THE SYNDICATE'S ASSESSMENT.

The following is a copy of the circular issued recently by the managing committee of the Milton Temperance Hotel Syndicate:

MILTON, 6th July 1885.

DEAR SIR,—

The affairs of the Temperance Syndicate, formed to keep the Thompson House as a temperance hotel, were examined and adjusted by the committee of management composed of Messrs. Austin Willmott, Johnston Harrison, James Holbourake and W. H. Lindsay. And they have ascertained that it will be necessary to raise the sum of $1106.41 to meet the liabilities. A statement of the receipts and disbursements showing the balance against the Syndicate is in my possession as Secretary of the Committee and may be inspected by you and other subscribers.

The committee thought that it would be advisable to get an opinion on the liability of the subscribers to contribute for the payment of the deficiency and received an opinion, of which the following is a copy:

"The form of subscription to the Temperance Syndicate declares the intention to be to 'purchase the furniture of the Thompson House, to be used for the purpose of accommodation of travellers, and also to lease that house for the accommodation of the public,' and the subscribers are, in our opinion, liable to pay, and contribute towards the loss which has been sustained *pro rata* in the proportion of shares taken by each subscriber."

The committee have acted on this opinion and have assessed your *pro rata* share of the loss at the sum of $30.75.

I will be pleased to give any further information which you may require, and I specially request that you will honor this call upon you before the 15th of July inst., and enable the committee to close the accounts in an honorable and satisfactory manner.

Yours obediently,
AUSTIN WILLMOTT,
Sec'y of Committee.

MR. THOMAS LUSH,
Milton

Mr. Thomas Lush, to whom the above circular is addressed, was at one time the lessee of the Temperance House. He subscribed for one $25 share in the hotel about the time that he took possession of the premises, and paid $25 to the treasurer of the syndicate. The fact that he has now been called on for the additional amount mentioned in the circular, and that his fellow stockholders have been assessed in the same proportion, does not corroborate the statement so often made by prohibition orators that the hotel business can easily be made profitable without being combined with liquor selling.

It will be remembered that during the time that Mr. Lush occupied the Temperance House, he was twice fined and once imprisoned, at the instance of the Scott Act party, for illegal liquor selling, and in view of this the demand now made on him may appear to some people the reverse of modest. It shows, however, that the so-called temperance men who compose the managing committee of the syndicate are not so fanatical nor so blinded by prejudice as to object to receive and make use of the money of a liquor seller to promote the interests of the cause which they profess to have so much at heart.

AULD CLOOTIE IN DANGER.

The talented young gentleman who edits the Oakville Independent, which sheet he claims is "the largest and only truly temperance eight-paged paper in the County of Halton," distributed a remarkable circular last week. It was headed with the following startling announcement: "There is going to be war against Whiskey and the Devil." Who is going to conduct this war the t. y. g. omitted to say, but a "special and liberal offer" to send the Oakville thunderer to new subscribers for nearly six months for 40 cents appears to have some mysterious connection with it. What this connection is we are unable to say, but knowing as we do what a giant intellect is at the head of the editorial department of our Oakville contemporary and the tremendous influence which it exercises wherever the English language is understood, we feel sure that if it is going to take a hand in the coming campaign his Satanic majesty has cause to tremble until his hoofs rattle, and whiskey is in for a black eye.

VOLUNTEERS RETURNING.

The Midland and 9th Grey regiments arrived at Toronto on Sunday, and were given a splendid reception and on Tuesday the Halifax battalion was given a similar welcome. The 35th Simcoe Foresters and 12th York Rangers arrived on Tuesday at Collingwood and were met there and at Barrie, where they went later, by large crowds, who welcomed them enthusiastically. Before the two regiments separated the men of the Rangers presented Col. Tyrwhitt of the Foresters with a sword. The Rangers had another ovation when they reached Toronto and Parkdale. The men of the different regiments were fairly in rags, were bronzed like veterans, and carried themselves as such. The Queen's Own and Grenadiers are expected to reach Toronto to-day, and great preparations have been made to receive them.

A BIG STEAL.

