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FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1897.

LOCAL LAONICS.

Mr. W. J. Gibson, Toronto, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Wm. Hislop, Belleville, has been calling on old friends.

A number of new bicycles have been purchased in town this spring.

Specials—Men's Box Calf Boots in tan and black at Burns' New Cash Store.

Mrs. Orr spent a few days last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston.

Mr. M. McTaggart, base line, is round again after weathering through two months of sickness.

Mr. John McCullough, of Ontario Business College, Belleville, was in town over Sunday last.

Attend the Easter tea in Presbyterian church on the evening of Monday, April 13. Admission 15c.

Miss Berta C. Huyck, of Frankford, Ont., a student of the Conservatory of Music, spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Berta K. Decker.

Next month fifteen prisoners will be liberated from the Kingston Penitentiary and sixty-four from the Central Prison. This number allows their freedom in one month is the largest record in many years.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen passed through Whitby on the mail express Thursday morning, en route for Rideau Hall. Their entourage had been in Toronto attending an enthusiastic meeting in the Pavilion in connection with the Victorian order of nurses.

Complaints are made that more pay is allowed to men working or teaming for the corporation than to the equally good are offered to work for. We are not referring to Messrs. McCarl and Hopper, who build sidewalks and we believe fully earn \$1.25 per day.

The organ recital, vocal music and lecture in the Methodist tabernacle on Monday evening, next, will be worth hearing. Organist, Mr. Geiger, vocalists, the Misses Hansen, Admision 10c. Children half price. The recital begins promptly at 7:30.

There will be a splendid stretch of bathing beach east of the gap at the harbor this year. The waves have ceased to dash up gravel on the beach, and are leaving a beautiful layout of sand. Those who intend to bathe on that part of the beach should provide bathing suits in advance, as modest people should not be driven away from such an opportunity, which is made use of by both sexes at Oshawa harbor.

Wanted
Good Servant Girl Wanted to go on farm. Apply Box 5, Whitby Post Office.

Sold to M. W. Collins
Mr. M. Collins' stock of boots and shoes was offered for sale by auction on Wednesday, and purchased by Mr. M. W. Collins at 55 cents on the dollar.

Next Sunday is the anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society in the Methodist tabernacle. At the evening service the Rev. J. P. Wilson of Oshawa will preach, there will be a reception of members into the church and the choir will be assisted by a solo from Miss Hill of the O. L. C. and by a duet from Miss Taylor and Mr. Richardson. A special offering is asked on behalf of the super-annuation fund of the church.

Viewing Venus and Jupiter.
Mr. Thos. Manderson, Myrtle, spent Saturday evening in town giving people free looks at Venus and Jupiter through his big telescope. Hundreds of people were favored with the views of these great planets, and the instrument brings them well within reach of the human eye. Mr. Manderson understands the instrument thoroughly, and did the honors of the occasion in such gallant style that he was surrounded by ladies all the evening. On behalf of the people of the town and vicinity we tender Mr. Manderson a hearty vote of thanks.

Changes in A. O. U. W.
On the first of July, 1897, there will be a change in the system of assessment of the Ancient Order of United Workmen. Heretofore the assessment was the same for all ages, men entering at 20 years of age paying the same as those entering at fifty. It has been sought to obviate this unfairness by reducing the maximum age at which men were allowed to join. The agitation for a more equitable assessment has been carried on for years in the face of strong opposition among the older members, as the assessment of the latter class will be considerably increased, whilst that of the younger members will experience a corresponding decrease. In future young men will be able to join the A. O. U. W. at low rates, and this should have a tendency to boom the membership, and especially so as no more assessments are to be allowed in behalf of American members. There are 25,000 Canadian members of the order, and each of these had to pay \$2, or \$30,000 in all, to keep the American assessment from exceeding the limit. If the Canadian contingent had broken off a year ago the \$30,000 would now form a fine surplus with which to commence under the new order of things. Upon the whole the change in the rates should prove a good thing, and it certainly will be if an effort is made to secure a larger number of young men to join the order, for young lives are necessary to the existence of an insurance order.

Mr. Thos. Wilkinson, Lindsay, was in town Monday.

Mr. F. S. Emmons is spending a few days at his home in Kingston.

Mr. Robt. Richardson has gone to New York to find employment.

Mr. Geo. Seldon, Pickering, spent Sunday in town with his brother, Cephas Seldon.

Latest styles in Ladies Oxford and walking boots at Burns' New Cash Store north of Hatch Bros.

An Easter tea in the basement of the Presbyterian church on Monday, April 13th. Admission 15c.

