



A BABY WHO WAS SAVED TO HIS FATHER AND MOTHER AND TO THE WORLD.

Photograph shows a 3-year-old who was born in a crowded tenement in New York's teeming east-side, and nearly died there. But the philanthropy that gives free doctors, free nurses, free milk, free ice and fresh air to New York's poor babies saved him.

TINY WHITE CASKET.

How New York Saved the Life of Baby Dobbs—A Lesson For Hamilton.

(By W. S. Shepherd.) New York, May 15.—Baby Dobbs was born in one of those dingy, dirty, crowded, airless tenements so frequently seen in the nation's metropolis. The first thing he wanted was milk. Poor, emaciated Mrs. Dobbs couldn't nurse the baby. It was so weak and tiny that strong cow's milk would kill it. Besides Mrs. Dobbs didn't have the money to buy the cow's milk. Here was urgent need. And at once the baby lovers rushed to the firing line. There are 20 milk stations in New York. Mrs. Dobbs had no money, so she was not asked to pay. The store milk, filled as the doctors say, with germs, would have cost Mrs. Dobbs 4 cents a quart. The kind of milk that was given her at the station costs 8 cents a quart, because it comes from herds that are kept expensively clean. More than that, it is pasteurized, with heat and cold, so that it is germ-free,

and it is weakened with sugar and water to suit Baby Dobbs' weak stomach. This good milk Mrs. Dobbs got for nothing. Then a nurse dropped in to see Mrs. Dobbs. There are about 200 of these nurses in New York. They each get \$900 a year. Even with the clean milk there was danger of Mrs. Dobbs letting it become dirty. The nurses told Mrs. Dobbs lots of things; not to feed the baby twice out of the same bottle—yes, if the baby doesn't drink it all, throw it away; there's plenty more where it came from; to keep the baby clean; not to feed it just because it cries; not to give it anything but milk. In the old days Baby Dobbs would have died. Instead he gained a pound a week under his fight for life. After a while the nurse comes again. New York city is jealous of its babies, you see, and the nurse's eye is the kindly watchful eye of the great city. She looks at the baby. It is stronger; it (Continued on Page 5.)

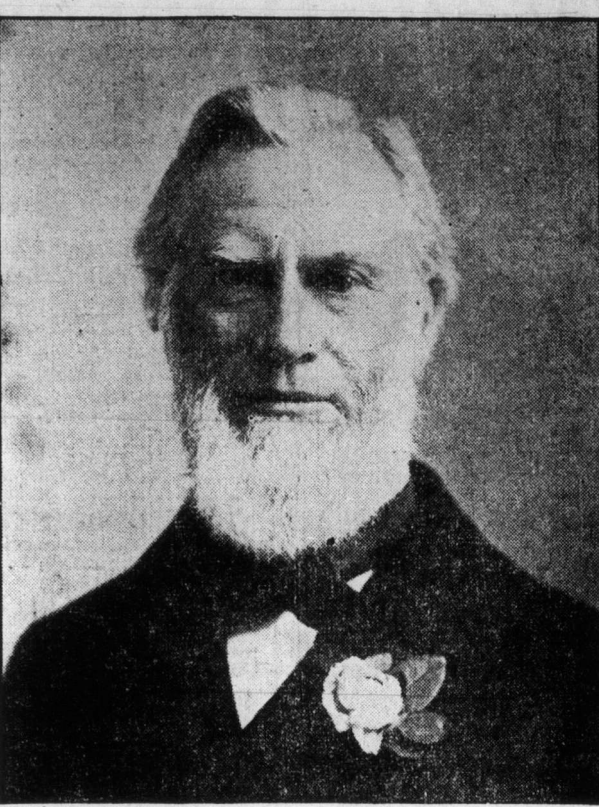
HAMILTON'S BUSINESS MEN OUT FOR GREATER HAMILTON.

