### MARRIED.

MATTHEWS—MILLER—At the home of the bride's parents, 538 Prospect Ave., Syracuse, N. Y., on Tuesday, May 16th, by Rev. Jeremiah Zimmerman, Albert E. Matthews, of Chicago, son of James Matthews, Postmaster, Acton, to Miss Amelia Clara, daughter of Mr. Andrew Miller.

### DIED.

PETRIE—In Guelph, on the 21st May, Robert Wanda Petrie, aged 46 years.

SCOTT—At Montreal, on Friday, May 19th, 1893, George R. Scott (late Taylor, Scott & Co.) aged 36 years.

STALKER—In Esquesing, on Thursday, 18th May, John, son of John Stalker, aged 11 years and 8 months.

SMITH—In Acton, on Thursday, 18th May, Maria Annetta, beloved wife of W. E. Smith, aged 40 years and 4 months.

CURRIE—At his home, lot 5, con. 3, Erin, on Wednesday morning, 24th May, Lachlan Currie, aged 57 years, 2 months.


# The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, MAY 25, 1893.


## NOTES AND COMMNTS.

It is believed in Honolulu that if the United States decline to accept the offer of annexation, Great Britain will acquire the Hawaiian Islands, in accord with her policy of constructing a travelling belt around the world.

The Manitoba government and the Canadian Pacific railway company have abandoned their efforts to promote emigration from the Maritime Provinces to the Northwest, and will close their Moncton emigration agencies on the first of June.

The thanks of the city of Hamilton are due and are hereby tendered to Col. Kerns, M. P. for Halton, for the throwing out of the bill to make the beach a close corporation of aristocrats. If it were not for the country members Hamilton would have no show in the legislature.—Hamilton *Spectator.*

Among the amendments of the constitution of the state of California which are to be submitted to a vote of the people at the next election is one restricting the suffrage to persons who can read and write, with the exception of citizens who are over 60 years of age. This amendment is said to have been framed in response to a popular demand and to be certain of ratification

The Post Office Department has determined to put a stop to the practice which evidently prevails in certain sections of the country by people attempting to use postage stamps a second time. Some time ago a conviction was secured in the county of Bruce, and this was followed last week by a conviction at Kingston. Several cases are under consideration in which there is evidence of parties having attempted to case old stamps by obliterating the cancellation marks.

A new demand is being made upon the Dominion government by the Metis of the Northwest Territories. They have held meetings lately and adopted resolutions asking the government to grant land to all Metis children born between the years 1670 and 1885—or between the date of the acquisition of the Northwest by Canada and that of the rebellion upon the Saskatchewan. The government has refused to consider the new claim made by the Half-breeds: but the latter propose to continue the agitation in favor of their demand.

Newfoundland, having for the time disposed of the question of annexation to Canada, is about to embark in a railway undertaking of considerable magnitude for a colony of its size. The Government has made a contract for the construction of a highway directly across the island from the present line on the eastern coast to the south-western extremity. It will commence at the Bay of Exploits, and terminate at Port au Barque. The railway, which will be two hundred miles in length, is to cost $3,120,000. In addition to this sum the contractor is to receive for operating the line 500,000 acres of land and $50,000 a year for twenty years.

The report of the department of immigration for Ontario has just been issued. The number of immigrants reported as having settled in Ontario last year was 14,771, of whom 7,771 went through Ontario agencies and 7,000 reported through the customs. The largest number of settlers for any one year was 40,494 in 1883. In 1891 the number was 18,072, or 3,301 more than in 1892. The number reported through the Ottawa agency in 1892 was 351. Last year the figures are given for only the first six months and were 230. During 1892, 321,379 emigrants left Great Britain, of whom only 7,771 or 2.42 per cent. made Ontario their objective point. The total immigration expenditure last year was $8,834.86 or $1.07 for each settler.

The British post office authorities have given notice that hereafter the following articles, even though samples only, if sent by mail, will not be delivered on arrival, but will be turned over to the customs authorities: Cocoa, coffee, chicory, currants, figs, fig cakes, dried plums, prunes, raisins, apricots, tea, tobacco (manufactured or not, including cigars, cigarettes and snuff), hydrate of chloral, playing cards and transparent soap in the manufacture of which alcohol is used. The public is therefore cautioned against the posting of any of these articles addressed to Great Britain or Ireland, as they will not be forwarded by mail. Articles of glass and liquids, oils and fatty substances are also excluded from British mails.

