BORN.

VENATTER—In Erin, on Wednesday, 5th September, to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Venatter, a daughter.

MARRIED.

CURRIE—McDOWELL—In Kequesing, on Wednesday, 5th September, by Rev. L. Parvin, B. A., Mr. Duncan Currie, of Nassagaweya, to Jennie, second daughter of James McDowell, Esq., 5th line Kequesing.

DIED.

NORRIS—In Georgetown, on Friday, Agnes, widow of the late John Noble, in her 80th year.

BULLIN—At China, Mich., on Friday, 7th Sept., Lester James, only son of George Bullin, aged 9 months.

PEART—On Wednesday, Aug. 29th, at her late residence, Nelson, Margaret Peart, beloved wife of Thos. Peart, in the 64th year of her age.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13th, 1900.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Mr. Henderson, M. P., in conversation with a *Herald* representative yesterday, agreed that political matters in Halton were, up to the present, very quiet. "If Halton doesn't hurry up," he said, "she may be classed among the counties that are, in the matter of placing candidates in the field, behind. However," he added, "short campaigns are always desirable."—Georgetown *Herald*.

The Board of Health of Woodstock has compelled bakers to give up using tickets, on the ground that by so many persons handling them the disease germs are spread. Hereafter the bakers must use cards, good for a dollar's worth of bread and as each loaf is delivered a hole is punched in the card. Milk tickets are even worse than bread tickets, as the ticket is often put into the pitcher, thus transferring disease germs to the milk.

The total number of passengers carried by the Grand Trunk Railway from the opening to the close of the Exhibition was 51,051, an increase of nearly 7,000 over last year. The Canadian Pacific Railway authorities, while not having made up their full returns, estimate that they carried about 22,000 passengers, or some 2,500 more than last year. Both roads have placed all the coaches and equipment used at the Toronto Fair at the disposal of the London Fair, which opened last Thursday.

Notwithstanding the heavy special taxes imposed for war purposes by the United States it is estimated that, should the same rate of expenditure continue to the end of the present fiscal year which has marked its progress so far, the treasury deficit will reach one hundred million dollars. The shortage is distributed thus: Army, eight million; navy, ten million; miscellaneous charges, arising from control of Cuba and the Philippines, ten millions. These figures represent an expenditure in excess of sums voted by Congress much greater than the like extraordinary expenditure by Britain in her warlike enterprises.

GEORGETOWN.

Last Friday George, the four-year-old son of Police Constable George Guthrie, Toronto, formerly of Georgetown, met with an accident, which may result in his losing his right hand. George's home is at 54 Shaftesbury Avenue, in close proximity to the C. P. R. tracks. He was out playing on the tracks, and, seeing an approaching shunting engine, placed some pins on the rails. He was thus engaged when the engine came along and the wheels passed over his hand. He was taken to his home and afterwards removed to the Sick Children's Hospital. His hand was terribly crushed.

A number of our local horsemen are quite tickled over their success at Toronto fair.

The attendance at the High School is in advance of last term.

This has been a great week in the hop yards. Half the children in town are engaged in this healthful occupation.

The new cement walks are much admired by citizens and visitors.

A large number of our residents and farmer friends attended Toronto fair last week.

Mrs. Agnes Noble, widow of the late John Noble, died very suddenly last Friday at her home here. She had been in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, for some time for treatment, and came home on Monday, 3rd inst. Affection of the heart was her trouble. The remains were interred here on Saturday afternoon.

Elora and Erin have been ordered to play off for the junior lacrosse championship of the district, in the park here on Friday.

NEW LITERATURE.

For twenty-six years Canon Farrar's "Life of Christ" has been a leading volume in all theological libraries, and for its excellence in aiding in the critical and devotional study of the life of our Saviour on earth, it has had a place in many Christian homes. That volume was based on long study not only of the four gospels and the Old and New Testaments, but of all the sources of knowledge open to the student, from the most ancient to the most modern times. Canon Farrar—now Dean of Canterbury—has just written a new volume entitled the "Life of Lives." This volume gives the result of further studies of the life of Christ, and is a most valuable and interesting work. The object of the new book, says the author, "is to deal with questions of high importance, which the gospels suggest, and it aims at deepening the faith and brightening the hope of all who read it honestly." Bible students will prize this new work highly. They will find it a volume containing the rich results of the scholarly research of this great and good man, and with its contents well digested will be able and most intelligently to satisfy themselves on many points in the study of Christ's life and atonement which have been more or less beclouded by the arguments of the "higher critics."