Mr. Alexander Pratt has been appointed postmaster at Cobourg in place of Mr. Chas. Guillet, dismissed.

Taking advantage of Sunday night's rain, Councilor Smith had a force of men on and scraped up the streets Monday.

A bull weighing over 2250 was led through town yesterday to be shipped the junction. It was from the stables of Mr. Wm. Jeffrey.

Messrs. T. M. Davey and S. M. Palmer, Whitby, and E. J. Holliday, Brooklin, have all passed their first year in medicine at Trinity university.

The London city council has decided that people who want to sell cigarettes there will have to pay \$100 a year for the privilege in future. The fee is practically prohibitive.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold an Easter tea on Monday April 13th in the basement. Refreshments 6 to 8 o'clock. Admission 15c.

In another column will be found an article copied from Saturday's Globe giving an explanation of a new device in butter making, which it proves what is now looked for will be a great boom to dairying.

Mrs. Doratha Orr, of Ontario medical college for women, has passed her second year in medicine at Trinity university, taking honors in all the subjects, with first class honours in anatomy, physiology, chemistry and physics.

The municipal committee of the Ontario Legislature has struck out Premier Hardy's bill to do away with wards in towns of 4000 and under. We very much regret this, but it is only what might be expected of a legislative body which does not aim at reform.

Mr. Wm. Pearson, who built Mr. Jerry Lick's stone house between Whitby and Oshawa, was buried at Ashburn on Sunday last in the presence of a large gathering of mourning friends. Many from Whitby drove out to pay their last sad office of respect to departed merit.

Weather permitting the Citizens' band will play the following programme on the four corners on Saturday evening: March, "Avenger," Querre, schottische, "Rocita," Dalby, "march," "Dallas," Hall, waltz, "Autumn Breezes," "Calderswood," trombone solo, "Encores," Coffin, galop, "The Winner," Dalby.

American exports of fruit to Germany increased enormously last year. Have Canadian growers taken any steps towards cultivating this market? Our imports from Germany are increasing more largely than from any other country and we should endeavor to make our orchards assist in paying for these imports.

As an instance of how the mining investment craze has seized upon the people of almost every town and village in Ontario, if not the whole Dominion, we were informed last week that a well-known citizen of the village of Port Perry held no less than 200,000 shares of certain mining stock, representing an investment of at least \$20,000.

Miss Berta C. Huyck, of Toronto Conservatory of music, whose sweet singing and charming manner so pleased her hearers at the Baptist church social on Friday evening, that by special request she sang a sacred solo in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning, and in the evening a sacred solo and also a duet with Pastor McAlpine, in the Baptist church. Miss Huyck has a voice of great power and sweetness, which bespeaks for her a brilliant future, and should she again visit Whitby she will be very warmly received by the musical people and others of our town.

India Famine Fund
The following additional subscriptions to the India Famine fund are acknowledged at the Dominion bank here: Sassez, Lodge, \$5; E. Benedict, society, Whitby, \$5; Friend, Columbus, \$5; Friend, Brooklin, \$1; Friend, Whitby, 25c; S. & M. Elliott, Whitby, \$2; S. I. Brown, Whitby, \$1; Almond Christian Endeavor Society \$1.50.

Cheap Easter Holiday Traps
Grand Trunk Holiday Traps! General public—Single first class fare—Good to go April 15th to 19th inclusive, valid for return not later than April 20th. School vacation—Fare and one third—to teachers and pupils holding Standard certificates. Tickets issued March 27th to April 17th inclusive, valid for return not later than April 23rd. Stephenson, Whitby, issues through tickets from Pickering, Toronto, Myrtle, Brooklin and Whitby. Call on Stephenson before travelling.

Banks was Acquitted
Banks, of Pickering, who was charged before Police Magistrate Harper here with breach of the Charlton Act, it being alleged that the crime was committed upon the person of a fifteen year old girl named Rosy Howlett. The girl swore that Mrs. Banks was absent from home when the assault was committed, and that she had not offered a great deal of resistance. Dr. W. O. Eastwood was called and testified that he had found an examination of the girl, and had found that her story of this connection is an impossible one in view of the impossibility of her ever having had connection with any man. The magistrate promptly dismissed the case, County Attorney Farewell not pressing her for a conviction. Mr. G. V. Smith acted for defendant. This case should open the eyes of the public to the danger there is of locking men up as felons on the testimony of a young girl who does not understand how serious a matter it is to trump up a charge against a man and break up his family and take away his liberty.

