BORN.

DEITCH—In Acton, on 5th Nov., the wife of F. E. Deitch, of a daughter.

LAMBERT—In Erin, on the 31st Oct., the wife of James Henry Lambert, of a son.

LINDSAY—At Oakville, on the 12th November, the wife of L. Geo. Lindsay, of a son.

MARRIED.

HAWKING—ALLAN—In Winnipeg, on Thursday, 3rd Nov., by Rev. John Semmens, Joseph H. Hawking, formerly of the FREE PRESS, Acton, to Miss M. A. Allan, sister of Deputy Postmaster Allan, all of Winnipeg.

DIED.

THURSTON—At Newark, N.Y., on Saturday, 5th inst., Daniel Thurston, aged 72 years.

DOBBLE—In Esquesing, on Tuesday, 8th November, infant daughter of Wm. Dobble, aged 10 months.

ANDERSON—In Esquesing, on Thursday, Nov. 10, Mary Jane Kee, wife of David Anderson, aged 54 years, 4 months.

McKEOWN—At Mono Road, on Friday, 11th Nov., James McKeown, brother of the late David McKeown, of Erin, aged 80.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1892.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The popular amusement in the United States for the next few weeks will be the payment of ridiculous election bets, and the performance of outlandish capers, according to promises made when the fight was on.

The Toronto *News* says it is generally understood that Ontario provincial elections will be held next year and that the Dominion general elections will not be postponed beyond a year later than that date, while they may possibly come on a good deal sooner.

The Belleville *Ontario* remarks that the man who digs a ton of coal gets about 75 cents, and the man who burns it pays $6.50 or $7.00. It argues that coal should never go above $4 per ton in Canada, which would give $1 to the miner, $1 for freight, $1 to the home dealer and $1 to the combinester.

It is stated that President Harrison, referring to the recent elections, said that the defeat of the Republican party was mainly due to the position of the party on the tariff question, the Republicans having forced the issue to an extreme which evidently did not meet with popular approval.

A joint commission from the United States and Canada will investigate and report recommendations for the protection of fish and the fisheries in the inland lakes bordering on both countries. An exchange thinks it is an admirable commission except for one thing. The members are allowed two years to investigate and report. Perhaps by that time there will not be left many international fish to be protected.

Senator McKindsey has sold his residence here and intends removing to Toronto at an early date. He has been a familiar figure on our streets for many years.—Milton *Reformer*. He is Senator for life unless this useful appendage can be abolished, therefore what does he care for Halton so long as he pockets the $1000 a year for merely putting in his time.—Brampton *Times*.

South Dorchester has fallen into line, and at the municipal elections in January the ratepayers of the township will be asked to vote on a by-law providing for the abolition of the statute labor system. To all intents and purposes the by-law is similar to the one which will be submitted in Yarmouth, with the exception that the statute labor is to be commuted at sixty cents a day.

The Clinton *New Era* is evidently not one of the "hide-bound" political organs which can see evil and injustice on but one side of the political fence:—It says: "Mr. Mowat is weakening the hands of his own supporters by allowing the Middlesex Registrarship to remain vacant as long as it is. How can Liberals fight against abuses on the opposite side when they are tolerated in their own midst.

Some idea of the value of the cheese industry is got from the fact that nearly 30,000 boxes were offered at the Listowel board on October 20, equivalent in value to $225,000. This is an enormous sum of money to distribute among a comparatively small number of farmers as the produce from one branch of farming for three months. There can be no doubt but that dairying pays and has done more than any other industry to maintain the prosperity of this country.

The Milton *Reformer* is badly worked up over the appointment of License Inspector and complains that superior men were passed over in order to give the position to a Roman Catholic. In referring at length to the appointment the *Reformer* says:—"It looks as if the Government at Toronto had completely abandoned all idea of ever redeeming Halton, and our opinion is that the county may be considered safe for the Conservatives for the next ten years."

One of the chief reasons given for the scheduling of Canadian cattle is that numerous cases of pleuro-pneumonia have been discovered among United States herds. Those who consider that is a good ground for inflicting injury upon the Dominion forget that Canada and the United States are different countries. There are lots of epidemics, strikes, and cyclones on the south of the international boundary which never trouble the people to the north of it. It is hardly fair to hold Canada responsible for its neighbor's bill of health.—*Mail*.

