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DIED AT NAPANEE.

Mrs. Murphy Attacked by Paralysis.

Napanee, Aug. 16.—The death of Mrs. Thomas Murphy, Centre street, occurred on Saturday evening last after several months' illness. About two months ago she suffered a paralytic stroke from which she was slowly recovering, when another stroke was suffered on Friday and a third one Saturday. Deceased was about fifty years of age and leaves a family of ten children, five sons and five daughters, besides her sorrowing husband. She was a devout member of the Roman Catholic church. The funeral took place to the R. C. cemetery vault.

D. L. Hill, of the Dominion Bank, is confined to the house, suffering from a severe cold. George Mair is confined to the house for the past two weeks through illness. Frank Burrows, New York, is spending his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Burrows, Robert street.

Miss Georgia Daly, Boston, Mass., is spending her holidays with her brother, W. A. Daly, John street. Mr. and Mrs. William Neilson, Wilton, are spending a few days in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gordanier, John street. The Misses Urquhart, Belleville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. (Dr.) Ming, John street.

A Warning To Mothers.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only necessary to give the child a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any substitute but give the old-fashioned castor oil, and see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a tendency to gripe. If this does not check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipiency and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as soon as the first indication of any bowel trouble appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in cases of cholera infantum. For sale by all druggists.

Visiting At Westport.

Westport Mirror.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barker and grandson, of Everett, Washington Territory, are renewing acquaintances here. It is thirty-eight years since Mr. Barker last saw Westport and the changes in that space of time, when he left his boyhood home to make his fortune in the west, are wonderful. About the only houses he recognized were the old stone post office and the red mill. He is a younger brother of Hiram Barker and of Mrs. Thomas Green. Since removing to the west Mr. Barker has been very successful. He is a practical marine engineer and has been connected with the larger lumbering firms in the North-Western United States.

Rideau boat for Ottawa every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday at 6 a.m. J. Swift & Co.

Prevost, Brock street, has decided to sell during August the balance of his soft front, American shirts, worth 75c. and $1. for 50c. each, to make room for fall importation. This is a great opportunity to secure a first-class shirt at less than cost. See window. All sizes, fourteen to seventeen.

Mrs. Almira Beecham, charged with keeping a disorderly house on Charles street, Brockville, was convicted and sentenced to five months in the common jail.

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WHAT WHIG CORRESPONDENTS TELL US.

The Tidings From Various Points In Eastern Ontario — What People Are Doing And What They Are Saying.

Northbrook Notes.

Northbrook, Aug. 15.—Mrs. John Campbell and children, of Ottawa, returned home on Saturday after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Presley. Mrs. Bell and family, of Mountain Grove, returned home last week after spending a few weeks with friends at Northbrook. Miss A. Reid arrived in town on Saturday. Her many friends were glad to see her back again. The Misses Kimmerly and Alkenbrack were the guests of Miss Addie Presley last week. Mr. and Mrs. James Presley spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. F. Clark, Flinton. Henry Lloyd, who has been very ill, is improving slowly.

Charleston Lake Locals.

Charleston, Aug. 15.—Master Willie Arnell, Cardinal, who has been spending a part of his holidays here has gone home. Miss May Steacy is spending her holidays here. John Foster, Sr., accompanied by his son John, of Toledo, visited his daughter, Mrs. Cleary, Chalk River, last week. There are a great many foreigners in Charleston at present. John Plunkett, Jr., Long Point, spent Thursday here. Miss Gladys Johnson has gone to Ottawa to visit friends. Mrs. Michael Hudson has recovered from a very severe illness. The children of the Athens and Toledo Baptist church had a pleasant outing at the lake on the 4th inst. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slack and son, spent Sunday last with friends here.

Denbigh Affairs.