Three Inglorious Months.
Councilor Jackson opened his municipal campaign for 1897 with a street fight which gained the town and those engaged in it a most undesirable notoriety throughout the Province, and which has yet to be aired in the courts at great expense to the ratepayers of this county. During the intervening three months to this time he has kept the ball of faction rolling, and is still at it. It would appear as if the town council's year's business and the town's interests are to be made subservient to his belligerent notions of personal politics. How long are the grey heads of our council going to lend themselves, their personal interests, the town's welfare and its good name to this sort of thing? It is astonishing that men of years, reputation and experience will suffer themselves to be led by the noses by a member who does not know how to bring even one motion legally before the council in a whole night's sitting. The conduct of Deputy Scott and Robson in these matters has lowered them in the minds of those who have supported them on their supposed merits for years. Coun. Crosby has shown some independence at times, but bad judgment all the time. As to Councilors Smith and Blow, we gave them up long ago. If any of the six ever death of candidates if they of the six ever again occupies a seat in the town council, it is only wise counsel could be maintained. If only wise counsel could be maintained. If only wise counsel could be maintained.

Mr. Robt. Brown, Seagrave, was in town on Wednesday.

Mr. Frank Bradley of Hamer's Corners, is on the sick list.

Miss Warren, of Bishop Strachan School, is home for the holidays.

If you want solid comfort buy an American shoe at Burns' New Cash Store.

Crowded out. No room for Pinedale, Raglan and Seagrave news this week.

Mr. Clayton Johnston has returned to the city, feeling that his fight with rheumatism is won.

Mr. Stanley McCarl is carrying his arm in a sling these days, a felon on one of his fingers being the cause.

We are pleased to be able to state that Mrs. Wm. Westlake and son are much improved in health.

Bowmanville's chief of the fire department is in California for a year for his health, the mayor proposes to appoint a substitute in his stead.

Rumbling thunder was distinctly heard here on Monday, and word came down that night that there had been a big thunder-storm at Lindsay.

It requires about three times as much broken stone as was appropriated to Starr's hill. And Brock street south would be better if the stone were left off it.

Fully 25 persons left Lindsay station last Tuesday for North-west, and Dakota points. Some intend taking a prospecting tour, but the majority will become settlers.

The Whitby hockey club has received a consignment of 2228 photographs, which are being set in frames according to the different tastes of those buying them.

Mr. J. Williams Macy, comedian and basso singer, at the college to-night. There has been a good sale of seats at Allin's, but as one seat is as good as another there are lots of them to be had.

C. F. Stewart's stock of dry goods was put up at auction here yesterday and sold to Messrs. Bigelow & Sons, Trenton, at 64 cents on the dollar of invoice value. The goods will be sold in the city.

Wah Lee, the young Chinaman who embezzled a large sum of money from a brother celestial at Bowmanville a couple of weeks ago, was found guilty at Cobourg assizes and was sentenced to the penitentiary for one year in the Central at hard labor.

Mr. E. F. Webster, an old pupil of the collegiate institute, late of Fargo, North Dakota, in the employ of Dun's mercantile agency, has been appointed manager of the State of Montana with headquarters at Helena. The western climate appears to agree with him.

The Flora Carveth left the harbor Saturday night with 5000 bushels of barley for Oswego. It was only one-third of a load, but was all the barley contracted for before the new McKinley law came in, and consequently was all that could go just now, as the duty is prohibitory at present prices.

Mr. J. W. Downey, who has been here about a year in the office of Messrs. J. H. Downey & Co., returns to day to his home in Oswego. He is a worthy young man, and has won a warm friend in every acquaintance he has made here. He is going back to his home, the hearty good will of the whole town, and we add our wishes for his future success. Let each do a part.

It has been suggested to us to advocate that there should be a good stone road built to the jail. We agree with the idea and would suggest that as the county has lots of broken stone it should furnish the material and the town do the road-making.

Solution for Waxing
An esteemed correspondent sends us the following—One ounce paraffine wax and half pound common soap shaved and dissolved in one gallon of boiling water; pour this mixture into half a boiler of cold water. Stir well and put in dry soiled clothes; let the water come to a boil and boil half an hour, stirring occasionally, rinse the clothes and blue as usual. Soiled pants and extra dirty clothes require a rub.

