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MINOR CHRONICLES.

he directors have changed the date of Dorchester Fair to Oct. 6th.

Chief Crawford tested the weight of the sad on Saturday and in every case it was and to be satisfactory.

Rey. H. Holmes, of Victoria College, Tosto, will preach in the Charles steest ethodist church next Sunday.

The enlargement of Elgin's new county illdings is to be proceeded with at once, he work of improvement will cost \$36,614. The value of goods entered for duty at a port of Woodstock during August was 1,187, duty collected, \$5,621.32; experts,

3,893.
T. W. Chapple, ex-M.P.P., of Uxbridge, s been appointed Judge of the new Federal strict of Rainy River.

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It is understood that one and perhaps two the Manitoba grain syndicates intend perating this fall in Ontario.

Archbishop-designate C. H. Gauthier will be consecrated in the Kingston cathedral on needay, October 18th, the Feast of St. nike.

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries has trended the hoop net fishing season for fteen days. The season will open on Sepember 15th instead of October 1st.

Sheriff Brady, returning officer for the North Riding, has received the writ for the prohibition plebisoite, and registrar G. R. actule is also in receipt of the writ for the worth Riding.

The Epworth League of King street dethodist church have engaged Miss Tessie fcCallum, the popular elocutionist, for a scital on Tuesday evening of next week, the will be assisted by the best available load talent. Silver collection.

Rev. A. J. Irwin, B.A., B.D., of Ayr, ocupied the pulpit of the King street Metholist church both morning and evening on londay. His excellent discourses were latened to with interest by large congrega-

Stratford's school taxes are higher than usal this year, and the Hamilton Spectator area Hon. G. W. Ross for it. In Ingerill the taxes are lower for which, according the Spectator's reasoning, Mr. Ross is so responsible.

The work on the Baptist Tabernacle is eing pushed rapidly forward. Nearly all he wood work has been completed and he painters are now busy at their work. The school room is now nearly completed and all the services will be held there next below the school of the schoo

sand all the services will be need there bear Sabbath.

The funeral of the late Edwin Sage, who died on Wednesday last, in his 33rd year, took place from his late residence Friday atternoon. The solgmn services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Vollick, of Sweaborg. Sir brothers of deceased acted as pall bearers are not bearers. The funeral was one of the largest ever seen in the country. Interment took place in the Embro cemetery.

The barns and stables of Mr. H. Hopkins, Grampton, were totally destroyed by fire on Sunday morning last about 11 o'clock. The took will a mount to \$2000.00, on which there was an insurance in the N. and S. Dorchester Fire Iosurance Co. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

Miss Rette Chute, fermerly organist and

of the fire is a mystery.

Miss Rette Chute, formerly organist and choir leader in Charles street Methodist church, latterly of Goderich, has received the appointment of director of voice culture in the Asheville College for Young Women at Asheville, North Carolina. The Asheville college is a fully equipped one, with a faculty of twenty to thirty members. She leaves for the south on the 13th.

Skinner's livery, Charles street. J. A Durkin.

Messer, Wm. Butler & Son, of 1 Dereham Centre, captured the following prizve with their herd of Guernseys at the Industrial Fair, Toronto:—First on bull two years old, row three years old, heifer calf under one year. Second on the following: Bull three years old, bull calf, cow four years old and upwards, heifer one year old, and herd of one bull and four females. Second and third prize on heifer two years' old, and on heifer calf. They also took third prize on cow three years old.

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The open air concert given on the school grounds at Foldan's Corners, by the Canadian Order of Foresters, was a success in every particular. Although the weather was a little cool for an open air concert a very good crowd turned out. The grounds were well lighted up by large camplires, and everything was done by the committee to insure the enjoyment of all who attended. Addresses were delivered by Rev. G. E. Brown, of Salford, Thos. White, High Secretary, C. O. F., of Brantford, and R. Elliott, H. C. R., C. O. F., of Ingersoll. The addresses were interapersed with excellent music by the Foresters' band, of Ingersoll. Refreshments were served in abundance.

