BORN.

VASCONI—In Everton, on Wednesday, July 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Pio Vasconi, a son.

MARRIED.

GEST—PARSONS—In St. Joseph's Church, Buffalo, on Wednesday, June 28, by Rev. Father Zurcher, John Gest to Alice Parsons, all of Buffalo.

DIED.

MEADOWS—In Guelph, Emerson Meadows, son of James Meadows, of Rockwood, aged eight years.

DRYDEN—In Guelph, on Tuesday, July 4th, Fred Dryden, son of Dr. Dryden, aged eight years.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Ontario Agricultural College has sent out a special bulletin to dairymen, announcing that the bacteriological department is ready to investigate any difficulties in the way of impure water, bad flavors, etc., at the factories, or bacterial infection of any kind. There can be no more important work than this done for our cheese factories and creameries. Makers frequently have difficulties in the way of bad flavors in the milk, cheese or butter, which, if placed in the hands of a skillful bacteriologist or chemist, valuable truths might be found out in addition to supplying means to remedy the difficulty. It is hoped that our dairymen will take advantage of Prof. Harriston's offer, as work of this nature will be of great value to the industry.

Prof. Robertson leaves for Great Britain about the middle of the month, in the interest of Canadian farm products, where it is expected that the good work accomplished last season by him will be repeated. A few more years of such work will make Canadian food products known in every city and shire town in the United Kingdom. Prof. Robertson is at present visiting the Government dairy stations in the Northwest Territories, where Mr. J. W. Mitchell has recently been appointed superintendent in place of J. A. Kinsella, who went to New Zealand as assistant to Mr. Ruddick, dairy commissioner for that colony. Mr. Mitchell has efficiently filled the position of instructor in the milk testing at the Provincial Dairy Schools, Guelph, during the past three winters, and will no doubt, give a good account of himself in our great western country, where he has spent several summers as manager of one of the Government dairy stations.

THE HAGUE CONFERENCE TO ADJOURN TILL SPRING.

LONDON, July 8.—A telegram from St. Petersburg asserts that The Hague Conference will adjourn at the end of July, the members agreeing to re-assemble in the spring, and during the interval Emperor Nicholas will visit the principal European courts.

AGAINST FIGHTING FILIPINOS.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 9.—A meeting to protest against the war in the Philippines was held here last night. The principal address was by Prof. L. Laughlin of Chicago University, Rev. Hugo G. Eisenlohr and Edwin Burritt Smith of Chicago. Letters approving the meetings object were read by Judge Rufus B. Smith, Rabbi Philipson, Bishop Vincent, Louis F. Post, Editor Chicago *Independent*, and others. Resolutions were adopted denouncing the war as unholy and demanding it discontinuance.

SMALLPOX IN TORONTO.

Mild Case Discovered in West End --House Quarantined.

Mrs. Thornton, wife of John Thornton, drover, residing at 47 Delaney Crescent, was discovered to be suffering from smallpox between 5.50 and 6 o'clock Tuesday evening, and was moved to the Isolation Hospital. The house from which she was taken has been placed under quarantine, and will be watched day and night. All the inmates will be compelled to undergo vaccination. Dr. Sheard stated last night that every precaution to prevent the disease from spreading was being taken. Mrs. Thornton returned recently from visiting friends at Youngstown, N. Y., and is believed to have carried the disease with her from that place.

RIOTS OVER.

All Quiet in London--The City Council Takes Hold To-daY.

LONDON, Ont., July 10.—There is nothing new to report to-day in the strike situation. The cars are running, as they have been of late, with an occasional passenger.

Citizens are attending to their ordinary business as usual.

The militia men ordered here for duty in batches of 25 men each from Windsor, Ingersol, Galt and Guelph, together with a detachment of cavalry have arrived in the city and are now camped on Carling's Heights.

The city Council were in session during the forenoon and ratified the Mayor's action. They will request the union men to hand in a written statement before 10 a. m. to-morrow, to lay before the Council Arbitration Committee.