Splendid Turnout Yesterday to Hear a Buffalo Publicity Expert—President Hoodless Reports on Progress of the Movement.

The attendance at the meeting of the Greater Hamilton Business Men's Association yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms must have been very gratifying indeed to the officers of the association, for the large room was filled by a most representative body of business men. Enthusiasm was shown to a splendid degree, and every one seemed imbued with the spirit that has manifested itself among the officers—that of boosting Hamilton and its advantages and opportunities. Consequently, everyone was eager and anxious to hear the address of Mr. E. F. Olmsted, member of the Buffalo Ad. Club, of Buffalo, N. Y., and advertising manager of the Force Food Company of Niagara Falls, on the subject of "Municipal Advertising."

At the outset, Mr. John Hoodless, president of the association, briefly outlined the work that had been accomplished so far. The membership has been increased to 250, and every one a booster, too. Of course difficulties have been in the path of the membership committee, and they have arisen principally from the absolute indifference that has manifested itself among some of the citizens. This movement requires the co-operation and assistance of every loyal citizen, and it is from that standpoint that the association hopes to attain success in the highest degree. Every one must acquire faith in this organization, otherwise all the efforts that may be put forth by a few would be entirely unsuccessful. Mr. Hoodless referred to the fact that the Civic Improvement Society, which was so eminently successful a few years ago, had decided to join forces with the association. The membership committee is still on the firing line, and is doing excellent work, the members devoting much of their own valuable time to the promotion of the welfare of the association. Another committee that is rapidly forging ahead is that devoted to the publicity. Although the association has been in operation but a little over a month, this committee has already proven its worth, and is more than deserving of its meed of praise. The members have been fortunate in securing two full pages of advertising from the Buffalo Courier and the Pittsburg Despatch is also in line, and will devote considerable space to Hamilton and its advantages. Through these and many other sources Hamilton will obtain an enviable publicity. Practical and industrial advertising to attract manufacturers is the main factor in this campaign. But the first thing to be done is the education of Hamilton's citizens to a realization of what this city is worth to them and to others.

Mr. Hoodless referred to the fact that the railway connections were very unsatisfactory, and this was a matter that would engage the attention of the association at the earliest opportunity. In conclusion, Mr. Hoodless stated that with the hearty assistance of Mayor McLaren and the members of the City Council he could see success spelled in large letters for Hamilton and the Greater Hamilton Business Men's Association. Mr. Hoodless then introduced Mr. Olmsted, who was greeted in a very warm manner. MR. OLMSTED'S ADDRESS. Mr. Olmsted is an entertaining and convincing speaker, and is possessed of a happy facility of expressing himself in such a manner as to leave the facts firmly impressed on the minds of his auditors. He indulges in no idle talk, and his address was singularly free from any taint of boasting. At the outset Mr. Olmsted said that he would not trust himself to speak extemporaneously on such an important subject and he took the liberty of reading his remarks. (Continued on Page 5.)



THE LATE JAMES B. GRAFTON, Merchant pioneer and prince, who died yesterday, after a long illness.

FOUNDER OF GREAT CANADIAN FIRM.

Mr. James B. Grafton Passed Away at His Home in Dundas Yesterday.

One of the most highly esteemed residents of Dundas passed away last evening after an illness of two years, in the person of Mr. James B. Grafton, who was one of the pioneer figures of western Ontario. Mr. Grafton had been gradually growing weaker, until the end came peacefully and quietly. All who were fortunate enough to have the friendship of Mr. Grafton held him in the highest esteem, for he was a man among men. Always generous and kind, a man of shrewd business instinct, he had no difficulty in rising to the head as one of Canada's foremost business men, and he retained his place until his retirement. Mr. Grafton was born on September 9th, 1826, at Meadowdale, near Toronto. He came of U. E. Loyalist stock. In 1853 he moved to Dundas, and began the laying of the foundation of the clothing business which bears his name today, and which carries on its successful operation throughout the country from coast to coast. Mr. Grafton was married in 1855 to Miss Charlotte Sydney Smith, daughter of Dr. Sydney Smith, of Toronto. De-

