

POEM
Memory - In These, we Picturesque Land,
Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, (Montreal
Man) & daughter.

MARRIED

THEMSEAS BRIDEGROOM - At M. George's Church,
by Rev. A. H. Gurney, Miss Elizabeth
to Mr. Elmer G. Thompson.

DIED

Funeral - At Acton, on Friday, 11th November,
John Price, 60 years, deceased, at
Acton Hospital. Services George Ed.
R. Michaelis Hospital, Toronto, George Ed.
R. Michaelis, late of Tragard, in the 6th
year.

GRANADA - At Acton, on Saturday, 12th November,
John Price, 60 years, deceased, at
Glenwilliams, aged 12 months.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1913

EDITORIAL NOTES

EVERYWHERE IN CANADA, as to every country in Christendom, the general tendency is to curb the distribution of liquor. In Ontario we see one of the great political parties definitely committed to a policy that shall abolish the bar. In Quebec the Government has promised measures that will radically disown the promiscuous sale of liquor.

TOTAL IMMIGRATION to Canada during the first seven months, April to October of the current fiscal year, was 327,012, made up of 128,889 British, 60,339 American and 138,715 from all other countries. During the seven corresponding months of last fiscal year the total number was 300,341, composed of 118,307 British, 100,140 American and 82,294 from all other countries. The increase is nine per cent.

THE COMMISSION which has been investigating licensed liquor conditions in the Province of Quebec, recommend substantial curtailment of business and other stringent regulations. In concluding their report to Parliament they further recommend the strict maintenance of the new law for a period of at least five years so as to allow of a complete trial of the amendment before any action for a repeal may be taken.

AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT has just been made by the Dominion Immigration Department at Ottawa, in which a restriction of the Immigration Act is declared for the time intervening between now and March 1st. Foreigners living in Canada will not be able to procure the admission of adult brothers and sisters by special application to Ottawa, when the said relatives have not the necessary \$30 in their possession upon entering the country.

THE REPORT of the Provincial Hydro-Electric Commission for the nine months, ending September 30th, issued last week, was very gratifying. During the nine months in question, each municipality of the forty-six in the system had at the full utilization of its power plant, a saving of electricity including interest and sinking fund, and has a substantial balance available for depreciation and rest account. The surpluses vary in the different municipalities. Two per cent. is the lowest and they range as high as 50 per cent.

SIX COUNTY COURT JUDGES in Ontario are being retired under the provisions of an Order-in-Council, which will be issued on December 1st. This is based upon the legislation last session, calling for compulsory retirement at 75 years of age. The retiring judges will receive full pay. They are: Judges Morgan, of Toronto; Prior of Frontenac, Bentler, of Lanark, Benson, of Durham, Oliphant, of Waterloo, and McCrae, of Parry Sound. These vacancies, in addition to that caused by the death of Judge Donahue of Renfrew, and Judge Gordon of Halton, will be filled before Christmas.

At the National Convention of the Y.M.C.A. at Montreal last week, the following resolution was passed: "That the National Convention instruct its Secretary to intimate to the Postmaster-General that it is our opinion that intoxicating liquors should be excluded from the list of commodities entitled to pass through his Majesty's mails under the provisions of the proposed postal post system; and further resolved that the National Convention be requested to circulate petitions among the entire membership of the Y.M.C.A. embodying a prayer to the Hon. Postmaster-General to the same effect."

KILLED AT THE GLEN QUARRY

John S. Yeats, a Packer, crushed to death last week.

A DIFECTIVE CABLE TIE CAUSE

A fatal accident occurred at Mining's Quarry one morning last week about 9 o'clock when one of the workers, a Packer by the name of John S. Yram, was instantly killed. Deceased was working with the derrick when the cable broke and the mast fell, striking him on the head. Yram was about 45 years of age and leaves a wife and five children in Ireland.

An inquest was held in the evening with R. J. McLean, chairman of the jury. They returned a verdict of accidental death caused by a defective cable.

NOT TO BE DELIVERED

This Post Office authorities call attention to the fact that circulars of foreign lotteries in Hungary and Denmark are passing through the mails. Postmasters are ordered to send them back to country of origin. Letters from Canada are not to be forwarded to the addresses of these concerns, and no notes or orders are to be made payable to them.

WONDERFUL VALUE

The best dollar's worth offered to day is a year's subscription to the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal. Any home not now receiving that paper is missing a treat for every member of the family—from grandfather or father down to the youngest tot. Try it for a year and you will be convinced. The publishers will refund your money if you are not satisfied. It is certainly worth your while to try it for a year.

THE BOARDS FOR 15 YEARS
The Trustees who Have Supervised
Acton Schools for that Period

BUT TWO PRINCIPALS IN CHARGE

At the meeting of the Kepuska Township Council last week strong measures were taken to ensure the payment of all tax promptly.

Moved by J. L. Standish, seconded by Wm. G. O'Leary, a resolution was adopted in Council that all tax collectors to collect \$ per cent. on all taxes unpaid alongside 14th of December and that the seal of the Corporation be attached to this resolution.—Carried.

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