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THE 5 P.M. EDITION

AT THE CITY HALL.
Meeting of City Council Called For To-Day.

A special meeting of the city council was called for this afternoon, to deal with two matters, that of the erection of a coal shed for the city's use, and for the consideration of the agreement between the County of Frontenac and the House of Industry, regarding the care of county patients, of the House of Industry.

The board of health was called to meet this afternoon, at four o'clock. Only routine business was on the slate.

James Earl, a pop corn vendor, has written to the city council, asking that he be given permission to erect a stand on Princess street. The council, some time ago, decided that only the two blind men, at present conducting stands, could be given such permission, and it is not likely this new application will be granted.

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LIVINGSTON'S

AFTER FIFTY YEARS

A GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED.

A Joyous Time at the House of W. H. Cruse, on Albert Street—Congratulations of Many Friends.

It falls to the lot of comparatively few to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day. Such, however, was the happy privilege of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cruse, Albert street, this city, on August 1st, when some fifty guests, nearly all relatives, gathered in the evening to celebrate the happy event. It was a joyous gathering of children, grandchildren and other friends. Of descendants there are still living, three sons, William, in Winnipeg, unable to be present; John and James, of this city; four daughters, Mrs. James McLaughlin, and Mrs. William Clark, city; Mrs. H. Davey, Toronto; Miss Florence, at home; and sixteen grandchildren.

While Mr. Cruse has not enjoyed the best of health for some time, Mrs. Cruse is still in the vigor of life. Both were made to feel in the midst of the happy throng of those who love them. On a beautiful lawn at the rear of their home, festooned with Chinese lanterns, Mr. and Mrs. Cruse stood together, in the midst of their group of friends, just as they had done fifty years before, in London, England, when in youth they took each other "for better and for worse," and there received the congratulations of their pastor and friends, and were presented with a beautiful wedding-ring, by their granddaughter, little Miss Florence Cruse. They were very kindly remembered with many beautiful presents, and every gift reminded one that it was a "golden wedding." The tables, laden with the wedding feast, were beautifully decorated, and the dining-room presented an animated scene. It was the heart-felt wish of all that Mr. and Mrs. Cruse might yet enjoy many happy years together.

DEATH OF J. F. HARPER.

Passed Away in City on Sunday Afternoon.

The death occurred at the general hospital, on Sunday afternoon, of James F. Harper, who was for many years a well-known banker. He was sixty-seven years of age and had been ailing for some time. Deceased was for twenty-seven years manager of the Merchants' bank, at Prescott, but had lived a retired life in this city for several years. One son, who resides in Leithridge, Alberta, is the only surviving member of the family. F. J. Davis, of Prescott, a cousin of the deceased, arrived in the city, Sunday, to look after the funeral arrangements, the remains being removed to Prescott, where interment will take place. The late Mr. Harper was an Oldfield.

Death of Mrs. Davidson.

On Saturday evening the death occurred at her residence, 405 Princess street, of Mrs. Anne Davidson, widow of the late Andrew Davidson. The deceased, whose maiden name was Anne Fee, was born in Ireland seventy-nine years ago, coming to this country with her family when a child. The late Mrs. Davidson had been ailing for some weeks. She was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, where she was always a diligent worker as long as her health permitted. Six children, Miss Anne at home, Mrs. Elizabeth and Mrs. J. Robinson, in Minneapolis, Mrs. Chamberlain and Miss Isabel, in Ottawa, and Robert in Nipissing. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. John Mackie.

Two Small Fires.

On Sunday morning at 8:20 o'clock, the firemen received a call to the home of John Grant, 426 Johnson street, where a shed in the rear of the building was on fire. The family were away from home and the prompt action of the neighbors prevented a serious fire. The firemen were quickly on the scene and a Babcock was all that was needed to quell the blaze. At 8:49 o'clock, on Monday morning, an alarm came in from box 42, near the fair grounds, where the chimney at the residence of R. G. Armstrong was on fire. The blaze was out before the firemen arrived.

Got Passage To Kingston.

Capt. Robert McIntyre, master of the steamer Turret Court, was before Police Magistrate Campbell, at St. Catharines, on Friday, as defendant in actions brought by five of the crew, who had been laid off and paid off at Port Dalhousie, where the boat was laid up. The men claimed a full month's wages. The action was dismissed. It was agreed that the captain secure passage to Kingston of W. Worth and E. Crellan.

Has Been Appealed.

The conviction against Mrs. Sharpe, of Barrefield, for an assault on Mrs. Smith, has been appealed, and will come up for trial at the quarterly session in December. The case was tried before Col. Hunter and Justice of the Peace Allison, of Wolfe Island, about two weeks ago, and Mrs. Sharpe was fined \$5 and costs.

