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LOCAL AND OTHER NOTES,

From the Pencil of our Own News-Gatherer.

The Westport fat cattle fair passed off very quietly.

The REPORTER from now to the end of 1888 for $1.

The Musical Convention at Merrickville, conducted by Prof. Beal, was a great success.

There was a slight flurry of snow on Saturday morning.

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Mr. James D. Robertson, of Almonte, is the new License Inspector for North Lanark. The former incumbent resigned.

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The funeral sermon on the death of the Late George Slack will be preached next Sunday morning, at the Methodist Church.

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We cannot publish the letter from "A friend," because the writer omitted to send his name, and for the additional reason that the letter is unintelligible to us.

The ladies of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will hold an entertainment this evening at 7.30 o'clock, in the lecture room of the church.

A lacrosse match between the Renfrew and Williamstown clubs, for the provincial championship, was played in Brockville on Wednesday, resulting in a victory for Williamstown.

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The supply of fruit trees at the Elgin nurseries was not exhausted by the recent cheap sale, and Mr. Pennock wishes us to announce that the public can still be supplied with good stock.

The case of Mitchell *et al* v. the Brockville and Westport Railway was called at the assizes last week, but no evidence was taken, as the matter was settled out of court. It was a suit to recover for work done upon the line, and judgment was entered against defendants for $19,350.

Miss Lena Casselman, teacher of instrumental music and harmony, will return to Farmersville after Christmas and organize a class. During her brief stay here she made a most favorable impression, and judging from the honors which she won at college, pupils may depend on receiving a thorough course of instruction.

The first class professional examinations will be held in December. Candidates who have already attended the Normal school and holding second-class professional certificates are exempt from examination in hygiene, school law and regulations, and in drill, gymnastics and calisthenics, unless they desire special mention in these subjects in certificates.

The *Recorder* says that a resident of Brockville, in appealing against his assessment, delivered himself in this wise. It is rather funny:—"That I am not in receipt of the amount of $700 taxable income nor am I liable to such assessment here; that I am not a Methodist; I claim to be an adherent of the established Church of England until the minister turned his back to me during service when I left. I am a Protestant now—that's all."

The congregation of Heckston and South Mountain, in the Presbytery of Brockville, have sent notice through Rev. Mr. McDiarmid, of Kemptville that they, at a meeting held on the 17th inst. called the Rev. David Y. Ross, M. A., of Westport, to be their minister. They propose giving a salary of $800 and a manse to Mr. Ross, and are very anxious to secure his services. The congregation is self supporting.

At the Brockville assizes, George Hoover, a well known "tough," pleaded guilty to stealing two coats and a vest from Mr. C. P. Vineburg. Hoover was not long ago sent to the Central Prison to serve a six months' term for larceny, but the authorities there found him so incorrigible that they sent him back to the Brockville gaol. In the present instance Judge O'Connor sentenced him to seven years, whereupon the prisoner created an uproarious time in court by cursing and swearing at the judge and the spectators, and calling upon his honor to sentence him to the infernal regions. Subsequently he made an unsuccessful attempt to escape from the gaol.

The late John Brown, who died at his residence near Addison on the 18th inst., after an illness extending over some years, was born in the township of Yonge, on September 6th, 1805. In the year 1827 he bought the farm on which he lived until his death, and his marriage to Hannah Coleman took place the following year. In 1830 he became converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church. In 1842 he was appointed on the building committee of the old M. E. Church, Farmersville, and was also made one of the trustees of the property, an office which he held until his death, being for many years past the only surviving member of the original trust board. He was the father of five children, four of whom are living. The deceased bore a stainless character, and was a man of excellent judgment and fine abilities. His loss is mourned by a large number of friends in a community where the deceased was universally loved and respected. The funeral on Wednesday last was largely attended. The service was conducted by the Rev. D. C. Sanderson, who preached an impressive sermon from Hebrews xi. 21.

The trial of John Morris, charged with the murder of Henry Doal, took place at the Brockville assizes on Wednesday. D. B. Maclennan, Q. C., of Cornwall, was for the Crown, and Mr. Saunders, of Kemptville, for the prisoner. Morris rented from Doal a house and some land in the tenth concession of Augusta. On the 12th of last August Doal went to Morris's house and got into a dispute with him about a yoke of oxen which both were claiming. A man named Thomas Streight was present, also Margaret Morris, aged 14, a daughter of the prisoner. The altercation was followed by a scuffle in which Doal was fatally stabbed and he died the next day at noon. Doal's account of the affair, as given in his dying declaration sworn to before a magistrate, was as follows:—"A difficulty arose between John Morris and myself about a yoke of steers that Morris got from me to break. We had some words and Morris drew his whipstock to strike me with it. I caught hold of the whipstock and took it from him. Then Morris drew out his knife and I struck him on the arm with the whipstock. Then Morris stabbed me in the left breast or the left lung. It was a long dirk knife that he stabbed me with." The evidence showed that the actual stabbing was witnessed only by Margaret Morris, as Streight left before the fight commenced. Mr. Saunders contended that the wound was made in self-defence, and to support this called the daughter, who swore that Doal struck her father three or four times before the stab was given. Malcolm Boyd testified that Doal told him he expected a fight. After a brief absence the jury found the prisoner guilty of manslaughter. He was sentenced to nine months in the Central Prison.

—The profits of the Pullman palace car company last year amounted to $1,586,884.

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