Now that the fishery season on the Atlantic coast is drawing to a close the cruisers which have been out all summer will shortly be laid up. From the reports received at the Department at Ottawa it appears that, with one or two exceptions, the Yankee fishermen have respected the law, and have confined their operations outside of the three mile limit. A few vessels were warned, but no seizures for infractions of the law this year have been made. The catch of the Canadian fishermen this season has been about an average one.

It has been reported that the poor of Great Britain will this winter suffer from famine. The causes alleged are the partial failure of the crops and the depressed state of commerce and manufactories. That Britain's poor will be poorer this winter is evident, for very many are out of work, but with the great storehouses of the world full, and the wealth of Britain ready to purchase food, there is little danger that a famine will affect Britain. Our people are forever complaining of hard times, and that prices are ruinously low,—but we have plenty to eat, and the scarcity across the Atlantic may make firmer markets here.

THE COUNTRY AROUND.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

LIMEHOUSE.

The Methodist Church here is to be renovated, painted and papered.

A number of the residents of our hamlet were up to Acton on Sunday to hear Conductor Snider's sermons.

MILTON.

The waterworks system here was inspected last week and owing to the small quantity of water in the reservoir the class of insurance in the town was reduced from D. to E. This will considerably increase the rates.

Rev. C. O. Johnston will deliver his popular lecture, entitled "Human Nature," in the Methodist Church on Monday evening, Nov. 21st.

Mr. James Canteon has purchased the 90-acre farm of the Hustler estate. Mr. Canteon will have a timber sale in November.

In consequence of the engine breaking down at the works the town was without electric light last week.

The Grand Division Sons of Temperance will meet at Milton on the 6th of December and following days.

ERIN.

The Directors of the Township of Erin Argcultural Society held a meeting at Anderson's hotel, Ospringe, a week ago, when the treasurer paid over to many of the prize-winners their money. The secretary-treasurer stated that the proceeds of the fair of 1892 far exceeded that of any previous year, and the society would have a snug sum to their credit after all debts were paid.

The Village Council will hold their next meeting on the 15th Dec.

A social was held at the residence of Mr. Wm. Sutton, in the Village of Erin, on Tuesday evening in aid of the Parsonage fund.

A meeting of the management of the Erin Ploughing Society will be held at Ramsden's Hotel, Erin, on Saturday.

Several cows have died throughout this neighborhood recently, and the cause of death is attributed to the feeding of rotten potatoes.

OAKVILLE.

Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Methodist church, preached morning and evening last Sunday in the Methodist church on the occasion of the missionary anniversary. His sermons were able expositions.

F. W. James left last week for Strathroy, where he will open out a drug store. Walter Ashton, of Beeton, takes his place.

The Dorcas Society in connection with the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Jude's church have just sent a two hundred pound bale of clothing to the North West mission.

License Inspector Reynolds has entered upon the duties of his office.

R. M. Chisholm, was arrested in Toronto on Monday evening by Detective Davis on a charge of attempting to poison his mother and brother at Oakville by putting arsenic in his tea and on their bread. He was brought back to Oakville in charge of Chief of Police Sumner Tuesday. The man has been adjudged insane and will probably be committed as a lunatic.

NASSAGAWEYA.

The quarterly meeting service was conducted by the pastor, on Sunday morning, 6th inst., in Ebenezer church. There was a large attendance, the church being well filled.

Thanksgiving services were held in the above church on Thursday.

The Bethany tea-meeting was quite a success, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 2nd, although, very wet and disagreeable, still there was a large attendance. A number of the people of Norfolk St. Church, Guelph, favored the audience with choice music, recitations, and readings. Rev. Mr. Robinson gave an addresses on "How to succeed in life." Proceeds $28.

Miss Maggie McPhedran leaves for New York this week, on account of her health. We hope she will soon improve, and again be in our midst. Miss McPhedran is intending to accompany her.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Easterbrook, are visiting their daughter, at Orillia.

Mrs. Will and George Laing are improving, after an attack of diphtheria.

ASHGROVE.

Mrs. R. S. Hall, of West Toronto Junction, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Wrigglesworth.

Messrs. Will and Alex. Warren, visited their parents here, during the week.

Mr. James McCartney, of Georgetown, formerly of Ashgrove, visited friends here on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Stafford preached in the Methodist church here on Sunday morning.

