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Sr. Canovas Buried.

Impressive Scene at the Late Premier's Funeral.

The Ameer Making Mischief in Sections of India.

Death of the Man Who Invented Lucifer Matches.

English Postal Clerks Decide Not to Strike—Great Britain and the Transvaal.

DISASTROUS OUTBREAK.

Madrid, Aug. 14.—According to an official dispatch from Manila, Philippine Islands, a serious revolt and outbreak has taken place at the military prison at Papamga. In the efforts to restore order two Spanish soldiers were killed and 73 insurgents. Many were wounded on both sides.

FRENCH COMMERCE.

Paris, Aug. 14.—The official returns just published show that the imports into France for the past seven months were 20,917,000 francs below those of 1896. On the other hand, the exports foot up 177,637,000 francs more than during the same period of 1896. A decree has been gazetted temporarily admitting hard and soft wheat for milling purposes.

BOYISH HOTHEADS.

Rome, Aug. 14.—It is said that King Humbert has sent a dispatch to the Count of Turin and another to Prince Henri of Orleans severely censuring their "boyish hotheadedness." The Paris correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "I understand that the Count of Turin sent a challenge to Prince Henri before Gen. Albertone did. It is reported that King Humbert approves the duel between the two princes, on the ground that it will bring the quarrel to a definite close."

THE MATCH INVENTOR.

London, Aug. 14.—Sir Isaac Holden, who died at his residence, Oakworth House, Keighley, Yorkshire, was in his 91st year. The deceased was born at Hurlet, near Paisley, May 7, 1807, and amid lowly circumstances. The great distinction of his career was his invention of lucifer matches, but a carding machine for wool which he constructed was scarcely inferior in its influence upon trade. For many years he sat in the House of Commons, representing Knaresborough and the northern division of the west riding of Yorkshire. He was one of the patriarchs.

DON CARLO'S CHANCES.

London, Aug. 14.—The Pall Mall Gazette, during the course of a long article upon the increasing activity of the Carlists, says it is not generally known that London is one of the strongholds of the Carlists, thousands of active followers of the claimant of the Spanish throne being located in this city. The Pall Mall Gazette adds: "Their leader seems to think that the fall of Canovas brings their opportunity nearer. During the past week they have held many meetings to discuss the best means of assisting their colleagues in Spain in the event of a rising occurring." The Chevalier Lumbye, head of the Carlist Club, during an interview is quoted as saying: "The Carlists are highly organized throughout Spain. When Don Carlos next lands, nothing but foreign interference will prevent him from reaching the throne. There are ten thousand volunteers in England ready to fight for him."

THE POSTAL TELEGRAPHERS' TROUBLE.

London, Aug. 14.—The telegraphers connected with the postoffice department of the government held a great meeting last evening to discuss the question of a strike in view of the decision of the Duke of Norfolk, the postmaster-general, with respect to the principal grievances recently laid before him by the Telegraph Clerks' Association. The postmaster-general declined to agree to an increase of the maximum salary from £160 to £190, though he promised to relieve the pressure of work by appointing 40 additional superintendents and to abolish technical examinations in the case of candidates for senior grades of clerks. Last night's proceedings showed that the expected and requisite support from the postal telegraph clerks in the provinces is not forthcoming, and the meeting decided not to strike, but to press the claims of the London Association upon the government with greater resolution.

FOR ARBITRATION.

London, Aug. 14.—The Daily News this morning publishes a long interview with United States Senator Geo. Gray, of Delaware, who is now in London. Senator Gray is represented as saying that he heartily approves any attempts to frame a new arbitration treaty acceptable to the Senate. He demurred to the suggestion that Americans had a feeling of dislike for the English. Instancing the great wave of thoughtful opinion against jingoism, which swept over the United States during the Venezuelan difficulty, he asserted that America would be the first to come to the aid of England in any real trouble, such as a hostile European coalition against her.

London, Aug. 14.—The Times this morning publishes a long letter from Hon. Amays Stafford Northcote, of Chicago, youngest brother of the Earl of Iddesleigh, controverting the idea that Americans are hostile to England. Mr. Northcotte says: The majority rather regard Englishmen with indifference and Great Britain as one of the monarchies of Europe. It is probable that the business interests will always prevent a real quarrel.

