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## @+**@+@+@+@+@**+**@+**@+@+@+@ News About Town &

the city Saturday. -John C. Hay, of Listowel, was at the Tecumseh House today.

-Miss Kate Wilson, of Brussels, has returned home after visiting relatives in this city. -Miss Adele is visiting Mrs. Fred Jacob, 73 Collier -Mr. Joseph Gould, of this city, pur-

poses leaving shortly for Vancouver, where he will reside. -Mr. John A. Leitch, of Glencoe, is registered at the Tecumseh. He has recovered from his recent illness. -Mrs. B. B. Cronyn and three children, of Toronto, are spending a month here with Mr. and Mrs. Verschoyle

-Mrs. B. Broadbent, of London, is renewing old friendships in the city, the guest of her son, Mr. Joe Broadbent.-Brantford Courier.

—Thirty inmates of the London Asylum went via the G. T. R. to the Brockville Asylum Saturday. They were in charge of half a dozen attendants

-At 4:20 Saturday afternoon, the fire brigade was called to the Wortman & Ward foundry on York street, where the roof of the building had caught fire. It was quickly extinguished, and

-The assault case between Wm. Eddington and Geo. Henderson, school teacher at Lobo village, has been dismissed by Squire Lacey, with costs assessed to the former. It was shown from the evidence that Mrs. Eddington to scald the school master with a dish of hot water.

It is announced that Miss Erie Turner, daughter of the late Hon. Jas. Turner, Highfield, Hamilton, well known to many in this city, will be married in Glasgow, Scotland, on the 12th of April, to Dr. Thomas Macpherson, of Douglas, Isle of Man. Dr. Macpherson is a nephew of T. H. Macpherson, M. P., Hamilton.

-An old resident of London, Mr. Jas. Leslie, of 267 Clarence street, died Saturday morning, after a very brief illness. He was a native of Edinburgh, Scotland, and came to Connede in 1851 Scotland, and came to Canada in 1851, settling in London, where he had ever since resided. He was a carpenter by The Wabash Railroad

If you are contemplating a trip to the Klondike or any point in Alaska, please

Trade, and leaves a family of five sons and one daughter, viz.: James, William, Alexander, of London; John, Winnipeg; George, fireman on the G. T. R., Niagara Falls, and Miss Maggie,

of Winnipeg. -Mr. Claude Brown, son of Mr. Jas. H. Brown, of this city, has passed his examination most creditably at the Philadelphia Dental College, acquiring the degree of D. D. S. In a class of 160 Mr. Brown stood fourth or fifth, making 89 marks out of a possible 100. The distinction is the greater, as he was the youngest competitor. He will now return to Toronto to take the final

-The death is announced of Mrs. Eliza Charnock, relict of the late Robt. Charnock, of this city. Deceased was 68 years old, and had resided in London for nearly 40 years, coming here from England. She first settled in Montreal, then moved to Buffalo, before finally taking up her residence in this city. She leaves a grown-up family to mourn her loss. The children are: Mrs. Wm. Angus, Mrs. R. Liley, Mrs. Chris. Ward, London; Mrs. Ottowell Buffelo. and William in Buffelo. well, Buffalo; and William, in Buffalo. -The following, which is clipped Bed and from the Simcoe Reformer, has refer-James ence to Mr. John O'Neil, who is a member of the Orient quartet in this concert held there, the Reformer says: "Of Mr. O'Neil not much need be said. He was given a most enthusiastic reception, and his rendition of the 'Kerry Dance' and 'Say Not Farewell' such as to highly delight the audience, who gave him vociferous encores on

each occasion. John is sure of a warm welcome whenever he appears in Sim--At a meeting of the Western Fair Board on Saturday afternoon it was

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Toronto, March 27-11 p.m.-High pressure and fine weather prevail throughout the Northwest and Eastern Canada. A low area, which is now central over Wisconsin, is developing and moving north. It is causing unsettled, rainy weather throughout the greater part of the lake district, and snow over the western portion of Lake

Probabilities: Toronto, March 28-1 a.m.-Lower lakes: Strong winds from east to south; mostly cloudy and mild, with occasional showers. Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday were 57 and 30 above; on Sunday, 55 and 44.5

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Queen's Park \$3 for the first horse and \$2 for each additional one, instead of \$5 and \$3, as decided a week ago. Mr. e+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@ the city engineer will report on the -Col. Stacey, of St. Thomas, was in fence, in order to inclose the ring for special exhibitions. This would prevent hiring special constables. Those present were Ald. Carrothers, Messrs. R. Shaw-Wood, Allan Bogue, John Durand, Chas. Trebilcock, John Kennedy, J. H. Brown and Secretary T. A.

BROOKS' GRATITUDE. Mr. and Mrs. Granville Brooks, who have on many occasions figured in police court circles, are in trouble again, but so far have managed to keep out of the way of the officers. Mrs. Munce, who lives on the Hamilton road a little east of the city, took compassion on the Brooks family, who were ejected for non-payment of rent for a house on Pine street, and allowed them to stay at her place until they had secured another home. Brooks and his wife were comfortable there, and declined to leave. Mrs. Munce forced them out, and it is alleged that Brooks assaulted his hostess and smashed some of the furniture. Detectives Ward and Northgreaves are endeavoring to locate the pair, who are alleged to have gone to

# Church Circles.

the Y. M. C. A.