The Council also ordered the Street Railway Co. to run their cars 17½ hours a day according to contract, instead of stopping at 7 p. m., as at present.

FREIGHT RATES TO GO UP.

CHICAGO, July 8.—Eastbound freight rates are to be advanced on July 24, but the advanced figures and details still remain to be settled by the presidents. Outstanding contracts and other difficulties incident to a general restoration of rates have so far prevented a final agreement. The freightimen have agreed upon a higher schedule of rates and submitted it to the presidents.

The new grain rates will be considerably in advance of the present rates, which are down to the lowest basis. Export provision rates are to be increased five cents, the present rate being 20 cents, and domestic provision rates will remain at their present figures, 25 cents. The presidents have substantially agreed upon the rates and only a question of detail remains to be settled.

Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe, sure and reliable worm expeller. Acts equally well on children or adults. Be sure you get Low's.

What an intellectual appearance those "Frizzles", the girls wear upon their foreheads give them.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

ROCKWOOD.

Emerson Meadows, aged about eight years, son of James Meadows, of this place, died of blood poisoning at the General Hospital last week. The funeral took place on Saturday at the Friends' cemetery.

Mr. John Strachan is spending a few days at Brampton.

A garden party is to be held at Mr. Jno. Ramsay's by the Presbyterian Church, in a couple of weeks.

LIMEHOUSE.

Mrs. Wm. Nickell, of Sarnia, is visiting friends here.

Miss Kate Sharpe, who has been teaching school at Peabody, has returned home for the holidays.

Miss Effie Kennedy who has been suffering for the past few weeks from the effect of running a nail in her foot, is not improving as fast as her many friends would wish.

Messrs Charles and George Moore are visiting their parents here.

EVERTON.

Mr. Hugh Black was the speaker in the Disciple Church Sunday evening, Mr. Seyton having special services in Eramosa. We always appreciate and are benefitted by Mr. Black's preaching. His text was Roman's 8th ch., 1st verse.

The Methodists are well suited with their new minister.

Miss Ada Hunter, of Wiarton, is visiting a number of her relatives in Eramosa.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Tovell, Acton, are spending some weeks with friends here.

Mrs. Pomery, now of Colorado, formerly of Toronto, has been visiting her sister there and is now with her mother, Mrs. Wells. She brought one daughter and only son with her.

Mrs. Weatherson was pleased to have with her on Sunday, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Freis, of Elora, also Mrs. Freis' daughter and husband of Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Grindell went to Mr. Horlop's at Eden Mills on Sunday.

CREWSONS CORNERS.

Wedding bells will peal joyfully on the glorious 12th. Two of our highly esteemed young people are to be made one. Fuller particulars will appear next week.

A garden party under the auspices of the Methodist Church of this place will be held on Mr. M. Crewson's lawn on Wednesday evening, the 19th of July. The committee are sparing no pains to make it the event of the season.

Rev. S. W. Holden delivered one of the most impressive sermons ever preached in the Methodist Church here, on Sabbath observance, last Sunday morning.

Next Sunday Rev. Jas. Harris, of Guelph, will preach here.

Mr. M. Crewson, jr., has purchased a new 12 horse power Waterloo engine to operate his steam drill. He goes to Guelph next week to drill three wells there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Coleman and Master Ernest, of Brantford, spent a few days last week very pleasantly with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cripps, of the Maples. Mr Coleman, who has been ill for some time, is, we are glad to say, much improved in health.

Miss Emma Watkins, of this vicinity, is visiting friends in Norval.

Misses Lizzie and Mary Ramshaw spent a few days during the week with friends in Acton.

THE BISLEY TEAM.

BISLEY CAMP, July 11.—The National Rifle Association's great annual carnival is now in full swing. The competitions really started to-day, although the meeting opened yesterday afternoon with revolver practice for prizes at the Stickledown range. The Canadians are on the ground, and all look it enough to do their whole duty. They are comfortably housed in their pretty bungalow, which in decoration and general aspect differs very little from its appearance last year. The weather is exceedingly hot, and the wind to-day was peculiarly shifty for those at the butts. Some of the team, nevertheless, went into the open competitions more for the practice than with the idea of capturing any of the leading prizes. Sergt.-Major Huggins of the 13th made a couple of very good targets in the "Golden Penny" and "Premier." Lieut. Gilchrist and Sergt Crowe also put in some bullseyes at these ranges.

