BORN.

RANKIN—At [illegible], on the 8th inst., the wife of Robert Rankin, of a son.

STRAITH—In Holstein, on the 8th inst., the wife of Rev. Peter Straith, of a daughter.

TAYLOR—In Acton, on the 20th December, the wife of Mr. Harry Taylor, trunk-maker, of a son.

MARRIED.

ANDERSON—MILLS—At the Methodist parsonage, Acton, on the 19th December, by Rev. R. Phillips, Mr. Charles Anderson, to Mrs. Orillia Mills, both of Guelph.

DIED.

ELLIOTT—At Negn Mills, on the 19th December, John Elliott, aged 70 years.

CREECH—In Acton, on the 13th December, William Robert, infant, son of Robert Creech, aged 7 months and 13 days.

DUFFIELD—At Rockwood, on 16th December, Strickland Duffield, aged 38 years.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1887.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Three thousand women hold the franchise in Toronto this year, and have begun to organize for the approaching mayoralty election.

At a Cabinet meeting on Friday it was decided to call Parliament together for the despatch of business on Tuesday, January 31st. The proclamation was issued on Saturday.

The Ontario Government has appointed Monday, December 26th, and Monday, January 2nd, public holidays, owing to the fact that Christmas day and New Year's day fall on Sunday.

The principle of one man one vote appears to be making headway in England. Mr. Stansfeld, one of the Liberal members for Halifax, has given notice that at the coming session of the Imperial parliament he will introduce a bill prohibiting each elector from costing more than one vote at parliamentary elections.

Chicago has once more been selected as the place for holding the Republican national convention and June 19th fixed upon as the date. It is highly probable that the democrats will also fix upon that city for holding their convention also. If Chicago continues to be favored in this way it will not be long before the great conventions are permanently fixed in that city.

The shooting of a barkeeper by a Scott Act detective is a matter that it will do to ponder over. The barkeeper first drew a pistol and the detective fired in self-defence. It is about time that everybody was taught that the law is supreme, and the man who resists the law at the point of the pistol has no ground of complaint if he is confronted and laid low by a weapon of his own choosing.—London *Advertiser*.

Two hundred and four lives, from sixteen steamers, forty-three schooners, six tow barges and eight tug boats, were lost in the great lakes this year. The total money loss was $792,000 on hulls and $408,400 on cargoes. Old age and being undermanned were the chief causes of the disasters and the press of the United States and Canada are now rightly crying "shame" on the two Governments for not putting an end to the causes of these disasters.

The war cloud which has been hovering over Europe for the last week or two grows darker day by day and the storm may break forth at any moment. The immediate cause of the threatened rupture is the massing of troops by Russia on her western frontier, which is looked upon by both Austria and Germany as a menace. Austria, especially, seems to be the more frightened over these recent movements, and confident of the support and sympathy of Germany, she also is beginning to assume a warlike attitude, though still professing a desire for peace.

Will wheat grown in India drive wheat grown in America out of the European market? Mr. Wallace, Professor of Agriculture at Edinburgh University, believes it will, while Mr. Dodge, an official of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, believes it will not. The former bases his opinion on the fact that there is more nitrogen in the air of India than there is in the air of this country and this makes the supply in India inexhaustible, while in England and America the nitrogen is in a great measure taken from vegetable accumulation in the ground which in consequence of a system of close cropping, becomes exhausted. But Mr. Dodge contends that the American wheat is better than the Indian product and that this fact will always secure the American article the best market.

Referring to the affray at Myrtle last week the Whitby *Chronicle* says:—The Scott Act is undoubtedly a hard law, breaking up traffic which has existed for dear knows how long, and throwing men out of business who know nothing about any other line of trade, but it is a poor way to fight the Scott Act by dynamiting magistrates' and inspectors' residences and pounding the lives out of constables and detectives. Men who will resort to such acts should not be allowed to keep a public house, whether they sold liquor or not, for for it must be unsafe to stay over night in their places. The expressed wish of a large majority of the people of this county is that liquor shall not be sold and this makes it unlawful. The authorities are now determined to enforce the wishes of the people, it seems, and, the most of the keepers of public houses being tenants, they are generally talking of quitting the business or going to some part of the country where the traffic is still allowed. This is the best thing to do, as getting into jail or getting shot for fighting constables and detectives will only do their cause harm. In fact since people are beginning to see what supporters of the traffic are willing to resort to, they are so much more determined that the business shall be stopped. No man who favors this business of committing outrages is fit to keep a public house.

MAYOR HOWLAND AT NEW YORK.