The Dominion Parliament was prorogued on Monday with the usual ceremonies by His Excellency the Governor General. The session which was then brought to a close was long and tedious and the warfare between Tory and Grit was hot throughout, but it was edifying too see how at the close the fiercest partizans on both sides buried the hatchet and united in favor of the salary grab. As every man is said to have his price, it is only natural that members of parliament, who are not more than human, should have theirs, but it appears to us that $500 apiece is rather a low figure for such tremendously important personages as they are supposed to be.

The funeral of the late Colonel Williams took place on Tuesday at Port Hope. There was an immense military display and a large attendance of members of the Cabinet, Senate, House of Commons, and prominent public men from all parts of the province.

THE SENATE'S AMENDMENT.

The Senate's wine and beer amendment to the Scott Act was not brought up a second time in the House of Commons before the prorogation of Parliament, as some expected it would be. The amendment is a most sensible one, and if it had been made law would have done good; but it is perhaps just as well that the counties in which the Act went into force on May 1st will be let to have their fill of it. If the amendment had been carried in the Commons in the session just ended and were to have been put into operation immediately, the cry which would have been raised by the prohibit on party that the Act had not received a fair trial in its original form might have appeared not altogether unwarranted, but the situation will be different a year hence.

A Disgraceful Grab.

It was with a feeling of shame that Canadian newspaper readers learned yesterday that the Ottawa legislators had appropriated to themselves an extra $500 each. Those of the members who are honest will feel a qualm of conscience as they rob the iniquitous pieces of silver. We cannot bring ourselves to believe that all will accept them. Here is our country in the throes of commercial depression called upon to pay an enormous sum for the suppression of a miserable rebellion, and this moment is chosen for a steal that must bring a blush to every honest man's cheek. The pretence that members—taking the average—live at a rate of $10 a day while at Ottawa is ridiculous. The most of them live on less than a third of that sum. Is it not enough that so many of them draw mileage money, when travelling with railway passes in their pockets? They receive $1000 per session, frank their letters, are furnished with a free circulating library, and all the stationery they and their families and friends require, and yet this extra steal! A country's moral status will never be higher than that of its public men. This infamous robbery of the taxpayers could only have been secured by an iniquitous coalition for plunder, and the leaders of both parties are equally to blame. Each knew that as an indemnity there was no justification for it, though the session wdever so protracted. When the election law was less stringent members might be inclined to recoup themselves some of the tremendous outlay that was then the rule rather than the exception. Nowadays a member of parliament is a debt task to stand the multitude of perquisites showered upon him. The verdict of an outraged nation will be that they are a precious mean lot, who might advantageously be educated on the Law of Trusts and the definition of pretty larceny.—World, July 13.

VOLUNTEERS' UNIFORMS.

Need Remodelling from Head to Foot.

(Montreal Star Fort Fitt Correspondent.)

The head-gear of our troops here was decidedly inelegant for the country and climate. The Midlanders suffered most in this respect, as they had nothing but those miserable little wooden pipkins to wear, and which they wore when the thermometer was 30° below and 95° above. A corps may have a helmet or a busby for "full dress," but both those are next to useless on a campaign. All our efficient volunteers should be served out with fur caps for winter wear, but for the summer a light grey cloth helmet partly made in the Havelock style, would be found about the most serviceable as it could be easily carried and rolled up into the knapsack, valise, or pocket. It is all well enough to have a gaudy head gear for "drone service," but for campaigning the least conspicuous head-dress is best.

The tightly-fitting heavy tunics, worn by our men, should be replaced by light woollen serge jackets of the color of the tunics. A tunic gives no freedom of movement, no chance to the free play of the arms; besides it is altogether too warm for summer wear. The trousers should be made of strong serge, not of cloth, the latter tearing at the slightest strain.

A good shoe is absolutely required, laced up by leather leggings or grey canvas "puttees." Cotton socks are of no use for walking; the troops must have heavy all wool socks without seams.

Some of the troops have gone through the heaviest part of the campaign without winter bottles, which are very necessary. Of the knapsack very little need be said, except that it should be condemned; the valise equipment is better. The s one brown leather belts are adopted instead of the white pipe clay the better. The Snider rifle is not to be sneered at, and as long as the ammunition is good it will do, but it must not be thought that it is superior to the Martini-Henry. While the latter has the advantage probably in shooting, the rifles do not so easily get out of order, and will stand a terrible lot of rough usage.