For The Old Boys.

Special attractions at the King Edward Theatre all this week. Big double show, 2,000 feet of the best motion pictures, good illustrated songs. Everybody that comes will be more than pleased.

Show A Decrease.

The customs returns at the port of Kingston for the month of July, amounted to \$11,822, a decrease of \$2,088.42, for the same month last year.

Miss Gertrude Jones, Alfred street, and Harvey Jones, Toronto, have returned from a very pleasant outing spent at Louisburg, Cape Breton, and Quebec, bringing with them a cannon ball used at the siege of Louisburg in 1765.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newspaper Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

Calmen's phone, 490.
Summer is on the home stretch.
William Swaine, piano tuner, orders received at McAuley's, Phone 778.

"Good strong ice caps" are sold at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.
This is a civic holiday in Toronto, Ottawa, Brockville, Smith's Falls.
Mrs. Rhea Walker, Kingston, is the guest of Mrs. A. N. Horne, Carleton Island.

The Emeralds played the Cape Vincent, N.Y., aggregation, on Sunday, at the Cape.
Four bartenders, service always prompt, Kingsbury's antique barter shop, 185 Wellington street.
Don't forget St. Luke's ice cream lawn social, Tuesday, August 4th. Admission, 10c.

Miss Spurling was the effective soloist in Brook Street Methodist church on Sunday evening.
McConkey's high-class candy, fresh on Monday, at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Phone 230.

Cape Vincent, N.Y., has its fair on August 18th to 21st inclusive. There will be fine horse races.
"Marty" Walsh, purser on the steamer Rapids King, spent Sunday in the city with his parents.

"Poison fly paper," and Tanglefoot are sold at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Fresh there, Phone 230.

Miss Halligan, of Kingston, is the guest of her brother, Rev. Father Halligan, in St. Thomas.

H. Cunningham, piano tuner from Chikering's, leave orders at McAuley's book store.
"Fresh on Monday morning," McConkey's Choice of Royalty candy at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Phone 230.

Miss Lena Staley, who spent the week with Miss L. M. Brant, Brockville, returned to Kingston.
A new Methodist church at Fine View, alongside Thousand Island Park, will be dedicated on August 12th.

Rubber sponges, all sizes, at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Phone 230.
At Cardinal, a horse belonging to Rev. F. G. Kirkpatrick attempted to jump a fence and fell, breaking its neck.

The Misses Knapp, Johnson street, left the city, to-day, to spend some time with friends in Newburgh and Squamans.

A large order of McConkey's high-class candy received at Gibson's Red Cross drug store on Monday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lavell, Smith's Falls, and children, are at Thousand Island Park, where they will spend the next few weeks.

During the month of July, there were registered with City Clerk Sands thirty births, sixteen marriages, and twenty-two deaths.
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Mr. and Mrs. Alverton H. Assefline, son and daughter, Brooklyn, N.Y., are visiting at his parents' home, on Alfred street.
Rev. Dr. C. B. Aked, New York, caught a thirty-two pound maskinonge near Round Island, on Friday. He held on to it for two hours.

"Throat and nose atomizers," it says to buy them at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Phone 230.
Miss Roberta Graham left, Sunday, for Montreal and Quebec, before returning to New York. She has been the guest of Mrs. J. E. Jones, Alfred street.

Misses Graham, Albert street, entertained at a picnic at Lake Ontario Park, last Friday, in honor of Miss Lue Graham, Napanea, and Miss Horigan, Smith's Falls.

F. D. Miller and W. J. Watson, of the Mansion house, Stouffville, secured \$75 and cost sale of liquor in the month of July. Local option law prevails in Stouffville.

"Sudlitz powders" in tin boxes will keep, no matter how hot the weather. Sold at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

Be with us tonight, St. James' Church. The chorus of the season, Steamer America, 7:30 sharp. Two hours sail among Admiralty Group. Orchestra and refreshments. 25c.

Miss Phyllis Ramsden, a little Port Hope girl, gave a well executed violin solo in Queen Street Methodist church, on Sunday evening. Her playing is good; she promises to be an excellent violinist.

The events in the Y.M.C.A. contest for to-night are shot-put and standing high jump. The events are exciting quite a lot of interest among the boys, and the work is improving rapidly.

"Fresh lime water." Bring your bottle and have it filled free of charge at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Phone 230.

At the present time, in case of a fire there is no means to let any of the men who are out of the station know that the fire is on. There is an alarm at the locomotive works, and it could be arranged that it would ring whenever there was a fire, and one or two sharp blasts of the whistle would help things very much, until the new clock is installed.

"Fresh on Monday morning," McConkey's Choice of Royalty at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Phone 230.