The new work is fresh from the presses of William Briggs, Toronto, has 450 pages, and is sold at $1.50 in well-bound cloth edition.

AN OLD ESTABLISHED FIRM'S IMPROVEMENTS.

Messrs. John M. Bond & Co., have made improvements and additions to their linoleum and oil cloth department, which will be appreciated by customers. The south west wall of the old room has been moved back ten feet, giving room for 30 extra large rolls and floor space on which to lay out and cut the largest orders. Upstairs the paint shop will be converted into an oil cloth and matting room, with large space and good light. The linoleum room will have plate glass front, and when completed will have three times previous space.

For internal or external use Hagyard's Yellow Oil cannot be excelled as a pain relieving and soothing remedy for all pain.

GEN. ROBERTS' TACTICS.

Adapted to The Requirements of Guerilla Warfare.

FINAL MOVEMENTS TAKING PLACE.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—There is a marked revival of public interest in the war in South Africa owing partly to the vigor with which Lord Roberts is conducting the operations, but mainly to the political effects in connection with the approaching elections. Lord Roberts' new objective point is clearly Koomatiepoort, and Gen. French's cavalry division, with Gen. Pole-Carew's infantry, has been set in motion toward it, with Barberton and Nelspruit as halfway stations from Belfast. General French has started for Carolina, so as to reach Barberton by the Ermelo road, while Generals Hutton and Henry are working eastward over the hills and near the railway along which Gen. Pole-Carew is advancing. There was fighting all along the line on Sunday and the Boers were steadily driven back.

BOLD FRONTAL ATTACK.

Himultaneously Gen. Buller, leaving Gen. Hamilton behind him at Lydenburg, had been attacking Gen. Botha's force on the summit of a mountain, where a turning movement was impracticable. The road from Lydenburg makes a loop northward to Krugerspost, and thence easterly to Pilgrim's Rest, where there is a bridle path around Spitzkop toward the railway at Nelspruit. Gen. Buller did not follow the road, but made a frontal assault upon a position of great natural strength, three battalions carrying it with brilliant gallantry. It seems probable that he has turned the Boer positions at Pilgrim's Rest and Krugerspost, but it is not clear whether he has cut off the retreat of the enemy to Nelspruit.

TO CLEAR THE RAILWAY.

It is evident that while Gen. Buller is hammering away at Gen. Botha's strongholds around Lydenburg Gen. French is expected to drive the remaining Boer forces out of Barberton and clear the railway to the Portuguese frontier. Other districts have been emptied of the British forces in order that these final movements in the Eastern Transvaal may be conducted.

Generals Clery and Hildyard are holding strongly the railway between Laing's Nek and Heidelburg, but the towns recently captured by Generals Hunter and Rundle in the Bethlehem district have been evacuated, and the British forces drawn off northward. The Western Transvaal has been left under Lord Methuen's charge, and the railway from Kroonstadt to Pretoria and thence to Belfast is held by sentries of entrenched positions. Lord Roberts has adapted his tactics to the requirements of guerilla warfare, and at the same time has scattered Gen. Botha's forces, and is pushing on with all despatch to Koomatipport, where the open door into neutral territory may be closed.

Messrs. Kruger and Stejn are now at Pilgrim's Rest.

LIMEHOUSE.

A very pretty wedding took place on the afternoon of Sept. 5th, at 5 p. m., when Miss Jennie McDowell, second daughter of Mrs Jas McDowell, 5th line, Esquesing, was united in happy wedlock to Mr. Duncan Currie, of Nassagaweya. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Parvin, of Georgetown. Miss Nellie McDowell, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, while Mr. Currie, brother of the groom, acted as best man. There was a large gathering of friends and relatives and the bride received many very costly and useful presents. After the wedding feast was partaken off, the guests indulged in dancing until the small hours, when they all repaired to their respective homes leaving their best wishes with the young couple.

Mr. S. Grant has been successful in securing a position on the Toronto police force. His presence in our hamlet will be greatly missed. However we all join in wishing him every success in his new position.

The ladies of the Foreign Missionary Society here have been very busy preparing their bale for India, which is now completed.

Our obliging station agent and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Coo, are expected to arrive home about Friday from their trip to England and France.