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In Saturday's Globe appear two views of Muskoka scenery, taken in the vicinity of Port Keewaydin, in Muskoka. One is of a remarkable rock on the point of the island belonging to ex-Ald, Allan, of Hamilton. The strangely natural face which appears on the rock is thought by those familiar with it to have a strong resemblance to the features of the late Sir John A. Macdonald. The other view is of a large rock at the edge of the water, at a spot considered to be one of the best fishing grounds at the head of Lake Muskoka. Both photographs are amateur work hawing been taken by Earlie Gibson, of this town. A catch of pickerel before breakfast on Keewaydin island by Goldie Flemfag, son of ex-mayor Fleming, of Toronto, is another excellent photo in to-day's Globe by the same artist.

Visiting humorist—I saw a new gag today

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Visiting humorist—I saw a new gag today on the Jersey mosquitos. Jerseyfte (sober-ty)—Don't ye decleve yerself, young man. You may hev seen suthin' on em' that looked like a gag, but ten to one it's only some new-fangled contrivance fer gettin' a better hot.

See the advertisement of the Woodstock Fair in this issue,

Fair in this issue,

The trial of the South Ontario election petition begins to day.

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A long corn stalk at J. W. Berry's store was attracting considerable attention Friday. It was grown by Mr. Robt. Mitchell, of Mt. Elgin, and measures 12½ feet from tip to tin.

to tip...

The quarterly meeting of the city union of King's Daughters will be held in the parlors of King Street Methodist Church on Friday afternoon next at 4 o'clock. All interested in the work are cordially invited to be present.

The whole of Great Britain continues to be withour rain, and the almost unbreath-able atmosphere in London is intensified by a sulty white mist, which is so thick on the Thames that the steamboats had to stop

In order to keep pace with their increasing business, Macaulay & Co. have leased Messrs. White & Co's. well known store, where they will shortly open with a magnificent stock of fall and winter dry goods.

The gold headed cane won by Chief Harris at the Brantford Firemen's tournament, arrived by express Thursday night and is greatly admired by all who have seen it.

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While Kew Bros, of East Nissduri were
threshing at Mrs. H. Purdy's just outside
St. Marys last week the traction engine got
beyond control and ran into the side of the
house doing considerable damage.

Mr. S. J. Prouse, of North Oxford, has
been eminently successful in his exhibit of
horses at the Industrial Fair this year. In
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the face of the keenest competition he captured the following prizes in the Clydesdale class:—Second on yearling colt; first on foal; third on brood mare; and silver medal for mare and two of her progeny.

Thos. McVea, an employee at S. M. Fleet's butcher shop, met with an accident on Thursday afternoon. He was taking a bullock to the slaughter house and getting too close to its heels he was kicked on the leg just below the knee. He was driven back to town and medical aid was summoned. Fortunately no bones were broken but his leg was bruised badly and it will be some time before he will be around again.

Oronhyatekha, grand chief of the Independent Order of Fores'ers in Canada receives \$10,000, a year salary. As this is only \$2,000 more than Sir Wilfrid Laurier gets as Premier of the Dominion, the Foresters Intely added a bonus of \$5,000. And yet, says the Ottawa Journal, some people allege that the Indian race can not posper among the white men.—Peterboro Examiner.

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Mrs. Thos. Seldon has received a valuable and interesting document from her nephew Mr. T. Seldon, Tolton River, B.C., it being a very complete diary of his experiences during a trip to the Klondike. As the book has to be forwarded to England by the first usail, we are unable to make any extracts from it which we exceedingly regret, as the adventures through which Mr. Seldon passed were very exciting in many instances.

