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THE HOLIDAY PAPER
Monday being a legal holiday, there will be a morning edition of The Advertiser, which will be delivered to all subscribers.

SOUTH LONDON LIBERALS
Important Meeting To Be Held This Evening.

The attention of South London Liberals is called to a meeting to be held this evening in Treblecock's Hall.

Every Liberal is requested to attend, as business of importance is to be transacted. The meeting starts at 8 o'clock.

LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Miss Annie Johnston, of Highgate, is visiting with relatives in this city.

—Mr. W. A. Robinson, of Elm, Mass., is on a visit to his parents at The Grove, London township.

—Mrs. R. A. Wyllie, of Winnipeg, and children, are visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Southern, 86 Maple street.

—Mr. George Morley, of this city, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Morley, at New Hamburg.

—Mr. W. H. B. Mooney and wife, of this city, are having a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mooney at Rondeau.

—Miss Butler, dermatologist, 253½ Dundas street, returned from a short visit with her mother in Port Dover.

—Mr. C. E. Westervelt and wife, of Galt, are spending the holidays at the home of the former's parents, Dundas street, west.

—Mr. P. H. McEwan, of the custom house, Windsor, returned home after a pleasant visit with his aunt, Mrs. McMullen, York street.

—Mr. John A. Campbell, of the Worthy road, South London, is visiting for a few days with Mr. Wm. Watson, of Montreal.

—Mrs. Jarvis Dixon, of London, has been taking care of her sister, Mrs. Emerson Gardner, of South Woodlee, who has been ill.

—Mr. J. H. B. Dawson, who came home to visit his mother, Mrs. R. J. Dawson, who has been very ill, has left for London, England.

—The Dundas Street Methodist Church will not hold a watchnight service on Wednesday, Wednesday will have a special covenant service.

—Dr. T. P. Flaherty, of Massey Station, Algoma, is visiting his former home at Thorndale. He intends to visit friends in this city before he returns.

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On New Year's afternoon a special matinee will be given at the London Vaudeville Theatre. The regular prices. The bill will, of course, be brand new.

CHRIST'S SECOND COMING.

A series of sermons on the subject of the second coming of Christ will be commenced tomorrow in the Christian Workers' Church by Rev. G. A. MacKenzie. The subject of tomorrow's sermon will be "Coming, Surely, Suddenly." Unquestionably.

WILL BURN THE MORTGAGE.

At the Talbot Street Baptist Church on Thursday evening next, the congregation will assemble to witness the interesting ceremony of burning the mortgage, which was recently closed by a magnificent offering on the part of the people. The occasion will be a happy one.

LONDONERS AT KEENANVILLE.

On New Year's morning, Keenanville, Ont., will be the scene of a large number of young people Thursday evening in honor of their son and daughter, Robert and Lillian, of this city. Guests were present from Barrie, Tottenham and Toronto. Mr. M. T. West, graduate of the University of Toronto, was the featured baritone, was present, and sang several selections, which were much appreciated.

CANADIAN CLUB AT BOSTON.

On January 1, the Canadian Club, of Boston opens club rooms at 15 Beacon street, adjoining Hotel Bellevue. They will consist of elegantly appointed reading and writing rooms, where Canadian and British papers and magazines will be on file. The rooms will be open during the day and evening. A visitor's book will be kept, and persons wishing to visit will register their local addresses. Friends can thereby become acquainted with their whereabouts. The Canadian Club desires to bring the establishing of their rooms to the attention of the Canadian people and requests them when visiting Boston to call on them and themselves of the privileges afforded. They must, however, be introduced by a member of the club.

MARRIED AT ST. THOMAS.

A very pretty wedding took place on Thursday evening in St. Thomas when Mr. Walter J. Proctor, of this city, was married to Miss Gertrude Hayward, of London, and Mr. George A. Wilford was best man. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Dr. Gifford, the company sat down to a dainty wedding breakfast, and the happy couple left for their London home, amid the best wishes of the large company of friends present on the interesting occasion.

HAGGARD—HARPER.

At the residence of Mrs. Alice Haggard, of Talbot street, Aylmer, on evening of Dec. 28, a very pretty and happy event transpired, when her daughter Maud was wedded to Mr. Harry Haggard, a young farmer, near Aylmer. The interior was artistically decorated and the strains of the Wedding March, played by Miss Maud Haggard, sounded peculiarly sweet as the bride entered the room, carrying a bouquet of white carnations, and attended by Miss Grace Kilgour, of Aylmer. The groom was supported by the bride's brother, Mr. Lorne Harper, of Midland, Mich. The bride was beautifully gowned in white organdie, over white silk, with trimmings of white chiffon, and a bridal veil. The ceremony, which was performed by Rev. W. G. H. McAllister, pastor of

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