BORN.

DEWEY—On the 8th May, at Brighton, the wife of Rev. Geo. W. Dewey of a daughter.

MARRIED.

GARDINER—KENNEY—On the 16th May, by Rev. R. Clement, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Jesse C. Gardiner, to Miss Mary J. Kenney, eldest daughter of John N. Kenney, Esq., Hillsburgh.

WARD—WHITTEMORE—In the Methodist Church, Port Perry, on the 9th May, by Rev. N. B. Wilkinson, M.A., father of the bride, assisted by Rev. W. McCrae, Guelph, Wm. H. Ward, Esq., to Lillie M. Whitteemore, Mariposa, eldest daughter of the bride.—Mr. George B. Watson, B.A., of Toronto, to Miss Isabel Whitteemore, B.A., youngest daughter of Rev. N. B. Wilkinson, and granddaughter of Mrs. Rice, Hall, of Mariposa.

DIED.

BURNS—In Margate, Ireland, on the 21st of May, Mrs. Sarah Brooks, relict of the late Mr. Robert Burns, and mother of the Rev. John Brooks, D.D., of Cobourg, aged 78 years, 8 months and 8 days.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1888.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Lord Lansdowne will receive the degree of D. C. L. at the approaching convocation at Oxford, in recognition of his services as Governor-General of Canada.

The floating of the Canadian Pacific bonds in London was a remarkable success. Ten times the amount asked was subscribed by eleven o'clock, and the bonds went afterwards quoted at a premium of ¼ to ⅜.

Manitoba farmers are resuming threshing operations, wheat being now worth twenty cents a bushel more than it was last fall. Owing to this increase the Winnipeg bakers raised the price of bread.

Senator Sanford is authority for the statement that the Canadian Pacific Company will begin at once the work of staking out its new line east of Burlington to the Niagara frontier, and grading will be commenced next week.

By an Order-in-Council William H. Lewes, of Rothsay, has been appointed Police Magistrate for the county of Wellington, at a salary of $400 per annum, and $300 for travelling expenses, salary to date from Jan. 1st, 1888.

Toronto has another flaming boodle scandal in connection with the contracting for its streets and improvements. It arose out of a charge of dishonesty brought against corporation street contract overseer Lackie who was alleged to be selling contracts and letting contractors off easily.

Just notice how Prohibitionists are almost always selected nowadays for important and responsible public positions. A Finance Minister is needed for the Dominion and the clear-headed Prohibitionist of the Cabinet, Hon. G. E. Foster, is selected to fill the vacancy. A new Cabinet position is created in the Ontario Government, and Mr. Charles Drury, one of the soundest Prohibitionists in the Local Legislature gets the office. The important position of assistant Treasurer is vacant, and D. E. Cameron, one of most active and enthusiastic Prohibition platform workers of Western Ontario is appointed. The constituency of North York loses its representative in the Local Legislature, and the Reform party gets together, picks out one of the soundest Temperance men of the county, Mr. J. E. Davis, and he goes into the Legislature without opposition.—Toronto *Globe*.

BURKE'S SENTENCE.

MONTREAL, June 6.—Burke, the burglar policeman, was to-night found guilty by the jury after an absence of fifteen minutes, and was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary. The jury recommended him to the mercy of the Court.

A BERLIN FACTORY BURNED.

BERLIN, June 6.—The Anthes Manufacturing Company's building was destroyed by fire between 12 and 1 this morning. Total loss about $14,000; insurance $3,000. A large quantity of workmen's tools was burned. Mr. Anthes was away from home.

SCOTT ACT REPEAL IN STANSTEAD.

COATICOOKE, Que., May 30.—The result of the voting for the repeal of the Scott Act in Stanstead County to-day is a majority of 136 against the Act. The Act was carried in this county in October, 1884, by a majority of 325. On its first submission in June, 1886, the Act was defeated by 1?1.

HON. JAMES FERRIER.

MONTREAL, May 31.—Hon. James Ferrier died this evening soon after six o'clock. Senator Ferrier has been a conspicuous and influential figure in two generations of Canadians. In the Methodist Church, in politics, in educational affairs and in business, his activity was for fully fifty years great and beneficent. Almost up to the end of his very lengthy life he attended to his multifarious duties with such energy that his loss will be distinctly felt in several departments of life.

BURNED TO DEATH.

BRANT Centre, Ont., June 4.—Willie Grondin, four-year-old son of Alex. Grondin, farmer, living about seven miles from here, was this afternoon burned to death. He and two other children were playing with fire in the stove while the mother was out and in some way his clothes caught fire. Wild with terror, he ran out of the house and in a moment was enveloped in flames. Before assistance reached the child he was so badly burned that he died in about an hour. The mother's hands were severely burned while trying to save the boy.