Over Five Hundred Guests Assemble to Meet Him at a Brooklyn Reception.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The impression made by Mayor Howland of Toronto in New York has been most satisfactory. His address before an immense audience in Steinway Hall was most successful and is likely to have an important influence upon future movements here in regard to observance of the Sabbath and the regulation of saloons in this city. The Mayor was entertained on Tuesday evening at a reception at the house of Elliot F. Shepard, son-in-law of Cornelius Vanderbilt, and last evening a splendid entertainment was afforded him in Brooklyn at the house of Mr. Robert J. Kimball, the well-known banker. Over 500 guests were invited, including the leading people of this city and Brooklyn, and nothing could exceed the heartiness and kindness with which the Mayor was received in both cities.

—The FREE PRESS wishes everybody a Merry Merry Christmas.

WHISKEY'S WORK AGAIN

Scott Act Detectives Assailed and a Whitby Bar-tender Shot in the Row, Probably by one of his Friends.

ALL CONCERNED ARRESTED.

Two Scott Act detectives were attacked on Wednesday evening last at Myrtle, a station on the C. P. R. about forty miles east of Toronto, by a gang of whiskey sympathizers, and in a hand-to-hand struggle one of the aggressors was shot. The two detectives are James Dennin and W. C. McCrae of Toronto. They are very efficient officers and for some time past had been working up cases in the County of Ontario. They had instituted thirty-one prosecutions at Whitby, Port Perry and Brooklyn. On Wednesday they secured six convictions at Brooklyn and the liquor men were greatly enraged. They hissed the detectives in the court room and even threatened violence there. After the trials both the detectives had determined to take the train from Port Perry to Whitby. They learned, however, that the liquor men were awaiting them at the station for the purpose of mobbing them. In order to avoid a row Dennin and McCrae made a cut across the country to Myrtle. The foiled whiskey avengers hired conveyances in Port Perry and started in pursuit. They arrived at Myrtle in time to meet the detectives at the station before the C. P. R. train arrived. They made a dash for the two men with a shout of "Do for them." George Brown, bar-tender of the Lancaster Hotel, Whitby, clinched with Dennin, who called for assistance. McCrae came to the rescue. Brown drew a revolver and fired at McRae without effect. Dennin took the revolver from Brown and shots were fired on all sides. The result was that bar-tender Brown was shot in two places and nobody else was hurt. The remainder of the cowardly whiskey gang fled from the scene and left their wounded companion. The detectives took the next train to Toronto and gave themselves voluntarily up to the police.

Brown's associates, W. Lattimore, Thomas Trebell and Fred Corbyn, have been arrested and lodged in jail on the charge of conspiring "wrongfully, wickedly to beat, wound and maliciously injure J. S. Dennin and in pursuance of the same conspiracy that they did assault and shoot."

A good deal of excitement prevails, and both parties have plenty of friends and counsel looking after their interests.

The latest version of the affair is that Brown the wounded bar-keeper has told the story to a clergyman and to M. G. Robson, J.P., and several matters in connection with this confession have leaked out. It is alleged that Brown denies that Dennin shot him; that it was some one else; that he presented a pistol to Dennin's head and catching him by the lappel of the coat bade him accompany him around to the rear of the station. This Dennin refused to do, and then the shooting began. It is alleged that the shots fired at the detective by Brown's companions found a lodgement in the unfortunate Brown. This is corroborated by the manner in which the bullets entered Brown's body and by the unloaded revolver which was handed to Inspector Stark in Toronto. Some startling developments are expected at the trial.

Brown is still alive and getting on favorably.

At the trial on Tuesday the associates of Brown as well as the detectives were admitted to bail in $1,600 each.

THE CENTRAL BANK.

The *Mail* says: "Mayor Howland and Mr. W. Gooderham, liquidators of the Central Bank, held an informal conference on Monday. The Mayor says he will do his utmost to sift the Central Bank affairs to the bottom."

It has also the following in an editorial paragraph:—"The liquidators of the defunct Bank of London, after paying the claims of noteholders and depositors, will, it is said, have a balance with which they will be able to pay the shareholders 90 per cent. of their subscriptions. This is a better showing than was expected. Would that the Central Bank liquidators could do as well. The Guelph depositors and shareholders of the Central apparently expect no such favorable result. They held a storming meeting on Friday last and determined to ask the liquidators to take prompt criminal action against the guilty parties should any evidence of fraud present itself. A great deal of Guelph capital is locked up or lost in the bank; yet Guelph has not contributed to the losses. The branch was a good one and under such excellent management that people confided their 'all' to it without the slightest fear that disaster would follow."

A FRUIT TREE PEDLAR PUNISHED.

SIMCOE, Ont., Dec. 16.—Jas. Cavers, the young man from Galt who obtained notes for large sums from three German farmers of Middleton on small orders for fruit trees was tried here yesterday evening at the general session before His Honor Judge Livingstone. There were three indictments against him and he was found guilty on each count. This morning His Honor sentenced him to three years in the Provincial Penitentiary at Kingston. Cavers is said to be respectably connected in Galt and to have previously borne a good reputation, but the evidence was most convincing as to his guilt.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE.

