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THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 1890.

Doings About Town.

St Paul's Vestry. The adjourned meeting of St. Paul's vestry will be held Monday next, 21st inst., in the school room at eight o'clock p. m.

Dutch Setts. At Higinbotham's Drug store. 13-4.

House Wanted. A small house wanted suitable for family of two. North Ward preferred. Apply at office at WATCHMAN Office.

Building Operations. Preparations are being made in several quarters of the town for quite a number of new buildings this season, a detailed account of which will be given later on.

West Victoria Reform Convention. It is reported on good authority, that the reform convention for West Victoria will be held in Lindsay, on Saturday 26th inst., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the Ontario assembly.

A Grand Dramatic Event. H. T. Chanfrau, the renowned actor, supported by Bertram and Willards Comedy Co., in the great drama Kit—The Arkansas Traveler, with special scenery properties and effects, at the opera house April 26th. Full details next week.

Ontario Elections. The Toronto Mail says, that the promoters of Ontario, Quebec, and Nova Scotia have arranged to hold the Provincial elections on the same day, and that the day fixed is June 10th. If that be so, the organizers will have "to put a hustle on."

Book Reception. Next Monday evening, 21st inst., a book reception will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The object of the entertainment is to provide a supply of books suitable for the library of the institution. The donations of books by the visitors it is to be hoped, will be liberal, as the object is a most worthy one. A good programme of music, reading, etc., will be given.

St. Paul's Church Choir. The choir of St. Paul's church will give a concert in the schoolroom of the church to-morrow evening (Friday), the proceeds to go to the organ fund. The programme is an excellent one, and the entertainment will be one well worthy of patronage, as in fact all the entertainments given by St. Paul's choir have been. Remember to-morrow evening and St. Paul's choir concert.

Public School Examinations. SENIOR FOURTH CLASS.

- Subjct—Arithmetic. Full No. of marks 100: E. Houghton, 96; E. Hannah, 95; L. Beatty, 88; B. Pratt, 88; R. Williams, 88; L. Silver, 84; H. Jackson, 84; K. McLennan, 83; M. Storer, 79; W. Staples, 78; S. Hoadley, 76; J. Williams, 75; B. McLyan, 75; L. Touchburn, 75; J. McSweyn, 75; W. Mills, 74; S. Mallett, 74; E. Johns, 73; A. Brooks, 69; E. Bannan, 67; E. Hazelton, 67; M. Moffatt, 67; M. Hoadley, 67; C. Mills, 63; M. Bullock, 59; S. Mills, 58; L. Hannah, 58; M. Brown, 57; M. English, 55; M. Walters, 53; N. McKay, 51; M. Leroy, 50; E. Widdiss, 49; L. Brown, 48; W. Greer, 42; F. Marks, 39; W. Skitch, 37; A. Storer, 35; C. Miller, 34; E. Levey, 31; L. Flood, 0; J. Bullick, 0; V. Calvert, 0; Ed. Weddup, 0; Eve Weddup, 0; L. Mallett, 0; F. Wilson, 0.

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Plant Shade Trees.

It is to be hoped that our citizens will not neglect the planting of shade trees this season. Lindsay has improved considerably in this respect for several years past, but there is still room for improvement. Also attend to the boulevards. The council ought to see the boulevards from Kent street on Cambridge-st to the Court house completed, as well as on other leading thoroughfares.

Church Notes.

The Rev. William Johnston, chairman of Lindsay district, and secretary of the Bay of Quints Conference, will preach in Cambridge street Methodist Church on Sunday next at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Rev. Dr. Williams, left on Tuesday for Campbellford, to attend the annual conference examinations.

Rev. Dr. Williams preaches the annual sermon to the St. George's Society, in Guelph, on Sunday next.

Personal.

Mr. Joseph Hetherman, express messenger between Toronto and Montreal, paid Lindsay and his many friends a visit on Saturday last.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. John Dobson is rapidly recovering from his late attack of illness.

Messrs. D. McMillan, of Lorneville, William Cameron, Hector McNeil and Dr. McKay, of Woodville, were in town during the assizes last week.

Mr. Adam Hudspeth is expected home from Ottawa this week, after his long absence.

Wellington Street Wharf.

The sum of \$5000 has been included in the estimates of the year by the Ontario Government for the purpose of deepening and widening the Scugog River in the neighborhood of the Wellington St. bridge, to enable vessels to land and turn at that point. This will prove an immense convenience to the people of the town. The work it is understood will be begun shortly.