Middleton Deserved the Reward.

From the New York Sun.

Under the British custom of paying cash down for distinguished military services General Middleton has unlawfully earned the $20,000 proposed for him in the Dominion. His success was complete. He put down not only the half breed revolt but the Indian outbreak that accompanied it. He received not only the surrender of Riel, but that of Poundmaker and Big Bear. His forces were by no means large, and very few of them were regulars; yet he hesitated at nothing, and did his work with energy and promptness under some ominous predictions of failure. The chase after Big Bear was particularly trying, as the swamps and other obstacles made it almost hopeless. But Middleton succeeded in rescuing all the prisoners whom the fugitive chief had taken with him, and at length the hostile band came back to capitulate, having been driven beyond the reach of provisions.

Had the work of crushing the Northwest rebellion been let out by contract, the successful bidder would not probably have demanded less for his share of the reward than the highest of the amounts suggested for Middleton. Considering all the circumstances, General Middleton's money will be as much deserved as that which has been lavished on Lord Wolseley for recent professional jobs.

RIEL'S TRIAL.

Riel's trial commenced at Regina on Monday, when the opening addresses were made by the Counsel for the Queen and the defence.

On Tuesday an affidavit that had been prepared by the counsel for the defence was sworn to by Riel and handed in. Mr Fitzpatrick and Mr. Lemieux also swore to an affidavit each, and the three were then read and filed. Riel's affidavit was to the effect that without the attendance of Dumont, Dumais, and Nelin, who are in Montana, together with certain petitions in the hands of the Government, and captured by General Middleton, he could not make a proper defence or have a fair trial.

Mr. Lemieux's affidavit set forth that the attendance of certain witnesses was required to show that for three years Riel had been confined as a lunatic in the Beauport asylum, Quebec. The witnesses required to establish this fact were Drs. Roy and Lavelle, of Quebec, and Dr. Clarke, of Toronto.

After some arguing over the affidavits the court adjourned until Tuesday next.

Royal Kickers.

LONDON, July 21.—It is rumored that at the last moment the German Crown Prince and Princess will refuse to attend the wedding of the Princess Beatrice, although the Queen is doing her utmost to induce them to attend. It is believed that the German court disapproves of the match.

PROF. GOLDWIN SMITH.

A SPLENDID TRIBUTE FROM THE RETIRING PRESIDENT OF CORNELL.

President Andrew White of Cornell says in his farewell report of that University:—The policy of non-resident professors and lecturers, which I advocated in the "Report on Organization" about twenty years ago, has stood the test of experience. The lectures of such men as Agassiz, Lowell, Curtis, Bayard Taylor, Dwight, Froude, Freeman, Adams, Roberts, Ely, Schuyler, and others have given a great stimulus to professors and students, and I reiterate the statement that, so far from distracting students from regular work here, such lectures have really led them to enter into it with more earnestness and to pursue it with more vigor.

But while I mention with the greatest honor all these men who at different times have rendered services as non-resident professors and lecturers, I feel that I ought to state in this final report that there is one to whom our indebtedness is greatest of all. Professor Goldwin Smith came here at the opening of the University. Without fee or reward he continued, first through all the early period of our privations and hardships as a resident professor; and since that time he has remained a non-resident professor, giving lectures here regularly on the general and constitutional history of England. In any list of the founders of the University his name must surely take an honored place. I might speak of the quiet services he has rendered as a counsellor, of a large gift to the university when it was most needed, of benefactions liberally and constantly made, yet always without the slightest tinge of ostentation, to the university and to individuals. But I must speak of the debt we owe him for his instruction. Every thinking professor and student who has had anything to do with history and kindred subjects here will confess to receiving the best impulses and directions from him. Though always true to his own country, never faltering for an instant in loyalty to it, an Englishman of Englishmen, this loyalty has but increased respect for him and for his country. Nothing is more natural than that thinking students should come to respect a nation which has taken such strong hold upon the affections and convictions of one whose historical judgments are so profoundly based and so evidently inspired by a deep love of truth as truth, for justice as justice, and for man as man. The courage he showed in his own country in standing firmly by this Republic in the hour of its most fearful peril, and the fairness he has shown since in treating American questions have led our students to listen to him as they could have listened to no other living Englishman, save possibly to John Bright. His absolute truthfulness regarding his own country has led them to trust him when he has criticised ours; and his justice to our country has led us to seek to show justice toward his. I know of no one who in these days has done so much to promote the kindly feelings, so unkindly shaken during our civil war, between scholarly men in the two countries, as has Goldwin Smith.