The Baptists' Social
The baptists gave a thoroughly enjoyable social on Friday evening. After partaking of a repast which was most creditable to the ladies, the Rev. Mr. Gold ably presided over a literary and musical treat, which was greatly enjoyed by the fair-aided audience. Excellent addresses were given by the Rev. Dr. Harte and the Rev. Mr. Abraham, while Pastor Vichert, of Brockton, presided acceptably. Miss Huycke, of the Conservatory of Music, Toronto, sang several solos most sweetly, with Miss Decker playing her accompaniment quite professionally. The gospel duets by Pastor Ross, Uxbridge, and Pastor McAlpine, of Whitby, were simply grand, while Mr. Will Richardson with his solos and Mrs. Wm. Ayres playing his accompaniment, retained their hold on the well known musical reputations.

Word from Geo. Ham.
Montreal Star: Mr. George Ham, of the C. P. R., has just concluded his spring trip through the North-West with a view to promoting immigration. Mr. Ham states that despite the severity of the winter the settlers are in good spirits and hopeful of the future, for he says heavy snowfalls always mean plentiful harvests. Regina was the first point where Mr. Ham met a settler, and that place he could not find one indigent settler. At both Regina and Rat Portage building operations were active, new hotels, business blocks and private residences, and at Rat Portage a magnificent opera house is being erected. Messrs. Graham and Ham are constructing a new boat for the Rat Portage—Fort Francis route. According to Mr. Ham immigration is pouring into Manitoba, the C. P. R. weekly excursions taking in about four hundred settlers a week.

Sermon by Rev. E. S. Rowe.
There was a very large congregation at the Methodist tabernacle on Sunday evening, last to hear Rev. E. S. Rowe preach. The text was St. Matthew 8: 19: "Master, I will follow thee whithersoever thou goest." Every man has a master, whose influence dominates his life for good or evil. If the master passion is good he will follow him almost to divinity. If it be otherwise it may degrade him to the lowest sensuality. Men do not willingly admit that they have a master-passion. They prefer to have the world believe that they are competent to guide themselves; and there is sufficient self-assertion about every man if he will use it to enable him to say "I will!" or "I will not!" No power can dictate to him if he will but frankly choose. The scribe said unto Jesus: "I will follow thee"—not a little way, bear in mind, or to a certain point, but "whithersoever thou goest." The scribe made a decisive thing of it; and he was right. All subsequent history has justified his choice. Christ leads to things that are good in the highest degree. No other being could take upon himself to say "I am the way." There is no other medium. His claim has been admitted by all great nations and wise men. He is the only one who could teach how to live. He lived, and was tempted, but without sinning. He made a way, and established a possibility. People need guidance. Jesus says to them "I am the light." To follow Christ's guidance at all times there must be a resolute purpose. Men have to be right and have to keep right. It requires courage and perseverance to follow Christ, always. One must be ready to say "I will do unto others as I would have them do unto me. I will be as Christ was." Could we say these things? Nothing but firm resolution will enable us to follow Christ. We must face all the responsibilities of life. We must adopt Christ's habits. There is a reward for following Christ—a thing we may enjoy daily. It is to know that we are right, which is the highest merit a man can be conscious of. It would cause us to go to places where there is the greatest suffering and need. It would make us useful and lead to many blessings.

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In the Surrogate Court of the County of Ontario.

In the matter of JANET RAE COWAN, an infant under the age of twenty one years the lawful child of Henry Cowan, Deceased, and Janet Hamilton Cowan, now Janet Hamilton Westney.

Notice is hereby given, that after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication of this notice in the Ontario Gazette, application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of Ontario, for the appointment of Janet Hamilton Westney, wife of Henry Westney, of the Township of Scarborough in the County of York, Farmer, as the Guardian of the person and estate of the said infant.
HIGGINS & DOUGLAS,
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Solicitors for the said Janet Hamilton Westney.
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March 25, '97-4in.

Executor's Sale of Farm and Residence.

There will be offered for sale by public auction, at Woodruff's Hotel, Whitby, at 2 o'clock, p.m., on SATURDAY, APRIL 12th, 1897, part of the real estate of the LATE RICHARD COLLINS, deceased, comprising: 1. That desirable brick residence in Pickering village, nearly new, and in good condition. 2. The R. M. Richardson farm on the acres, part of Lot No. 4, Broken Front. This sale will afford an excellent opportunity to obtain either a most desirable residence or farm. Now is the time to buy when property is selling so low. Easy terms of payment. For particulars enquire of LEVI FAIRBANKS, auctioneer; E. DEHART, Esq., F. J. RICHARDSON, Esq., W. RICHARDSON, Esq., J. E. FAREWELL, O. C. or DOW & MCGILLIVRAY, Solicitors, Whitby.

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March 30, '97-4in.

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