Mr. Rich. Nixon, of this place, has been re-engaged for next year, at Tallamore public school. If we are to judge from the re-engagement, Mr. Nixon has been very successful in his work there, as '93 will be his fifth year in that place.

A little hummer bird, lit on our left ear the other day, and whispered of wedding bells and orange blossoms.

As we intimated two weeks ago, several loads from the Sons of Temperance wended their way to Meadowville on Tuesday evening, and gave a programme there. The Meadowville brethren and sisters gave them a right royal welcome and treated them to a fine supper. There was a report of there being some cider in one of the loads, but we think it was a false alarm.

KNATCHBULL.

The funeral of Harrison, son of John W. Husband, took place on Wednesday of last week, from his father's residence on the Guelph road, to the Ebenezer cemetery. The pall bearers were William and Albert Adamson, Elwood Wilson, Charles Wood, Herbert Taylor, and George Wilson. The Rev. J. W. Robinson conducted the service, his text being in St. John, 13th chapter and 7th verse. The bereaved family have the deepest sympathy of the community in this sad bereavement.

Thanksgiving day passed off very quietly. Some of the boys were doing some great skirmishing that day. They were making lots of noise with their guns, but by all accounts came of without much game. Some of the hunters ran onto a porcupine that day and got their dogs filled with quills, and had to go home to take them out before they could proceed with their "fun" as they called it.

Lots of rain and muddy roads now.

The Rev. J. W. Robinson commenced special services in the Methodist Church, Corwhin, this week.

There was a shooting match at the Smith boy's place on Thanksgiving day. It was a good success. After the shooting match there was a raffle at night when a number of the remaining turkeys and ducks were disposed of.

—The Council invites tenders for the drill shed for a skating rink.

GEORGETOWN.

Thanksgiving Day passed off very quietly here. Service was held in the Presbyterian church in the morning and was well attended. In the evening the Epworth League of the Methodist Church held a musical and literary entertainment in the lecture room of the church. The programme was rendered mostly by the young people of the church and was given in a manner that was very entertaining to the audience. Mr. H. W. Kennedy B. A. of Albert College Belleville, occupied the chair in his usual pleasant manner. The entertainment was a success financially.

On Friday morning an old frame dwelling on Back St. owned by Mr. F. Barber was badly damaged by fire. Although the fire had gained considerable headway before the firemen arrived and the building was very dry they succeeded in saving it from utter destruction. The building, which was a large double house, was occupied by two families. The furniture, etc. was nearly all saved.

The Methodists will hold their anniversary services next Sunday. Rev. Andrew Cunningham, of Guelph, will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. On the following Monday evening a tea-meeting will be held in the basement of the church. Addresses will be delivered by all the resident ministers and Rev. Mr. Edge, of Acton, is expected to be present.

Mr. F. C. Gilchriese, of Hamilton, formerly of this place spent Thanksgiving Day in town.

Arch. McLean who committed an offence a few months ago and skipped returned to town on Monday and was nabbed by Chief Search. He was brought before Reeve McKenzie and fined $5.

THE EDITOR'S TABLE.

Books and Magazines Recently Issued and now Before the Public.

"Maitland of Laurieston," a family history, by Annie S. Swan, the popular and well-known Scottish writer, is one of the best books published in recent years, and can be read with profit by all the members of the family. It is a charming story of home life, with every chapter fascinating and has its scenes laid for the most part in Edinburgh and vicinity. The story is not only one of unusual interest but there breathes through its pages from the opening to the closing chapters a pure religious influence which cannot fail to impress the reader. No book of its class is better calculated to imbue the youthful mind with the fact that our Heavenly Father is not alone a God of stern justice and unalterable decrees, but that His judgements are tempered with mercy and that He is a God of love and delights in loving service on the part of His children. It is especially adapted for the Sunday School library and has a mission among the young of every community. William Briggs, Publisher, Wesley Buildings, Toronto.

An interesting feature of the December number of *Harper's Magazine* will be the publication, for the first time, of a series of drawings by W. M. Thackeray illustrating the ballad of Lord Bateman. Mrs. Anne Thackeray Ritchie, in some words of comment on the drawings, explains how they were discovered and how they came into the possession of the Magazine. "I never knew," she says, "that my father had made pictures to the familiar ballad, nor was it until the other day, when Mrs. Leslie Stephen sent them to me, that I ever saw the sketches. This lady happened to be nursing her children through some infantine illness, and in their nursery stood a table which had also stood in my own sister's nursery before. By some accident the table went over with a crash, and an unsuspected drawer fell out, all stuffed full of papers and odds and ends. Among them were these present pictures, which had emerged into the daylight after over a quarter of a century of seclusion."