But the main point here is that this illustrates the value of our system of non-resident professors and lecturers. Every lecture of his has aided the work of resident professors. He has given new impulses to them, and the students have caught in his lectures from a spirit which has led them to consider the history of the Mother Country a higher object of study than they had ever dreamed. After hearing his treatment of it, prejudices have been dispelled and students have all the more desired to use all the advantages offered by resident professors in pushing their further studies in that field. The teaching of Goldwin Smith through all these years furnishes an admirable example as to what instructionby non-resident professors may be made in stimulating the work of resident professors in supplementing it, and in arousing the interest of students in it.

THE NORTHWESTERN CROPS.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 21.—Special crop reports from all the winter and spring wheat-growing states state that the Northwest winter wheat situation is generally considered favorable, but Michigan alone raises a crop equal to that of 1884. In southern Illinois, Ohio, Missouri, Kansas, Tennessee and Kentucky there has been no improvement in the past thirty days. In the latter, two states millers are buying old wheat to start up their mills. The failure of winter wheat will disastrously affect railroads. Spring wheat crops indicate an average crop if the hot sun does not scorch it. The grass crop of the Northwest won't equal the crop of 1884. Oats stand beautifully. Corn shows a great improvement, and has made a great gain in the last fourteen days.

Prohibition in Iowa.

Last week, on the strength of testimony furnished by a member of our staff who has been in every corner of Iowa, we declare Prohibition in that State to be a failure. Other newspapers have investigated the working of the law there and their verdict is that Prohibition does not prohibit in Iowa. Saloons and hotels still celebrate quantities of liquor, and smart undistilleries abound. The Chicago Tribune had a letter last Sunday disclosing the tricks resorted to by dealers to evade the law, and our contemporary's conclusion is that Iowa consumes just about as much liquor to-day as she did under a high license law. The letters who goes east and tells the people of another State, or any Canadian Province, that the Prohibitionists have reason to be satisfied with the results achieved in Iowa, is a deceiver. Believe him not.—Canadian-American.

Murdered by Hostile Indians.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., July 21.—A letter from Kinney county states that hostile bands of Indians are taking advantage of the withdrawal of the cavalry from that district, and are at large on the frontier. Two Mexicans at the mouth of Pinto Creek, eight at Las Vegas, and about twenty at Hinvends have been killed near the border by Indians. So far as learned no loss of life has attended the Indian raid in Texas.

Thomas Myers, Bracebridge writes: "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is the best medicine I sell. It always gives satisfaction, and in case of case of coughs, colds sore throat &c., immediate relief has been received by those who use it."

The voting upon the Scott act in Ontario and Haldimand counties resulted in a victory for the Scott act supporters in the former constituency, and a defeat in the latter. Honors are easy, but there are indications that the prohibition wave is not going to sweep over the whole country immediately.—Spectator

The first British fishing vessel to reach an American port since the termination of the Washington treaty arrived at Gloucester, Mass., from the Grand Banks on Saturday, and had to pay a duty of fifty cents a hundred pounds on her cargo of fifty thousand pounds of halibut!

Upon Gen. Wolseley's recommendation neither the conduct of Gen. McNeill, whose negligence led to the surprise of English troops near Suakim on 22nd March last, nor the action of the peccant army contractors who supplied canned sand instead of beef, pot metal bayonets, and non-explosive powder to the troops, is to be investigated.

SCOTT ACT REVIVAL.—It has been rumored about town for the past few days, says the Galt Reformer, that the County Association has under consideration the withdrawing of the Scott Act petitions in this county not having met with as much success as they expected. We are not in a position to state whether or not there is any ground for the rumor, not being in confidence with the foresaid Association.—Berlin Telegraph.

Milton's Big Sale!

LOOK OUT FOR IT!!

Next Saturday is the First Day.