NOW FOR A TRIP TO THE LAND OF PERPETUAL FRUIT AND FLOWERS.

There is to be an Excursion Party to San Francisco, via Michigan Central, Burlington and Quincey and Central Pacific Railroads, July 10th, at one half the regular rate. Tickets good to return for 90 days. Any person wanting to go before Excursion day, can go any time after the 15th June, at same rate. Persons wishing to avail themselves of this rare chance, should write at once to Rev. David Hunt, Milligrove, Ont., for posters and all particulars. Reduced rates by the same party to Denver and Salt Lake City.

DEATH OF T. M. NAIRN, M.P.P.

The Representative for Elgin Taken off by Heart Disease.

ALTMER, Ont., June 1.—Thomas M. Nairn, M.P.P. for the County of Elgin, died at his home here at seven o'clock this morning of heart disease, aged fifty-seven years, eleven months and fifteen days. For the past two or three weeks he had been under the doctor's care, but to all appearances was recovering and only a few moments before his death he arose from his bed. He became unconscious and his wife fearing he had fainted called for help. Dr. Sinclair was quickly at his bedside but too late, the vital spark had taken its flight.

HULL AGAIN IN ASHES.

Two Hundred and Fifty Houses and Several Public Buildings Destroyed.

THE WORK OF A CIGAR.

OTTAWA, June 5.—For the third time within eight years Hull has been purged with fire and a large section swept off the rock on which the city is built. About 8.45 this afternoon, while the City Council was in session, fire broke out under the stairs of the City Hall, which was in the centre of Market-square, and upstairs over the market. The fire is supposed to have been caused by the stump of a lighted cigar falling under the stairs amongst some waste. A strong gale was blowing at the time and the fire spread with fearful rapidity and in a few minutes the City Hall was in flames and sparks were showering on the small wooden buildings in the vicinity. The wind was blowing from the northwest and the fire fairly flew along the streets running north and east, and within fifteen minutes forty or fifty tenements were in flames.

The fire brigade was practically useless, the small mains being wholly inadequate to supply the numerous streams laid on, and the fire merely laughed at the sickly squirts which trickled on it, some of which scarcely went twenty feet beyond the nozzle.

The wind blew directly towards the magnificent Roman Catholic Church, the largest edifice in the archiepiscopal diocese of Ottawa except the Basilica at Ottawa, and the interior was soon in flames. The church was of solid limestone, with a sheet iron roof, which held the fire in splendidly, and had there been anything like a sufficient water supply the building would have been saved. As it was this beautiful structure, valued at over $150,000, was totally destroyed, together with other church property in the vicinity estimated at $100,000 more.

The fire swept along, totally beyond control, and soon caught the convent, a quarter of a mile distant, totally destroying it.

By this time the Conqueror engine had arrived from Ottawa and had two good streams on the college, which was saved, and the Eddy and Union steamer had several streams on Eddy's piling grounds south of the fire, the lumber piles in which were mostly saved, only the fence and a few piles being destroyed.

It is difficult to get at the number of houses burnt, but a moderate calculation puts it at 250, which is more likely to be under than over-estimated. Fully 1500 people are homeless, most of whom are poor.

The loss will exceed $500,000, on which there is little insurance except $80,000 on the church, $4000 on the convent and $5000 on the City Hall.

This is the worst fire Hull has ever had.

SEAFORTH, ONT.

The annual meeting of Guelph Conference of the Methodist Church being held in the town of Seaforth this week brings that town into more than ordinary prominence, and a few words respecting the place may not be found uninteresting.

Seaforth is a flourishing town situated on the Buffalo and Goderich Division of the Grand Trunk Railway, in the County of Huron. It is twenty-one miles south east from Goderich, the County seat, and 111 from Toronto. Within the boundaries of the town are extensive deposits of pure rock salt of great thickness and value and salt is one of the chief products for shipment from the town. The blocks of The Gray, Young and Sparling Salt Works Co., is the most extensive in the town and their annual shipments are very large. It has woollen, flax, saw and planing mills, a foundry, and is the headquarters for the largest egg-collecting business in Ontario, of which Mr. D. D. Wilson, well-known as the "Egg King" is the proprietor. The mercantile interests of the town are well sustained as is demonstrated by the excellent stores which line the principal streets.