Mr. Ivens has been spending a few days here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Somerville are visiting relatives in London and attending the Western Fair.

MILTON.

Charlie Ramshaw has taken a situation as druggist in Rosedale, Louisauna.

Messrs. Thos. Chisholm, Esquesing, and James Alexander and Robert Elliott, of Nassagaweya, are away to the Northwest on a trip.

Mr. Harry McDowell, of the firm of McDowell & Watson, wholesale druggists, Vancouver, B. C., visited relatives in this neighborhood during the week.

The Model School is not over-crowded this term. There are only eight students.

Miss Millie Mitchell has secured a good position in Victoria, B. C., and left for the coast last week.

Remember the County Fair on the 27th and 28th inst.

Henry Henderson, eldest son of Thomas Henderson, Esq., of Milton, has been promoted to a first-class position, that of agent for the Dominion Express Co. for the city of Quebec.

A successful Harvest Home Social was given on the lawn of Wm. Forrest, sr., base line, Trafalgar, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Hornby Methodist Church, on Monday evening.

The financial meeting of Milton District will be held in the Methodist Church, Georgetown, on Tuesday, Sept. 18th, at ten o'clock a. m. An evangelistic convention will be held during the afternoon and evening. The District Epworth League Convention will be held on the following day, commencing at 9.30 a. m. W. C. Henderson, D. D., Chairman of the District, will preside.

CHINA WAR TO CEASE.

Li Hung Chang Given Power to Make Terms With All Nations at His Discretion.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The Chinese minister in London, Hir Chih Chen Lo Feng Luh, it is understood, has received credentials authorizing the opening for peace negotiations. It is intimated that similar powers have been conferred on the Chinese ministers at other capitals, and that their credentials will satisfy the governments.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The Chinese Minister has received an Imperial edict conferring on Li Hung Chang extraordinary powers for the complete settlement of the Chinese troubles. It gives him authority to make any terms according to his own discretion, without referring them to the Emperor. This is unusual authority.

GALVESTON, TEX., IN RUINS.

A Terrible Tidal Storm From the West Indies Devastates the Coast.

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 10.—A West India storm which reached the Gulf coast yesterday morning wrought awful havoc in Texas. An appalling disaster has befallen the city of Galveston, where it is reported a thousand or more lives have been blotted out and a tremendous property damage has been incurred.

The waterworks are in ruins and the cisterns are all blown away or filled with salt water, so that the lack of water is one of the most serious of the present troubles.

Ruin is everywhere. Electric light and telegraph poles are nearly all prostrated and the streets are littered with timbers, slate, glass and every conceivable character of debris.

There is hardly a habitual house in the city and nearly every business house is damaged. The school buildings were unroofed and badly wrecked. Fine churches are in ruins. Elevators and warehouses are profit for use, and the electric light plant and the cotton factory have collapsed.

DALLAS, TEX., Sept. 10.—Houston and Texas Central railroad officials at noon received bulletins from their general office in Houston that the loss of life would reach 3,000 in Galveston. The Missouri, Kansas and Tex relief forces near Galveston and along the coast telegraphed at noon the loss of life will not be less than 5,000. Railroad and cotton men estimate the loss of all kinds of property, including the cotton crop, at from fifteen to twenty million dollars.

The storm began at 2 o'clock Saturday morning. Previous to that a great storm had been raging in the Gulf, and the tide was very high. The wind at first came from the north, and was in direct opposition to the force from the Gulf. While the storm in the Gulf piled the water on the beach side of the city the north wind piled the water from the bay on the bay part of the city.

About noon it became evident that the city was going to be visited by disaster. Hundreds of residences along the beach front were hurriedly abandoned, the families fleeing to dwellings in higher portions of the city. Every house was opened to the refugees, black or white. The wind was so fierce that the rain cut like a knife. In the meantime the wind had veered to the southeast.

By 3 o'clock the waters of the bay and gulf met, and by dark the entire city was submerged. The flooding of the electric light plant and the gas plant left the city in darkness. To go upon the streets was to court death. The wind was then at cyclonic velocity, roofs, cisterns, portions of buildings, telegraph poles, and walls were falling, and the noise of the wind and the crashing of the buildings were terrifying. The wind and waters rose steadily from dark until 1.45 o'clock Sunday morning.