C. P. R. Exhibition Car.

On Saturday week last exhibition car No. 303 of the C. P. R., containing samples of grain, roots, fruits, minerals, etc., from Manitoba, Northwest territories and British Columbia, arrived at the Lindsay station, and was visited by a very large number of farmers and others interested. The exhibition was pronounced very fine, especially the samples of grain. The display of fruit in the British Columbia section was an attractive feature to many, the peaches and pears being particularly tempting. Some fine specimens of stone coal from the mines in the neighborhood of Lethbridge, Alberta, were also among the samples. The car remained at the station until the following Monday evening.

Millinery Opening.

The season's opening of Messrs. Dundas & Flavelle Bros. millinery rooms was one of the events of the past week. During their display days, a constant stream of ladies might have been seen moving to their store. But to get a proper idea of the great interest taken in these exhibitions a visit to their jammed rooms would have been necessary. During opening time the whole of their large second flat is thrown into a display room, and from floor to ceiling and from end to end of this spacious room was filled with rich and seasonable goods. The crush around the millinery tables showed where the chief interest centred; and the frequent overheard expression of admiration and approval of price on every hand must have been very gratifying to the lady in charge. So large a portion of this firm's goods are now imported direct from the great centres of Great Britain, that there is a great feeling of safety felt in the quality of these goods, which must greatly add to the interest when inspecting their styles.

Programme of Concert

To be held in St. Paul's church school house on Friday evening, 18th inst.:

- 1. Glee, ... Carmovale. ... Rossini. THE CHOIR.
2. Flute solo, la Favorite. ... Donnizetti. MR. DINGLE.
3. Song. ... The Return of Spring. ... Torry. MRS. G. H. HOPKINS.
4. Duett. ... The Sailor Sighs. ... Balfe. MISS LEARY and MR. MACGACHEN.
5. Song. ... Whose that Calling. ... Wheeler. MR. J. L. DUNSFORD.
6. Song. ... Comic. ... MR. JNO. PETTY.

- 1. Glee. ... Belfry Tower. ... Hatton.
2. Reading. ... Father Roach. ... Lover. MR. G. MILNE.
3. Song. ... L'Estax. ... Ardite. MISS LEARY.
4. Song. ... The Brave Sentinel. ... Rodney. MR. MACGACHEN.
5. Song. When the tide comes in. ... Millard. MRS. G. H. HOPKINS.
6. Glee. ... The Empire Flag. ... McKenzie. THE CHOIR. God Save the Queen.

The Socialist leaders in Madrid are urging upon the workmen a Mayday demonstration and a general strike.

The Allans are having three new steamers built on the Clyde for the St. Lawrence cattle and grain trade.

The Jewish tailors and pressers and machinists at Manchester have struck for shorter hours and higher wages.

Mr. Parnell will make a motion in the House of Commons for the rejection of the Irish Land Purchase bill.

The Roman Catholic bishops met in Kingston on Tuesday to name three men suitable for the bishopric of Glengarry.

Emperor William has given express orders not to interfere with the May day labour demonstrations except in case of absolute necessity.

The Montreal Protestant Ministerial Association is taking into its earnest consideration some plan to minimize the delivery of milk on the Lord's day.

Dutch Set Onions. At Higinbothams Drug Store. 13-4.

Literary Society.

The Literary Society in connection with the Collegiate Institute held a most successful meeting on Friday last. That it was enjoyable none will dream of questioning, when they learn that the control of affairs for this evening was in the hands of the ladies of the society. As it was a Ladies' evening, the Presidential chair was gracefully occupied by Miss M. Lumsden. After the meeting had been called to order and the business preliminaries disposed of, the Society proceeded to enjoy a really excellent program, consisting of choruses by the Young Ladies' Glee Club, an instrumental duet by the Misses Whiteside, and a vocal duet by Misses Cliff and McCarty; recitations by Miss Marty, Miss M. Whiteside and Miss E. Flavelle, and an essay on the Age of Pericles by Miss M. Mills. Miss I. Norris as critic by her terse criticisms added much to the enjoyment of the evening, neither "Fear nor Love" preventing her from expressing her opinion that this evening was "simply another proof of what woman can do," and that in future opposition from the other side of the house need not be feared. The program ended and the meeting closed by the hearty singing in true, loyal fashion of God Save the Queen. Quite a number of ladies from the town came up to enjoy the evening and expressed themselves well pleased with the manner and matter of the meeting.

Victoria Spring Assizes.

