

District Clippings.

Adam Lodon of Corbetton has had his own troubles lately. Some weeks ago a growth started in the calf of his right leg and became quite large and it was a great difficulty for him to get around even with the aid of a crutch.

Wesley Welsh, of Moorefield, has been committed to Guelph jail for stabbing Robert Montgomery, a teacher. Mr. Welsh is insane, wishing to marry Miss Maggie Patterson, milliner, daughter of the late Thos. Patterson, and Mr. Montgomery was with Miss Patterson that evening.

The congregation of Christ Church, Petrolia, was much gratified when it was announced on the 16th inst. that a gift of \$1,500 had been made to pay the balance of the debt upon the church by Mrs. Corey and her family as a memorial to the late Mrs. Corey.

Speaking of Whitney's attitude toward the proposal to allow widows and spinsters to vote for members of the Legislature, the Toronto World says: "After all a woman is a human being who has to obey the law. They might be allowed to have some say as to who their legislators shall be."

While driving to Paisley on Wednesday last, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitehead were overtaken by the storm that suddenly swooped down on this section. Being in the neighborhood of Douglass Hill Cemetery, they turned into the sheds there to wait until the storm subsided.

While coupling cars in the station yard at Orangeville, about 6.30 Sunday morning, Harry Johnston, a C. P. R. brakeman, was caught and badly crushed between two sections of a freight train. The engine stopped a trifle short, but as Johnston stepped between the cars it started again, the couplers catching him in the abdomen and the small of the back.

The Torrey-Alexander revival campaign has closed in Philadelphia. It has been attended by the most marked results in the moral uplift of the masses. The policemen in the three districts in the vicinity of the armory where the meetings were held declare they now have little or nothing to do.

Mr. W. R. Smith, of Wingham, a brakeman on the L. H. & B. freight train met with a serious accident at Blyth station yesterday morning. He was in the act of coupling two cars when he got caught, losing three fingers and having his arm badly bruised.

The Telescope says that some of the people of Walkerton in the west ward felt an earthquake on Sunday night, the 29th ult. Police Magistrate Miller says it lasted about a minute and was so pronounced as to make his bed shake, which reminds the editor of the Confederate that the only earthquake that he ever experienced was in Walkerton.

The Wingham Times states that Mr. Geo. Garton, Sr. of Whitechurch, committed suicide by hanging on Wednesday morning of last week. The old gentleman was apparently in his usual good health and spirits that morning, and ate breakfast with the rest of the family.

Jean, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Urquhart, of Sutherland street, narrowly escaped death on Wednesday afternoon by drinking the contents of a bottle containing two tablespoonfuls of carbolic acid. Mr. Urquhart, who is a canary fancier, has always been in the habit of keeping on hand a supply of carbolic acid for the purpose of acidulating the water in the birds' baths.

Small pox broke out in Brooke this week, a man named Herrington being the victim. A joint meeting of the Owen Sound town council and Board of Health was held in the Council Chambers at ten o'clock on Wednesday morning for the purpose of considering the most effective means of isolating the case.

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HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

Table with columns: VIA CANADIAN PACIFIC TO THE NORTH WEST, RETURN FARES, GOING, and RETURN. Lists fares to various locations like Winnipeg, Souris, Brandon, etc.

A series of electric storms passed over this section on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. The dwelling of Mr. George Baerz on the 14th was struck by lightning, the fluid going down the chimney, which it wrecked badly.

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The nuptials were duly celebrated at St. Mary's church on Monday April 30th of Mr. W. T. Clancy principal and proprietor of Mt. Forest Business College, and Miss Marie Eveline Commins, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Commins of Mt. Forest.

A runaway accident occurred on Tuesday which gave Mr. Wm. Smith a bad shaking up. Mr. John Thom, of Walters Falls, was driving a load of hops for shipment when at Layton's hill his team became frightened and ran away.

We have heard of people so mean that they would steal the coppers off a dead man's eyes, but we didn't think anybody would in reality go quite that far. Perhaps after all they would.

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Park Lot For Sale. DARK LOT NUMBER 13 NORTH of Saddle street in the Town of Durham, in the county of Grey, containing 4 acres more or less. For terms and particulars apply to J. P. TELFORD, Vendor's Solicitor, Durham. Dec. 2.—tf.

For Sale or to Rent. Desirable property on Elgin St., Durham. Good house, hard and soft water, first-class stable and 1/2 acre of land. Will sell cheap quick purchaser. For further particulars apply to JOHN MCARTHUR, Edge Hill. April 19th.—3tpd.

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Normanby Farm for Sale. LOT 21—IN THE SECOND CON- session West of the Garafraza Road, in the Township of Normanby, in the County of Grey. For particulars apply to J. P. TELFORD, Barrister, Durham. Jan. 3, 1906.—tf.

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