The "Golden Penny" is an unequaled competition, which is open to all comers from to-day until next Monday, seven shots, kneeling, at 200 yards. First prize, a gold medal the size of a penny, five drawings for second and third, valued at five guineas, and £45 in money prizes added.

The "Premier" is also an open unsquaded competition for the same period. Seven shots at 600 yards. First prize a £21 Coventry bicycle and £100 in money prizes.

The Canadians commenced their first rifle contests here to-day in the "Premier" competition of the annual meeting of the National Rifle Association, the conditions being seven shots at 500 yards. Crowe and Huggins scored 34, equalling the best score. In the "Golden Penny" competition, seven shots at 200 yards, Huggins and Gilchrist made 34, equalling the highest score made.

HAVING A DREADFUL TIME.

Uncle Sam's Soldiers in the Philippines are Now Living Almost Entirely in Water.

MANILA, July 9.—It has been raining and storming almost constantly for two days, and the country along the American south and bay lines is literally flooded. The soldiers are suffering great discomfort. The 18th Infantry Regiment at Pasay is in the worst position, being practically surrounded by water. The bridges that were used for getting supplies have been washed away, and some of the companies are now separated by streams six feet deep. In many cases the men are sleeping with three feet of water beneath their bunks, which are elevated on cracker boxes. The company cooks, when preparing the meals, stand knee-deep in water. Some of the roads leading to Pasay are simply impassable, and the rice fields on all sides are one great lake. A high wind blew over several tents of the second reserve hospital. Manilla Bay is impossible of navigation by either launches or canoes, and no vessels are leaving the harbor.

The United States transport Centennial is ready to sail for San Francisco with discharged soldiers, but the latter have to sit around the water-front all day, drenched to the skin, waiting for a launch to take them to the steamer. The river Pasig and all the other streams are swollen, and the city streets at all low points are covered with water.

SENATOR SANFORD DROWNED ON MONDAY.

Upset From a Small Boat While Fishing in Muskoka that Morning.

WINDERMERE, Muskoka, July 10.—While fishing near his own island this morning at 11 o'clock, Senator Sanford, in company with a young lady visitor, were upset.

Two young girls nearby heard their calls for help.

When they arrived they managed to save the young lady.

Seeing the Senator's body, which could be easily reached with an oar, they managed to get it to shore, but were unable to resuscitate him.

They then crossed the bay to Mr. Baker's Island for help. He immediately sent to Windermere for medical aid.

Dr. Cotton, of Toronto, left at once for the Senator's place, but arrived too late to render any assistance.

Senator Sanford was one of the best known men in Canada. His high standing in business as a large manufacturer of clothing in Hamilton, and head of the big house owning the retail stores in various cities known as Oak Hall, his leading position in the Methodist denomination, and his munificence to all religious and philanthropic movements, induced the Federal Ministry under Sir John Macdonald to call him to the Senate. Mr. Sanford, however, was not active in politics recently, though he enjoyed the friendship and esteem of Sir John Abbott, Sir John Thompson and many other leading public men. He was a generous friend to all the charities in Hamilton, and during several summers placed his pretty and commodious summer cottage at Burlington Beach, at the disposal of an organization of ladies in Hamilton, to provide a summer home for young women, after the plan of the Y. M. C. A. home at the Toronto Island, repeating the generous act this year.

Senator Sanford was a leading member of Centenary Methodist Church, Hamilton, and was a patron of music, having always subscribed *freely* to high-class musical events, and educated several young people possessing talent, but without money. He was a popular citizen, and his large business interests gave him a commanding place in affairs in the Ambitious City. His factory in Hamilton is one of the largest of the kind in Canada, and his wealth has been estimated at above a million.