Denbigh, Aug. 13.—Rev. G. Daedisel and Mrs. Daedisel were favored last week with a visit by Revs. M. Hamm, of Rankin, G. Brackebusch, of Eganville, and C. Zarnke, of Pembroke. A picnic held in Otto Fritsch's grove on Wednesday, the 10th inst., proved quite a success, though a thunderstorm with quite a shower of rain, for a while threatened to mar the fun. The picnic was only a local affair got up chiefly for the benefit of the members of the Lutheran Sunday school and the enjoyment of all who saw fit to come to it, and not for financial gain, as the entrance was free and a good supper was served free of charge. Lemonade, the only drink on the grounds, was also served free during the afternoon. All the winners in the juvenile sports and games received handsome and inexpensive prizes and the losers were also consoled by similar gifts. Everybody present, young and old enjoyed himself or herself immensely. A party and a dance were given on Wednesday evening last to all who wished to attend by Mr. and Mrs. G. Fox. The fact that most of those who attended, did not return home until the following morning proves that those present must have enjoyed themselves.

Cushendall Budget.

Cushendall, Aug. 15.—Farmers are busy getting in their grain. A number of young men are contemplating taking in the harvesters' excursion to the North-West on the 27th. The many friends of Saul Gorsline, who is in the Kingston General hospital, suffering from the effects of a bad fall he sustained from falling off a load of hay, on the 5th, are pleased to hear he is doing so well. Mrs. David Ward and family of Montreal, who have spent the past month with Mrs. Ward, has returned home. Mrs. G. McClymont and daughter of Ottawa, are visiting at her father's, W. Wood's, Sr. E. and R. Donaldson of Watertown, N.Y., have returned home from spending a week with their grandmother, Mrs. W. D. McFarlane. Miss Ethel Ward spent Sunday in Collins Bay. A little girl girl has come to stay at Edgar Elliott's. Mrs. Peck, and Mrs. Burns, who have been ill, are much improved. Visitors: Miss Maud Blair, Westport, is the guest of Mrs. Samuel Gorsline. Miss M. Olsen, Kingston, is visiting at Mrs. S. McFrane's; Miss M. Blaney, Kingston, at P. McBride's; Master Russel and Miss Mildred Donaldson, Kingston, at Mrs. W. Wood's, Jr. Miss Florence Dunlop, Kingston, has returned home after spending a few days here. Mr. Alger, Cornwall, England, is the guest of Rev. George Wood. A number of young people attended the picnic in T. Clark's grove, Pittsburg, on 12th.

The Last Man.

Smart Set.

It being ascertained that there was in the whole United States a citizen in hiding who had boasted in an idle moment that he had never applied for a pension, a body of patriots started out in search of him. When finally apprehended, the man appeared dogged and defiant.

"I am the possessor," he declared, "of a robust constitution, and none of my ancestors, so far as I know, ever took part in the war of the rebellion. Why should I rob the public treasury?"

"And is this," exclaimed the head of the party, "your only excuse? Have you no regard, sir, for the customs and traditions of your sacred land? Don't you know that for years every lawyer and every political party in the country, from motives of pure patriotism, has labored to get every man, woman and child on the pension list?"

The culprit hung his head in shame as the full enormity of his offence burst upon him. "Now that I recall the fact," he observed with a cunning smile, "my third great-aunt on my mother's side had a stepfather who caught the grip while shingling a house on the outskirts of the Battle of Gettysburg."

"We thought as much," exclaimed the crowd triumphantly, hurrying him on to Washington.

Alain Lindsay, whose mother lives in Brant county, was drowned while bathing near Stockton, Man.

A perfumed borated talcum powder, for 15c., at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

HOW THE FAITHFUL FEEL.

An Inside View Of The Scottish Situation.

Presbyterian, Toronto.

Fortunately, not often have we such a glaring example of the fact that law and equity are not necessarily synonymous terms as in the recent decision of the law lords in the appeal of the remnant calling themselves the Free Church of Scotland. That decision gives to a band of twenty-four men and their congregations all the churches, manses, colleges, and other property belonging to the Free church before the union, together with vested funds amounting to about $10,000,000. To a layman it appears the most stupendous confiscation of property since Henry VIII. converted to national uses the landed estates of the monasteries. This decision takes the property belonging to a great ecclesiastical body and hands it over to a remnant not in a position to use it for the purposes for which it was given. If the address of the moderator at the meeting of the "Free Church" assembly can be regarded as representing the spirit of the body, it is morally disqualified for such an enormous trust.