PRACTICAL AND PATRIOTIC.

Minister Foster's Speech on Imperial Federation at old London.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—Hon. Mr. Foster, Canada's Finance Minister, addressing the Imperial Federation League to-day, explained Canada's position and the healthy condition of the Dominion financially to the satisfaction of his hearers.

He contended for better tariff terms between Canada and England, which the treaty of '65 was calculated to prevent.

He dwelt upon the advantages Canada offered to the desirable immigrant, and invited the British agriculturist to consider them.

The speech throughout was practical and patriotic, and evoked the greatest enthusiasm from the 500 auditors present. Mr. Gibbs, M.P., occupied the chair, and Mr. Brassey moved the vote of thanks to Mr. Foster, which was carried with acclamation.

Sir John Abbott was not able to be present.

SHOT BY A POLICEMAN.

A "C" School Soldier Attacked a Policeman Who Shot him in Self-Defence.

William Tickner, aged 25, a member of C Company, Canadian Regiment of Infantry, was shot and killed on Widmer street, Toronto, last Thursday night by a constable whom he tried to keep from arresting a comrade.

A prompt and complete inquiry into the affray resulted in a verdict which removes all blame from the policeman who shot Private Tickner, who, with his comrade had secured the policeman's batton and had knocked him almost senseless by repeated blows on the head and kicks about the body. P. C. Campbell did just what any other man who desired to protect his life would have done.

Mrs. Grimason's Daughter Dead.

TORONTO, Nov. 14.—A daughter of Mrs. Grimason, the old lady who so miraculously escaped death at Niagara Falls while the Pan Presbyterian Council was in session here, died suddenly at her home on Major street on Sunday night. Ever since Mrs. Grimason was rescued from her position of imminent peril on the girders of the bridge her daughter has been ill from nervous prostration. She was not an eye witness of the thrilling incident, but it is believed that the recital of the story of the terrible ordeal through which her mother passed brought on the illness which culminated in her death an Sunday night.

Broken at the Wheel.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 13.—A man named Grier, while placing a band over a moving pulley at Buell & Hardman's mill at Hull this morning was caught by the shafting and literally broken on the wheel. Life was extinct before the machinery could be stopped. No blame is attached to anyone.

—If you want first-class Guelph sash and doors at Guelph prices, T. Ennart can fill your order, at his planing mill.

The protests against the return of Mr. Alliston, M.P. for East Hastings, were dismissed Tuesday without costs. No evidence was offered in either case.

TALK OF THE DAY.

An Epitome of the World's Doings During the Week.

The population of Japan is given as 41,000,000.

A fast line of steamers to Australia is contemplated.

M. de Lesseps, the great French engineer is 87 years old.

France has made minimum tariff concessions to Canada.

Martin Murphy, Guelph, tried to poison himself last week.

Six stores were burned at Sarnia Monday at a loss of $5,000.

McQuarrie's mill at Bayeville, Ont., was blown up Saturday.

Manitoba will have a very large exhibit at the World's Fair.

All of Winnipeg's electric street railways are now in operation.

Hon. R. P. Grant, senator, died at Pictou, N. S., on Sunday.

There is prospect of disagreeable complications with Venezuela.

Six hundred houses in Tokio were destroyed by fire on Sunday.

In ten months 113,910 persons left Germany for American ports.

Dr. Hill's eight murderers will be hanged at Annapolis, Ind. Dec. 30th.

The Georgian Bay district has exported about $350,000 worth of apples.

A deficit of $16,000,000 in the pension account is expected at Washington.

Mrs. Henry Minshaw, of Cornwall, on Monday gave birth to three girls.

At Guelph, two colored persons were married, each 80 years of age, last week.

The International Monetary Conference will be presided over by M. Levi, a Belgian.

A tramp at Bradford, Pa., threw coal oil over a boy and then burned him to death.

Cooper's mill and the Queen's Hotel stables at Bracebridge were burned Monday.

An explosion of natural gas in Chicago destroyed window glass to the value of $25,000.

Lord Hannon is working hard on England's case in the Behring Sea arbitration matter.

