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ADELAIDE.
Adelaide, Nov. 18.—Mr. George Batters,
of Adelaide, is at present in Forest, on
visit to his daughter, Mrs. Van Valken-
burg.
Miss Lella Thompson, of Strathroy,
visited Miss F. Miner for a few days last
week.
Miss L. Martin spent a few days with
friends in Arkona last week.
W. J. Galloway is acting as clerk dur-
ing the illness of our worthy friend,
J. Miller, who is lying seriously ill at his
home.
Misses A. and F. Miner and friend, Miss
L. Thompson, were guests of Mrs. W.
Eastman one day last week.

GLADSTONE.
Gladstone Nov. 18.—Anniversary ser-
mons for the Baptist Church were pre-
ached on Sunday, morning, afternoon and
evening, to large congregations by Rev.
Mr. Morton, of Toronto. The choir fur-
nished special music.
On Monday evening Rev. Mr. Rae, of
New Sarum, gave a very interesting lec-
ture, "Through Five Republics in South
America on Horses." The lecture was
given by Mrs. L. Yelch and A. D. Brown, and
special music was rendered by the choir.
Rev. J. G. H. of Toronto, gave a
short address. The proceeds amounted
to \$15.
Mr. Percy Cooper is visiting friends in
St. Marys.

Miss Mabel Robinson, of London, is the
guest of her friend, Mrs. Stanley Mac-
Callum.
The many friends of Mrs. John Mac-
Callum are pleased to hear that she is
recovering from her recent illness.
Miss Ethel Gregory, of St. Marys, has
returned home from visiting relatives
here.

WILTON GROVE.
Wilton Grove, Nov. 20.—Pro-comunion
services will be held in the First Pres-
byterian Church here on Thursday of this
week at 11 a.m. Rev. W. M. Kay, of
Dorchester Station, will preach. In the
afternoon, at 2:30, Rev. Mr. Kay will
preach in St. Andrew's Church, Glan-
worth.

Mr. Will Murray, who has been in Man-
itoba for the past few months, has re-
turned home, looking hale and hearty.
His friends are pleased to see him back.
Among those taking part in the pro-
gramme of the Young People's Society last
week was Mr. T. H. Nichol, whose name
was omitted in the report.
Dr. Merchand is expected to give a
lecture under the auspices of the Young
People's Society in the near future.

Mr. Francis Nichol, sen., has been out-
rigger for the last few days. His friends
hope to see him out again soon.

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Consumptive Syrup is the result of patient
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appears.

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maker and that of the land in which
he practiced his art have both been
lost to history, Egyptian sculptures
prove that the art was practiced at
least 2,000 years before the time of
Christ.

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have taken kindly to the barched
pilot. The school and health authori-
ties encourage it.

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**THIRTY-FIVE
YEARS AGO
TODAY**

(From The Advertiser of Nov. 20, 1870.)

The inmates of the Orillia asylum for
the number of about one hundred and
twenty, with their keepers, arrived at
the new asylum here last evening.
Those at Amherstburg will not be re-
moved until next week.

We have been requested to state that
the reason that Victoria bridge has
not been finished is the scarcity of
three-inch plank. Within a few days
the requisite material will be on hand
and then the repairs will be com-
pleted without delay.

The adjourned meeting of the Re-
formers of London will be held on
Tuesday evening next in the Temper-
ance Hall, Richmond Street, at 7:30,
when the election of officers and other
matters connected with the organiza-
tion of a Reform Association will be
proceeded with.

The eastern controversy: Berlin—
News is received from London, Vienna
and Brussels, especially from the for-
mer city that the English Government
has taken most active and determined
measures, both in official, consular and
military departments, that must
should the Russian circular be not
withdrawn, inevitably precipitate war
between Russia and Great Britain.
The Morning Post says: Russia must
recent or embark in a war, insuring
her humiliation. The feeling today in
England is somewhat peaceful, but
there is still a strong undercurrent of
excitement.

The Franco-Prussian Fight: The

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BELTZ
FINE FURS.

Prussians occupy the heights of Cher-
sey. A severe battle is raging be-
fore Droux, since this afternoon. Re-
sult unknown. Von der Tann occupies
a line extending from the Paris and
Orleans Railway to Bonnel. The at-
tack at Arthenay was of trifling im-
portance.

According to an official statement
the number of German soldiers now on
French territory is 850,000; 740,000
of these belong to Prussia and the North
German Confederation.

LONDON AND DISTRICT.

—Dr. C. C. Ross has opened a gen-
eral store at Hyde Park.

—Mr. J. P. Holden, of Toronto, is
spending a few days here.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lee, of Glen-
coe, have moved to this city for the
winter.