Capt. Kimball at the Auditorium-Chalmers Church Anniversary-A Temperance Rally-Musical Services at Dundas Center-A Choir Rebuked -Baptist Missionary Workers Meet.

At a large number of Protestant churches special reference was made mended to the sympathy and support in the future. of church members. The special mission of the Y. M. C. A. in its threefold character of spiritual, mental and conferred on them by the institution.
The board of the Y. M. C. A. are entering upon a campaign to wipe out the \$25,000 debt on the new building.

At the Auditorium. Rev. Capt. Kimball, a member of Berdan's Sharpshooters, gave an address to men in the Auditorium yesterday afternoon. He is a man of deep convictions, and was listened to with interest. He spoke with a fervor that made a year of his Canadian course. Claude's deep impression on the minds of these London friends congratulate him on his in attendance. The meeting was opened by Mr. A. J. Watson, who offered up prayer. Secretary Sayer then sang a solo while the offertory was being taken. "Some thousand years ago," the ken. "Some thousand years ago," the speaker said, "a great king lay dying, and when his last hours had come, he called his son, who was to be his heir, to the kingdom, to give him advice and counsel as to his rulership. His concluding words were, 'Show thyself a man,' God meant us to be men in every sense of the word. It is of great benefit to have a strong constitution, and although I am endowed with a good physical constitution, I wish that 25 years ago I had the advantages of the gymnasium and physical appli-ances you now have. I feel that if I had city. In speaking of the St. Patrick's I would have been some ten or twelve years younger today. But as much as I like to see strong physical strength, ten thousand times more do I appreciate moral strength. You would not say a man was unmanly for not carrying a burden, which was too heavy physically for him. It is the man of evil deeds and actions who is unmanly. In how much are you faithful to Christ? Strength, faithfulness and moral character are what make the man. I have found it much harder to be a Christian decided to charge horse trainers using while serving in the army than to rush into the thickest of the fight. I tives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions, and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indigestion.

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self a man. You never can be a true man without the power of God, and with true moral convictions."

Capt. Kimball will give his illustrated lecture on "The Battle of Gettysburg" on Tuesday evening in the Auditorium.

Temperance Rally. Yesterday afternoon a temperance rally of children was held in the Sunday school of the Colborne Street Methodist Church. It was an open session, and very interesting. Mr. Joseph Nicholson, the energetic superintendent, presided, and in a few well-timed remarks introduced an interesting programme, all of which was most appropriate for the occasion. The first was a duet by Mrs. Wallace and Miss Crawford, followed by an address by W. D. Buckle, from the text, "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging." He dwelt upon the wisdom of Solomon. Willie Scarrow and Harold Garner sang a duet, and Miss Harnin save an interesting and Miss Harpin gave an interesting account of some of her work among the haunts of Whitechapel, old London. She described some prison scenes enacted in her presence, and these brought tears to many eyes. She spoke strongly against the introduction of liquor at the table. This was the cause of many a boy's downfall and thirst for strong drink. Master Wallace gave a strong drink. Master Wallace gave a recitation entitled "Something for Everybody," and Miss Florence Haystead also recited "I Will Not Drink, Mother." Mr. Henry Pratt spoke for a constitution of the Noroction." a short time on "The Narcotics," condemning the pipe, cigar and cigarette.

Mr. Jackson brought the session to a close by commenting on some of the strong points brought out by the speakers.

At Dundas Center.

Great congregations filled the Dundas Center Methodist Church yesterday, especially in the evening. It was announced that Master Ulley, the boy soprano, and Mr. J. Marshall Williams, the former basso of the choir, would Falls from Woodstock on Saturday morning with Mr. Stephens, the organist, promising to return in time for the services here. He did not come back, perhaps having missed the train. Mr. Williams, however, sang with his old-time effectiveness, and the music by the choir was superb.

Chalmers' Anniversary. Chalmers Church celebrated its first aniversary yesterday, Rev. W. J. Clark preaching in the morning, and Rev. Richard Hobbs in the evening. Both referred with pleasure to the progress the youngest member of the Presby-terian family had made. The attendance was large, and the music special. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Moffat, preached at the Askin Street Church. On Tuesday evening, Rev. Mr. Clark will deliver his lecture on "The Boy I Knew."

Baptist Mission Circles. The Women's Mission Circles of the city Baptist churches held their quarterly union meeting in the Wortley Road Church on Friday. In the afternoon papers were read by members. Tea was served in the basement of the church, and on reassembling in the evening Mr. McDermid, of Toronto, general secretary of foreign missions, gave an interesting review of mission-ary work in India. Rev. Mr. Walker

Notes. Rev. Dr. Daniel, pastor of the First Methodist Church, preached to large congregations at the First Methodist Church, Hamilton, yesterday.

