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G. Howard Ferguson, Kemptville, carried the Grenville conservative convention held at Spencerville to choose a candidate.

The liberals are coming together for the battle on January 25th. Let the majority for Pense this time be larger than last.

Told in the Twilight

Mrs. George King's cosy cottage on Alice street looked more than usually inviting, yesterday afternoon, in its becoming holiday garb of cedar, hemlock, spruce and holly, branches and wreathings of fir being everywhere, and it reminded all the guests whom she had bidden to meet Miss Iredale, Mrs. Gordon's guest, that they were still in the midst of the Christmas season. Mrs. King and Mrs. Alice King received in the drawing-room, and across in the dining-room were Mrs. Francis King and Miss Mabel King, pouring cocoa, and making tea, with Miss Ida Sutherland cutting the ice block. The helpers were Miss Margaret King, and Miss Kathleen Kirkpatrick. Among the guests were two "old girls," whom every one was welcoming back, and who don't seem in the least to have forgotten the art of being brides—Mrs. J. H. H. Coleman, and Mrs. George Ellis. Miss Macnee was also a centre of attraction, and had the pleasure of having a great many pretty things said to her. Others present were Mrs. Stafford Kirkpatrick, Jr., Miss Annie Daly, Miss Nina Ferguson, Miss Annie Fowler, Miss May and Miss Isabel Ross, Miss Mildred Macmorine, Miss Ethelwyn Loucks, Miss Marion Calvin, Miss Agnes Richardson, Miss Mona Knight, Miss Katie Gordon, Miss Constance Cooke, Miss Alice Macnee, Miss Brown, Miss Eleanor Macdonnell, Miss Fairlie, Miss Louise Kirkpatrick, Miss Winnifred Hague, Miss Anna Lesslie, and Miss Aileen Rogers.

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"Annandale" was the scene of holiday merriment when, last night, Mrs. Carruthers gave a dancing party for the girls and boys who are yet on the sunny side of the "coming-out" age. That all the young guests enjoyed themselves very much, goes without saying, for the hostess has the happy knack of making things go off well always.

Mrs. Raymond Reade's fancy dress ball will be the event of to-morrow evening.

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Mrs. Robinson, of Alfred street, gave a jolly party for some of the younger girls and boys on Monday night, in honor of Miss Marjory Johnson, who was staying with her.

Mrs. James Henderson entertained a few members of the small club for ladies, of which she herself is a member, on Monday.

The Misses Macmorine are giving a party at St. James' rectory, this evening.

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The Badminton tournament for Mrs. Hunter Ogilvie's prize, will be held on the eleventh.

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The Rev. Herbert Grout went down to-day to Prescott, and will go on to Delhi, N.Y., to-morrow.

The Dean of Ontario came home, yesterday, from Montreal.

Miss Margaret G. Keith, has returned to Belleville from Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Larue came up from Montreal on Tuesday, and will spend a fortnight with Mr. and Mrs. Snelling, Division street.

Miss Constance Tandy is in Toronto, for the purpose of studying for a few weeks under Miss Hope Morgan.

Miss Rita Ashley is home again after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Livingstone, in Toronto.

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Mr. Wilkins, who spent the holidays in Kingston and Trenton, has returned to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Alcombrack have taken a very comfortable flat in New York, and are now settled in their new quarters.

Miss Booth, Alfred street, visiting in the west, returned home last evening.

Mrs. T. R. Carnovsky, has returned from a visit to friends in Cleveland and Chicago.

Misses Grace and Fern Oram of Montreal, have had a pleasant visit to their old home. They have been the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. N. Wilmot, Clergy street west. They return home on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. Sills have returned to Belleville, after spending a few days in Kingston.

Miss Geraldine Daly returned, yesterday, to Montreal, after her week at home.

Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson came down from Amherst Island, yesterday, and is staying with Mrs. E. B. Wilson, Union street.

Miss Bessie Gordon will go up from Montreal to Ottawa, for the drawing-room.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Coates spent the holiday in Kingston with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Coates. Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, and their family, of St. Paul, Minn., who will return to the west shortly, came up from Brockville with them.

Miss Helen Muirhead, of Brockville, is visiting in town.

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Miss May Robinson is visiting friends in Gananoque.

Mrs. Lett, of Guelph, was in town this week.

Colonel and Mrs. Raymond Reade returned to-day from New York.