There will be a tremendous crowd at LINDSAY'S.

When you get one of the bills read it through and don't believe a word of it till you come and attend this great slaughter.

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NEWS ITEMS.

All of the 47 nuns who were inoculated with the cholera microbe have died.

Privates Osgoode and Rodgers were buried at Ottawa on Saturday with military honours.

By the recent earthquake in Bengal fifty persons were killed and much property was destroyed.

The cruise of the evolutionary squadron of the British navy continues to show the unseaworthiness of many of the war vessels.

The Standard thinks that Russia wants Merucheh and will accede to England's demands for Zulfikar to compensate for the concession of the former place.

Two hundred persons were poisoned with ice cream in Reposti, Sicily, during a public holiday. The vendor was attacked by the crowd and barely escaped with his life.

Friday was the hottest day for four years in New York. It was 93° in the shade at 3.30 p. m. Eight cases of sun-stroke occurred in New York, and 14 in Brooklyn.

A Fenian, who had just arrived from America, was arrested on Monday in London, charged with the murder of Stephen Gastley, a brother fenian, in Warwick in 1880.

Dr. Bergin, surgeon-general, has received a gorgeous uniform built in England at a cost of $600. The government propose to make the position of surgeon-general a permanent one.

The prospect of the immediate issue of the new Egyptian loan of £900,000, secured by the British Government, has infused new life into business and Government circles in Cairo.

A fatal collision occurred on Monday morning near London between a freight and construction train, the driver of the latter being instantly killed. Both engines were smashed and a number of freight cars wrecked.

At the final summing up of the votes under the Canada Temperance Act for the county of Haldimand, the total vote was 3,813, of which 2,055 were against, and 1,755 for the Act. There were 18 spoiled ballots and 51 rejected, having the majority against the Act 308.

The Niagara Falls celebration put the railways to a severe test. Returns from the various lines show that a total of 40,941 were carried from the scene without mishap. This speaks well for the efficiency of the service.

THE ALEMBIC OF THE BODY.—The stomach is the alembic of the human system. In it those wondrous chemical changes take place which result in the transmutation of the food into blood. When it is vigorous the necessary processes of the digestion and assimilation go on uninterrupted, and the system is suitably nourished. When it is feeble or disordered, they are obstructed, and being in consequence ill supplied with blood of a vitalizing quality, the physical organism becomes weak and feeble, the nerves suffer, the liver and bowels are semi-paralyzed, and appetite and sleep fail. These disastrous consequences may, however, be prevented or remedied with the supreme stomachic and aperient, NORTHROP & LYMAN'S VEGETABLE DISCOVERY AND DYSPEPTIC CURE, a medicine of rare purity and efficacy, which restores a disordered and repairs a weakened state of the digestive organs, overcomes biliousness, relieves the bowels when obstructed without straining or weakening them, and promotes the exit from the system of impurities which infect the blood, which cause serious organic maladies. No objectionable mineral contaminates it, and its value is not marred by a subsequent re-action prejudicial to the general health. Far preferable is it to the ordinary nauseous drugs used to produce a similar effect, but which are frequently ineffective as well as unpleasant; nor is it a cheap and valueless medicine, puffed into existence. It is used for dyspepsia, biliousness, affections of the blood, kidney complaints, female weakness, lumbago, &c., and in blood diseases it is unequalled. Price, $1.00. Sample Bottle, 10 cents. Ask for NORTHROP & LYMAN'S Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure. The wrapper bears a *fac-simile* of their signature. Sold by all medicine dealers.

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COURT OF REVISION.

His Honor Judge Miller held a sitting of this court on Friday last, to hear and determine an appeal from the Milton Court of Revision to this Court, made by S. Hannah & Son. The assessor rated the property at $7500, and Milton Court of Revision raised it to $9000. Mr. Hannah appealed to have it reduced.

S. HANNAH, examined: The property assessed includes the Mill and the house I live in; was assessed last year at $7500; was formerly assessed at $9000, except one year which was $7000. I now pay $800 a year rental and formerly paid $1000; I consider that the changes made in the Mill are not sufficient to enhance its value, and that it would take about $3000 additional to put it in proper condition; I think the assessment ought to be reduced in proportion to my rent; am assessed much higher than the previous occupant whose lease included 22 acres of land. I consider the assessment of $7500 quite sufficient. Mr. Martin wrote me last summer and offered me the mill, house, house on Martin Street and the flats for $10,000, which I refused.