On October 31st, 1900, the Free church assembly, by a vote of 557 to 58, decided to unite with the United Presbyterian church, the united body to be called the United Free Church of Scotland. The union was entered into in good faith and was consummated under the most auspicious circumstances. The results in nearly four years since that eventful day when the two bodies, marching in separate columns on the streets of Edinburgh mingled together, and, entering into a hall, formally ratified the acts that made them henceforth one, have abundantly justified the action taken. It seems a strange irony that the successors of the men who in 1843 left their churches and manses that they might have liberty of conscience and be free from the dominance of the state in spiritual affairs should at this late date find their action, taken in good faith, over-ruled and set aside by a temporal court.

The twenty-four men in whose favor the decision was given are the survivors of the fifty-eight who stood out against the union in 1900. The case was carried to the court of sessions in Scotland, and the men composing that court, with every opportunity of knowing the merits of the case, gave their decision against the remnant. It was then appealed to the House of Lords with the result already stated. In the questions asked by the judges during the trial of the case an almost encyclopaedic lack of knowledge of Scottish ecclesiastical affairs was displayed. The examination mainly centred on the points as to whether in entering into union with a body of avowedly voluntarily principles like the U.P. church there was any recession from the views on establishment held by the Free Church at its origin and whether in the declaratory act adopted by the Free church there had been any modification of the confessional standards. It is worthy of note that the declaratory act was adopted by the Free church previous to the union and the dissidents remaining in the church became consenting parties to it. It was ruled, however, on these two points that there had been changes and the dissenting remnant that claimed to hold the original positions unchanged was declared to be the true Free church.

In a somewhat similar case in the United States the federal supreme court held that the decision of a general assembly is valid and binding so long as it acts constitutionally according to its own rules of procedure and "within reasonable limits." This may be understood to mean that the decisions of a general assembly are valid in all matters that come properly within its scope, so long as the procedure is orderly and constitutional. And this is a perfectly reasonable view. It was evidently hard for the law lords to clear their minds of the conception of a state church although the relation of the Free Church of Scotland to the state was very different from that of the Established Church of Scotland. If this decision is to stand as the law governing ecclesiastical bodies the outlook is far from bright. It means that a church has not the power to revise her own standards, that she must ever remain under the grip of the dead hand of the past, and that a handful of men can at any time effectually apply the brakes to the wheels of progress. Had that view prevailed in Canada it would have made the union of the Presbyterian churches in 1875 impossible. It would also have made the subsequent union of the Methodist churches impossible, and any movement toward the reunion of the various Protestant bodies could be effectually blocked by a mere handful of men in no sense representative of the uniting bodies. It is scarcely conceivable that in this age such a decision can be upheld. It cannot be regarded as finally settled, for nothing is settled that does not rest on the bed-rock of righteousness and equity.

$44,000 FOR MISSIONS.

Dr. Simpson Collects Cash And Pledges.

Old Orchard Beach, Me., August 14.—To-day is the closing day of the Christian Missionary Alliance camp meeting, under the leadership of the Rev. Dr. A. B. Simpson, of New York. Pledges for foreign missions aggregating $43,000 were raised.

In spite of a drizzle at the forenoon meeting, the big audience remained in the grove, listening to Dr. Simpson's sermon and watching him gather in dollars and pledges.

In the afternoon a downpour drove the crowd into the tabernacle, where the money raising was continued. The total number of pledges was 375 and they ranged from $1 upward. There was one pledge of $5,000; two, $3,000 each; two, $1,600; two, $1,500; two, $1,000 each; one, $800; one, $600 and three, $500 each.

Most of the sensational features which formerly accompanied Dr. Simpson's annual harvest gathering were omitted. Very little jewelry found its way into the collection baskets.

Fire in a four-storey brick building in Howard street, New York, in the heart of the wholesale district, resulted in one death and caused damage estimated at $75,000.

PERSONAL MENTION.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN CITY LIFE.

Returned From Battle Creek—On a Visit From London, Eng.—Locate in The North West—Caught Some Fine Fish.

F. W. Doran and wife, Toronto, are at the British.

N. C. Polson has returned from Battle Creek, Mich.

John D. Fisher and wife, New York, are at the Randolph.

W. E. Mitchell and wife, New York, were in the city to-day.

Miss Hattie Dorland is spending one week with friends in Picton.

Capt. W. B. Carruthers and wife are home from Caledonia Springs.