Seaforth is a very pretty place, and is surrounded by a prosperous farming community. It has nicely graded streets, good walks, profusive shade trees, and many attractive public buildings and private residences. The congregations of the Presbyterian, Methodist, Episcopal and Catholic denominations have beautiful and commodious church edifices; there are high, public and separate schools with accommodation for nearly 600 pupils. The Mechanics Institute has 2400 volumes. There is a town hall and a public hall with ample capacity, two banks, and two weekly newspapers, the *Huron Expositor* and *The Sun*, the former of which, under the able management of Messrs. McLean Bros., has earned for itself a Dominion reputation as being one of Ontario's best and most extensively circulated country papers.

The shipments of the town comprise:—Grain, salt, eggs, lumber, live stock, and general produce. Its population is nearly 3,000. Its assessed valuation is about $600,000. Seaforth is a prosperous and gradually growing town.

Respecting the hospitality of its people, and the business of the Conference which opens this morning we will probably have something to say in next issue.

METHODIST ANNUAL CONFERENCES.

The Annual Conferences of the Methodist Church in Ontario and Quebec will be opened as follows:—Toronto Conference at the Metropolitan church, Toronto, on Thursday, June 14th; Niagara Conference at Norwich on Wednesday, June 6th; Guelph conference at Seaforth on Thursday, June 7th; London Conference at the Queen's avenue church, London, on Thursday, June 7th; Bay of Quinte Conference at Lindsay on Thursday, June 7th; Montreal Conference at the Dominion square church, Montreal, on Wednesday, June 6th. Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, will open the N[illegible] and Guelph Conferences; Rev. Dr. Williams, General Superintendent, will open the London and Bay of Quinte Conferences, while both General Superintendents will be present at the opening of the Toronto Conference. The Montreal Conference will be opened according to the provision of the Discipline in the absence of a General Superintendent, by the President of the Conference, Rev. W. J. Shaw, D. D., of Montreal.

LORD STANLEY'S VIEWS.

He has an Adequate Conception of Canada's Best Resources—He Understands the Rights of Responsible Government.

LONDON, June 1. — Lord Stanley, the newly-appointed Governor-General of Canada, was interviewed to-day at Moville, Ireland, where the steamer Sarmatian, on which he sailed, stopped for mails and passengers. Lord Stanley said that he had acquired in his experience in the Colonial Office an accurate knowledge of Canada's vast resources. He said that he was greatly impressed with the possibilities of Canada's future. He didn't go, he said, with any preconceived ideas regarding the government. Lord Stanley expressed his confidence in Canada's Ministry and believed that they would cordially co-operate with the Governor-General. He was arriving, he knew, at a time when troublous questions were likely to arise, but he felt no anxiety on that account.

ACTON'S GOVERNORS.

The Tender for Grading, Macadamizing and Gravelling Mill Street Awarded.

COUNCILLOR KENNEY'S SUNDAY BELL RINGING.

Council met on Wednesday evening at 8.15 o'clock as Court of Revision.

Members all present. Reeve in the chair.

There being none other than verbal appeals against the assessment it was

Moved by W. E. Smith, seconded by W. Iamound, that the time for making complaints against errors in assessment be extended for ten days and that Court of Revision do now adjourn until 13th June.—Carried.

Court then adjourned.

Council then met for regular business.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

The committee on Finance presented their sixth report recommending payment of accounts as follows:—

Noah Sunley, Trees for Cemetery, and planting same	$67 60
H. P. Moore, adv. Account for March, April and May	17 45
William Smith, work on Streets and Sidewalks	11 55
Henry Bell, Drawing Gravel	6 00
Wm. Smith, Planting Trees, &c.	4 80
	$107 53

Moved by W. P. Brown, seconded by W. E. Smith, that the report just read be adopted.—Carried.

The Commissioner on Streets and Sidewalks presented the tenders for macadamizing and gravelling Mill Street, as follows:—

Alex. B. Wright for the whole work of grading, macadamizing and gravelling Mill Street from the G.T.R. depot to Main Street, to find all gravel and broken stone, and perform all work as per plans and specifications for the sum of One Thousand and Sixty-four Dollars; the work to be completed by the first of August.

William Lundy tendered for supplying rough stone for seventy cents per load and gravel for forty cents per load delivered on the street.

The matter was fully considered after which it was

Moved by William Ismound, seconded by W. P. Brown that the tender of A. B. Wright for grading, macadamizing and gravelling Mill Street as per plans and specifications for the sum of One Thousand and Sixty-four Dollars be accepted, Mr. Wright having deposited his marked cheque for five per cent. of tender.—Carried.