During all this time the people of Galveston were like rats in traps. The highest portion of the city was four to five feet under water, while in a great majority of cases the streets were submerged to a depth of ten feet. To leave a house was to drown. To remain was to court death in the wreckage. Such a night of agony has seldom been equalled.

Without apparent reason the waters suddenly began to subside at 1.45 a. m. Within twenty minutes they had gone down two feet, and before daylight the streets were practically freed of the flood waters.

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From the Acadian, Wolfville, N. S.

At White rock Mills, within sound of the noisy swish of the Gaspereau river, is a pretty little cottage.

In this cottage there dwells with her parents Miss Belle Cohoon, a very bright and attractive young lady who takes a lively interest in all the church and society work of the little village. A short time ago an Acadian representative called upon Miss Cohoon for the purpose of ascertaining her opinion of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—Which remedy he had been informed she had been using. He was very cordially received and found both Miss Cohoon and her mother most enthusiastic and ardent friends of this great Canadian remedy, which is now so universally used throughout the world. We give below in essentially her own words Miss Cohoon's story:

"Three years ago this spring my health was very much 'run down.' I had not been feeling well for some time and when spring opened up and the weather became warmer my condition became worse. The least exertion exhausted me and was followed by an awful feeling of weakness and a rapid palpitation of the heart. I seamed to lose my ambition, and a feeling of languor and sluggishness took its place. My appetite failed me and my sleep at night was disturbed and restless. In fact I was in a very sorry condition. I suffered in this way for some time. Then I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and they soon began to work a change for the better. My strength and spirits improved wonderfully, and the old feeling of tiredness began to leave me. My appetite returned and my weight increased steadily. By the time I had used less than half a dozen boxes I felt stronger than I had done for years. Since that time whenever I feel the need of a medicine a prompt use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills has always brought me speedy relief, and in future when ailing I shall never use anything but these pills, and strongly advise others to follow my example."

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EVERTON.

Mr. Robert Grieves, of Luther, came down on Saturday for a few days with his sister, Mrs. A. Evart, and the Loron friends. His daughter, who has been here a few weeks, will return with him this week.

Miss Lizzie Benson returned to Toronto on Friday after spending two weeks at home.

Mr. Joyce and Ethel visited his mother at Mansewood on Saturday.

Mr. Forester and men returned to Oakville on Wednesday of last week, after painting in this vicinity about four weeks.

Miss Tovell spent Friday and Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Oakes, of Guelph.

Our minister, with Mr. Crittendon to help, has commenced revival services at the Bethel appointment. When through there they intend having services here. We earnestly pray that good may be done.

The meetings in the Disciples Church continue this week. Next week they purpose commencing a series in Mimosa church.

THE FALL FAIRS.

Esquesing, Acton, Oct. 4-5.
Western Fair, London, Sept. 8-15.
Central Ottawa, Ottawa, Sept. 14-22.
Southern, Brantford, Sept. 15-26.
North York, Newmarket, Sept. 18-20.
Great Northern, Collingwood, Sept. 19-21.
Northern, Walkerton, Sept. 18-19.
Central, Guelph, Sept. 25-27.
Halton, Milton, Sept. 27-28.
Peel, Brampton, Oct. 2-3.
Wentworth, Dundas, Oct. 4-5.
"World's Fair," Hockton, Oct. 9-10.
Centre Wellington, Fergus, Oct. 11-12.
Owen Sound, Owen Sound, Oct. 11-13.
Woodbridge, Woodbridge, Oct. 17-19.
Eramosa, Rockwood, Oct. 9-10.
Erin, Erin, Oct. 18-19.

ANECDOTES OF EVARTS.

One summer when William M. Evarts was at his country home in Windsor, Vt., a farmer who had followed his political career in the newspapers for many years was extremely anxious to see him in the flesh, and drove eighteen miles into town in order to catch a glimpse of his idol. Senator Evarts at that time was being entertained constantly, dining out almost every night, and as he drove out of his grounds to an appointment one evening the farmer was lying in wait for him in the road. The latter, seeing the pale, ascetic face and meagre form of the famous statesman, was disappointed.

"Well, I declare," he exclaimed, "looks as if he'd always boarded!"

An impromptu riddle is attributed to him here at his country place. One day, in presiding at table with a swarm of grandchildren about him, he asked: What is the difference between this goose before dinner and me after?"

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TUESDAY, SEPT. 18th, 1900, at 2.30 O'clock in the Afternoon,

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