CROSS-EXAMINED by Mr. Jos. Brothers: Was assessed for $7000 in 1871; I consider $8000 the actual value of the mill property that is assessed to me.

CHARLES MARTIN: The present cash value of the property assessed to Mr. Hannah including the flats and house on Martin Street is $10,000, that is the amount we would sell it for.

No further evidence offered, the assessment was fixed at $8000.

THE SCOTT ACT.

THE RECOUNT OF THE VOTES AT ST. THOMAS POSTPONED.

ST. THOMAS, July 17th.—The recount of the Scott Act vote cast at the election in this city on the 19th of March last, when a majority of eleven was recorded in its favor, was to have taken place this morning, but upon the returning officer producing the envelopes containing the ballots they showed evidence of having been tampered with. The judge then ordered a postponement until he could take evidence from the returning officers as to whether the envelopes were in the same condition as when handed by them to the returning officer.

How We Were "Howled Out."

The Sun and CHAMPION are getting along surmingly together. We imagine they would almost sup broth out of the same spoon.—Georgetown Herald. Yes, or drink from the same bowl.—Oakville Independent.

There is to be a telegraphic tariff of 6 pence for three words and a halfpenny a word additional in England.

Dan MacNamara, who ran a small hotel on Stuart street, opposite the Grand Trunk railway station, sent his family into the country on Sunday, and yesterday, bright and early in the morning, he sent away a large part of his household goods, and disappeared himself. Before he left he sold out his business to Thos. Byrne, book keeper for Mr. Lillis, cigar manufacturer. It is said that MacNamara has creditors in the city.—Spectator.

MARRIED.

OWEN—ALLEN.—On the 15th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, Streetsville, by the Rev. J. Hiltz, Mr. C. A. Owen, to Maggie, third daughter of the late Geo. Allen, Esq., both of Streetsville.

A Farewell Gathering.

BRAMPTON, July 18.—Dr. A. Pattullo, of Brampton, was on Thursday night last the recipient of a handsome and costly silver service from his many friends here, given as a farewell expression of regard on the eve of the departure of himself and family from this town. A large number of the citizens were present, and several speeches appropriate to the occasion were made. Dr. Pattullo has been a resident of Brampton ever since he graduated from old King's College now the Toronto Medical School, about 30 years ago, and during all that time has been prominent in professional, political, educational, and social affairs. He was for many years representative of the District at the Medical Council Board, and took special interest in the promotion of education. He was also one of the founders of The Brampton Times, and has always been a frequent contributor to the press. His practice, professionally, was exceptionally large, and his removal from Brampton to seek a more compact and less laborious field as a city practitioner, is a cause of widespread regret. He has not yet determined definitely where, along with his son, Dr. Bart Pattullo, recently returned from the North-West as a member of the Red Cross Corps, he will locate, but his old friends hope, with some reason, that he may fix upon Toronto. Members of the family were also the recipients of farewell gifts from Brampton friends.

DEATH OF PRINCIPAL BUCHAN.—Educationists throughout the province will receive the announcement of the death of one of the ablest and best known of their number, Principal Buchan, of the Upper Canada College, with extreme regret. Principal John M. Buchan died at his residence at College yesterday morning, after an illness of only two weeks duration. About two weeks ago he was prostrated with a severe attack of congestion of the kidneys. A fatal termination, however, was not anticipated until Saturday evening, from which time he sank until death occurred yesterday morning. Mr. Buchan was the eldest son of Mr. John Buchan, of Stratford. He was born in New York State, but when he was less than a year old his parents removed to Hamilton, where he passed his boyhood. He was educated in the Hamilton schools and Toronto University, graduating in 1862 at the early age of twenty as silver medallist in modern languages. After a short time spent as one of the assistant masters of the Upper Canada College he was appointed head master of the Hamilton Grammer School. This position he held until 1873, when he became High School Inspector. Three years ago he was appointed to the Principalship of Upper Canada College in succession to Principal Cockburn. In this position, and in those he previously held, he discharged his duties with marked ability. In literary circles his attainments were recognised, one of the positions conferred upon him being the Presidency of the Canadian Institute, which he held two years ago. Mr. Buchan was in his 43rd year, and leaves a wife and seven children.—Mail.