Miss Marjory Johnson, of Belleville, who was visiting Mrs. Robinson, Alfred street, went home on Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Miller came home from British Columbia on Tuesday, and is with Mr. and Mrs. John Macdonald, University avenue. Mr. Miller came as far east as Toronto.

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Invitations have been received, announcing the marriage on January 12th, at 9.30 p.m., of Miss Bertha Delahey, daughter of Mrs. John Delahey, of Cobden, Ont., and Mr. Frederick B. Elliott, the versatile editor and proprietor of the Cobden Sun, and son of the Rev. R. J. Elliott, chairman of the Simcoe, Ont., Methodist district.

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The marriage of Miss Dora Wood, daughter of Senator Wood of Sackville, N.B., to Mr. M. E. Nichols, of the staff of the Toronto World, will take place at the residence of the bride-elect's father early in March.

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The engagement of Miss Elsie B. Boulton, Chicago, niece of Senator Casgrain, to Mr. John Harmon, of the same city, has just been announced.

The engagement has been announced in Quebec of Miss Juliette Hudon, only daughter of Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. L. Denis Hudon, to Mr. Edward Archer, son of Mr. Joseph Archer, of Quebec.

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Colonel and Mrs. Hanbury-Williams of Ottawa, will entertain at a dinner party on Tuesday, the 10th of January.

A dance was held in Stitt's hall, Renfrew, in honor of Miss Craig, daughter of Hon. Justice Craig, Dawson City.

Senator and Mrs. Frost have returned to Smith's Falls from England.

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Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith, formerly of Brockville, have taken up residence for the winter at 412 Markham street, Toronto.

The beautiful and well-known Jobyna Howland, who became Mrs. Arthur Stringer, wife of the novelist and poet of New York, formerly of London, Ont., has just struggled out alive from a long and serious illness and left with her husband for a winter in Italy the other day.

The Prince of Wales has been visiting Lord Mount Stephen at Brocket Hall.

DEATH FROM BLOW.

A Dreadful Accident To Mr. And Mrs. Snider.

Special to the Whig.

Odessa, Jan. 4.—Dr. Nathan F. Snider, LL.D., general merchant, and local manager of the C. P. R. telegraph and Bell Telephone companies, is dead, the consequence of an appalling accident yesterday, Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Snider started on a friendly visit, and to attend a dinner party at George Lucas', Jr., just south of the village.

All went well until they had turned on Factory street south, when, in some unaccountable manner, the young horse became frightened and almost unmanageable. Descending Factory hill at a terrific pace, the cutter slewed on the icy surface and struck the railing on the bridge. Confusion reigned, and the new cutter was smashed to matchwood. The horse, freed from the wreckage, a few yards further on, wedged itself solidly between two cedar trees in the hedge skirting the hillside.

Mrs. Snider miraculously escaped injury. Mr. Snider's abdomen came in violent contact with the end of the bridge ridge-pole, the concussion being so great as to loosen the pole from its solid fastenings. He was conveyed home. Dr. Day, and Dr. Mundell, Kingston, were summoned in consultation, but the beginning of the end had already dawned, and Mr. Snider, after making some business settlements, expired from the injury at three o'clock this (Wednesday) afternoon, some thirty hours after the accident.

Nathan F., third son of the late "Uncle" John Snider, was born some sixty-three years ago on the old homestead, immediately west of the drill-shed; taught school and afterward by dint of business capacity amassed a fortune in his native town, where nearly all of his life was spent. He was kind of heart, and had many staunch friends. Politically his leanings were conservative. Odessa loses a quiet, solid business citizen in Mr. Snider. His widow is the daughter of the late "Uncle" John Parrott, Wilton, Ont., and mourns her loss, together with her daughter Florence, and her son, Urban, and their grief is shared by a vast circle of relatives and friends.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of The People—What They Are Saying And Doing.

Miss Jennie Anglin has returned home after visiting Mrs. H. R. Wilson, Ottawa.

Mrs. Harry Tandy, not Mrs. Dalton, was the donor of five pictures to the Orphans' Home.

P. J. Gallivan, visiting his mother, on Alfred street, for a week, has returned to Toronto.

Rev. R. O. Farrell, Brockville, was in the city to-day on his way to New York, where he will visit friends for two weeks.

This afternoon, Capt. Geoghegan left for Point Alexander, Wolfe Island, where he will sojourn till spring as customs officer.