—Dr. H. R. Abbott, of this city, has
been elected president of the Dominion
Dental Association.

—The London Electric Company will
build a new boiler house on their plant
on York street.

—Mrs. C. K. Morgan will receive at
Waverley on Wednesday and Thursday
afternoons of this week, Nov. 22 and 23.

—A Springfield car jumped the
tracks at Railroad street Saturday af-
ternoon, and tied up the South Lon-
don system for an hour.

—Mr. W. O. Patton, former tenor
soloist of the Wesley Methodist
Church, Hamilton, sang in St. An-
drew's church last evening.

—Mr. Ed. Porritt, representing the
Yorkshire Fust and the Glasgow Hosi-
ers, is in the city to attend the meet-
ings of the tariff commission.

—Mr. A. J. Stone, of London, has
been appointed organist of the Ham-
mond Street Methodist Church, Hamilton. He
will commence his duties forthwith.

—Miss Marjorie W. Webster, of Victo-
ria Hospital, is spending a week at
her home, Mount Pleasant, Swaburg.

—The Entomological Society held a
most interesting meeting on Saturday
night last. Dr. Woolverton gave an ad-
dress on scientific research at Kettle
Point. Professor Brown presided.

—Ex-Comp. R. W. Evans, of this
city, grand superintendent of the
Royal Arch Chapter for London dis-
trict, paid an official visit on Friday
evening to Mumewaua Chapter at
Parkhill.

—At Bennett's Vaudeville Theater on
Saturday night, Willie and Dorothy
Leard were awarded first prize for their
singing. They sang "I Wish the Band
Would Play" very pleasingly, and
were easily first.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Patrick and
family, of Lambeth, wish to kindly
thank the young friends of D. S. Per-
rin & Co.'s for the beautiful wreath
sent by them on the occasion of the
death of a member of the family.

—Mr. G. M. Heaton, the fire insur-
ance expert of the Canadian Manufac-
turers' Association, is to address the
board of trade on local insurance
problem on Friday night. The insur-
ance men of the city have been in-
vited to attend.

—A former resident of this city, Mr.
W. J. Pannell, died in the Woodstock
hospital on Friday. Mr. Pannell moved
from London to Woodstock some years
ago. He took an active part in the Y.
M. C. A., the Masonic Order and the I.
O. O. F. He leaves a wife and one
child. The remains will be interred
here.

—Tonight the choir of St. Andrew's
Church will give one of its services of
praise. An exceptionally fine pro-
gramme of sacred selections will be
rendered by the popular musical or-
ganization. The special artists en-
gaged on the occasion are Mrs. Adam
Eck and Mr. Samuel L. Slade, basso,
of Detroit.

—The "At Home" given by Misses
Deland and Marsh, 510 Wellington
street, on Thursday evening, was the
most delightful event. The reception
room was beautifully decorated with
golden and silver ornaments.
About 50 guests were present. The
only out-of-town friends present were
Miss Bess, of Ingersoll, and Miss
Thompson, of Strathroy.

—Mr. C. F. Routledge, of Hyde Park,
went hunting some distance from
Hyde Park the other day, and soon
tired a large coon. An attempt was
made to dislodge the animal, and
when this failed, it was shot. The coon
was pure white with pink eyes. This
species is very rare, and is only found
occasionally. The coon is in the hands
of a taxidermist, and will be mounted.

—A new and spirited musical setting
has been arranged for Dr. Drummond's
Canadian National Anthem, "Canadian
Over All," by C. E. Wheeler, organist
of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.
It will be sung for the first time at
Dr. Drummond's service in the Audi-
torium, Nov. 28, by Albert Greenlaw,
the well-known basso, who will also
contribute other numbers to the pro-
gramme.

CAUGHT IN ELEVATOR.

Janitor Borland, of the Bank of Tor-
onto Chambers, was caught in the
elevator in that building on Saturday,
and was saved from injury by two
ladies, who released him, and got him
out safely.

HIGH PRICES FOR COWS.

Milch cows brought high prices on
Saturday at Auctioneer Hunt's sale of
springers and milch cows belonging to
Mr. S. Dart. The average price paid for
40 new milch cows was \$50.75. The
highest price was \$67.50. Eight other
cows, not in good condition, sold for
an average price of \$23.25. The total
proceeds of the sale were \$2,300. Most
of the cows were bought by city milks.

SONG SERVICE

A special song service was given at
the First Methodist Church last even-
ing. Rev. J. W. Graham preached on
"The Shepherd and the Sheep," and
all the music was particularly ap-
propriate. The choir appeared to
splendid advantage in the anthems.
The soloists were Miss Ellar, Miss
Fowler, and Messrs. Harding, Crook,
and Garthwaite. There will be a series
of these song services this winter.