The Scott Act in Simcoe.

(Globe Correspondence.)

At night, from nine to near midnight, Alliston presented a scene of dissipation painful in the extreme. A bonfire was kindled in the street with old barrels, and liquors pailed out to one of the most wild and degraded crowds that could be collected.

Mr. Gladstone is suffering from hoarseness, and he has been enjoined to rest his voice for three weeks.

Nelson Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, NELSON, July 6th, 1885.

Council met at 1 o'clock pursuant to adjournment. Members present, the Reeve, Dep. Reeve, and councillors Peer and Pettit.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

The Reeve reported that he and the Dep. Reeve had examined the land slide in div. No. 56, and they would recommend that a small sum be granted to improve the said road.

E. Corlett Esq., applied for a grant to repair the sidewalk in div. No. 76.

A. F. Bowie proved the loss of one lamb killed by dogs, and on motion (Mr. Butts, $2.66 was ordered to be paid therefor.

Mr. Peer moved, that the following certified accounts be paid, viz: Murray Crawford, for lumber, $18.84; T. & F. Greenlees, for lumber, $40.40; John Readhead, for lumber, $52.95; D. Harris, for nails, $1.10; J. Zimmerman, gravel, 80c., in all $114 05.—Carried.

Geo. Wetherelt proved the loss of 5 sheep, and S. Freeman of 3 sheep killed by dogs, and on motion of Mr. Butts, $6 66 was ordered to be paid to G. Wetherelt, and $9.00 to S. Freeman for the said damage.

Mr. Butts moved, that $25.00 be granted to repair the road in div. No. 56, and that H. McMaster, P. M., and Wm. N. Scott be commissioners to expended the same.—Carried.

Mr. Pettit moved, that the following accounts be paid, viz: McCraney & Son, for lumber, $55,43; G. Wilkinson & Co., for 7 steel scrapers, $65.20, in all $120.63.—Carried.

Wm Fisher Esq., addressed the council in reference to the appointment of Inspectors under provisions of the "Act to prevent the spread of noxious weeds and of diseases affecting fruit trees," and Mr. Pettit gave notice that he would introduce a by-law at next meeting of council, making the said appointments.

Mr. Peer moved, that Wm. G. Pettit, Councillor, and Peter McCulloch, P. M., be a committee to repair the bridge on the lake shore road in div. No. 2 west.—Carried.

The council adjourned to meet on Monday, the 31st day of August, at 10 o'clock a. m.

DANIEL MCLAREN, Clerk

How it Works.

The Stratford Beacon says:—The circus was in Goderich on Dominion Day, and an immense crowd visited the town. The Star says that liquor was sold, and in some parts of the town "drunken rows took place during the afternoon and evening, and the noise and disturbance were such as to call for prompt arrests, but the guilty parties were not interfered with and now go unpunished. Let the blame rest where it may, it does seem that it is time the authorities took these matters into hand. If our streets are to be the scenes of such disgraceful occurrences, it is but a step until life will be in danger." Now that is the picture drawn of a town in which the Scott Act is in force by a newspaper which has heartily supported the measure. There were large crowds in Stratford both on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, and there was no breach of the peace committed, and the police inform us no case of drunkenness was observed on either of the days.

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LACROSSE.—The Streetsville lacrosse club beat the Metropolitan club, of Toronto, on Saturday, at Streetsville, by two games.

Our thanks are due to Mr. Harry McDowell, formerly of Milton, and now of Port Arthur, for late Fort William and Port Arthur papers.

WILL YOU SUFFER with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a sure cure. Sold by J. H. McCollum.

COW KILLED.—Mr. David Lindsay of Hornby, lost a cow valued at $60 on Friday evening last. She died of congestion of the lungs.

DRUMQUIN.—A son of Mr. White's, Drumquin, was thrown in front of a mowing machine while in motion a few week, and severely hurt.—Independent.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by J. H. McCollum.

REV. A. E. RUSS, M.A., the new pastor of the Methodist Church, Milton, will preach on "Religious Childhood" next Sunday morning, and in the evening the subject will be "Church Marriage."