Forbes Robertson will play "Love And The Man" in the Grand on January 25th. DeWolf Hopper will be here on the 26th in "Wang."

William McCullough, Parkhead, returned home after spending Christmas with his sisters, Mrs. Clenehan and Mrs. Post, Main street.

The Montreal Herald publishes a good picture of W. F. Nickle, B.A., the Kingston representative on the executive committee of the O.H.A.

John Cousins, went out to Harrowsmith this afternoon, where, to-night, he will take part in a concert in connection with the Church of England of that place.

A letter from Rev. John Pickup announces his arrival in England after a stormy voyage. Miss Salter was confined to her room all through the trip.

Col.-Sergt. Donald Jack and Sergt.-Bugler Joseph Turner of Capt. Darling's company, "Lisgar Rifles," Lansdowne, left on Friday last to take courses of instruction at No. 3 Regimental Depot, St. John's, Que.

Mrs. James Boland is dead at Campbellford, aged eighty-nine. She was married in 1839, and came to Kingston in 1842, where her husband was employed as book-keeper during the building of the artillery barracks. They moved from Kingston to the Trent river district in 1844.

Our Customers Get The Benefit.

Of low prices on fruit. This week we offer you good eating and cooking pears at 12½c. per gallon. Carnovsky's.

Roll butter, 18c. Crawford.

4 packages corn starch, 25c.; four packages laundry starch, 25c.; 8 lbs. No. 1 rice, 25c., at Mullin's.

Come to Abernethy's shoe store and save money.

Potatoes. Crawford.

MELTED AWAY

AFTER THE OLD MAN TOLD HIS TALE.

As Interesting As a Good Novel—A Mean Trick Deprived a Family Of Venison.

One of the most interesting men on earth to talk to is the sportsman who has just returned from the hunting ground, especially if he has not managed to "bag" a great deal, for then there is more room for the imagination to play, says The Galt Reformer. But when a whole crowd of returned sportsmen get together and commence "remembering things"—well the result is as interesting as a good novel. It was such a gathering, composed of certain local sportsmen, that occurred the other day, and one of those present started the ball rolling by telling how it was that he happened to come home from Parry Sound district lately without any dead meat, although he had had a good rifle with him. He explained that he had brought down a noble buck with his trusty gun, and only for a mean trick that the animal perpetrated his family would now be having deer meat for dinner.

"I was lying in ambush near one of the well-known deer runs of the north country," the hunter went on, "and presently I espied a fine buck coming down the line. I put a well-aimed bullet right through the centre of his chest, and he dropped without going ten feet. However, while I was getting my knife ready to bleed him, the brute suddenly rose to his feet and ran away, and I saw him no more."

The other members of the crowd expressed their sincere sympathy with the hunter. One of them said: "It is necessary to be very careful to make sure of a deer after shooting him, because they are such eccentric animals. I myself, for instance, once shot a deer and had to follow him five miles before he dropped. When the animal was finally cut up, it was found that my bullet had gone right through his heart."

A couple of the older members of the party now had something to say with regard to the chase of earlier days. "The most peculiar experience I ever had with a deer," said a man whose hair was grey and who, therefore, could not be doubted, "was about 30 years ago. I formed one of a party hunting with hounds. We got on the scent of a deer, and, after two hours, caught sight of him. We then ran him to the edge of the river, and just at this point, the banks were very high and the water quite deep. Our game stopped when he reached the bank and seemed to decide that he would rather be pulled down by the dogs than jump in. There were four hounds and they rushed upon the animal triumphantly, all in a bunch. The deer did not make a move until the foremost dog was within five feet of him. Then he suddenly stepped aside and started across country. Two of the dogs, being unable to stop in time, went head foremost into the stream, were swept away and drowned. The other two were so surprised that they made no move—and we were the same."

An uneasy movement was noticeable among the listeners when the speaker had ceased. None uttered a word, however, until presently another elderly gentleman remarked that he had had a still stranger experience than this in his day.

"It was on a Sunday," he said, "long, long ago, when I was quite young. In those days the deer were very thick in the neighborhood of Galt, as I will prove to you. My father had a farm about three miles west, and on the day in question, I was strolling through the cabbage patch, when suddenly I perceived a flock of wild turkeys at rest. I could not resist the temptation, although it was Sunday, so I went into the house and brought out my rifle. Just as I was about to shoot, the birds rose and started to run in their peculiar manner. I followed them in hot haste into some undergrowth. I was not looking where I was going and I stumbled into the midst of a herd of deer who were feeding. I was so surprised that I was rendered incapable of firing a shot. However, one of the animals, in rushing away knocked me down. This caused my rifle to go off, and luckily, the bullet killed one of the turkeys, which were some distance ahead. The whole thing took place in the twinkling of an eye. Oh, yes, deer were very plentiful then and they were surprisingly tame too."