Rev. G. Fillan, the Armenian exile, preached at the Centennial Church yesterday morning, and at the First Methodist Church in the evening. Rev. E. W. Williams, of Abbeville, South Carolina, a colored preacher of much ability and oratorical power, preached at the First Presbyterian Church yesterday morning, and at the Church yesterday morning, and at the King Street Presbyterian Church at night. Mr. Williams was for 15 years

Rev. George Jackson, at the morn-ing service of the Colborne Street Methodist Church, gave the choir a lesson in punctuality yesterday. It was 11 o'clock, the congregation had gathered, and the preacher took his seat behind the pulpit. The organist, at a minute or two after eleven began the prelude, and while it was being played, the preacher looked anxiously for singers, who at seven minutes after eleven had not taken their seats. Rev. Mr. Jackson rose and gave out the first hymn, to the surprise of the congregation. The organist played the tune through, and the congregation had risen to sing, when the choir filed in, and took up the hymn in the middle of the first verse. In the course of his remarks, he said he should perhaps apologize to the organist for the abrupt manner in which the service began. He thought that if a prelude was to be played it should be begun at 5 minutes to 11, and the service should start sharp on time. They did so in other churches. He wished it understood that he had nothing against the choir, which was from the pulpits to the work of the Y. as good a choir as there was in the city. M. C. A., which was heartily com- He liked the choir and the choir liked him. He hoped all would be punctual

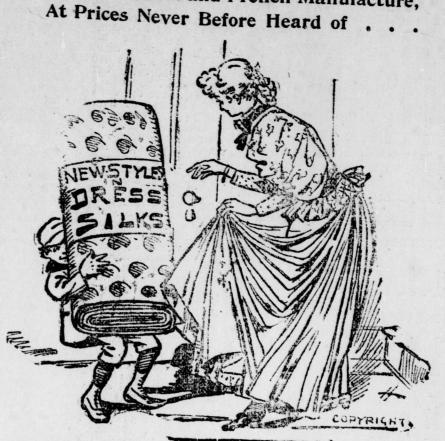
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Drowning of David Holmes-Kicked Into the River by His Horse.

David Holmes, one of the oldest farmers of Middlemiss, was drowned in the ceased was getting out timber. With a team he was hauling up a piece from the water, when one of the horses a recent trial in Germany, and went well until the wind became too high.

The fallen horse became entangled in the harness, and Mr. Holmes, with the aid of an Indian, was endeavoring to save the animal by loosening the straps. Just as the harness was removed, the horse struck Holmes, send-ing him into the water, the horse following. The unfortunate man came to the surface, but once, and the frighten-ed Indian was unable to afford any assistance. The horse sank like a log. An alarm was given, and in a short time a large crowd of villagers were on the scene. It was, however, too dark to attempt to recover the body.

The accident occurred just below John Albert's flats. Deceased was a widower and leaves one son, John, of Southwold, and an only daughter, Sarah, who kept house. Deceased was well known and very highly respected.

A COSTLY WREATH

For Sir John Thompson's Coffin, Which the Late Government Ordered and Refused to Pay For.

Ottawa, March 28.-A writ has been issued in the county court by Ann Davidson, widow of the late W. R. Davidson, florist, Montreal, against all the members of the late government for \$1,041, the price of the wreath ordered by them to be placed on the coffin of the late Sir John Thompson as a token of their affection and esteem, SHOES token of their affection and esteem and for which they have never paid.

THE LATEST.

She—Is my hat on straight? He-Yes. She—Then it isn't right. Wait till I go upstairs and tip it up over my left

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The Allan Line has given a contract for another steamship designed for the St. Lawrence route. The total British Columbia salmon pack for the summer was 1,015,477 cases, compared with 601,570 the previous

The convent of St. Maurice, Que., was burned, also two houses occupied by John Cailloux, tailor, and J. A. Carignan, butcher. No loss of life. David Manson, late of the Seaforth Highlanders, has been appointed pipe-major of the Montreal Royal Scots, in succession to Pipe-Major Matheson,

who resigned last year. Truman P. Handy, who held the distinction of being the oldest active banker in the United States, died at his home on Euclid avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, today (Saturday), aged 91 years. Judge Brentano, of Chicago, granted to Claudia Carlstedt, the actress, a divorce from her husband, after a hearing lasting but a few minutes. It is said she will marry Albert Gallatin Wheeler, the New York millionaire. The Chinese colony at Victoria, B. C., has received advices that the "Hakas" are again raiding in the three great

districts of Sun Ning, Ying Ping and Hoi Ping. They have raided the town of Hong Mai and massacred all its inhabitants. Among the graduates of the Ontario Among the graduates of the Ontario Veterinary College are the following: W. D. Brand, Forest; Samuel Caldbeck, Brussels; George K. Cranston, Atwood; O. A. Delong, Florence; A. R. Jordan, Dutton; Arch. D. McLachlan, Crampton; Louis Paquette, St. Thomas; Dan Allen, Chesley, and J. D. Bell, Port Elgin.

James Stanlic, who lives two miles James Stanne, who lives two miles east of Forest, attempted suicide by hanging himself the other morning. His wife found him hanging in a stable, and immediately cut the rope. Had he been left a few minutes later death would have occurred. Despondency, caused by financial trouble, was

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