Councillor Kenney asked what was to be done about the ringing of the town bell on Sundays. He stated that the members of the churches for whose services the bell was to be rung were willing to pay for the services of the bell-ringer and felt that the council should honor their proposition.

The matter was discussed from various standpoints and Councillor Kenney presented strong claims for the Sunday bell ringing. It was, however, laid on the table for further consideration.

Council then adjourned.

ACTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The Successful Pupils at the May Examinations and Their Standing.

The following is a list of the pupils who took the highest marks in the monthly examinations last Friday. Mr. Moore's department is not represented because his scholars are specially engaged in High School entrance examination work:—

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

SENIOR:—Robert Sinclair, 295; Chester Matthews, 292; Fred Ryder, 276.

INTERMEDIATE:—Frank McIntosh, 292; Bessie Cameron, 288; Rollie Smith, 264.

JUNIOR:—Annie Foulker, 239; Herbie Phillips, 234; Augusta Bell, 230.

C. McPhail, Teacher.

THIRD DEPARTMENT.

SENIOR:—Minnie Edwards, 240; Jennie Brennan, 215; Bertie Mann, 197.

INTERMEDIATE:—John Edwards, 263; Charlie McCann, 153; Hettie McCann, 146.

JUNIOR:—Arthur Moore, 210; Allan Campbell, 210; Roy McIntosh, 155; Nettie Cobban, 135.

D. Corrigan, Teacher.

FOURTH DEPARTMENT.

SENIOR:—Bazzie Storey, 280; Russell Cameron, 250; John Robson, 260.

INTERMEDIATE:—Charlie Towers, 270; Nellie Holmes, 250; George Robson, 250.

JUNIOR:—Lizzie Creech, 245; Mabel Craine, 230; Frank McIntosh, 260.

Lena Dorland, Teacher.

CO-OPERATION IN THE MISSION FIELD.

MONTREAL, June 6.—The question of co-operation in the mission field between Methodists and Presbyterians was discussed this morning in the Presbyterian College. Rev. Dr. Shaw was appointed chairman and Prof. Scrimger secretary. The chairman stated the object of the meeting. Prof Scrimger advised the members to take up only such cases as were supplied them by the courts of both churches, as the object was to prevent unnecessary waste of strength and money. Rev. Mr. Hartable proposed a sub-committee of four to collect evidence for the entire district in which they were supposed to work. Rev. Mr. Hastie wanted to know if the land or the property owned by missions was to become the permanent property of the church which took up mission work. Rev. Dr. Williams proposed that the two churches should have turns in taking charge of the work. A motion by Prof Scrimger was adopted that the commission was now ready to commence work and that the courts of both churches should be invited to lay before it such cases as might come under notice with all possible particulars. It was decided to have a secretary representing each church, and Prof. Scrimger and Dr. Williams were appointed and the place and time of next meeting left to them.

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DEATH OF JAMES PAHEY.

The Well-known Newspaper Paragrapher Passes away Saturday Night.

Mr. James Pahey, one of the best known and closerest newspaper paragraphers in Canada, died Saturday night at eight o'clock at his late residence in Lisgar street. Mr. Pahey was ill but two days, an acute attack of pleuro pneumonia carrying him off in that short period. Mr. Pahey was born at Smithville, in the County of Wentworth, about thirty-eight years ago. He leaves a family of seven children in very poor circumstances. Mrs. Pahey died only a little over a year ago.

The Third page of the Toronto *Daily Mail* is noted for "Want" advertisement. If you want to buy or sell anything, if you want a situation, a mechanic, a business, machinery, lodgings, if you have lost or found anything, or if you want to find out where anyone is, advertise in the Toronto *Daily Mail* and read the advertisements on the Third page of that paper. The charge is Two Cents a word each insertion. Address The Mail, Toronto, Canada.

ROOTS AGAINST GRAIN IN MILK PRODUCTION.

BY WILLIAM BROWN, PROFESSOR OF AGRICULTURE

1. We have made tests with Roots against Grain for milk production within the last five years, but never so thoroughly as during the past winter. Our objects were, (1) cheaper production of winter milk, (2) to get milk equal at least to the average Ontario summer records, (3) the use of a large quantity of roots without tasting, and (4) to maintain milk flow and condition of cows without grain.

The plan adopted was to feed one week on each ration previous to exact testing during the second week, and thus changing every two weeks through March and April. Ordinary Shorthorn grades were handled, milking twice a day. What are the facts so far?