A bicyclist, said to be an Ingersoll boy who was passing through the town, had a narrow escape from serious injury on Broad way on Tuesday evening. As he was coming down the street, a man who was driving malifoiously turned his horse upon him, throwing him violently and damaging his wheel. The man with the horse then drove furiously away before anyone could identify him, and without seeking to learn how much harm he had done.—Tlisonburg Observer.

There was a large market Saturday.

There was a large market Saturday. Both buyers and sellers turned out in large numbers. Garden produce was plentiful and sold at good prices. Dressed fowl were offered in large quantities but the demand was greater than the supply. Chickeas, 40c pair; ducks, 70c pair; turkey 7c lb. Butter and eggs were plentiful and sold for 20c lb. and 12c dozen.

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Mrs. M. E. Acceur, of Marquette, Mich., strived in town on Thursday on a visit to ber sister, Mrs. H. Galbraith. Shortly after alighting from the train she lost her purse containing a considerable sum of money and a return ticket to Marquette. Fortunately Miss Hambidge found the missing purse and it was immediately restored to the owner. Needless to say Mrs. Acceur was delighted to receive her property with so little trouble, and Miss Hambidge received a reward for her honesty.

New Veterinary Surgeon. Office, R. A Skinner's livery, Charles street. J. A Durkin.

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This is the between season time of the year, when merchants, anxious to clear out spring and summer goods, have reduced prices and are making it known through the advertising columns of THE CHRONICLE. Every week this paper contains new annuncements—real money savers—which should be closely scanned by our readers. THE CHRONICLE advertisers are among the most reliable dealers in this town on. goods tymen of experience who know the wasts of the people and are anxious to supply them. Keen competition secures low prices and permanency of residence demands that goods they offer be as represented. This latter is a great safe-guard, and worthy the consideration of shoppers. To deal with our advertisers is a guarantee that everything is as represented.

Mrs. Fogg—"For mercy's sake, Daniel

that everything is as represented.

Mrs. Fogg—"For mercy s sake, Daniel what are you doing down there on your knees, peering under that bureau?"

Fogg, (who has lost his collar button, and is not in a sweet frame of mind)—"Looking for the Spanish fleet; what do you suppose I was looking for?"—Transcript.

The destruction of three and a half

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The destruction of three and a half millions of dollars' worth of property is a severe blow to a young city like New Westminister, and those who are in a position to grant relief in the emergency will not stop to inquire whether the arrangement for fire protection were adequate or not. It is a great blessing that no lives were lost.

The wife of a certain bookseller presented him with eleven sons, one after another. The good man carried his professional spirit in family life, so he named them "Primus," "Secundus," "Tertius," and so on to Decimus." He concluded it was time to stop at the elevent so he named him "Finis." But it was not finis. There was yet another to come—a daughter this time—so he called her "Errata."

A little girl in a Fentiac (Mich.) Sunday

The King street Methodist church will hold thanksgiving services on Sunday, Oct. 9th, when special services appropriate to the occasion will be held.

Saturday, Sept. 24th.

The Star football club held a very successful practice at the park last night. They will practice again to-night at 6 o'clock, and a full turn out of the players is requested. They are endeavoring to arrange a game with the Collegiate team.

Rev. G. B. Brown, of Salford, had his barn burglarized on Monday night last. Some person or persons broke into the barn some time during the night and stole two sets of harness and some other articles. The thief has not as yet been located, but the police authorities are investigating.

News has been received of the death of

day. See advt. in another column.

Mayor Mills was in Niagara Falls Tuesday, and along with the mayor of that town was invited by the mayor of Niagara Falls, N. Y. to attend the reception of the returning heroes of the 42nd regiment, who were just retiring from active service in Cuba. Mr. Mills reports the attendance as something immense, and the enthusiasm boundles. The Canadians were given precedence in the procession. Only two of the veterans were missing, and they escaped the enemy's bullets to fall victims to yellow fever. low fever.