CABLE NOTES.

Prince Bismarck, in his telegram of condolence to Senora Canovas, says: "I have never bowed my head before any one, but I bow every time I hear the name of Canovas."

The Paris Figaro announces the death of Prof. A. B. Guilford, principal of public school No. 7, Jersey City, N. J., adding that he threw himself from a window while suffering from typhus fever. Prof. Guilford sailed for Europe on June 20 last, with the intention of taking a trip on the continent. He was 45 years of age.

The answer of the sultan to the demands of the United States relative to the rights of American citizens in Morocco is satisfactory, and Americans will henceforth enjoy the same rights as the citizens of other countries.

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THE LANGTRYS.

"Jersey Lily's" Husband Will Take Action to Secure a Divorce.

London, Aug. 14.—Edward Langtry, husband of the notorious "Jersey Lily," stated today that he had come to London to bring suit for absolute divorce from his wife, and that papers in the action would be served on her by his direction this week.

Mr. Langtry observed that he absolutely ignored the California divorce, secured by his wife last spring, and that he had instructed his solicitor to bring suit without regard to the action in the American courts. He said he would name as co-respondents several distinguished personages, a distinguished sporting baronet, an officer of the Guards, and an extravagant patron of the turf, who died in America two or three years ago. Mr. Langtry said that he was convinced he had kept silent too long, and that he was now determined to "put his foot down." He said that he absolutely denied the paternity of the 14-year-old child, Jennie Langtry.

CANOVAS' FUNERAL.

Imposing Ceremonies and a Peculiarly Pathetic Scene.

Madrid, Aug. 14.—The funeral of Senor Canovas del Castillo was a most touching and solemn ceremony. All the troops of the garrison lined the route along which the cortege moved; flags were lowered, and the public buildings, embassies, consulates and clubs were heavily draped with crape. More than a thousand wreaths were deposited in the death chamber. A salvo of artillery announced the starting of the procession, which moved slowly through an enormous crowd, in which all heads were bare and many eyes were weeping.

A peculiarly poignant scene ensued as the Duke of Sotomayos, Marshal Martinet Campos, Marquis Pazo de la Merzed and the other pall-bearers lifted the coffin. Senora Canovas, in a clear, firm voice, said: "I desire that all should know that I forgive the assassin. It is the greatest sacrifice I can make, but I make it for the sake of what I know of my husband's great heart."

Throughout the entire distance between the death chamber and the church, the roadway was strewn with flowers and laurels. The wreath of the queen regent rested upon the coffin, and other floral tributes were carried in special carriages.

All the shops in the city were closed and a very large proportion of the populace that thronged the streets appeared in mourning garb. The entire garrison marched past the coffin, and the service lasted from 4 to 7:30 p.m. The body was interred in the family vault, in the St. Isidoro Cemetery, amid salvos of artillery and the tolling of all the bells in the city.

The procession occupied two and one-half hours in passing a given point. Eight horses drew the hearse.

Telegraphic Brevities.

At the second saengerfest of the Canadian Saengerbund at Berlin, Friday afternoon, the Hamilton Germania singers took first honors. The singing members were under the leadership of Mr. W. E. Kraft.

James R. Leitch, who was arrested on a charge of committing a criminal assault upon Miss L. Cooper, was released by Magistrate Jelfs, at Hamilton, the evidence being insufficient to send the prisoner up for trial.

C. A. Mitchell, of Claremont, Ont., and C. F. Hayes, 546 King street west, Toronto, were thrown out of a sailing boat opposite Brock street wharf, Toronto, on Thursday afternoon. They were rescued by Capt. Tymon, of the Island Queen ferry boat, who has rescued thirteen lives.

Miss Fannie Simpson, a wealthy but eccentric elderly lady, who has lived at the Royal Hotel, Hamilton, for a long time, was taken to the asylum Thursday evening. She was a regular attendant at the performances in the opera house, and her odd apparel and eccentric actions caused much amusement for theater-goers.

Lily Lewis, aged 18, jumped off Milloy's wharf at the Niagara boat landing, Toronto, on Thursday afternoon. A man named Barney Purtel jumped in after the girl, and one of the boathooks went after Barney. Both were saved. The girl was hysterical, joking and weeping by turns, until her mother arrived and took her home.