"The Shrine of America in Westminster Abbey," described in the January *Harper's* by Archdeacon Farrar, will delight all who have visited this glorious church, as well as those who have that pleasure in anticipation. The Archdeacon as a cicerone is unsurpassed for style of narrative, and his fund of information is complete. No nook or cranny where American honors lie buried or are commemorated escapes his notice. The engravings of tombs, busts, and windows from photographs by H. N. King and York & Son, London, are by Varley, G. E. Johnson, Muller, and Heard.

A PRETTY GOOD DEPOSIT.

Scott Act Magistrate Noble has made the following returns:—Convictions made in East Riding, 99; convictions made in West Riding, 77; convictions made in North Riding, 49; total, 225. Total fines imposed, $12,800. Committed in default of payment, 12; committed in third offence, 2; total, 14. Fines collected and paid over to the County Treasurer:—East Riding, $4,000; West Riding, $3,615; North Riding, $1,800; total Scott Act, $9,445; fines under other acts, $72.—London *Free Press*.

HALTON ELECTION PROTEST.

The rumor respecting the election protest referred to last week yet remains to be confirmed. The petition against the return of Mr. Waldie as member of the House of Commons for this county will be tried before Judge Rose, at Osgoode Hall, on Wednesday, 4th of January next.

THE SENATOR TURNS UP AGAIN.

OTTAWA, 16th Dec.—Senator McKindsey, of Milton, is in town. He wants to get a day fixed for voting on the question of repealing the Scott Act in Halton.

PERSONAL MENTION

Respecting Visitors to and fro, with Whom Free Press Readers are Acquainted.

Mr. Nelson F. Moore, spent several days this week with friends in Toronto.

Rev. D. B. Cameron, now residing at Point Edward, was in town this week. He was a guest at Fairview Place.

Rev. Mr. Rae attended a conference of Guelph Presbytery, at Fergus, on Tuesday. The subjects considered were, the state of religion, temperance and Sabbath Schools.

Mr. H. Worden, of Acton, visited the Glen last Sabbath. Now while we believe Mr. W. has a warm feeling for Mr. H. Jeans and family and spends a portion of his time while here very pleasantly with them, we believe there are some others with which it is exceedingly interesting to spend the remaining portion of the time. All right H. come again.—Glen correspondence of *Herald*.

Rev. Frank W. Warne, late of Chicago, was the guest of the editor of the FREE PRESS on Tuesday. Mr. Warne has just been appointed to the pastorate of the Dhurramtollah street Methodist Episcopal Church, Calcutta, India. This is the largest and most prosperous Methodist Church in India, having a seating capacity for about 2000, and erected at a cost of some $45,000, and the executive of the foreign Mission Board of the church, must have great confidence in the ability and qualifications of Mr. Warne. Mr. Warne was born and brought up in this vicinity and his many friends here are gratified at his success in the past as well as with his present elevation by his superior officers.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Business of the Year Wound up at the Meeting Last Friday.

The last meeting of the Board of Trstees of Acton public school for the year, was held in the council chamber, last Friday morning.

Members were all present.

Mr. George Hynds took the chair at 11 a. m.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by I. Francis, that the secretary be requested to publish the meeting for the nomination and election of two trustees to take the places of Geo. Hynds and W. H. Storey, whose terms expire with the year, and that H. P. Moore be returning officer.—Carried.

The committee of finance presented their eighth report recommending payment of accounts as follows:—

William Walker, work at school	$1 00
John Matthews, drawing wood	1 25
William Smith, work at well	2 00
H.P.Moore, adv., stationery, postage, &c.	6 42
	$10 67

Report was adopted.

It was reported that the contractor had fulfilled his contract for wood. The treasurer was instructed to pay the account on January 3rd.

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by Thos. Ebbage, that this Board request the secretary to advertise for tenders for caretaker for 1888, and furnish persons tendering with specifications of duties. Tenders to be delivered on or before the 28th December, and addressed to the chairman of the property committee.—Carried.

Recommendations certifying to the qualifications of Misses Jelley and Mahaffy, the retiring teachers, were ordered to be prepared.

The Board adjourned at 12:30.

FIRES AT GEORGETOWN.

Two Incendiary Fires Within a few days.—One Incipient, the Other Destructive.

Georgetown seems to be the headquarters of one or more contemptible fire-bugs. During the past month or so a number of fires have been started, fortunately without serious loss, until last Friday.