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It is not generally known that persons finding lost articles are legally bound to restore them to the owner if they know him. To hold them or to secrete them is under the new criminal code regarded as theft and punishable accordingly. A reward cannot be successfully demanded. If any trouble or expense is necessarily incurred in connection with the found articles, such expense can be recovered. The newspaper is the proper medium by which to discover the owner and finder is expected to advertise at once.

In his evening sermon Sunday at London

In his evening sermon Sunday at London, Rev. Mr. Hobbs told his audience, according to the Free Press, that he was driving every hristian into a corner on the prohibition uestion, where he became either a poor question, where he became either a poor, naiserable ignoranus or was not a lover of the Lord if he refused to vote "yes." He told another story of a Methodist preacher who told a country hotelkeeper that he could put him onto a means of earning a more respectable livelihood. The hotelkeeper asked in an eager voice what it was. "Go and steal," was the reply. And Mr. Hobbs said that on the principle of choosing the least of two evils he believed this was proper advice.

proper advice.

The fifth annual report of the Birkbeck Investment Security & Saving Co., shows the affairs of the Company to be in a most satisfactory and prosperous condition. The funds of the Company are invested in first mortgages and are only loaned to stockholders in the Company. The statement shows profit of about ten per cent in which all stockholders share. The funds of the Company are eagerly sought after by borrowers, for building purposes, the Company's plan of re-payment by installments being very popular. Anyone in Ingersoil wishing to borrow should consult the local board whose names can be found in our advertising columns.

A goodly representation of the members

advertising columns.

A goodly representation of the members and adherents of Thamesford Methodist church assembled at the residence of N. C. McCarty on Friday evening to express their appreciation of the faithful services Mrs. McCarty has rendered the church as organist during the past eight years. The token of the love and esteem of the congregation took the form of an exceptionally elegant took the form of an exceptionally elegant only table, accompanied by an address gracefully bearing testimony to the esteemed lady's able musical talent which, so freely consecrated to the service of praise, had been, and it was hoped would be for many years to come, a great source of inspiration cimus." He concluded it was time to stop at the eleventh so he named him "Finis." But it was not finis. There was yet another to come—a daughter this time—so he called her "Errata."

A little girl in a Fortiac (Mich.) Sunday School thus told the story of Solomon and the disputing mothers; "Solomon was at the disputing mothers; "Solomon was a very wise man. One day two women went to him, quarreling about a baby. One women said; This is my child," and the other woman said; 'No it aint; it's mine, but the other woman said; 'No it aint; it's mine, but the other woman said; 'No it aint; it's mine, the other woman said

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The Foresters' band will furoish the music for the Harvest Home at Sweaborg on Wednesday, 21st inst. when the new Methodist parsonage will be opened.

Brantfordites are making great preparations for the entertainment of their visitors during the Southern Fair which opens on Saturday and continues till Thursday.

It the fiords on the Norway coast the clearness of the water is wonderful. Objects the size of a half-dollar may be seen at a depth of twenty-five or thirty fathoms.

London, Sept. 13—Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), answering a request that he deliver a lecture at Newport, Mommouth shire, writes that he has to abandon lecturing.

Macaulay & Co are moving into their new premises, White & Co's Store, and expect to be ready for business Saturday next, 17th inst. Large stock of new fall and winter goods now being opened. MACAULAY & Co.

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Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday good to return by any train to and including Saturday, Sept. 24th.

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Mr. John Robertson, the well known dairyman, who last year delivered addresses at the various farmers' institutes in this section of Ontario has been ill during most of the summer. We are pleased of the show hast year and with that end in view are making a liberal use of printer's ink. They have secured some strong special attractions, which in addition to the liberal premiums offered in all departments, will be sure to draw large crowds. The show lasts five days commencing on Saturday. See advt. in another column.