Let Your Charity be Bright and Attractive.

The inmates of charitable institutions and our deserving town and city poor are with us at all times.

Many of us yearly send the poor our cast-off and half-worn garments, such as dresses, jackets, capes, skirts, coats, vests and pants. By this work hundreds of half-clad people are made warm and comfortable, and are enabled to appear on the streets.

In this work of charity, many donors are making their gifts bright and attractive by the use of Diamond Dyes, The old garments are dyed some suitable color and look quite as well as new ones.

New and fresh colors add to the joys and pleasures of the poor, and the garments do not have the appearance of cold charity.

This work of brightening up old and faded clothes is done at a trifling cost with the Diamond Dyes. Think of this special work, dear ladies, when your bundle of clothing is being prepared for the poor. One packet of Diamond Dye, costing ten cents, will add wonderfully to the value of your donation.

FAGGED OUT.—None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength is gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills.

Cheap Sugar. See India Tea Company's ad, 6th page, Monday. ywt

Our Neighbors.

Mr. Amasa Wood's Present for the New Methodist Church at Muncey — Unlawful Shooting.

D. J. Donahue, solicitor for Jas. E. Berdan, has issued a writ against John Williamson, of South Dorchester, claiming $5,000 for slander.

Mr. Amasa Wood has very kindly given a beautiful set of furniture for pulpit and communion in the new Methodist Church, Muncey, now being erected in the place of the one burned down in April last, for which the Rev. T. Mason and the members of the church are grateful.

Mr. Wm. Watling, of Dorchester, had the misfortune Wednesday to run a hay-fork through his left foot. He had returned from the country with a load of hay, and had just jumped from the load, when the fork fell, piercing clear through the foot and causing a very painful wound.

George Sellar, of the township of Caradoc, charged James Rice, of the same place, with killing and wounding several of his hens and chickens within the last three months. The case came up before Police Magistrate Noble. After hearing the evidence the police magistrate fined Rice $2 and costs, the matter of compensation for the fowls killed being left for the civil court to decide.

The pupils winning the prizes offered by Hon. Geo. W. Ross, at the entrance examination in West Middlesex, were Wm. B. Clarke, at Strathroy, 592 marks; A. M. Graham, of No. 5, Ekfrid, 602 marks, at Glencoe, and Millie Armstrong, of Newbury, at Wardsville, 565 marks. Every year the minister of education offers a prize to the pupil making the highest total in the three high schools in West Middlesex.

GLANWORTH.

Glanworth, Aug. 12.—Thos. Connor, of London, shipped a carload of fat cattle for the Toronto market on Thursday last.

Miss Eliza McTavish left on Wednesday, en route for Seaforth to be a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. McFaul, for a few weeks.

Mrs. (Dr.) Elder, of Seaforth, and Mrs. Duncan McTavish, Yarmouth, left for Union on Wednesday to while away a few days.

Miss Ethel Hare is having an outing at the home of Miss Spilters, of Fingal.

Daniel McInnis has engaged with Peter Currie as thresher.

BOTHWELL.

Bothwell, Aug. 11.—Mr. Chapman, who came into town in the spring, has moved back to his farm in Zone.

Mr. Lewis has rented his cottage.

Miss A. McLean gave a party to her young friends Monday evening.

Wm. McKenzie has been spending a few days in town.

C. J. New has gone to St. Thomas for a few days.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church gave a lawn social on the parsonage grounds last evening, a large number being present, and a very enjoyable time being spent by all. Refreshments were served in abundance and the following programme rendered: The Misses Hardy, duet; Miss E. Kerr, solo; Mrs. Rice, recitation, Miss Bayley, instrumental selection; Miss McLean, recitation; Miss Downing, instrumental. The ladies will clear about $40.

WEST MAGDALA.

West Magdala, Aug. 12.—Archibald, son of the late Donald Munroe, succumbed to a severe attack of bronchial affection Aug. 2, in the 42nd year of his age. The deceased was remarkably modest and unassuming. He never paraded his attainments, although highly gifted as an exceptionally fine tenor singer. He filled the position of chorister for twenty years most efficiently in McBride's Church, under the pastorate of the Rev. Dr. Sutherland, of Fingal, and all that time proved himself a consistent member. The interment took place the Thursday following to the McArthur Cemetery. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Sutherland, of Fingal. The casket was borne by Messrs. Colin McArthur, Colin, Alex. John and Neil Munro.

