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FRIDAY, JULY 10, 1896.

LOCAL LAONICOS.

Scott repairs all kinds of pumps.

Try Tod's bread, sold only at Yates', at cents per loaf.

Miss Powell is the guest of Miss Carlotta Brimacombe, Bowmanville.

Mr. Adam King, of New York, has been at home for a few days.

Miss Annie Smith, of the north ward, is visiting her brother in Cleveland, Ohio.

A piece of solid walnut parlor suite, plush, with six plush bands, for \$32, worth \$45, at W. T. Hill's.

Mr. Geo. McClellan, son of Mr. Jas. McClellan won the half mile bicycle race at Port Hope on July 1st.

Miss Ada Martin has returned from Newark N. J., where she has spent three months visiting friends.

The Gazette coolly recalled what it had said about Young Gollen's burial last week, it having been found that an attack could not be made upon Mr. Rutledge in connection with the matter.

Senator Price, of Albany, N. Y., is here to look over the pea crop. He finds probably the best prospects of any time during the twenty-seven years he has been interested in that line here.

Messrs. J. H. Downey & Co. have removed to the market block, their new offices being situated under the clerk's office. Their new quarters are roomy and are being well fitted up for grain brokerage.

In sending special copies of newspapers to our friends should mark the paragraphs they wish to direct our attention to, as we have not time to read them all over to see what they contain that is of local interest.

Joseph Ruebottom, hotel keeper, Bowmanville, well known here, died on Friday last. He has been a great sufferer from rheumatism for years, and latterly got set in, which hastened his end. He was a sturdy Englishman, blunt and illiterate, but cheerful and honest-hearted, and was a favorite with the lodges and sports.

To Day!!!
Ice cream, cakes, boiled ham, at Yates'.

Bargains.
Two pairs of ladies' and children's shoes and slippers at 50c. per pair. See the bargains outside the West Side Boot and Shoe Store.

Photographs.
Mr. W. E. O'Brien, photographer, Oshawa, has decided to offer a bonus of return fare on the Oshawa stage to all persons going to Oshawa by that route and ordering \$3 worth of work or more. He is getting up a display of the latest and best designs. A corner is taken here in a few days, either in the post office or one of the drug stores. He is doing some grand work by new methods.

Lake breezes on top.
Another chance to enjoy the delights of a trip to Toronto by steamboat on lake Ontario by the Eurycide on Monday next, July 13th. The boat leaves the wharf, Whitby, at 9 o'clock, reaches the city by 11.35, and returning at 5 o'clock, arrives home about 8.30 p.m. The fare for the round trip is 50 cents, children 25 cents.

A word for ourselves.
The CHRONICLE publishes more local news than any paper in Canada. Added to this the items are more spicy and lively. We bolster up people's drooping spirits during the dog days. Our type is small but readable, and we put more items in a column than the largest patent sheets. Coun. the lines and see. Those who read our local news letters will find that they are all first class writers.

He picked the locks.
On Friday last a stranger came in town who looked a good deal like a tramp. He hung round here, and by seven o'clock p.m. was crazy drunk, and Constable Calverley proceeded to arrest him. The man fought the constables every step of the way to the lock-up, and when he was put in threatened to do them grievous bodily harm when he got out. He managed to pick the locks and let himself out before morning, but went quietly away out of town without having the lives of the cops.

The Wabash Railroad.
The Wabash railway, with its superb and magnificent train service, is now acknowledged by travelers to be the most perfect railway system on this continent. Its cars are of the latest and best designs. New daily sleeping car line, between Detroit, Indianapolis and Louisville, via the Wabash Pennsylvania short line. Study our map, and ask any ticket agent for folders and tickets of this great railway, or J. A. Richardson, Canadian Passenger Agent, North-east corner King and Yonge street, Toronto. Died in jail.

Wm. Conroy, a man of 82 years, sent here as a vagrant from Uxbridge township, died on Friday morning last of inflammation. He was sent here in September last on a charge of vagrancy. A coroner's inquest was held by Dr. Carson on Friday forenoon, and a verdict returned to the effect that the man died from natural causes. Dr. Gunn, the jail surgeon, gave testimony before the jury to the effect that the cells of the common jail are too narrow and the beds too hard to admit of any comfort to old and feeble men, the only advantage they have over criminals being that they are supplied better food.

Allin's for pure insect powder.

Ice cream, cakes, boiled ham, at Yates'.

Hardwood dining tables, 4 leaves, only \$5, at W. T. Hill's.

Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, author of Uncle Tom's Cabin, is dead.