PRESENTED WITH A CANE.

The members of Victoria Lodge, No.
1, Daughters of Rebekah, with their
friends, spent a social evening recent-
ly. A pleasing feature was the pre-
sentation to Bro. S. W. Priestley of a
gold-headed cane. The address ac-
companying the presentation was read
by Sister (Mrs.) Logan, and the pre-
sentation was made by Miss Nellie Lo-
gan. Bro. Priestley replied in an ap-
propriate manner.

THE AUDITORIUM POP.

Mr. Rechab Tandy of Toronto, was
the principal feature of the Audi-
torium Pop on Saturday night. Mr.
Tandy spent most artistically and with
splendid dramatic expression. His
most pleasing effort was "The Death
of Nelson." All his numbers were en-
cored. Mr. Tandy, of the City, sang
a couple of baritone solos in good
voice. Miss Robson, reader, delighted
the audience with her numbers.

TALKED TO NEWSPAPER MEN.

At the regular weekly meeting of the
Press Club on Saturday night, Editor
Jaffray, of the Evening Star, ad-
dressed the members on the subject of
municipal ownership, and incidentally
handed out some good advice to young
newspaper men. Mr. Jaffray, who is
Postmaster Cameron, and Senator Col-
fey, also spoke, giving pithy and in-
teresting addresses. During the evening
Mr. Cyril Dwight, Editor of the
couple of solos in his own pleasing
manner, and Mr. Charles E. Wheeler
favored with several piano selections.

THE MEN'S MEETING.

A large audience of men assembled
at the Auditorium on Thursday, to hear
the special programme which the Y.
M. C. A. had arranged. Mr. Rechab
Tandy sang three solos by request,
"The Holy City," "The Holy Spirit,"
and "A Clean Heart." Mr. Tandy's fine
tenor voice showed to advantage in
each. Mr. Tandy's address, "The
Fervent Heart and Perfect Self-Man-
agement," was a most interesting and
valuable. Mr. T. Harold Meek, of Port
Stanley, sang well a baritone selec-
tion, "Capt. Hoofstiller, of Sterling."
He gave an interesting address on "Ex-
ample." Next Sabbath J. W. Ben-
gough, the noted cartoonist, will give
an illustrated address.

**STEPPED IN FRONT OF SPECIAL
AND RECEIVED FATAL INJURIES**

**Wm. Stewart, G. T. R. Section
Foreman at Komoka, Meets
Tragic End.**

William Stewart, section foreman of
the Grand Trunk Railway at Komoka,
was struck by the football special from
Petrolia yesterday afternoon. By the
time he was taken to the hospital he
died here.

According to the stories of the pas-
sengers of the train, the accident was
due to thoughtlessness on the part of
Stewart. In Komoka yards a couple
of freight cars were standing on the siding
near the station. The noise apparently
drowned the sound of the approaching
train. Stewart, who was on the siding,
crossed the tracks at the east end of
the freight, and he stepped directly in
front of the Petrolia special. He re-
ceived terrible injuries. The left side
of the body was crushed, and the skull
was fractured. Inside of half an hour
he died.

Stewart was 40 years of age, and had
died half an hour after reaching here.
The Petrolia train was in charge of
Conductor Ironsides with Engineer
Langlois at the throttle of engine 440.

**NEW PRESIDENT
IS A. ANDERSON**

**Western Ontario Travelers'
Mutual Benefit Society Elects
Officers for 1906.**

The quarterly meeting of the West-
ern Ontario Commercial Travelers'
Mutual Benefit Society was held on
Thursday afternoon in the office of Sec-
retary Alf Robinson. The object of
the meeting was to elect officers for
1906. The following were elected:

President—A. Anderson, London.
First Vice-President—Robt. Tait,
London.
Second Vice-President—J. W. Wm.
Treasurer—J. H. Crab, London.
Directors—J. M. Ferguson, J. H.
Glass, T. T. Moore, A. Munro, J. C.
S. Switzer, A. Badenach, Geo. T. Det-
lor, W. Q. Phillips, W. J. Garraut,
London; B. F. Honsinger, St. Thomas;
John Lennox, Hamilton; F. W. Heath,
F. W. Greig and W. Wilber, Toronto;
Wm. Storey, Sarnia; A. E. Merritt,
Chatham; J. E. Ferguson and R. G.
Bickerton, Woodstock; James Dow-
Stratford, Capt. Robert Dillon, Osh-
awa; James F. Smyth, Windsor; J.
Ratz, New Hamburg; R. G. B. Moore,
Aylmer; T. Harry Slater, F. Morton
Moore, and J. F. McCrea, Winnipeg;
London; Vancouver; J. T. Green.