Has any one noticed signs of a financial panic in Canada? Are banks over there tumbling into the hands of receivers? Has it been found that its street railways are wretched pieces of property—too heavy for the shoulders of the average capitalist? Must all of these questions be answered in the negative? Truth directs that it shall be. The Dominion is weathering the storm like a veteran. She is proving that the wild cat operator has not, during recent years, been allowed to boom speculative properties into the clouds with the intention of swiddling foreigners who have sought openings for capital within her borders. To-day Canada is sound to the core and reasonably sure of soon capturing many of the capitalists who have been bitten in the Argentine Republic as well as in Australia. The World's Fair will afford her the opportunity of placing her products before a critical and an investigating audience, and with a reputation for honesty in descriptions of her natural resources the best of results should follow. The investor in Argentine and Australian schemes will pay more attention to this continent hereafter; even now he is in the humor to transfer his money to North America. All that is required is that we prove to him that both the United States and Canada offer the best and most solid inducements in the world to the capitalistic class seeking outlets for investment. That should not be hard to do.—Chicago *Canadian American.*

The Royal Society of Musicians is 155 years old.

## TALK OF THE DAY.

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

The World's fair was again closed to the public on Sunday.

Mr. Walter Bastedh, one of Hamilton's oldest residents, is dead, aged 75.

The new First Presbyterian church at Chatham was dedicated on Sunday.

The Bank of England has advanced its rate of discount from 3½ to 4 per cent.

Prof. Virchow says the recurrence of cholera in Germany this year is improbable.

Rain is badly needed in northern Michigan. The woods are on fire in all directions.

The election petition against Mr. J. J. Tarte, M. P. for L'Islet, has been dismissed.

The assessed value of Winnipeg's taxable property is given at twenty-two millions of dollars.

Lady Aberdeen was on Saturday elected president of the world's congress of women.

It is said that John L. Sullivan's little escapade at Biddeford, Maine, will cost him $1,200.

Eleven men were burned to death at Sand's lumber camp, near Cadillac, Michigan, on Saturday.

Dr. Hector McDonald, a graduate of the Queen's University, aged 20, was drowned at Kingston yesterday.

The deposits in the postoffice savings banks of Canada during April were $630,725, and the withdrawals $707,411.

The Breithaupt tannery, at Listowel, formerly owned by George Towner, was almost totally destroyed by fire Monday.

Advices from Japan say the volcano Bandaisan has become active, and that widespread disaster has been caused by its eruption.

The Swiss exhibit in the arts building at Chicago has been closed temporarily, owing to alleged indignity to the Swiss Government.

The Brazilian vessel-of-war Almirante Barrosa, has been totally wrecked near Ras Ghareb, on the coast of Middle Egypt, in the Gulf of Suez.

Eight women were badly injured by the collapse of a section of flooring at the closing session of the women's congress in Chicago on Saturday.

Thomas Johnston, undergoing a sentence of fourteen years in Kingston penitentiary for manslaughter, has been reprieved, and has left for his home in Chatham.

Dr. H. McDonald, aged 21, was drowned in Cataraqui bay, near Kingston, yesterday afternoon. Deceased graduated with high honors from the Queen's college this year.

Sir James Winter, leader of the opposition in the New Brunswick legislature and ex-attorney-general, has been appointed judge of the supreme court, in place of the late Justice Pensent.

The World's Congress of Newspaper Men opened in Chicago Monday. Mr. A. F. Pirie, president of the Canadian Press Association, is president. An informal reception took place.

On Saturday afternoon the Presbyterian church in Maxwell was struck by lightning. The chimney was knocked down, most of the plaster torn from the ceiling and part of the floor ripped up.

Sunday being the anniversary of some of the battles in the Riel rebellion of 1885, the Winnipeg militia decorated the graves of fallen comrades with flowers and held appropriate ceremonies.