All feet should wear Slater's shoes, sold at M. W. Collins', east side.

Excursion to 1000 Islands July 16th, \$2.10. See advt.

Item for the boys.
Rev. Dr. Hare, of Ontario Ladies' College, will deliver a series of four lectures at Grimsby Park the week after next, and wants some of the boys who know of a wasp's nest to capture it and the wasps and bring the whole to him, for which he will pay fifty cents. To capture a wasp's nest a boy needs a little paste or a musilage bottle, but carefully done so as not to smash the nest. Then cut a piece out of the board or rail to which the nest hangs, and bring it to Dr. Hare. He wants the wasps as well as the nest.

Garden Party.
The members of the Women's Foreign Missionary society, in connection with St. Andrew's congregation, will hold a garden party on the grounds of the "Perry castle," on Tuesday evening the 14th inst. Tea will be served from 5 to 7 o'clock, p.m. All are cordially invited. Admission 15 cents.

Port Whitty.
Mr. Edward Warren is visiting his mother here.

Miss Grace Patterson, Toronto, is home for a month's visit.

Miss Childs spent a few days with friends in Oshawa this week.

Mrs. McAllen, Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Donnelly.

Miss Ida Wilson, Toronto, was home for a few days this week.

Miss Edith McCaw has gone to Markdale to spend her summer holidays.

Miss M. Galbraith, Bowmanville, is visiting her brother, D. Galbraith.

Mr. and Mrs. Horley, Mount Albert, visited at Mrs. W. Haley's last week.

Mr. Edward Atkinson, who has been quite ill with quinsy, is recovering.

Mrs. J. Cinnamon, Oshawa, was here on Friday last attending the funeral of the late Matthew Murphy.

Miss Woodhouse visited her brother in Tweed last week and brought back his two children for a few weeks vacation.

Mr. J. Crawford had a barn raising on Wednesday. There were about fifty present. After the work was completed a sumptuous supper was served and a general good time indulged in.

The farmers around here say the crops, and especially the root crop, will be a failure this year. It comes soon and they will be poorer than ever in spite of the change of government.

Corbett's point was a scene of great interest on Sunday. Crowds of people came from the neighboring towns to visit the army and enjoy the services. No more pleasant spot could be chosen for a camping ground and it is duly appreciated by the visitors who were in groups all over the grounds enjoying the pleasant day. At the meetings there was some exceptionally good music. We hope the army will continue the practice of holding camp meetings every summer.

On Tuesday night at the G. T. R. station a man undertook to cross the track while a freight train was running through. His head struck a box car and the car very properly resenting the insult threw him against a wire fence about ten yards away. The people standing around expected he would be killed but he quietly arose, shook himself, climbed the fence to see what was on the other side, and concluding there was nothing dangerous there walked away a badly bruised specimen of humanity.

School report.
Dufferin street promotions. No. 1 to No. 2: (Part 1)—Lily Correll, Rev. Holt, Eddie Stone, Fred McCourt, John McLeod, Burton Armstrong, No. 2 to senior first—Emily Willis, Annie Thordike, Rose Taylor, Emma Appleton, Walter Appleton. Senior first to junior second—Norman Such, Alex. McPherson, Wilfrid Snow, Gertrude McLeod, Joseph Poggan. Junior second to senior second—Vina Southwell, Annie Ashby, Pearl Vanvalkenburg, Ethel Southwell, Charlie Smith, Vera McLellan, May Foy, George McCourt, Harry Watson. Senior second to junior third—Eva Willis, Ida Goldring, Clara Foy, Daisy Stone. Junior third to senior third—Frank Goldring, Mary Pindar, Joseph Ashby, Walter Smith, Mary Southwell. Junior fourth to senior fourth—Milton Story, Frank Wilson, Walter McLellan, George D. Gale.

Local Option in Picking.
The Picking township hotel keepers have been notified that they must cease selling intoxicants, after the people of this township have persistently voted for prohibition at every opportunity they have had during the century, it looks as if they had finally succeeded. They will now have to contend against all the bluffs and devices which are resorted to by the liquor traffic to frighten people into voting to repeal prohibitory laws. It will be asserted by fellows who help to violate the law in the drinking in the clear or bed rooms that there is more liquor drunk than was the case previously. The tax-payer will be told that he is losing several hundred dollars of township revenue. A few letters of advice will be handed around promiscuously and the public will be told that a train-load of beer was brought into the township at once. Men who will go around with parched mouths so dry that their teeth will rattle when they talk will say they know the fact that you have to do is walk up to the bar and ask for what you want and it is handed out. We will be told that five or six tavern keepers can set the whole legal machinery of the government against you, and that the only way the country can do is to give in to them and let them have their way. It will be declared that local option is making perjurers of everybody but the parsons and children. We will learn to our surprise that many old toppers cannot swear to the taste of beer or whiskey, but that they asked for root or moxie, and believe they got it. Those who like intoxicants will declare local option a failure in every way.