He occupied one of the finest homes in Hamilton, and his place in Muskoka is a beautiful house in a pretty location. Senator Sanford had one son, who died a few years ago, and his daughter was married a year ago in London, England.

WEALTH AT TORONTO'S DOOR.

The Copper Ore at Parry Sound is Found to Be of the Most Fabulous Richness.

Within the past few weeks it has begun to be known that copper ore of almost incredible richness has been discovered at Parry Sound, but it would appear that but few of Toronto's numerous mining men have given the matter serious attention.

Situated within two miles of Parry Sound and within a mile of the Ottawa & Parry Sound Railway is the McGown mine, which in copper ore throws in the shade any other copper deposit yet discovered.

The story of the mine reads like a fairy tale; the future of the mine no one can tell to-day foretell. Here on the shore of one of the most picturesque of the many charming lakes of that locality a man named McGowan owned a rocky farm. Some indications of mineral induced local people a couple of years ago to organize a company to buy it and explore for ore. No one in the company had any knowledge of mining, their capital was small, and lacking mining knowledge and the money to engage those who possessed it, the results naturally were disappointing, until last year when a boy who was swimming on the edge of the lake found a chunk of almost pure copper. Then the company changed their operations to that spot, but there being a couple of feet of water covering the rock, their efforts over there were not successful.

In the meantime, an American mining expert named Forbes, who had spent part of the three previous years in the locality and examined almost every claim of value, learning of the boy's discovery and finding that the time had come when secrecy was no longer probable, interested St. Paul capitalists, came quickly to Parry Sound, bought up all the mineral claims which he had previously selected, and then when he had secured them all, bought the McGowan itself.

Just ten weeks ago, a company was formed, called the Parry Sound Copper Mining Company, composed of Mr. Forbes and his St. Paul associates. This company took over the McGowan mine and several thousand acres of the mineral lands selected by Forbes. This was but ten weeks ago. With a thorough knowledge of mining and with ample means and a staff of trained employes, they have in these few weeks simply worked wonders. Their first step was to lower the lake by drainage so that instead of working in its waters, as their unskilled predecessors had done, they were working in dry rock.

Inside of these ten weeks they quarried from the rock at this point on the property ore to the value of some $300,000, and the dumps are a perfect marvel of the most brilliant hued rock, running in value as high as thousands of dollars a ton.

The smelter returns from New York for the first six carloads taken from the quarry gave a clear profit of over $7,000, over and above all freight and smelter charges.

It has been stated that but few Toronto men seem to have "caught on," but one seems to have made up to some extent for apathy of the neighbors, for he has just returned after completing the organization of a gigantic corporation composed of St. Paul and Canadian capitalists, and the purchase from the St. Paul owners of all the mineral properties not included in the Parry Sound Copper Co. This company will be announced in a few days.

SEALS ARE DISAPPEARING.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 10.—E. W. Clarke, who is special agent of the Government in charge of the Seal Island in Behring Sea, arrived here to-day. He left the island on June 14th. He said: "The provisions of the Paris Tribunal are totally inadequate. I am confident that seal life is not one-tenth as great as in former years. The destruction of the herd in still progressing under pelagic sealing. About three out of every five killed are recovered, the other two sinking. Fully three female seals are killed to two males." Mr. Clarke reports that there were no pelagic sealers around the island when he left, but he was told that the fleet had gathered and was following the seal herd on its return from south waters. He also reported a big salmon patch along the Aleutian Islands.

WHAT TO DO WITH THE BOY.

A conversation was held a short time ago between husband and wife concerning the future welfare of their only son. The mother was for giving him a profession, but the father thought the professions were crowded, and suggested starting the boy in mercantile life.

The father's reason for being opposed to his son entering professional life, was that he had a brother, who, while very clever, had nothing to show for his years of labor but a mere living and a good, big account on the debit side—the money spent in educating himself.