ceased did not figure much in public affairs, although for many years he was a member of the Township Council, and the Board of Education of Dundas. Up to the time of his death he was a senator of Victoria University. In the business world Mr. Grafton was not only a pioneer, but a prince of trade. Frugal, far seeing and enterprising, he possessed all the elements of a successful man. His sterling integrity established the name of Grafton wherever his firm's trade mark went, and his reputation extended from the peaceful Valley City across the continent. He was broad-minded, generous, whole hearted; a man whom it was a pleasure to meet socially, and whose advice was sought commercially by many, and never in vain. His native town and his country owe him much. Mr. Grafton is survived by his widow, one son, Col. J. J. Grafton, and four daughters, Mrs. Herald, widow of the late Dr. John Herald, of Kingston; Miss Nellie Grafton, Mrs. (Dr.) J. Albert Dickson, of this city, and Mrs. (Dr.) A. Orr Hastings, of Toronto. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 3.30, and services will be conducted in the Methodist church, Dundas. The remains will be laid at rest in the Grove Cemetery, Dundas.

THE GRIMSBY BOWLING CLUB



Back row, left to right—Dr. Smith, Rev. J. A. Ballard, Rev. John Muir, W. H. Pettit, John Kerman, J. R. Jarvis, J. M. Metcalf, Fred A. Pattenger, R. H. McCounkie, Major Roberts. Front row—P. H. Gamble, W. F. Maddox, A. H. Pettit, President; T. Woolverton, Vice-President; A. G. Pettit.

FATE OF THE PEACEMAKER.

Vernona Hartzig Had Her Left Ear Drum Broken.

Trying to Separate John Uzar and Her Father. At Police Court this morning John Uzar pleaded not guilty to a charge of aggravated assault on the person of Vernona Hartzig, and declined to elect. The alleged assault occurred last Sunday, when, as the result of interfering in a quarrel between her father and Uzar, the girl was struck on the head, and badly injured. Dr. McCabe, who attended her, said that when he was called in he found the complainant bleeding at the right ear and nose. She appeared to have been roughly used. The drum of her left ear was broken. He judged that she had received a severe blow on the side of the head. The complainant swore that the defendant accosted her on the street and told her to tell her father to pay \$5 for the damage her brother had done to his yard by digging for worms. She went to the house and told her father and he went out and asked Uzar how much he wanted. She said she was in the house for about fifteen minutes after that and when she went out again the men were quarrelling. She said she tried to get her father away, but the defendant swore at her awfully and started to walk in her direction. She was afraid and pushed him away. It was then, she said, that he struck her a blow on the side of the head, which knocked her to the ground. Other evidence was produced, but it only went to show that there was some blame on both sides. The decision of the Magistrate was that Uzar would have to pay the doctor's bill and costs of the court. The police are determined to stop bicycle riding on the sidewalks as very evident, judging from the number of offenders who appear every morning. This morning four more were summoned and each fined \$5. After being refused a drink in the Lamboro Hotel last night Alexander McNult became obstreperous and insisted upon being served. Constable Tom Brown was called, and McNult was taken outside and told to go home, but instead of following this advice he walked around the block and returned to the hotel, where he again demanded a drink. P. C. Brown, this time took him to the cells. He pleaded guilty to a charge of drunk and disorderly, and was fined \$5. Sias Martin, Dundas, was fined \$2 for being drunk.

CHANCE TO WIN \$5 GOLD.

Greater Hamilton Committee Offers a Prize.

The Publicity Committee of the Greater Hamilton Association met in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday, and in addition to other business decided to offer a small prize—a five dollar gold piece—to the one who will send in the best "slogan" to be used in the advertising matter of the Association. By way of illustration, Buffalo's slogan is "Buffalo Means Business," Cleveland's is "Cleveland Makes Good," Rochester's "Do it for Rochester." Readers are requested to fill in the coupon below, and if two contestants should send in the same slogan, the committee accepts as the best, the prize will go to the first received. The contest closes on Tuesday, the 18th May.