The root ration daily consisted of 12 lb. cut hay, timothy and clover, 33 lb. mangels, 33 lb. Swede turnips and 15 lb. white Belgian carrots, all sliced and mixed with the hay. The grain ration was 12 lb. of similar cut hay, 7 lb. oats, 7 lb. peas, and 7 lb. barley, all ground and mixed dry with the hay. Feeding at 6 a.m., 11.30 a.m. and 5.30 p.m.

The nutritive ratio of the root diet is 1:7.4, and of the grain 1:5.4, thus 27 per cent. higher for the grain ration.

The daily milk per head from roots averaged 20.9 lb. over the whole period, and 22½ lb. from grain.

The daily cost of food per head was 19½ cents for the root and 31 cents for the grain ration, this being 9½ mills for the one and 13.9 mills for the other per pound on the milk produced, or 9½ cents and 14 cents per gallon respectively, charging the average prices of the province during the last twelve years.

On roots the animal weight was reduced 14 lb., and on the grain 12½ lb. over the period—practically nothing in the scaling of cows; nor had we to credit any left food after each feeding; neither was milk spoiled by root taste.

Now, what are the practical and scientific deductions from these simple facts?

1. That 61 lb. of a mixture of roots, an unusually large quantity per head per day, with 12 lb. hay gave almost as much milk as did the unusually large quantity of 21 lb. of a mixture of grain and 12 lb. hay.

2. That this result was accomplished—(1) without spoiling the milk, (2) without reducing animal weight, (3) at 30 per cent. less cost, and (4) even though the root ration was scientifically 37 per cent. lower in nutritive value.

3. Thus, food of a succulent character, four times more bulky and much less value proportionately than dry grain, demands a very high place in winter dairying.

The root ration was pitted against an unusually large quantity of ground grain, enough to fatten two store cattle, which also represents with hay the acknowledged scientific and practical standard (1:5.4) of a ration for the best results in animal growth and their productions. But, even though the roots were four times more in bulk, the cow had nearly twice as much digestible materials per day from grain.

5. The large relative percentage of water in roots seem to possess an influence in the production of milk which, if not exactly understood, yet seems to depend for its effect upon the fact that the natural food of milch cows contain a larger proportion of water than is found in the more highly nutritious gains.

6. Thirty-three pounds of Swede turnips per day if fed whole and separately will taste milk, but when sliced and mixed with an equal quantity of mangles, or when pulped and mixed with hay, will not give a bad flavor.

7. The manure values scientifically resulting from the consumption of these rations are about four cents for roots and nine cents for grain per cow daily; thus, in balancing all the points in this experiment, that of manure must not be lost sight of.

8. Take two such cows as we have had in this test over a winter of 180 days, one upon each of these rations, and all other conditions being alike, we obtain the following comparison:—

Roots:—Milk, 3762 lb., value of milk, $47, cost of food, $35, manure value, $7, net gain $19.

Grain:—Milk, 4029 lb., value of milk, $50; cost of food, $56, manure value, $10, net gain, $10.

9. Accordingly the dairy world has yet to be taught that the extensive use of grain is or is not correct economically; that a large quantity of a mixture of roots with hay fodder is both economical and safe for milch cows; and that possibly there is better health with roots, through a slightly inferior quality of milk—remembering at the same time that we have to wait further tests as this is only our first systematically conducted one.

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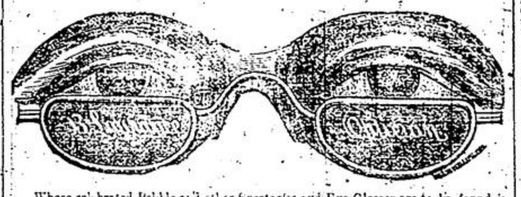

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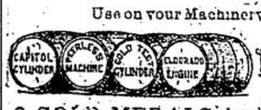

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OF THE

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THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL of the Village of Acton will hold an adjourned meeting of the Court of Revision for the year 1888, in the Council Chamber, on

WEDNESDAY, 13th JUNE,

Commencing at 8 o'clock p.m.

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J. E. McCARVIN, Village Clerk.

Acton, June 6th, 1888.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Indian Supplies," will be received at this office up to noon of THURSDAY, 7th June, 1888, for the delivery of Indian Supplies during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1889, consisting of Flour, Bacon, Groceries, Ammunition, Twine, Cows, Calves, Bulls, Agricultural Implements, Tools, &c., duty paid, at various points in Manitoba and the North-West Territories.

Forms of tender containing full particulars relative to the Supplies required, dates of delivery, &c., may be had by applying to the undersigned, or to the Indian Commissioner, Regina, or to the Indian Office, Winnipeg.

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