John McArthur, barrister, of Montreal, is visiting his maternal home, accompanied by his wife and family.

Henry Hunt threshed 240 bushels of wheat from seven acres.

Prominent farmers throughout the northern part of Southwold allege that the yield of wheat will foot up 30 bushels per acre.

R. R. Cranston, cheese-maker, has ingeniously devised a method of conveying the whey from the tank to a distance of about 40 rods to a colossal receptacle where some 140 pigs satiate their thirst.

The Rev. Dr. Sutherland, of Fingal, has filled the position of pastor for 32 years continuously, and this is one of his appointments.

SHEDDEN.

Shedden, Aug. 12.—The picturesque village is situated on the Back street, in close proximity to the Michigan Central Railway, about seven miles distant from St. Thomas, being composed of a population of 400 sturdy sons and daughters of toil. Conspicuous among the lucrative industries are the flax mill, controlled by Robert Livingstone; together with the saw mill projected by Mr. Warwick; planing mill by Mr. Powers; hotel by the genial proprietor, Mr. T. Oliver; undertaking by the stalwart J. McLellan, and brick yard by Mr. McGibbon. The acreage of flax is 500, a gang of 26 being employed during the year.

The unique dwellings, largely of brick, command the admiration of the wayfarer. Four or five buyers of hogs are engaged in the export trade. The highest price paid is about $5 50 per cwt.

CANADIAN STONE DUTY FREE.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 14.—Secretary Gage has instructed the collector of customs at Buffalo, N. Y., to admit to entry the Canadian stone needed for the work on the Buffalo breakwater, pending a final settlement as to the rate of duty, and by whom to be paid. Under this arrangement the work on the improvement will not be delayed. It is said at the treasury that the usual provision in tariff acts admitting free of duty articles of any character intended for government use, was stricken out, so that the duty on this stone will have to be paid by the war department from its present appropriation, or congress may be asked at its next session to remit the duty. Abuse by contractors of the privilege of entering goods free for government use, it is said, was the cause of the provision being stricken out of the present act.

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Men's Stylish Business Suits from neat tweeds, blue and black serges, all the newest colorings, cut from imported and Canadian woolens, equal to the best made-to-measure goods.

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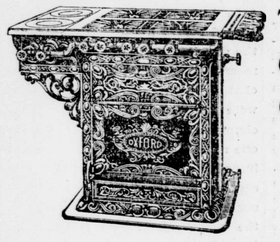

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BORN ON A BOAT.

An Incident Not on the Programme of a Moonlight Excursion.

Hamilton Times: Last evening the Woodmen of the World of Brantford ran a moonlight excursion on the steamer Macassa. About four hundred persons took it in, coming to the city on the T., H. and B. R. The sail was very enjoyable for most of the excursionists. A rather unusual incident occurred on board the boat, while on the lake. Mrs. J. Edmonston, of Brantford, gave birth to a baby boy. Fortunately two Brantford physicians were on board, and they attended to her. She was given every attention by Mrs. Warder, the women's maid on the boat. The passengers christened the baby "Young Macassa."

As soon as the boat struck the wharf Manager Bishop was notified, and he called the ambulance, and the mother and child were removed to the city hospital. Both are doing well today.

A QUESTION OF AGE.

Human Experience Contrasted With a Georgia Judgment.

The Supreme Court of Georgia has decided that a man who has reached his 66th year is "aged." The decision was made under a clause of the constitution of Georgia, exempting the property of "aged and infirm persons" from levy and sale, the law being construed liberally in order to promote its object, the court holding that a man 66 years old is entitled to its protection.