CHEAP FARES.—The Credit Valley Railway will issue tickets to Toronto this evening and to-morrow morning for $1.00. This will enable all the citizens of attending the reception of the volunteers to do so very cheaply.

Order your Shirts now. We make Shirts for $7.50. 6 Linen Collars and 3 Shirts for $7.50. Satisfaction guaranteed to fit. The best 50c. Unlaundried Shirt in the market. Gloves warranted to fit. The best 50c. Kid Glove in the market. Hosiery—Our 25c. Hose lasts for a short time only.—Treble's.

COW KILLED.—Mr. Thomas Lush, of Milton, had the misfortune to lose a very valuable cow on the G. T. R. track on Tuesday night. She had just purchased her in the morning for $60.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Master Jack Sproat, son of Mr. Jas. Sproat, Esq., Trafalgar, met with a severe accident last week. A runaway mounting the seat of a buggy, the horses started and knocked against the young man, causing internal injuries.

THE HACKETT COMPANY will open their engagement in Hamilton on Monday, 27th inst., in the Grand Opera House, with the popular comedy, "Rip Van Winkle." Hackett's impersonation of the character is said to be very fine. Seats will be on sale at the Grand Opera House box office on Friday, 24th inst.

THE BIGAMY CASE.—The trial of Mr. George Smith, Esq., on the charge of committing bigamy, came off last week. The only new evidence adduced was that the Rev. Mr. Cameron married Smith and Darnosino time in 1882.

LARGE GOOSEBERRIES.—Mr. Jas. Gaway, for one, has in his garden a bush planted over a dozen years ago, very large and very productive. We mention this as a curiosity, though we have grown in his garden bushes which produced fully as large berries. We found that one of the bushes measured 4 inches round the stem.

GO TO Treble's, the Hatter, for your Hats, all the latest styles in Soft Felt Hats at prices ranging upwards, the best $2 Hat in the market. Treble's, cor. King and James Sts., Hamilton.

T. J. STARRITT, formerly of the Halton News, is at present in London for the purpose of purchasing for the fall and winter trade, and intends taking the opportunity to take the roof off the Milton Mills by insinuating what a tremendous success he has made in the business since he has opened a book trade.

THE ZOO.—The journey to Toronto Zoological Garden, another great attraction in the shape of a zoo, that used by Capt. Bull, on Northwest. The Zoo is worth a visit at any time, but it is at a point to go and see it to-day before it is removed, which will be soon.

SHILOH'S CURE will positively cure you if you are troubled with Lung Disease, Sore Throat, Bronchitis or Consumption. Sold by J. H. McCollum.

HARD TIMES do not appear to affect the business done in the Hardware store of Colin McRae, 52 & 54 King Street, East, Hamilton. His specialty is selling cheap daily by customers who know that they can get the best of everything in his splendid assortment of hardware. He has a splendid assortment of ladies', gents', misses' and boys' and children's boots and shoes, all styles, all prices, and no one who gives him a call will fail to find just what he want.

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GARDEN PARTY.—A garden party and concert will be held at the residence of John R. Leslie, "Comedy Bank Farm," 2nd concession north of Dundas Street, township of Trafalgar, on Wednesday evening, the 29th inst. Excellent music has been secured. Miss Bessie Appleby and Mr. Cline have kindly consented to sing. Other talent from Toronto and Hamilton are to lend their aid. Tea served at 6.30. Tickets 25c. Stratford brass band will be in attendance.

CATARRH CURED, health and sweet breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. 50 cent. Nasal Injector free.

GOOD-BYE TO BOYNE'S HOUSE.—On Friday last Mr. James H. Nicklin left for Lowell, Mich., whence Mrs. Nicklin and daughter proceeded him a few weeks ago. Mr. Nicklin has secured a good situation in the carriage manufactory of Mr. Robert Flanagan, at one time a resident of Acton. Jim will be very much missed in Acton, his whole life has been spent here, and he was in every sense "one of the boys." He became a member of Acton Cornet Band at its organization thirteen years ago since which time he has always occupied an important position therein. We all regret his removal and join in wishing him every prosperity and comfort.—Acton Free