At 8 o'clock on Thursday evening an attempt was made to burn ex-councillor Hardy's residence. The plan of procedure was familiar to that followed by the man who, some weeks ago, set fire to the dwelling of Mr. Hugh Matthews on Main street and for the conviction of whom a reward of $100 is offered. The front door was saturated with coal oil and a match being applied it was soon ablaze. As soon as this was done the wretch made a hurried escape and in going down the walk to the street was met by Mrs. Cook who was going to call on Mrs. Hardy. She gave the alarm and soon the fire was extinguished. The cause of the reckless deed is a mystery.—*Herald*.

Last Friday morning, about four o'clock a fire broke out in Mr. Jackson's grocery, one of a wooden range of stores occupied by W. T. Jackson, grocer, Mrs. Macmaster, millinery and fancy goods, and J. Cane, barber. The buildings were completly destroyed. They were owned by Dr. W. J. Roe, and insured in the Caledonian and Norwich Union for $600 each. The contents were insured in the Lancashire and Glasgow and London. They were mostly saved. An incendiary is believed to have inaugurated the destruction.

THE VALUE OF TREES.

Mr. R. W. Phipps of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, has sent us the Forestry Report for 1886, and with it a note in which he says he will be glad to forward it to any of our readers we will send their address to him at 233 Richmond St., Toronto. Mr. Phipps has taken great pains to make the report very complete. It will be found to contain:—A report from 160 townships, giving the amount of wood fit for fuel yet standing in the older settled portions of Ontario. A report of a careful examination of two townships of Ontario, one lying southerly and one northerly, with the view of obtaining an accurate idea of the effects of woods, or lines of trees, on growing crops, and the climatic differences observed since the clearing up of the country. Notices of the progress of forestry in other countries. Results of experiments in sowing evergreens in large quantities in Ontario, and directions as to how similar results may be obtained. Complete directions as to raising all trees from seed; and planting them out. Carefully prepared statements as to the lumber districts of Ontario, value and uses of wood here, planting in school grounds and on Arbor Day, value of woods in preserving humidity in adjacent fields, proposed forest plantations advisable on Ontario farms, preservation of birds, forest work in India, evergreen hedges, and many kindred subjects, as well as valuable reports from gentlemen who have of late years started plantations here.

NEXT YEAR'S PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.

TORONTO, Dec. 14.—The Council of the Agricultural and Arts Association met today in the Board room and finally decided to hold the Provincial Fair next year. A deputation from Collingwood pressed the claims of that town on the council, when the council adjourned until 6 p. m. to hear other deputations. In the evening it was understood that both St. Thomas and Kingston were in the field, though an expected deputation from the former city did not appear. On motion the Fair was fixed for Kingston, beginning on September 10.

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ROCKWOOD NEWS.

From our own Correspondent.

W. Dunbar, of Wallaceburg, is home at his father's, Mr. Geo. Dunbar, ill with typhoid feyer.

Jas. Black and Edw. Stout, are home from the Collegiate Institute, Collingwood, for their Christmas holidays.

The funeral of Mr. S. Duffield, late of the Railroad Hotel, which took place last Friday, was very largely attended. A great many friends from this neighborhood, Guelph, and other places paying the last tribute of regard possible to a figure familiar to many in the county.

Mrs. John Black, town line, Erin and Erasmosa, had the misfortune on Tuesday morning to fall down the stairway of the cellar, breaking her arm and otherwise sustaining severe injuries.

Neil McLean, Blacksmith, Everton, met with a serious accident on Monday evening while returning from Guelph on account of his horses running away and throwing him out of the waggon. Among other injuries one of his legs were broken at the ankle and an arm was put out of joint and broken at the elbow.

The Presbyterians, of Eden Mills, are to be congratulated on the completion of their fine new church which was formally opened for divine service last Sunday. The Rev. Prof. McLaren, of Knox College, Toronto, preached to crowded houses morning and evening. A teameeting was held on Monday evening, when after a splendid collation in the old church the people adjourned to the new building and listened with delight to addresses by the Rev. Messrs. Gardner, 1st Presbyterian Church; Eramosa; Rae, of Acton; Swann, Barnby and Strachan, the pastor, Rockwood, and to the music furnished by the splendid choir of St. Andrew's church, Guelph. X. Y. Z.

Rockwood, Dec. 20th, 1887.

GUELPH PLAYING PARLIAMENT.

The young men of the city have succeeded in the organization of a mock parliament. The *Mercury* says:—That a strong "Cabinet" has been constructed will be apparent from the following list:—

M. MacCormick, President of the Council.
A. J. Little, Postmaster General.
R. L. Torrance, Secretary of State.
A. M. McKinnon, Minister of Justice.
Dr. McPhatter, Minister of Agriculture.
F. Harley, Minister of Militia.
R. Mitchell, Department of the Interior.
W. N. Husband, Department of Railways and Canals.
James Hough, jr., Department of Marine and Fisheries.
A. Sinclair, Department of Inland Revenue.
T. Anderson, Department of Customs.
Dr. McKinnon, Department of Public Works.

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