This need not raise unnecessary alarm in the breasts of "those who are old, or are growing old," says the Chicago Times-Herald. Notwithstanding the opinion, it still remains true that a man is "no older than he feels," even though the cogging finger of time does point forward on the dial-plate. Old at 66! Look at Gladstone at 88, and Bismarck at 82! Do they show any diminution of intellectual vigor or activity? Legouve, the French academician, is in his 90th year, Leo XIII. in his 87th, Justice Field in his 82nd, ex-Senator Palmer in his 80th, while Queen Victoria has celebrated in her 78th year the longest English reign in history. These are but a few of the great numbers of men and women in every land today who are exercising a potent influence on the world, and in every walk of life and of human endeavor and aspiration are as active and as useful as ever.

Let no man think achievement is not for him simply because the family record sums up his years to a threatening total. "The sixties," said Red Jacket to his young braves, "have all the twenties and forties in them."

Cato learned Greek at eighty; Sophocles
Wrote his grand Oedipus, and Simonide
Bore off the prize of verse from his compeers
When each had numbered more than four-score years,
And Theophrastus at four-score-and-ten
Had but begun his characters of men.
Chaucer, at Woodstock, with the nightingales
At sixty wrote the Canterbury Tales;
Goethe, at Weimar, toiling to the last,
Completed Faust when eighty years were past.

History resounds with the performances of men whose years numbered threescore or more. My Cid, with the fleecy beard," driving the Moors from Spain, Dandolo, Doge of Venice at 90 and storming Constantinople at 94, and in our own time Von Moltke at 70 conducting a campaign unparalleled for brilliancy and result in the history of war. There are feats of arms; would you search other fields? In science there are Darwin and Spencer and Pasteur and Lister, and if you go back a little, Sir Isaac Newton, who could name a discovery for every one of his 85 years. It was Voltaire, who said that if all the great men of all the ages could be assembled in a congress Sir Isaac Newton would be chosen to preside by unanimous consent.

In literature and art the names of those who in advanced years won imperishable renown are legion. Everybody can recall their names. Milton wrote his great epic when nearly 60. Michael Angelo, at 80, won the triple crown for excellence in painting, sculpture and architecture. Browning, at 77, wrote his most characteristic poem, and Tennyson at 81 gave to the world the most exquisite of his lyrics. We name but a few, for the roll is long.

The Georgia judgment is all right enough for the case before the court, but let no man of 66 think that it applies to him. Let him, after the cheerful manner of his beloved "Autocrat," look old Father Time squarely in the eye and tell him he does not know what he is talking about if he calls him old!

DERIVATION OF SOME NAMES.

[Public Ledger.]

Anna (Luke, ii., 36), the same as Hanan (I. Sam., i., 2-5), Hebrew, Channah, fixed, settled. Gracious. See Sam., i.

Ann, the same as Hannah; ette, French, little. Annette, French diminutive of Ann.

Caroline, Ital., feminine of Carolus, the Lat. of Charles, from the Celtic, karl, a man; or Sax., carl, a male. Strong, noble-spirited.

Dorothy, the same as Dorothea. Gr., doron, a gift; theos, God. The gift of God.

Edith, Edna and Ida. Saxon, ead, ed, happy; fortunate. Happiness.

Helen, the same as Ellen, diminutive of Eleanor, Sax. eal, el, all; eanlan, to bring forth. All-fruitful. Alluring; enticing.

Josephine, French feminine of Joseph, from the Hebrew, Yoseph, added. Increase.

Lucy, feminine of Lucius, Latin, lux, lucis, light. Born at dawn.

Louisa, French feminine of Louis, from the Saxon, leod, people. Defender of the people.

Leonora, Italian, the same as Eleanor.

Margaret, English; Margaretha, German; from the Greek, Margarita. A pearl.

Madeline, French, the same as Magdalena, from the Hebrew, Madala, a plaiter of hair. Exalted: raised; elevated.

The Bladder

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A "Salted" Gold Mine.

Attempt to Sell Bogus Placer Territory.

The Alleged Sample Assayed $500 to the Ton, But Did Not Match the Mine Which Was Near Thessalon, Ont.

Sault Ste. Marie, Aug. 14.—For several days there has been great excitement here and at the Canadian Soo over the reported discovery of a placer gold mine on the Mississauga river, near Thessalon, Ont., which assayed $500 in gold to the ton.

According to the report it was another Klondike, and many prospectors made preparations to start for the newly-discovered gold fields.