The old man smoked his pipe meditatively. No one else had any more remarks to make. The crowd broke up quietly and melted away.

Composition of Medicines.

Mr. George G. Nasmith, M. A., Ph.D., read an interesting paper on "Proprietary Medicines and Canned Goods, in Their Relation to the Public Health," before the Canadian Household Association in the Normal School at Toronto recently. He said that alcohol entered largely into the composition of patent medicines, and gave a list of each of the various remedies with the percentage of alcohol it contained. The houses handling these medicines often knew little of their effect on the human frame, but sold the stuff merely as a business proposition. Any person, before using them, ought to be able to diagnose his own case, he said. Canned goods were often dangerous, for the copper, zinc, and lead entering into the composition of the can sometimes formed compounds with the vegetable or fruit that were poisonous.

Declined The Call.

Special to the Whig.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—Rev. Cornelius Wolfskin, pastor of the Greene Avenue Baptist church, Brooklyn, has declined the call to the pastorate of the Walmer Road Baptist church, this city, which had offered him a salary of $4,000 a year with $500 moving expenses.

Donald McTaggart, London, Ont., ended his life by swallowing carbolic acid.

Trunks and valises twenty per cent. discount at Abernethy's for the next ten days.

Roll butter, 18c. Crawford.

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We've sold the best hats in the city for the least money, and now to reduce stock we've cut those prices in half.

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Trimmed Hats in all the new colors and styles, all this season's goods at **Half Price.**

Street Hats, ready-to-wear, of Fur Felt, in Sailors, Continentals, Turbans, Flares, etc, all the new shades at **Half Price.**

Children's Headwear, a large variety to choose from, in Silk, Velvet, Felts, etc., all are this season's styles. at **Half Price.**

Here's a chance to save **50c. on the dollar** and at the same time have a stylish hat.

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MURDERS HER MISTRESS.

Servant, Prompted By Love, Cuts Woman's Throat.

London, Jan. 5.—A strange story of devotion that led to murder was told at the Old Bailey when Mary Holdaway, aged sixty, was found guilty of murdering her mistress at Plumstead, and ordered to be detained during his majesty's pleasure.

The woman had lived with a lady named Tabitha Lawson on terms of affection for forty-seven years. Then her mistress, nearly eighty years old, and a great sufferer from paralysis, endured such agonies that the servant, unable to stand by and watch her suffering, seized a razor and cut the invalid's throat from ear to ear.

The relatives of the murdered woman agreed as to the prisoner's devotion and kindness, and went so far as to instruct counsel to appear for the defense.

BRAVE DEED RECALLED.

How Abigail Baker Saved Several Sailors.

Toronto Globe.

Amherstburg, Jan. 4.—With the passing away of James Cousins, is removed the last survivor of the famous Abigal Becker incident at Long Point, Lake Erie. In the early sixties a big lumber schooner was driven ashore on Long Point, and pounded to pieces on the bar. At that time Abigail Becker, then a young girl, was living with her father in a settler's cabin on the point. She saw the wreck, and in the absence of her father waded out into the icy breakers time after time and brought the benumbed sailors ashore. She was given credit for saving the lives of several of the men whom she brought ashore. Among them was James Cousins.

Cured His Mother Of Rheumatism

"My mother has been a sufferer for many years from rheumatism," says W. H. Howard of Husband, Pennsylvania. "At times she was unable to move at all, while at all times walking was painful. I presented her with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and after a few applications she decided it was the most wonderful pain reliever she had ever tried, in fact, she is never without it now and is at all times able to walk. An occasional application of Pain Balm keeps away the pain that she was formerly troubled with." For sale by all druggists.

A ROYAL PRESENT.

Service For Fifty People Being Given.

Berlin, Jan. 5.—The joint wedding gift of one hundred cities of Prussia to the Crown Prince Frederick William and the Duchess Cecilia of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, on the occasion of their approaching marriage, to which invitations to contribute were sent out by a committee of mayors, will represent about one cent apiece from each Prussian city dweller. The present will be a silver table service for fifty persons, and of more than a thousand pieces of original designs, costing $125,000, or $25,000 more than the similar gift to the imperial pair in 1881.