The American Review of Reviews for August illuminates the Olympic games, Quebec during the revolution in France, the insurrection in Mexico, the trouble for Venezuela, English suffragettes, the campaign against sinistric change of ministry in Japan, triumph of Count Zeppelin, international work of the Y.M.C.A., and studying and adding the immigrant.

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GAVE A SURPRISE

JAMES STRACHAN DROPPED INTO THE CITY.

He Came Here From South Africa Where He Had Been Diamond Hunting—Looks For Confederation of Dutch States.

After many years absence, James Strachan, one of the most popular Y.M.C.A. members twenty years ago, took his friends by surprise, on Saturday, coming from Griqualand, South Africa, where he has been diamond hunting for the past three years. Excepting for a flying visit in 1895, Mr. Strachan has not been in the city since he left here in 1889. Since that time he has travelled much, having visited many points in the United States and Canada, including the Yukon, England, Scotland, Ireland, Italy, France, Switzerland, Egypt and South Africa, having made five trips to the last named country.

During the South African campaign he served with President Steyn's forces from start to finish, entering as a trooper, and rapidly gaining the rank of quartermaster-sergeant, and is the proud possessor of a medal with six bars. Leaving here speaking one language, he comes back conversing in three others—Dutch, French and German—with many strange stories to tell. He says at present there is severe business depression in South Africa, and for this reason came away. Everything is at a standstill and even white men are on the tramp willing to do anything for their board.

The Dutch are a "dime" lot, much smarter politically than the English, and he predicts it will not be many years before South Africa will become an independent confederation of Dutch states. He believes this is inevitable and that the British will never enter upon another campaign there. The Dutch may pose as loyalists, but when alone together put each other on the back, and laugh in their sleeves. They detest an Englishman, and perhaps next to him a Canadian, this is on account of the brisk manner in which the latter dealt with the Boers during the late campaign. The Strachans especially left a sting behind which the Boers cannot forget to forgive.

His campaigning and wandering has not changed "Jimmy" and he comes back to his friends as light-hearted as of old, with the same old smile. Nowhere in the world, he says, has he come across a place as beautifully situated or as clean as this his native city. He notes great improvements since his last visit. He arrived at Quebec in time for the ter-centenary, and after a few days in this vicinity will leave for Toledo, Ohio, to see the members of his family now residing there.

MARINE NEWS.

What is Found About the Wharves.

The steamer Corona passed up, Sunday, from Montreal to Fort William. The schooner Winnie Wing, arrived from Oswego with coal for Crawford on Sunday.

The steamship Navajo, arrived from Montreal on Sunday with package freight from Montreal.
The steamer Glenmount, was at the dry dock on Sunday on her way from Sydney to Fort William, with steel rails.

The steamer Glenella was at the dry dock, Sunday, for a pilot, on her way from Fort William to Montreal, with grain.
M. T. company: Tug Mary P. Hall from Montreal, with two barges, and cleared for the same place with two grain laden barges.

Swift's Steamer Dundurn, up, Sunday; steamer City of Ottawa, down; and up, Sunday; steamer Aletha from bay points, to-day.

The steamship Hinkley took two barges from here to Oswego on Sunday. The barges were from Ottawa, with cargoes of wood.

The barge Twin Sisters, being lightened in the Galoupe, floated off the rocks, and it is likely that it will be run through the rapids in safety.

The steamer City of Montreal which went on the rocks at the head of the Long Sault rapids, six weeks ago, left the ways at the Ogdensburg shipyard, Thursday, for Montreal. It cost upwards of \$50,000 to repair her.

ASK FOR ASSISTANCE.

Mayor of Fernie, B.C. Writes Re Big Fire.

"Our city was wiped out by fire; six thousand people are homeless. We appeal to you for relief."
At noon to-day Mayor Ross received the foregoing telegram from Mayor W. Tuttle, of Fernie, B.C. When asked what would be done in regard to matter Mayor Ross stated that he would bring it before the city council at its special meeting this afternoon. Toronto has already decided to do what it can for the sufferers, and no doubt Kingston will also fall in line. Despatches received by the Whig to-day tell the terrible story of the damage done by the fire.

NO SUNDAY FISHING.

May Be Trouble For Followers of Isaac Walton.

"The reporter that there may be trouble at Sharbot Lake for some of the followers of Isaac Walton, if they continue their sport on the Sabbath. It is reported that during the past few days Lord's Day Alliance men have been visiting at this popular resort, and that they have complained about the fishing done there on Sunday, and have intimated that there will be trouble if the practice is continued. The Whig was informed, to-day, that as a result of the complaint several proposed fishing trips for Sunday were postponed, as the parties did not care to bring on trouble.

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