The revenue for the Dominion for the last fiscal year reduces the public debt 8½ millions.

It is said that Indians were made drunk to sign false statements about Behring Sea seal claims.

Large numbers of Chinamen are crossing the Rio Grande from Mexico into the United States.

Robt. Brewer and Capt. Bolton, accountants of Parliament, have been suspended for irregularities.

Assessable property in Ottawa is valued at $18,596,185. The population is 43,933, an increase of 634.

The election of J. W. Bain, M. P. for Soulanges is voided on account of illegal practices by agents.

Rev. Sidney Welton, charged with insuring dying men, is in jail at St. John's N. B., for want of bail.

Hon. John McIntosh, M. P. P., Quebec commissioner to the World's Fair, is seriously ill in Montreal.

Rev. G. H. Harris, aged 22, pastor of a Universalist church at Orange, Mass., committed suicide by shooting.

In a fire at Norfolk, Va., 30,000 bags of peanuts were destroyed. The loss, including buildings, was $250,000.

The steamer City of Lincoln, from Montreal for Liverpool, lost 117 cattle and several hogs owing to rough weather.

A large European produce firm are about to establish a big pork-packing and produce-shipping establishment in London, Ont.

Rumours are again rife that war is probable between the Argentine Republic and Peru on the one side and Chili on the other.

Mr. Fowler, President of the English Local Government Board, has ordered the construction of drains and roads to provide work for the unemployed.

A. E. Dodge, charged with embezzling money from the Intercolonial railway, was sentenced to five years in penitentiary at St. John, N. B., Saturday.

A boy named Christopher Williams, while out on the Niagara river at Fort Erie shooting ducks, was taken with a fit, fell overboard and was drowned.

No evidence was offered at Cayuga on Saturday on the petition against the return of Mr. Arthur Boyle, M. P. for Monck, so the protest was dismissed without costs.

The number of cabs now actually employed in London is estimated to be 11,397, a number which, large as it may seem, is absurdly inadequate for a population of over 4,000,000 people.

A portion of Gen. Benedict Arnold's flagship Congress, sunk in October, 1776, in lake Champlain, has been raised by Capt. C. W. Adams, of West Addison Vt. The timbers are of oak and are sound.

There was a terrific explosion of dynamite near the main wheel pit of the Cataract Construction Company's tunnel, Niagara Falls, on Saturday morning. One man was killed and several others were severly injured.

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Neill, the woman poisoner, was hanged Tuesday morning. He made no confession.

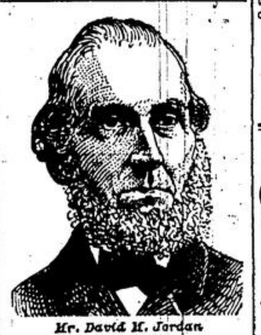
The Canada-Newfoundland conference at Halifax closed last night. The result has not yet been made public.

The P. O. Department at Washington has stopped all money orders and registered matter addressed to the Louisiana Lottery firm through the mails.

Last week 55,958 barrels of apples were shipped from Montreal to Europe, making the total shipments so far this season 850,700 barrels, as compared with 262,852 barrels for the corresponding period last year.

The big sailing ship Susquehanna has just returned to New York, after sailing from New York to San Francisco to Liverpool, and thence back to New York in 270 days. The vessel earned $57,000 in freight on the great trip.

It is believed that the schooner Hercules, owned by Finlay McGibbon of Sarnia, has been lost, with Capt. Giles and a crew of six men, all of Sarnia. She had a cargo of lumber from Penetanguishene, and is eight days overdue. LATER—The schooner, regarding which much anxiety has been felt in Sarnia, has been wrecked at Michael's Bay. The cook, a woman from Kincardine, was drowned, but the remainder of the crew were rescued after severe hardships.



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PIERRETTE.

Taken from Toronto *Saturday Ledger* of the 8th inst.

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THOS. T. MOORE, Clerk of the Municipality.

Acton, Nov. 15th, 1892.

Acton Building Assocation.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the share-holders of the Acton Building Association (Limited) will be held at the office of W. H. Storey on Tuesday the sixth day of December next at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having laid before them an account showing the manner in which the winding up of said Association has been conducted and the property of the Association disposed of.

This notice is given pursuant to R. S. O. chap. 182, sec. 40. W. A. McLEAN, Liquidator.

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