Final appeals on Assessment.
His Honor Judge Burnham sat in the council chamber on Monday to decide appeals from the court of revision. Mrs. Elliott's appeal on house and store at \$1500 was dismissed. Mrs. Shaw's appeal on Johnston house near skating rink was sustained, it being reduced from \$1100 to \$800. J. K. Gordon's appeal on house occupied by Conductor McMillan was sustained, it being reduced from \$1175 to \$1100. Wm. Noble's house and shop were confirmed at \$500 and \$300 respectively. Mrs. Yule got a reduction from \$2200 to \$2000 on Yule block. The most important cases heard were those of the Bell Telephone Company and Great Northwestern Telegraph Company. Their lines are assessed as real estate because they are permanently attached to the ground like buildings. Mr. Theo. McGillivray argued that such property was a part of the highway and not liable for assessment. There are many decisions to that effect, but Town Solicitor Farewell quoted a recent decision of the Supreme Court of Canada showing that all such property may be levied upon, and the judge decided that way. This was found to be a very difficult matter to fix a value on the lines and poles. After taking a great deal of evidence the judge fixed the value of the Bell Telephone company's lines and poles at \$200, and that of the G. N. W. Railway at \$445. The total amount of reductions was about \$1500. The assessment of the whole town is increased about \$15,000 this year, which will take about \$200 off the shoulders of the ordinary taxpayers.

Mr. Hugh Pringle, Toronto, is visiting in town.

Parasols at exceptionally low prices at W. G. Walters', Saturday, July 11.

Mr. A. W. Till, Toronto, is spending a fortnight's holidays here with his parents.

Look out for cheap boots and shoes for next 60 days at M. W. Collins', east side.

Messrs. Wm. Battman, J. P., and Wm. Penhall, Port Perry, were in town last Friday.

Mr. Adam C. King, New York, was home over Sunday. He has been on a business trip through the Central American States.

W. H. Holland, late of Whitby, broke his leg in a game of cricket the other day at Cobocook, where he resides at present.

Er-Warden H. J. Gould spent Sunday last in town. The handsome curvatures of his genial physiognomy cast sunbeams in every direction.

E. O. McCrohan's horses took fright at the trolley cars on the Oshawa railway at the Oshawa harbor on Friday last and ran away, upsetting the rig and scattering litter of the bottles and aerated waters.

Police Magistrate Merton, Oshawa, spent Monday here. He says that his highly judicial mind is not gaining experience in an official way, the boys round Oshawa being of a notion that law is sacred and must not be broken, even to save a magistrate from going rusty.

Mr. W. J. Clark, of the Picking News, called on Monday. He is studying astronomy hard, and hopes to be able to get out a reliable almanac next year, which will forecast rain and snow as accurately as it will eclipses and new moons. He believes Mr. Laurier will be the next premier.

Mayor Rutledge is riding a bike!! We started to look out upon the scene the first time his worship was reported as wheeling past, lest he might have acquired a bump on his back and the fierce look which grows on the face of bikers. But a glance proved the contrary to be the case. The mayor sits bolt upright, with a comfortable and even joyful look on his face, while his feet perform with the steadiness and regularity of a locomotive piston. His speed was what might be termed medium, probably eight miles per hour, while his demeanor was fully that which befits the dignity of his position as head of the corporation. When a bicycle club is formed in Whitby we shall look forward to see him in the mayoralty, unanimously elected president.

Ice Cream Parlor.
For the best Ice Cream, call at D. Mathison's, Dundas street.—237f.

Seed Corn.
W. B. Pringle & Co. have reduced the price of their choice American seed corn, and are selling lots of it.

No such business here.
Last week it was reported that W. C. Allison, general merchant, Whitby, had made an assignment. In answer to many enquiries we may say there is a W. C. Allison here, but he is an engine driver and not a merchant. He is said to have been owner of a business in a western town, and if he assigned the document would in all likelihood be dated at Whitby, which may have led to the error.