Mayor Mills was in Niagara Falls Tuesday, and along with the mayor of this returning herose of the 42nd regiment, who were just retiring from active service in Cuba. Mr. Mills reports the attendance as Court in the services were conducted by Rev. Jas. Falls, N, Y, to attend the reception of the returning herose of the 42nd regiment, who were just retiring from active service in Cuba. Mr. Mills reports the attendance as Court in the services were conducted by Rev. Jas. Grait. The members of Court Ingersol attended in a body. The Oddfellows band because the court of the community of the conduction of the detail of the court of the community of the community of the community of the com

T. Armstrong.

GEORGE SCOTT.

News has been received in town of the death of George Scott, of Linccin, Neb., formerly of this town. After a lingering illness he passed away on Friday last, in his 67th year. Before coming to Ingersoll, about elsewin years ago, he held the position of foreman for Mr. Wm. Merrill, contractor, at Norwich. When he came here he took a similar position with Mr. Angus Matheson, which he held for two years. He then removed to Lincoin, Neb., where he has resided ever since. He was a man of straightforward character and of a kind disposition and made many friends during his short residence here. After leaving here he was very successful in his calling in life and had accumulated property in the State where he lived. He was, a member of Oxford Lodge, No. 77, and Unity Encampment, No 21, I. O. D. F., of this town. A widow and two children, a boy and a girl, are left to mourn the loss of an affectionate husband and kind father. The son is a lawyer and is practicing his profession in a town near Lincoln. The daughter, Mrs. Noyes, resides in Lincoln. Deceased was a brother-in law to Mr. Jas. Succession this town.

## A SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITION.

Mr. S. J. Prouse, of North Oxford, who was so successful with his Clydesdales at the Industrial fair, is meeting with still greater success at the Western Fair. At the latter he succeeded in capturing three first and one third price. third prize.

## LANGUAGE NOT POLITE.

In discussing a by-law appointing a relief officer at a recent meeting of the Hamilton city council Ald. McAndrew and Nelligan had a most unparliamentary debate, calling each other such names as "Frosty face," "Drunken bum," and "labour agitator." It was some time before the Mayor silensed the belligerent aldermen.

It takes a wise man to pick a fool whos ney he can spend.

Whenever two women begin to talk things wer they are sure to overtalk. It's a wise man who doesn't let his wife now the full size of his income.

The city of Toronto has granted \$1,000 to the fire sufferers at New Westminster-B, C.

I rise to greet the sweet, new day, so calm, so mild, so fair, so bright; the dawn is beautiful indeed, but just as like as not I'll need, a heavy overcoat ere night.

COMING AND GOING.

From Thursday's Daily
Mr. Wm. Brown, of Belmont, was in
own yesterday.

Miss Ella Jones, of London, is the guest of Miss Jessie Reader. Mr. D. Taylor, of Toronto, is renewing

Mr. Allan McLean of Kingston was call-ing on old friends in town to-day. Miss S. Jamieson, who has been visiting in Detroit and Chatham, returned home

Mrs. James Minkler returned last night after spending a few days with friends in Ridgetown. Miss Annie Lowe returned to Toronto yesterday after spending a few days with Mrs. W. R. Little.

Mrs. W. R. Little.

Mrs. Geo. Janes returned home to Berlin
this morning after a pleasant visit with
friends in Ingersoll.

Miss Nora Chamberlain, who has been
visiting her parents in Toronto for the past
three weeks, returned home yesterday. Miss Effie Davis, of Ayr, and Miss Aggie Ireland, of Rayside, are the guests of their sister Mrs. H. V. Davis, Charles street,

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wood, Miss Hattie Wood and Mr. George Wood were at Til-sonburg yesterday attending the marriage of Mr. Ed. Wood to one of Tilsonburg's fairest daughters.

Mrs. E. S. Umbrey, left on Tuesday for Rugby, England. She took the steamer Persia from Toronto to Montreal and from Montreal to Liverpool the steamer Scotsman. She secured her tickets from D. G. Cuthbertson, steamship ticket agent. From Friday's Daily.

Mr. Jos. Booth is visiting friends in Tor-

Mr. Jas. McMurray, of Detroit, is visiting at his home in town.