The honorary degree of D. C. L. is to be conferred on His Excellency the Governor-General, and Bishop Potter, of New York at the centenial convocation of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, Que., shortly.

The Earl and Countess of Aberdeen, who came to the United States some time ago to establish an "Irish village" at the World's fair, sailed from New York on the steamer Aurania for Liverpool on Saturday.

William Bell, one of the Edmonton citizens who pursued murderer Olesson last fall and shot him during the encounter, has been acquitted on a charge of manslaughter entered against him by the department.

John Dickson, a Puslinch farmer, while driving across the Grand Trunk track at Hespeler was struck by a train and thrown clear of the track. The horse was also thrown clear of the track, but the buggy was wrecked. The man and horse were badly shaken, but not seriously hurt.

## SUICIDE IN A STABLE.

### An Insane Brant County Farmer, 70 Years of age, Hangs Himself with a Logging Chain.

BRANTFORD, May 22.—At 6 o'clock Saturday morning at Jerseyville Mr. Darius Misner ended his life by his own hand. He had been out of his mind for some three weeks, and was without doubt insane at the time the rash deed was done.

He went out to the stables about 6 o'clock took a small logging chain and threw one end of it around a pole on the top of a straw stack, and there hung himself on the chain.

He was found only a short time after he left the house by his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stonebaugh, but when found life was extinct. The deceased was 70 years of age, and for a long time had been a resident of this county.

## MR. GLADSTONE IN PERIL.

### A Missile Flung at his Railway Carriage.

LONDON, May 19.—While Mr. Gladstone was travelling from London to Chester yesterday a heavy missile was thrown at his compartment as the train approached Wilsden. The missile struck the window of the next compartment which was occupied by the dean of Chester. It smashed the glass and struck the cushion a few inches from the dean's head. No arrest has been made.

## The Chicago Spectatorium.

One of the largest and most noble enterprises connected with The Columbian Exposition, in Chicago, is that known as "the Chicago Spectatorium" an immense building which covers an area with its studios and power houses, of nearly a half million square feet. In this building will be presented, with the height of artistic and realistic finish, all the incidents of Columbus' life from his appearance at the monastery of La Rabida to his discovery of San Salvador. Artistic features of the greatest merit and many new appliances in mechanics and electricity will be used in this building, the desire being, it is said, to combine a noble realism with perfect idealism. "Song and scene will unite in making it the greatest attraction of the Fair," says the Chicago *Herald.*


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## THE WORLD'S FAIR.

### The Various Departments Being Gotten into Shape for Visitors.

CHICAGO, May 23.—The weather last week was cool and pleasant, and made sight-seeing comfortable. Dedication exercises were the order of the week, and the homes of Canada, Minnesota, and Illinois were all made ready, not to mention the opening of the Chinese theater and the old Vienna village.

The discord over the music question has culminated in Theodore Thomas being asked to resign his position by Director-General Davis.

The musical exercises held at noon in festival hall are becoming more popular every day, as attested by the crowds that attend. That sort of music is more in touch with the public's favor than the high-toned, one string symphonies of the masters.

Many of the state buildings are keeping open house, and receive visitors with much cordiality, especially so among the courteous and hospitable southern homes.

As if the people were liable to overlook old "Liberty Bell," it has been placed at the entrance to the Pennsylvania building, which building is an exact counterpart of the city hallin Philadelphia.

The electrical display is something long to be remembered, and the evening when they take place, will draw crowds to witness the beautiful sight.

They are having trouble over in Midway plaisance, as the tenants claim the exposition management have failed in many particulars to keep their agreement. As night comes on, darkness reigns supreme along this avenue and the exhibitors claim that they are losing much money.

As if to entice the public into their den, a free exhibit is made of a man among the lions.

He fires off pistols, puts his head in their mouth, and feeds them raw meat from his hand. As a lady remarked, Daniel was not in it with this tamer of the "King of the Forest."

The memorial art palace situated on the lake front, foot of Adams street, was formally dedicated last week, and immediately taken possession of by the world's congress of representative women, and many prominent in the varied departments of womens' work were present and took part. It is intended to have these congresses, during the next six months, under the title of the World's Congress Auxillary of the Columbian Exposition, and many subjects such as medicine, temperance, music, religion, education, etc., will be ably represented by bright minds familiar with the subjects in hand.