W. Bucknell, Guelph, Ont., is visiting his mother, Montreal street.

Miss Reta Parker left on Sunday for Montreal, to visit friends.

Dr. Lake, Battersea, and G. Roddick, Stella, were in town to-day.

Dr. Mackenzie, of London, Eng., is in the city for a couple of weeks.

Harry Frost and A. Raven Briggs, London, England, are in the city.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Clark and family, Olean, N.Y., were in the city today.

Miss Elizabeth Hentig, of Boston hospital, is visiting her mother and sisters.

Godfrey and Harry Baker left this morning for a canoeing tour up the Rideau.

Miss Lizzie Moxley has returned after a few days' vacation at Cape Vincent, N.Y.

John F. German and Miss Minnie Hutton leave this week for their home in Picton.

Rev. J. P. Fallon and F. E. Fallon, Ottawa, are visiting their parents on Brock street.

Mrs. Cockburn, Queen street, visiting at Mrs. York's, Jones' Falls, has returned home.

William Adams, University avenue, was called to Arden to the bedside of his son, on Monday.

Miss Williams, Napanee, has returned home after a short visit with Miss Wilson, Queen street.

Mrs. James McGall, Mrs. Connors, and Mrs. Robert Stevenson, are spending a week at Brophy's Point.

Mrs. John L. Huff, Mannington, West Virginia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John McCabe, Pine street.

Miss Annie Hess returned to Rochester, N.Y., this afternoon, after visiting her grandmother, Mrs. George Hess.

Sheriff Dawson is able to attend to his duties again after being laid aside with a wrenched ankle for the past week.

Miss Adelaide Lonergan returned on Friday on steamer Toronto from Prescott, after spending a very pleasant vacation.

Mrs. Fred Joyner and family, arrived home to-day, from Troy, N.Y., to visit her mother, Mrs. John Saunders, Earl street.

Norman H. Perry and wife, of Kingston, are visiting D. L. Wright and other friends in Watertown, N.Y., for a few days.

Mrs. James Pitman and son, Fellows, Ont., returned home after a pleasant visit with Mrs. John Pitman, Montreal street.

Miss Jessie Macdonald, of N. C. Polson & Co's., has arrived home after visiting her brother at Toronto for the last three weeks.

Misses Mabel and Annie McRae, Perth, who have been guest of Mrs. Macdonald, 477 Princess street, left for their home to-day.

Dr. McKinley has completed his term as senior house surgeon at the general hospital. He intends going west to settle in practice.

Miss Minnie Benatt left this morning for her home in Gananoque, after spending two weeks as the guest of Miss Gillespie, Princess street.

Fred. Jackson has returned home after an absence of about four years, and will take a course of engineering at Queen's during the coming session.

Dr. Leonard Mylks, a graduate of Queen's, has decided to locate at Kansack, N.W.T., and will open his office in that flourishing town in about a week.

Rev. A. Laird and family left today for Stella, Amherst Island, where they will remain for some weeks. Mr. Laird will return to the city for his Sunday services.

William Hutchison, after nearly a quarter of a century in the employment of W. R. McRae & Co., severed his connection with the firm on Saturday night and will locate in the west.

J. T. Sutherland returned to-day from Stella, where he spent the past two weeks with his family who are summering there. He brought down four large black bass, which he alleges he caught himself.

ANOTHER HEARING

In Regard To The Route Of a Railway.

Special to the Whig.

Toronto, Aug. 16.—The Consumers' Gas company, at a special meeting, authorized the issue of $1,500,000 new stock. According to the legislation of last session the city will receive an opportunity to purchase the stock.

The Ontario cabinet decided, this morning, to re-open the decision of the railway committee to allow the Toronto and Mimico railway to cross Lorne Park. It seemed that the committe had notified the clerk of Toronto township, who was the proper party, but he had not notified the Lorne Park cottagers, who were really interested parties and who consequently had no opportunity of presenting their objections. The premier said that technically the course followed was right, but they did not want to take advantage of it and ordered another hearing.

Woodstock water commissioners have a dispute with the Grand Trunk railway, and the railway's water supply has been turned off, while the commissioners are not allowed to have their coal switched into the yard.

Mrs. William Connell, Brockville, is dead, aged forty-nine. She lived in Brockville for over twenty years.

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