

When Dryden Died.

One more literary landmark is being wiped off the map of London. This time it is the house in Gerrard street, Soho, in which Dryden died. Even now the pickaxe is at work. The street itself, from which this monument is vanishing, has historical associations. One house, now used as a telephone exchange, had Edmund Burke as a tenant. Lord Mohun, the duellist, and Lord Lytton lived in Macclesfield House, the residence of Lord Gerrard, afterwards Earl of Macclesfield. At the "Turk's Head," too, the famous Literary Club used to hold its meetings, frequented by Dr. Johnson, Sir Joshua Reynolds, Burke and other great figures. In a little while, however, Gerrard street will be like any other London thoroughfare, a thoroughfare and nothing more.

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Fishing Extraordinary.

Fishing with a pickaxe is a little out of the common order, but it seems that big game can be caught in that way. At least George Morrow found it so the other day, says The Goderich Signal. He was hauling stone from the river last Saturday morning, and while he was working with his pick in the river, near the bridge, he caught sight of a sturgeon of immense proportions. He went after it and stuck the pick into its head, but it got away from him, and went some distance down stream, carrying the pick with it and leaving a trail of blood behind. He followed it and at last landed it and brought it up town. It weighed 92 pounds and measured 5 feet 7 inches in length.

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Moncton, October 16, 1901.