of this country, they are taking a course which is not to the advantage or the honor of the Senate of Canada.

THE COUNTRY WITH THE GOVERNMENT.

The Government are responsible for the administration of the affairs of this country. It is less than two years since there was an appeal to the country, and there was returned a House of Commons opposed to the former administration and expressing its confidence in the present administration; no election has taken place at any time since the Government has been formed which shows or tends to show that the confidence which the people expressed in June, 1894, has been withdrawn. Since then, 22 elections have taken place, and not one of those elections has gone in favor of the friends of honorable gentlemen opposite. I say, therefore, that there is nothing to warrant the majority in this House in voting against this bill.

This declaration brought the suggestion from Senator McCallum: "You could easily let us know if you have

the confidence of the country." To which the Minister of Justice made this effective retort:

Does the honorable gentleman suppose that the Government are going to dissolve the House of Commons to satisfy his whim? Does he suppose that because he chooses to say the Government no longer possess the confidence of the people that therefore we ought to put the country to the expense and the turmoil of a general election? Is that the view which my honorable friend has of the constitutional duties that devolve upon him as a member of this House? They may be the views of my honorable friend; they are not my views.

THE RESPONSIBLE RULERS.

The Government have said it is their duty to adopt what they regard as the necessary means to accomplish the end which this bill brings before this House. They have fully considered that subject. My honorable friends opposite may have come honestly to a very different opinion, but under the provisions of our constitution, and not the opinion of my honorable friends that must prevail. Can they for a moment suppose that any government, worthy the name of government—any government having a sense of self-respect will, after having been supported by a majority in the House of Commons, the representatives of the people, those who bear the taxes and the burdens that measures of this sort may impose—do they suppose that the majority in this House is to determine the question of administration against the other two branches of the Legislature, against the Crown and against the majority in the House of Commons?

THE OPPOSITION POLICY.

A motion for a six months' hoist is practically a motion to put the trade of the Yukon country beyond the reach of the people of Canada. We have had over and over again discussions on that line. We have had over and over again, during this debate, a declaration that we ought to seek admission to that country by the Lynn Inlet, and that our railway ought to go into that country from the Lynn Inlet. A few honorable gentlemen have spoken about the Edmonton route, but they have spoken of it as rather an abstract speculative question than a question of practical politics. They know it would involve the construction of at least 1,500 miles of railway, and they know if they were building a mile a day it would take five years to build from Edmonton to the Yukon country. So that is a matter, on a question of urgency, that must be set aside altogether at the present time. And so my honorable friends turn their attention away from Edmonton, not to a road within British territory, not to a road that would be under Canadian control, not to a road where we could determine what the commercial policy should be of the country in respect to the commerce and trade and travel that passes over that route, but to a road beginning in the United States territory at Lynn Inlet and which the Government of the United States could control.

IRRESPONSIBILITY MUST BE PUT ASIDE.

The spirit in which my honorable friend (Senator McCallum) discussed the question, and the spirit in which it was discussed by some others, was an exhibition of party bitterness unrestrained by a sense of responsibility, because my honorable friend knows that this House cannot be legally controlled by public opinion. If the House of Commons do wrong it can be brought to account, if the Government do wrong it can be brought to account, and therefore, under the constitutional system, the intention is to govern in these matters subject to their responsibility in the House of Commons. While their conduct may be criticised in this House, it is an extreme and unusual course for the Senate to undertake to override the public policy determined upon by the Government and to mark out for that Government a different course. Does my honorable friend suppose that is permissible? Let us look at what the constitutional system is: If the Government on this question had been beaten in the House of Commons there was one course open for them, and that is to tender their resignation, and permit another government to be formed to carry out the views which the House had expressed, but my honorable friend cannot turn out the Government by any vote in this House, and does he suppose that the Government, who are entitled under the constitution to remain in office, will for a moment consent to abandon that course which their judgment tells them is the proper course to pursue under the circumstances, and accept from this House a declaration of what the public policy should be?

CANADA FIRST.

It is the interest of the Canadian people, whether in the Yukon country or any other portion of Canada, to favor the construction of a road on Canadian soil that will be controlled by the Canadian Parliament, and subject to Canadian policy, no matter whether it be a longer or shorter route than the United States route.

NO TOLLS.

There is one thing that this contract

provides for, and that is that wherever the contractors build a road for their own use, it shall be also open for the use of the miners that country.

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

It is not what the government receive from the miners that is of greatest value to the country; it is the trade developed by what the miners consume. It is the foreign goods that are brought in and on which the duty is paid; it is the home-produced goods that have given employment in the mills and factories where those goods are produced and the freight paid to the railroads that carried them.

SENATORIAL PARTISANSHIP PROVED.

My honorable friend (Sir M. Bowell, Opposition leader) said they objected to the Nanaimo bill of one government and they rejected the Drummond County Railway bill last session, and did a number of other things, all of which tended to show perfect impartiality. I dissent from that statement of my honorable friend. He knows that he and his friends around him did not fight the Conservative Government in this house. . . . My honorable friend does not forget that in this house a committee was appointed to inquire into the conduct of Mr. Mackenzie, as Minister of Public Works, and that it condemned his choice of the Kaminitiquia River as the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. That choice was denounced, and the Port Arthur terminus was preferred, and \$900,000 was spent upon the breakwater in order to form a harbor there, and after the railway went out of the hands of the Administration and a company was organized, the company vindicated the wisdom of Mr. Mackenzie's action by choosing the Kaminitiquia River as the terminus of the railway, and my honorable friend knows that, as things now stand, hundreds of thousands of dollars of public money were wasted by the attempt to cast discredit upon the head of the Liberal Administration.