Funny things come to pass.
Perhaps the idea of wearing wooden socks might seem ridiculous, but it's just what some people in Germany are doing, and very nice socks they are too. The wood is reduced to a long silky fibre and made into a yarn out of which the socks are knit making a warmer, more durable and as soft protection as wollen ones. In a similar way the pure spruce fibre is made into the interlining called Fibre Chamois, which provides for clothing an absolute protection against raw air and cold winds because it is a complete non-conductor of heat and cold, keeping in the natural heat and keeping out every breath of cold. This fabric has also been made waterproof so that the rain never penetrates it, and is so light in weight and inexpensive that a layer of it provides the same of comfort for all outdoor clothing.

Canada's Great Exposition.
The Toronto Industrial Exhibition, now known as "Canada's Great Fair," is an occurrence to which all eyes are turned and looks forward with pleasurable anticipation as it is made the occasion for their annual holiday outing. It is to be held this year from the 31st August to the 12th of September, and as the live stock exhibitors and various associations have agreed to have their stock on the grounds from Thursday, the 3rd September, till the close of the fair, the first week will now be as good as the second. We have received a copy of the prize list, which is unusually well gotten up. Any one desiring a copy can obtain one by dropping a post card to Mr. H. J. Hill, the manager, Toronto. A great program of interesting attractions is promised. Applications for space should be made early. Defeated at Brooklin.

Orators James Henry, Albert Jackson and Jeffrey of the Whitby Royal Templars drove with a load of backers to Brooklin on Monday night to tackle the bigspeaks out there in debate. The subject was "Resolved that Education has done more to advance the cause of prohibition of the liquor traffic than has Legislation." The Whitby contingent contended for the affirmative, and built up a high and exceedingly brilliant structure of argument.

Messrs. W. A. Holliday, J. F. Pirie and Alf Holliday took the platform on behalf of Brooklin and Legislation, and after bombarding the oratorical and rhetorical fortress established by the Whitby speakers they assailed and carried it by storm. Rev. Mr. Lambly, Principal of the Whitby and Councilor Ketchen were the judges of the debate, and by a unanimous voice awarded the palm to Brooklin.

Came to blows at last.
The subject of Manitoba schools and of separate schools in general has been a hot one in the land for months, and the unexpected stand taken by Manitoba and Quebec appears to have muddled matters more than ever. Throughout the late election campaign Mr. Scouley Wilson took the ground that Manitoba must not be coerced, and, on the side, further held that separate schools were detrimental to the commonwealth at large. Mr. Scouley Wilson and exactly opposite grounds, being fully persuaded that Manitoba wants to be coerced, and that a variety of schools tends to brighten things up, just as variety lends spice to everything else. Several debates on these important issues have taken place between Messrs. Wilson and Fallon at different times, their powerful minds being strenuously exerted in combatting one another's logic. The polling day silenced most other politicians for the time being, but not so Wilson and Fallon. Feeling that the ballot is only a means to an end, and that argument is the only satisfying method of settling political questions, they kept it up. They held forth for each other's edification whenever they met, but neither made an impression until Monday last, when Fallon undertook to impress his arguments more forcibly on Wilson by pounding him on the head as the debate proceeded. Wilson at once commented playing a return match, and the argument proceeded in a lively manner. It started up in a support's carriage works, and before the speeches were half concluded the orators were down in a corner and struggling for life to convince each other. It took both the Newporters to separate the stump speakers, and when they got down stairs they started anew. A third discussion of a like character was held on the street, winding up with Wilson pounding the last word into Fallon's head with his walking stick. Then the deciding of the points was left to Police Magistrate Rutledge, who ordered a stronging up on Wednesday night at the police court, which resulted as follows: Fallon to pay a fine of 25 cents and costs and give bonds not to find in his future arguments.

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MILLINERY. —: MILLINERY.

All must go regardless of price. Trimmed Hats regular \$5, for \$3. Trimmed Sailors regular \$1 75, for \$1. See our 25, 30 and 50c. Sailors. All Ribbons, Laces, Flowers, &c., at very lowest prices. Call and examine them. See our Ladies' Belt Buckles at only 10c. New Blouse Sets, regular 50c. to go at 25c. Very best goods.

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- Good Mixed Mattress, good ticking 2.75
- Good Maple Bedsteads for 2.00
- Solid Oak Bedroom Sets for 16.00
- Hardwood Sets for 11.00
- Oak Parlor Sets, worth \$26, for 20.00
- Finest Rug Sets, spring edges, extra spring backs, worth \$55, for 45.00
- Plush Sets, spring edges, silk plush bands for 30.00
- Show wood Lounges for 4.50
- Hardwood Dining Tables for 4.50
- Solid Oak Dining Tables for 8.00
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