A cordial and unanimous vote of
thanks was accorded to retiring
President, T. H. Robinson, for his valuable
services during his two-year term of
office, and in acknowledging the same
Mr. Barbour expressed his gratification
at the cordial and harmonious op-
eration of the society. The large
amount annually paid to the families
of deceased members, and the value of
material value in a large number of
cases, while the average cost had been
effectively demonstrated to be very
low. The death record for the current
year had kept well within the normal,
and it was very probable that a hand-
some addition would be made to the
reserve fund. He thanked all the of-
ficers and members for their kind
support and assistance and assured
them that he would always take a
warm interest in their future and the
beneficent work of the society.

Among the members present on Sat-
urday were:

A. E. Barbour, president; Alf Robn-
son, secretary; A. Anderson, Robert
Tait, J. F. Lewis, W. C. Grant, J. M.
Ferguson, Gunther, B. S. Switzer, J.
T. Green, W. Q. Phillips, W. R. Grant,
C. W. Nicholls and W. L. Underwood.

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INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATE.

On Friday evening next an intercol-
legiate debate will be held in the West-
ern University between the literary
societies of the university and the lit-
erary society of the Ontario Agricultural
College, at Guelph. The question for
debate will be, "Resolved, that the
present position of leadership of Japan
in Asia is likely to induce a retro-
grade movement in world's civiliza-
tion." This resolution will be sup-
ported by Messrs. H. B. Smith and W.
A. Munro, of the O. A. C., senior class,
and opposed by Messrs. Fred Landon
and D. J. Cornish, of the final year at
the university. The debate will com-
mence at 8 o'clock, and as the seating
capacity at the university is limited,
the public will do well to be on hand
in good time. There will be no ad-
mission fee. A special train will be
run from Guelph to bring up the stu-
dents and friends of the O. A. C.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS.

A series of evangelistic services was
begun yesterday in the Empress Ave-
nue Methodist Church, under the lead-
ership of Miss Kathleen Morton, of
Toronto, the well-known evangelist. In
the morning Rev. I. B. Walkin, the as-
sisted him when a pastor in the town
of Leamington, with great ability and
success, and that she had been used
of God in many places in his ordinary
many to a new life of piety and
righteousness. Her subject in the
morning was, "Christ Near in the
Storm," and in the evening "Peter's
Denial." Both sermons were thought-
ful and effective. With a clear mind,
a fervent heart and perfect self-man-
agement and propriety, Miss Morton held
her audience from beginning to end.
The meetings, which were attended yes-
terday by large congregations, con-
tinue throughout the week, beginning
with a song service at 7:45.

**Special Sale of
Furniture
Coverings**
CONTINUES THIS WEEK

A rare chance to secure Coverings at a great
reduction. \$1.25 and \$1.00 goods for 75c

Madras For hangings and draperies, in plain red and
plain green, at 40c a yard.
Fringes to match at 5c, 10c, 15c, 18c and 25c.

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and effect, from 50c to \$1.25 a yard.

**Special Bargains in
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3 only best quality satcen, 4-
inch double frill, \$1.25, for 90c
1 only Fancy Denim, with cord
and tassels, \$1.35, for \$1.00
2 only Striped Satcen, double
frill, \$2.00 for \$1.10
1 only Oriental Coloring Satin,
heavy cord, \$3.00, for \$2.10
1 only Embroidered Silk, pale
pink, with cord and tassels,
\$3.50 for \$2.90

Tapestry Curtains
In reds, greens, gold and tabac,
at \$2.50, \$3.50 and upwards.
New line of Tapestry Table
Covers, with plain and fancy
centers, extra value, from 60c
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BOYS' RUSSIAN STYLE OVERCOATS, in brown
shade, with fur trimming and belts, fancy tweed,
with reversible lining and belts; also shades of gray,
plaid backs and belts, finest of material. Regular
\$4.50 to \$6.00, for \$3.75

BOYS' 2-PIECE SUITS, all pure wool material, Lion
Brand goods, double seats and double knees, sizes
28 to 33. Regular \$3.50 and \$4.00, to clear, \$2.95

BOYS' LOOSE FITTING TWEED OVERCOATS, all
pure wool material, with belts (A 1 lining), extra
long lengths, 28 to 33, special, \$3.95

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MEN'S LOOSE FITTING
OVERCOATS, purest of
wool material, plain
shades and fancy stripes, best of lining (C. M. R.
brand), fit guaranteed. Regular \$10.00 and \$12.50
for, \$7.