The father, although not having the education of his brother, had some years ago engaged with the Bradley-Garretson Co., Limited, of Brantford, Ont. first as canvassing agent, being promoted from time to time until now he was in the very front rank with this company and making lots of money. He has also seen a lot of the world, having been sent to Australia, South Africa, England and the United States. It was therefore not to wondered that he was opposed to his son taking up a profession, and the son in question had a liking for money and travel, it was finally decided that he ought to follow in the footsteps of his father and enlist with this old reliable Publishing House, especially as he had just received a good salaried offer from them.

Nip it at the Bud.

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GLORIOUS NEWS

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FATAL BARN RAISING.

One Man Killed and Sixteen Others Injured.

TIVERTON, Ont., July 8.—A barn-raising held last evening on the farm of John Convey, ninth concession, Kincardine, was the occasion of a terrible accident, in which one man was killed and sixteen others were injured. The barn was one of the largest in this part of the country, and everything went satisfactorily until the fourth bent was being lifted, when a little too much pushing shoved the bent in too far, and down it fell upon the men beneath.

The scene which followed was one to be remembered by the spectators all their lives. Lying underneath the fallen timbers were nearly a score of men, cut, bruised, and with broken limbs. Four doctors were summoned at once.

Dan McKenzie was picked up with both of his legs broken and his hip smashed terribly. He was also hurt internally. Everything possible was done for him, but he died about eleven p. m.

The next seriously hurt was James Bogg. He had some ribs broken, besides being hurt otherwise internally, it cannot be said as yet how seriously.

Kenneth McLeod was hurt about the head and rendered unconscious, but it is not thought that he is fatally injured.

With the exception of Mr. Johnston, who is badly injured, none of the others sustained serious injuries. There were a couple of broken arms and and wrists, but cuts and bruises comprised the remainder of the injuries.

Did you ever notice the man in the switching tower? Does it ever occur to you that the lives of every living person on a train frequently depend on the promptness and intelligence with which he moves the switch levers under his control?

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R. J. McNABB,
For the Lessees.

Acton, June 21st, 1899.

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TENDERS will be received up to Friday, 21st inst., for the building of two closets and a fence at Acton Public School. Plans and specifications may be seen at FREE PRESS Office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders will also be received at the same time for the sale of the old building and woodshed. Building is a good frame, 18 x 45, suitable for driving shed, etc.

By order
ROBERT HOLMES,
Chairman of Committee.

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W. H. DENNY,
Young St., Acton.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Of the Estate of Archibald Campbell, late of the village of Acton, in the County of Halton, Esquire, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Statutes in that behalf notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of the said Archibald Campbell, who died on or about the twenty-second day of May A. D., 1899, are required to send by post, prepaid, or to otherwise deliver to A. J. MacKinnon, of the said village of Acton, solicitor for the executors of the said estate on or before the thirty-first day of July, A. D., 1899, a statement containing the name, address and particulars of their claims and of the securities, if any, held by them, duly verified by statutory declaration and take notice that after the last mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among those entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been received as above required, and that the executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.

A. J. MACKINNON,
Solicitor for James McDonald and Margaret Elizabeth Campbell, the executors herein.

Dated the 3rd day of July, A. D., 1899.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of John Allan (the elder) late of the Township of Erin in the County of Wellington, gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 129, R. S. O., 1897, that all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the said John Allan, deceased, who died on or about the thirteenth day of June, A. D., 1899, at the said Township of Erin, are hereby required to send by post, prepaid, or otherwise deliver to R. H. Pringle, Brampton, Solicitor for the Executors of the Will of the said deceased, on or before the twenty-second day of July, A. D., 1899, a statement in writing of their names, addresses and descriptions together with full particulars of their claim or claims, duly verified by Statutary declarations and the nature of the security or securities (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby further given that after the said twenty-second day of July, A. D., 1899, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been received by them, and will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims they shall not then have received notice.

R. H. PRINGLE,
Brampton,
Solicitor for executors.

James Sharpe, Rockside P. O.
Duncan Campbell, Cheltenham P. O.
Executors.

Dated at Brampton this fourth day of July, 1899.

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