COUPON. I recommend the following for Hamilton's Slogan: Signed: Address:

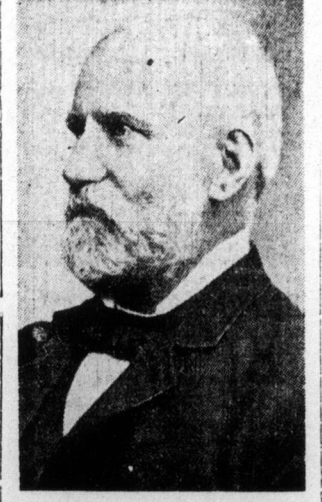
LOOKS BAD.

Farmers Out Lynden Way Look For a Poor Crop.

Many of the farmers coming into the city this morning have a rather serious story to tell of the condition of the soil of their farms, owing to the excessive amount of rain that has fallen within the past few weeks. One farmer, who lives on the Governor's road, near Lynden, stated this morning that there had been little seeding, in some cases the farmers had sown but four or five acres out of a hundred. He himself had but 15 acres sown out of 150. Many of the farmers in this vicinity are of the opinion that this has been the worst season for years. None of the farmers in Wentworth have any wheat to sell.

Genuine Calabash Pipes.

The perfection of smoking was not attained until the discovery of the South African Calabash. A large stock of these pipes in all sizes and shapes are offered at peace's pipe store, 107 King street east.



H. B. WITTON,

One of the charter members of the Hamilton Association and president in 1873. Mr. Witton read an admirable paper, printed in this issue, at the annual meeting last night.

NO TRACE.

Searchers For Mr. Maguire's Boy Using Dynamite.

Although the search party looking for the body of A. W. Maguire spent all yesterday at the task, the usual methods failed to recover the remains and to-day dynamite was used. It is feared that the body has drifted out in the lake, and in that event it will be some time before it will be found. Should the dynamite fail, the searching party will drag the pond to the south, as there is a possibility that the deed was done there. The family have no doubt that he committed suicide, but do not think business troubles were the cause of it. They are unable, they say, to think of any reason other than temporary insanity, which would account for this action. Searching was continued all this morning, but up to press time no trace had been found of the body.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

Here are a few slogans: "Hump for Hamilton," "Hurrah for Hamilton," "Hold Hamilton Higher," "Hustle for Hamilton," "Hands up for Hamilton," "Hamilton Wants its Share," "Holler for Hamilton." The milkman ought to be right to the front in this pure milk campaign, and particular attention ought to be paid to see that the pump is kept clean and healthy. It certainly is a shame that persons should have to rebuild their fences to keep marauders from stealing their flowers and trampling on their lawns. There are civic employees who never drink and there are others who never drink except when they are asked. I wonder what the brethren think of T. J. Stewart's attack on the Foresters. Was it according to facts? Another rumor is afloat that we are to get one of the long-promised railways soon. But don't get excited till you hear the bell ring. It strikes me that the Canadian Club elects its officers at the wrong end of the season. What do you think? Another slogan—"All Hands for Hamilton." Do your shopping early to-night. Why keep the clerks waiting all night for you when you could just as easily shop a couple of hours earlier? Mr. Spera might have known that Mr. Foy would give him the double cross. The college professors who are said to be undermining the faith once delivered to the saints should go and get a whiff of Gipsy Smith's religious enthusiasm. It might do them good. Now let us settle about that police station. Is it to be in the east or west end? Then there is Lansdowne Park. The Parks Board might take a look at it. Some day it will cost double what it does to-day. Cheer up. It might be worse. "A wasted life." Such was the com-



REV. E. H. TIPPET, B.A.