The following is a full list of the cases which came up for trial at the late assizes. Mr. Justice Rose presided during Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, being compelled to leave for Toronto to resume the trial of the St. George's disaster case, which has occupied the Court in Toronto for the past seven or eight weeks. His Honor Judge Dean occupied the bench for the remainder of the assizes.

SCHILL vs GRANSDEN.—Ejectment, Verdict for plaintiff.—Messrs. Hudspeth & Jackson for plaintiff, H. O'Leary for defendant.

DONNELLY vs PARKIN.—Action on contract for the sale of cordwood. Referred to Judge Dean.—Hudspeth & Jackson, and G. H. Watson for plaintiff, G. H. Hopkins for defendant.

FINLAY vs MISCAMPBELL.—Action for damages for injuries received in defendant's saw mill at Midland. Verdict entered for the defendant without costs.—Wm. Laidlaw Q. C. for plaintiff, B. B. Osler Q. C. for defendant.

COOPER vs HUGHES.—Libel.—Verdict for plaintiff, damages \$1.00, question of costs reserved.—B. B. Osler Q. C. and T. Stewart for plaintiff, defendant in person for defendant.

MACMURCHY vs CLARKE.—Libel.—On motion of defendant postponed to next assizes, costs of the day to be paid by defendant.—B. B. Osler Q. C. and John McSweyn for plaintiff, W. Laidlaw Q. C. for defendant.

McKENZIE vs CLARKE.—Libel.—On motion of defendant, postponed to next assizes, costs of the day to be borne by the defendant.—B. B. Osler Q. C. and T. Stewart for plaintiff, W. Laidlaw Q. C. for defendant.

HUGHES vs COOPER.—Libel.—Withdrawn by consent, each party to pay his own costs.

BUTLER vs McLEAN.—Ejectment.—Judgment for plaintiff subject to compensation to defendant for improvements.—McSweyn & Anderson for plaintiff, McIntyre & Stewart for defendant.

DOM. BANK vs McDONELL et al.—Promissory note. Postponed by consent to next assizes.—Barron & McLaughlin for plaintiff, H. O'Leary Q. C. for defendant.

SAUNDERS vs McALPINE.—Judgment by consent, case dismissed without costs.—McIntyre & Stewart for plaintiff, McSweyn & Anderson for defendant.

NOBLE vs NOBLE et al.—Action to recover a legacy. Plaintiff non-suited.—W. H. Bennett of Midland for plaintiff, H. O'Leary Q. C. and G. H. Hopkins for defendant.

TAYLOR vs TAYLOR.—Alimony.—Settled out of court. F. D. Moore for plaintiff, J. F. Grierson for defendant.

GARDINER vs SCOTT.—Action for maintenance of child. Verdict for plaintiff \$300 with costs.—McSweyn & Anderson for plaintiff, H. B. Dean for defendant.

GARDINER vs SCOTT.—Breach of promise of marriage. Verdict for plaintiff \$300 with costs.—D. R. Anderson for plaintiff, H. B. Dean for defendant.

CRIMINAL CASES.

The following true bills were found by the grand jury:—

QUEEN vs SAM HUGHES.—Criminal libel.

QUEEN vs C. D. BARR.—Criminal libel.

QUEEN vs HELEN STOCKDALE.—Bigamy.

QUEEN vs JOHN DOVELL AND ALEXANDER RILEY.—Arson.

QUEEN vs F. MOONEY.—Criminal libel.

QUEEN vs JOHN KENT.—Unlawfully appropriating goods under chattel mortgage, and fraudulent removal.

The criminal libel cases of S. Hughes, C. D. Barr, and F. Mooney were traversed to the next assizes, the parties being bound over in \$500 each to appear thereat. Helen Stockdale pleaded guilty to the charge against her, but was allowed to go on her own recognizance to appear for sentence when called upon.

QUEEN vs DOVELL AND RILEY.—Arson. The prisoners were charged with the burning of the barn of Arch. McColl in Glamorgan Township on 10th Oct. 1889. The evidence was purely circumstantial. A long and bitter feud has existed between the prisoners and McColl. His Lordship Judge Dean did not consider the evidence sufficient to allow the case to go to the Jury, and acquitted the prisoners.—C. W. Colter for the crown, John McSweyn for Riley and D. R. Anderson for Dovell.

QUEEN vs KENT.—Verdict, not guilty.—C. W. Colter for the crown, D. J. McIntyre for the prisoner.

Mr. C. W. Colter of Cayuga, the well-known opponent of Dr. Montague, acted as counsel for the crown.

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