Mr. Jos. McIndoo, of Buffalo, is the guest of Mr. Hilton Laird.

The Galt band has a new leader; Capt. B. Alberton, of Collingwood.

Mr. C. B. Thompson left Friday to attend the Philadelphia Dental College. Mr. Thos. White, High Secretary of the Canadian Order of Foresters, was in town Friday.

Mrs. E. Caswell, of Chicago, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. Winders, Albert Mr. Ed. Pilkey left this morning for Lon-don where he has secured a situation during the exhibition.

Mrs. Deurin and daughter, of Joliette, Ill., are the guests of Mrs. H. Borland, Charles street.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walker, of Gorrie, re the guests of Messrs. Walker Bros.,

King street west.

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Mrs. E. Booth returned Thursday night
from visiting, her daughter, Mrs. Jas.
Fotheringham, Toronto.

Mrs. E. Erhard and daughters, Laura
and Lucia, of Ingersoll spent Monday and
Tuesday of this week with Mrs. A. C. Otton, 587 Adelaide street.—Sentinel Review.

From Saturday's Daily. Mr. Robt. Campbell is visiting friends in

Miss Maie McLeod left to day to visit Dr. E. B. Oliver has returned from a visit with triends in Westminster.

Rev. E. B. Hutt is enjoying a shore boli-days with friends at Pelham.

Mrs. McEwen, of Toronto, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Mills, Thames street south.

Mrs. D. Vanalstine, of Wingham, is the guest of Mrs. H. Wright, Thames street north.

Miss Rella B. Luke, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is the guest of Mrs. W. Dunbar, Thames Miss Bert Robertson, who has been visiting her parents in St. Catharines, has return

Miss Maggie Grace, who has been yisiting at her home here, returned to London last night.

Mrs. G. G. Beck has been visiting her ister, Mrs. N. Young, at Wheatley, during

Mr. A. R. Lewis, who has been at the leneral Hospital, London, for some time, has eturned home not much improved in health. Mr. A. B. Walker returned home this norning from Toronto, where he had been ttending the Ontario College of Embalm-

Mr. O. J. Mitchell has completed a suc-cessful course at the Toronto College of Embalming, and has been granted a dip-From Monday's daily

Mr. A. J. Smith is in Woodville this-week

Mr. Geo. Wood, of Wingham, is visiting at his home in tewn.

Mr. R. B. Hutt is visiting friends in North Pelham this week.

Manager Martin and wife are visiting ciends in London and Stratford this week.

Misses Mabel Miller and Mildred Sudworth eft today to attend the Whitby Ladies' Rev. T. J. Atkins and wife left to day ou two weeks' visit with his brothers in Hart-

two week

land, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole, of Niagara Falls, N.Y., are the guests of his mother, King street east.

We are pleased to note that Mr. Thos. Brown is able to be around again after his recent severe illness.

Misses Lou Ferguson and Clara Pelton, of Wingham, are the guests of Mrs. R. Eliott, Margaret street, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Atkins of Putnam and

The Misses Morgan returned from a visit with friends in Toronto last night.

Mr. Art. Galloway has accepted a situation in Robinson's clothing store. Mr. Chas. McDonald, of St. Louiz, Mo.s renewing old acquaintances in town. Mrs. Robert Thompson, of Kincardine, is siting her sister Mrs. John Thompson.

Mr. E. G. Poole of West Oxford started for Kansas yesterday on a visit to friends.

Miss Edith Cairns returned last night after a three weeks' visit with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Alexander and Miss Vernon, of Flint, Mich., are the guests of Miss Smale, Thames street. Misses Lizzie Springer and Jennie Cam-eron, of London, were visiting Mrs Springer, Tunis street, this week.

Misses Nellie and Annie Taylor, of Oak-ville, are spending this week with their cousin, Mrs. Geo. Duncan, King St. West. Mr. Wm. Tapley and wife, and Mrs. Howell, of Norwich, are visiting at Mr. Murray Smith's, King street west, for a few days.

days.