RESPONSIBILITY AFFIXED.

The Senate propose to take that matter out of the hands of the Government. You propose to shift to your own shoulders the responsibility for every misfortune that may overtake those people, and for every loss that the people of this country may sustain, while at the same time you have no executive to do a single act in respect of that matter. . . . What the people want is to see that road constructed. They may complain if they see proper, whoever pleases may complain, but when you undertake, under pretense of finding fault with the Government, to condemn a measure necessary to the work of administration, then you are going very far beyond that which is constitutional rule and usage applicable to the case.

WESTERN ONTARIO

The retiring allowance of J. P. Woods (late county judge of Perth) has been placed at \$1,500.

The excise collections in the Stratford division for the month of March aggregated \$7,339.41.

The total population of Kent county according to the 1891 returns, is 41,176, showing an increase of 1,252 over 1886. Mr. Steel, of Ridgeway, shipped over 12,000 bushels of hand-picked beans last month. Four thousand bushels were shipped to Cuba and France.

The statement to the effect that the Bell Piano and Organ Company contemplated removal from Guelph to Toronto lacks substantial foundation. As Mr. Daniel Stewart was working in the Dunfermills mills the other day, he had his leg broken by the fall of a piece of machinery, and he was taken to the hospital.

Mr. Scott, the B. and T. baggage agent, at Tilsonburg, is laid aside by sickness, and Wm. Young, for many years baggage master at Oakville, is taking his place.

David Lowery, of St. Thomas, was terribly burned about the head and face by the explosion of a Cal. for many years baggage master at Oakville, is taking his place.

Mr. John McCallill died on Saturday night at the residence of his son Richard, near West Magdalen, Cal., of the 38th year of his age. Deceased was born in Ireland, and lived in Southwold township since 1840.

Wm. Smith, while working for Nathan Campbell, of Southwold, had the little finger of his left hand cut off, and the third finger badly torn by a buzz-saw. Both had to be amputated at the point of the hand.

A letter from Mr. D. H. Hunter, principal of the Woodstock Collegiate Institute, who is in Ireland, Cal., for his health, states that the sick principal is losing ground. Mr. Hunter is expected home about the middle of May.

Rev. Mr. Holmes, of Blenheim, on Tuesday last, at the residence of the parents, performed the ceremony of uniting W. Pastmore to Miss Janet Nichols. The happy couple, after receiving the congratulations of their many friends, left for their new home, near Tilbury.

The postoffice at Lachlan, near Guelph.

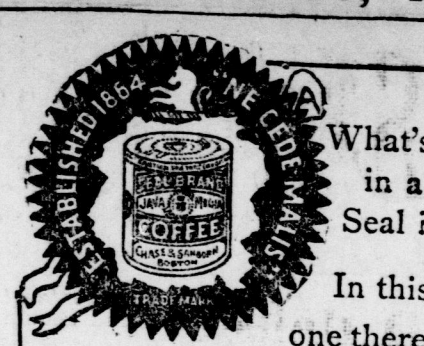
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Arthur Brown, of Leamington, and Miss Morgan, of Blenheim, were married in the parlor of the International Hotel Wednesday by Rev. D. H. Hind, of Sandwich. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wigle will take up their residence in Leamington as soon as a residence can be secured.

A census of the town of Waterloo is to be taken for the purpose of ascertaining whether it has sufficient population to entitle the town to seven seats on the last census, was 2,641, and by the license act the population must be at least 3,400 to entitle the town to seven licenses.

The license commissioners will likely reduce the number of licensed places by five. Some of the principal hotelkeepers, he decided, it is said, to have the commissioners cut down the places that they have selected. A number of the hotelkeepers are rushing improvements upon their houses before the licenses are granted.

Gretchen Hirsch, who is over 80 years of age, and totally blind, was in Chatham in search of a long lost sister, with whom she expected to find a home. The old creature came directly from St. Thomas, but her original starting place was Helena, Montana. She could get no trace of the sister. She went on to Toronto in disappointment.

At Sarnia on Friday, at the agricultural implements works, John Connors, an employee of the works, almost lost his entire left hand. All that is left of the member is the thumb, two-thirds of the first finger, and half of the palm. The lad had gone into the factory to wait for his father, and his fingers in the cog wheels of the lathe.

At her residence, "Homewood," Guelph, there passed peacefully away Mrs. Jane Howitt, relict of the late Henry Howitt. Deceased was in her 81st year. The surviving members of her family are: Dr. Howitt, Toronto; Rev. F. E. Howitt, Hamilton; Mr. C. E. Howitt, Guelph; Mrs. (Rev.) Charles Harris, Marmora; Miss Mary Howitt, Guelph. The deceased lady was an admirable woman in every respect.

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"I saw the window smashed," said Grisman (examined by Mr. Tuttle), corroborated the evidence of previous witness. When Tuttle had not gone yet, and witness told him that Emerson would not go up until he got his

"Did you hear anything said between you two before the blow was struck?" asked a word.

Not a word.

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