The bubble burst yesterday, when a well-known Canadian mineral expert returned from an examination of the mine, with the news that it had been "salted."

The mine, which contains some gold, was discovered some years ago. Last winter a company was formed, the stockholders including well-known residents of the Canadian Soo, Thessalon and Toronto.

Recently an agent took alleged samples from the mine to Toronto and endeavored to dispose of the mine to Toronto capitalists. An assay of the sample showed $500 to the ton. An expert was at once dispatched to the mine, and the capitalists agreed to purchase the mine at a big price, if the expert's report was favorable.

The expert found that the mine did not match the sample in richness. He communicated this intelligence to the Toronto capitalists. The latter then obtained microscopical examination of the sample and discovered that it had been "salted" with gold filings, containing an alloy of copper, such as is found in gold currency. The deal was declared off.

The expert who visited the mine says that sand as rich as the alleged sample might possibly be found in a pocket, yet he has no doubt but that the mine was salted. There is no positive proof against anyone, but men at Thessalon and Toronto make charges against each other.

There is great excitement. It is expected there will soon be other interesting developments.

"FELL DEAD"

What More Every-day Heading Do You Read in the Paper Than That?—They Are Legion.

Don't dally with heart disorders. There is but one cure. "I had been for a number of years sorely afflicted with heart disease. At times my life was despaired of. Doctors had prescribed, and I had taken every known heart remedy made, I had supposed, and did not get any benefit. I read of the wonderful cures wrought by Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. I procured a bottle, and in less time almost than it takes to tell it, the distress was relieved. I followed the direction closely, and today I am a well woman again, and I shall do all in my power to make known to every one suffering as I did the wonderful cure it worked for me. Mrs. Wm. Burton, Dartmow, Ont."

For sale by C. McCallum and B. A. Mitchell.

GRADED ASSESSMENTS.

Discussed at the Session of the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge—Galt the Next Meeting Place.

Belleville, Aug. 14.—At the meeting of grand lodge, I. O. O. F., the report of the committee on dues and benefits, which recommended graduated assessments, dues and benefits, was discussed at great length, and the report was finally directed to be printed and sent to lodges for consideration next year, with an estimate of the amount of benefits, which can be paid on an annual contribution of $6 a year. It was decided to appropriate $1,000 this year for the home, and directors were elected as follows: P. G. S. Campbell, London, three years; G. R. Hoyle, two years; G. M. White, one year. Grand lodge adjourned at 10:30 p.m.

The proposal to appoint an officer to visit weak lodges was defeated.

The decision of the G. M. that a member may change his occupation of a bartender was reversed, owing to a contrary decision of the sovereign grand lodge being on record.

In the case of Delta Lodge, which had unauthorizedly solicited funds to aid in rebuilding their hall, which had been destroyed by fire, the lodge was, after explanation, allowed to retain the money.

Galt was chosen as the next place of meeting.

A system of non-beneficial membership, with dues of not less than $1 per year, was adopted.

The grand officers were installed as follows: J. A. Young, G. M.; J. E. Farwell, D. G. M.; J. McClurg, G. W.; J. B. King, G. S.; W. J. McCormick, G. T.; George Geddes, G. M.; R. H. Perry, G. Con.; G. W. Simpson, G. G.; R. H. Rowe, G. H.; Rev. A. T. Geen, G. C.

"DAUGHTERS" NO LONGER.

Rebekah Assembly Choose Officers and Change the Order's Name.

Belleville, Aug. 14.—At the recent session of the Rebekah Assembly, Past Grand Sire Dr. Campbell installed the following officers: President, Mrs. Jane Luscombe, Sarnia; vice-president, Mrs. Alma Brill, Guelph; treasurer, Mrs. Nellie Dodson, Chatham; secretary, Mrs. Maggie Waddell, St. Thomas; warden, Mrs. Maggie Pierce, Toronto; marshal, Mrs. Jane McCallum, Almonte; conductor, Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, Amherstburg; I. G., Mrs. M. A. Stoddart, Hamilton; O. G., Miss Ellen Hull, Niagara Falls; chaplain, Mrs. Mary Pearson, London.

The assembly will meet next year at the place of the grand lodge meeting, which is expected to be Galt.

The name of the order has been altered to Sisters of Rebekah.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."