Miss Nellie A. Sandick returned home after spending the past three months with relatives in Clinton. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Newton, P. Crich and Mr. Charlie Crinch, of Clinton.

Miss Ada Rough, of Buchanan, Mich., and Mrs. Stella Walsh, have returned to Ingersoll, after a very pleasant trip to Toronto, thence by steamer Chippews to Niagara-Falls, and return to the city, where they enjoyed the sights at the Industrial exhibition.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Mr. S. Howlett, of Wingham, was visit-ing friends in town to-day. Mrs. John Lahey is visiting her daughter in Cleveland.

Miss Maud Lahey is visiting friends in

Mr. F. G. Lewis, Birtle, Man., is the guest of Mr. Thos. Wood, Thames street. Mrs. W. N. Cook left yesterday to visit with friends in Chatham and Detroit.

White's store is being beautified by a coat

Miss Mabel Bishop has returned home after a visit with her aunt in Toronto.

Miss Jennie Long, of Wingham, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. (Dr.) Morris, of Gagetown, Mich., is risiting friends in town this week. visiting friends in town this week.

Mr. E. L. Chadwick, representing the Canadian Compesing Co., Montreal, is in town to-day in the interests of his company.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Elliott, of Wingham, are the guests of Mrs. R. Elliott, Margaret street.

Mrs. Bradley, of St. Catharines, is visite ing her brother-in-law, Mr. James Breb-ner, Charles street west, and other friends

Rev. George Richardson, who is attending the General Conference at Toronto, is in town to-day attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Bradbury.

CONCEIT AND AMBITION.

Buffalo News.

Suraio News.

General Miles may be conceited, but where is the military man whose conceit does not advance with his achievements? Conceit is very nearly allied to ambition.

THEY SEE THE DIFFERENCE.

It would seem that the campaign in Egypt after the American campaign in Cuba is the strongest argument for a practiced regular army that could be brought

HOT FOR US ALL.

Free Lance.

If some people keep Saturday holy and work on Sunday, whilst others work on Saturday and keep Sunday, it surely will out very little ice in the general results on THE AVON GUN CLUB. The Avon Gun Club have organized for the season with James Jolliffe as President and Wm. Dafed Sec. Treas. and thirty members. They have secured exclusive privileges from the farmers and land owners in the vicinity of Avon and Crampton and will vigorously oppose all encroachments on preserved territory. They are at present busy putting up signs preparatory to the opening up of the season, warning those who make a business of hunting and shooting to keep within the limits of the law.

POLICE COURT.

It took Police Magistrate Morrison exactly three hours Tuesday afternoon to hear all the evidence in an assault case.

It appears that Thos. Elliott has some pasture fields rented in the west side of the town and that E. Osborne, had been allowing his horse to run and it had been getting into Elliott's field. Elliott had driven the horse out several times, and on 21st of August last he was doing it again. Osborne came along and took him to task for what he was doing. Words led to blows and it is alleged that Elliott assaulted Osborne with a cane. The P. M. found Elliott guilty of assault and fined him \$5 and costs.

FRATERNAL VISIT.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole, of Niagara Falls, NY., are the guests of his mother, King street east.

We are pleased to note that Mr. Thos. Brown is able to be around again after his recent severe illness.

Misses Lou Ferguson and Clara Pelton, of Wingham, are the guests of Mrs. R. Elliott, Margaret street, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Atkins of Putnam and Mrs. McDonald, of Brownsville, are spending a few days with their aged mother at Stratford.

Miss Nora Chamberlain has resigned her position as organist of the Baptist Taheracle, and in a few days will leave for Toronto, where she purposes residing in future. (From Tuesday's Daily.)

Miss Mary Thompson is visiting friends in London.

Miss Dorothy Elliot: left to-day to visit friends in Wingham.

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