The exhibits in the building devoted to mining and its kindred industries are fast assuming shape. Pennsylvania at present is very prominent therein with the exhibit made of the fifty-foot pyramid of coal. Kentucky, not to be outdone, will have when completed, a very fine pavillion to show off the mineral wealth of her domain. Michigan has reason to be proud of her exhibit of copper seen in its finished condition, and as it comes from the mines.

Although the new governor-general of Canada hails from Scotland, yet he and his good lady, Countess of Aberdeen, seemed to take a good deal of pleasure and interest in the visit they made among the peasants of the Irish village.

Ample provision has been made in case of fire, as a full-fledged fire department is in operation, and a patrol boat, the Fire Queen, is in readiness at all times to do her duty.

The admissions last week were about 130,000.

There is trouble over the official catalogue of the art gallery, especially among the Frenchmen. A visitor in looking up a "Christ on the Cross," found it was "A Wounded Dog" in the catalogue, and where the "Rights of Man" was, the catalogue took you to an angel dressed for weather appropriate to 90° in the shade. There are six miles of painting in this art gallery, and one who visits these institutes much knows what that means, that it is a tiresome journey to view them.

The sunshine last week had much to do with making the grass grow and flowers bloom, and another such a week will see even more marked improvement in this respect.

It is well worth anyone's time to walk through Midway plaisance, even though you do not visit the many villages and other attractions found there. Certainly such a mixture of Jew and Gentile, Heathen and Christian were never so congregated before, and many of these strange people will not return to their native land.

The editors in their national convention last week and part of this, seemed to have mixed a great deal of pleasure with their business, and they return to their paste pots invigorated by our lake breezes, and to continue the good work of saying kind words, for the Columbian Exposition.

The driveways are finished, or nearly so, but an edict has gone forth that no driving is allowed, except for the delivery of supplies late at night and early morning. Even the "bikes" come under this head, and are barred out. Some of the Columbian guards are a trifle saucy and too officious. They seem to forget that they are required to be gentlemen under all circumstances, even though they are dressed in brass buttons, black braid and blue uniforms.

To judge from the numerous hotels erected for the entertainment of World's Fair visitors, saying nothing of the old established ones, and many boarding and private lodging houses, Chicago will have no difficulty in taking good care of the multitude even though all of China were poured in on us. Rest assured on this point, that ample preparations have been made.

The Canadian Order of Foresters is a Fraternal Benevolent Society, incorporated in 1879 and registered under the Insurance Corporations Act, 1892, of Ontario. The objects of the Society are to furnish its members with Sick and Funeral Benefits and an Insurance of one or two thousand dollars. The payments for these benefits range from about one dollar to one dollar and fifty cents per month, according to the age of the member, and the amount of the insurance carried. The membership is composed of men only, and when admitted they must be between the ages of eighteen and forty-five. The present number of members is over 16,000, and the Society has a cash surplus on hand for the payment of the insurance of over $215,000; $50,000 of which is in Dominion of Canada Bonds, and the balance is invested in the best monetary institutions of the Dominion. In addition to this, the local Courts have about a half a million of dollars in their treasuries for the payment of the Sick and Funeral Benefits. The High Secretary of the Order is Mr. Thomas White, of Brantford, and it is expected that a Court of this popular and purely Canadian Society will shortly be organized here.

The Severn is the longest river in England.

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## A WOODVILLE MIRACLE.

### THE REMARKABLE CASE OF LITTLE GEORGIE VEALE.

### After Three Years of Illness His Friends Dispaired of his Recovery —Restoration Came When Hope had almost Fled.—The Little Fellow is now as Lively as a Cricket—A Story that will Bring Hope to other Parents.

Woodville Independent.