Mr. Tippet begins his duties as pastor of First Congregational Church to-morrow. He was given a hearty welcome last night.

JUST LIKE STEWART.

Supreme Treasurer Thomas Lawless, of the I. O. F., has given out the statement that the order will not reply to what T. J. Stewart, member for West Hamilton, said in the House about the order. "This is simply a rehash of old stuff that was fought out before the insurance commission," said Mr. Lawless. To-night. You can buy at Bain & Adams's a tea at 28 cents that has all the qualities that are to be found in the regularly sold at other stores at 40 and 50c per pound. Persons who are using it can certify to the truthfulness of this statement. Try one pound as a sample, then you will be a 28c tea customer.—Bain & Adams, 89-91 King street east.

THE WIND-UP.

Mercantile Trust Company Liquidators

Mr. Justice Tetznel, in granting a winding-up order against the Grimsby Park Company, on the application of the Bank of Hamilton, appointed the Mercantile Trust Company, of Canada, Limited as interim liquidators, and directed reference to the Local Master at Hamilton. A meeting of the shareholders was called on March 2, when it was stated that overdue debts amounted to \$0,000 and that there were no funds to meet them. On March 24 following, however, at the adjourned meeting, a different tone prevailed, and Mr. C. M. Grippion, the President, was designated as liquidator, and some of the shareholders favored making further attempts to reorganize. Mr. George F. Shepley, K. C., who appeared for the President, asked for delay to afford time to test the possibilities of reorganization. Rev. E. A. Chown, secretary of the company, stated that there was no hope whatever of financing the company. The company was incorporated with a capital consisting of \$30,000 preferred stock and \$15,000 common. Its property is mortgaged to secure the repayment of \$40,000 raised by debentures bearing 4 per cent. per annum. TWO PRESENTATIONS. The regular meeting of Acacia Lodge, A. F. & A. M., last evening was the scene of two presentations to worthy members of that lodge. Bro. Hugh Murray was presented with a beautiful water set and berry dish of cut glass, and Bro. Alex. Marrs with a handsome leather rocker. Both these gentlemen are held in high esteem by the members of the Acacia, who took this occasion of showing their feeling towards them. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES. To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA. —J. Elliott, of this city, has been granted a Canadian patent on a hot water boiler.

IS CHIEF AT FORT WILLIAM.

Archie Cameron is Leaving the Fire Department.

Hamilton has provided another city with a chief for its fire department. Archie Cameron, second assistant chief of the local department, was officially notified to-day of his appointment as head of the Fort William fire department. The salary is \$1,500 a year, and his duties begin on June 1. News of his appointment came as a surprise to members of the local brigade, as it was not generally known that Mr. Cameron was an applicant. Beginning as a fireman in the ranks on March 31, 1887, Mr. Cameron later was appointed captain of the Central station, which he had charge of for a number of years, becoming second assistant chief when the reorganization took place after the death of the late Chief Aitchison. His superior officers have always spoken of him in the highest terms, and there is no doubt that Fort William has secured a man who will make good. Mr. Cameron looked after the electrical work in connection with the fire alarm system for many years, and his knowledge of this part of the work should prove of great assistance to him in his new position. His salary here was \$1,100 a year. Chief Ten Eyck speaks highly of the second assistant, and says he is very sorry to lose him. This is the third chief Hamilton has supplied to outside cities in recent years, the first being Lawrence Clark, chief of the London department, who was killed at a fire last year; Captain Gilbert, who was recently appointed chief of the Saskatoon department, and Mr. Cameron, Captain Brewster, of the local department is an applicant for the position of chief in Kingston, and it looks as if he may land it. Proper Care. You should take proper care of your teeth. Parke's Thymol Tooth Paste is made for careful people who appreciate good teeth. It is an antiseptic cleaning paste that prevents decay, hardens the gums and keeps the teeth in perfect condition. Sold in 15 and 25c tubes.—Parke & Parke, druggists.