"Toronto's Favorite Hotel."

The years as they pass but add to the popularity of the Queen's hotel, Toronto. The hotel has been practically redecorated and refurnished. Every room contains hot and cold water, steam heating and long distance telephone. Rates are from $2.50 per day and up, and with bath from $3 up. 100 rooms with baths.

Gilbert H. Delong, of the Dominion Cartridge company, Lachute, Que., was married on Wednesday to Miss Clina Helm, Toronto. The wedding took place at the residence of the groom's parents, Shannonville.

Do you want a 5 cent fire shovel, a 25 cent coal scuttle, or an all wire ash sifter for 25 cents? Just call up telephone 494; it's the Yellow Hardware Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodfellow, Jr., moved last week on her father's farm in Prince Edward county.

Westport ice races on the 18th and 19th inst.

A nice gift to mail to a relative or friend, the latest souvenir book, "Views of Kingston," containing nearly 100 views. Only 35c., at Wade's Drug Store.

FASHION'S FORM.

One Of The Latest Styles Just Out.

A visiting and carriage costume of pearl gray cloth, trimmed in bands of panne and tucked taffeta, both the same shade of the cloth. The graceful redingote has a soft yoke and undersleeves of taffeta. A gray hat with green fancy feather and shirred crown is worn effectively with it.

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In Leeds:

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No. 2—Messrs. Stafford and Connolly.
No. 3—Messrs. Berney and Alguire.
No. 4—Messrs. Bracken and Bowser.
No. 5—Messrs. Garvin and Preston.
No. 6—Messrs. Halliday and McComish.

In Grenville:

No. 1—Messrs. Bissell and Mellafont.
No. 2—Messrs. Baker and Arnold.
No. 3—Messrs. Selleck and Johnston.
No. 4—Messrs. Bennett and Dillon.

There are ten conservatives and ten liberals in the councils.

Kidney Losses Stopped.

The escape of albumen from the system is most dangerous. The trouble is you may not know it. Get to the root of the disease—the kidneys— by using Peck's Kidney Pills. In boxes 25c., at Wade's. Money back if not satisfactory.

On January 4th, at the residence of the bride's father, Philander Ross, Belleville, Murney Lionel Clapp, Thurlow, was united in marriage to Miss Mabel Rose.

UNHAPPINESS DISPELLED.

Men And Women Unanimous About It.

Many women weep and wail and refuse to be comforted because their once magnificent tresses have become thin and faded. Many men incline to profanity, because the flies bite through the thin thatch on their craniums. It will be good news to the miserable of both sexes, to learn that Newbro's Herpicide has been placed upon the market. This is the new scalp germicide and antiseptic that acts by destroying the germ or microbe that is the underlying cause of all hair destruction. Herpicide is a new preparation, made after a new formula on an entirely new principle. Anyone who has tried it will testify as to its worth. Try it yourself and be convinced. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. G. W. Mahood, special agent.

WINS $125 BY LONGEST SMOKE

Six Men Hold Interesting Contest In Berlin Club.

Berlin, Jan. 5.—At one of the clubs here a lively dispute has just been settled by a novel competition.

A discussion having arisen in the smoking room as to how long a cigar would last a smoker without going out, it was agreed that the six persons present should light at the same moment cigars of the same brand and thus settle the matter.

One of them was unable to make his smoke longer than half an hour; another fifty minutes. The third smoked just an hour, the fourth an hour and a half, and the fifth one hour and fifty minutes. Finally the sixth alone was smoking, and he continued beyond the two hour mark, and won the prize of 500 marks, or $125.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Absolutely Harmless.

The fault of giving children medicine containing injurious substances, is sometimes more disastrous than the disease from which they are suffering. Every mother should know that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is perfectly safe for children to take. It contains nothing harmful and for coughs colds and croup is unsurpassed. For sale by all druggists.

Woman Owes Paris Perfumer.

Paris, Jan. 5.—Cable dispatches having announced M. Lentheric, the Paris perfumer, is suing Kuhne Beveridge, M. Lentheric said: "She is a customer of ours, and her bill was sent to New York. I understand there has been some trouble, and our New York agents may be suing, but we know nothing about the matter."

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