The *Independent* has published from time to time the particulars of some very remarkable cures following the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. These cases have been so fully verified as to leave no doubt that this now universally famous remedy is one of the greatest medical achievements of an age that has been remarkable for the wonderful discoveries of science. Possibly some of our readers may have thought that the virtues of this medicine have been exaggerated, but there are many among them who can testify to its virtues, and now the *Independent* is enabled to give the particulars of a cure occurring in our village quite as remarkable as any that have hitherto been published, and which may be so easily verified by any of our readers that skepticism must be silent. We had heard that little Georgie Veale had been cured through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and as all our people know, that little boy had been ill for a long time and his recovery was thought to be hopeless. The report of his cure therefore created so much astonishment that we resolved to ascertain the facts, and accordingly we called upon Mr. Veale to get the particulars. Mr. George Veale has been a resident of this village for years, is a wagon-maker by trade, and is well known to all our citizens, as well as to most of the people of the surrounding country. He has a family of young children who unfortunately lost their mother some six years ago. One of these children, named George, is about seven years of age, and some three years ago was taken ill and has since been practically helpless, and as a result much sympathy was felt for the family owing to the child being motherless. The case of the little fellow was considered hopeless and no one ever expected to see him able to rise from his bed again. On asking Mr. Veale about the report we had heard of the boy's recovery, he said it was quite true, and expressed his willingness to give us the particulars, declaring that he had no hesitation in saying that it was owing to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that the lad was now better. He said that some two and a half years ago little Georgie was taken ill with inflammation of the bowels, and received good medical treatment. After being ill for some time, the trouble seemed to take a new form and settled in his bones which became diseased. During the summer he got a little better but when winter set in he was taken down, and the disease became worse. Swelling arose over the body, and several small pieces of bone came out. He could take but very little sustenance, and for seven months could not stand on his feet. He had to remain in bed or be carried about in his sister's arms. All the medicine he got did him no good and his case was given up as hopeless, and it was thought that he would not long survive. Mr. Veale had read of the wonderful cures effected by the use of Pink Pills and decided that all things else having failed he would try what they would do for his boy. Accordingly he purchased some at Fead's drug store, and began giving them to his son. After about two weeks he found that there was an improvement in his condition, which warranted the further use of the Pink Pills, and accordingly he procured another supply. "And now," said his father, "the little fellow is running about as lively and as mischevious as ever." "There is no doubt about the matter," said Mr. Veale, "Pink Pills cured my boy when all other remedies had failed and I am glad to give this information so that it may be of benefit to others."

We called upon Mr. Fead, the druggist, and asked him his opinion of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He said that the demand for them was so great as to be astonishing, and that those who once use them buy again thus proving their value. Mr. Fead said he sold more Pink Pills than any other remedy, and the demand is still increasing, and he thought no better evidence could be given of their value as a medicine than this.

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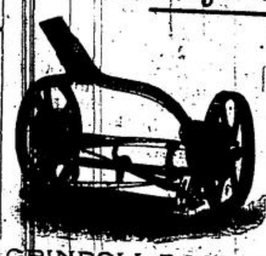

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NOTICE is hereby given that I will not be responsible for debts contracted by my wife or family or any other trouble whatsoever after this date.

WILLIAM WARWICK.

Dated at Acton this 3rd day of May, 1893.

### MONEY TO LOAN.

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THAT desirable property lately occupied by William Ramshaw, deceased, consisting of frame dwelling house with wood shed attached, a convenient stable, a good well and cistern, together with an acre of choice land having a number of fruit trees thereon, all being in good order. Possession given immediately. apply to

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### HORSE IN POUND

NOTICE is hereby given that I have impounded a sorrel horse, with four white feet, white mane and tail. Has been in pound since Saturday. Owner will please pay expenses and take him away.

D. GRAHAM,
Pound-keeper.

Acton, May 17th, 1893.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of William Ramshaw, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statutes in that behalf, that all creditors of William Ramshaw, late of the village of Acton, who died on the 26th day of April, 1893, are to send by post prepaid to John Marshall, Nassagaweya, Post Office, Ont., Administrator of the estate of the said deceased, on or before the first day of June, 1893, a statement in writing, containing full particulars of their claims and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that the said administrator will proceed on and after that date to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which they shall have had notice.

JOHN MARSHALL, Administrator.

Dated at Acton, this 15th day of May, 1893.


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