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LONDON AND DISTRICT
—Mrs. Holmes, of London, is visiting with Mr. Brodie, Tillsonburg.

—The Bishop of Huron will preach in Christ Church tomorrow evening.

—Mrs. Charlotte Phillips, Windsor, has returned home after a month's stay with her parents at 504 Quebec street.

—Mr. Alexander Housen, cutter for A. E. Anderson & Co., Chicago, is visiting his family, 585 Hill street, for a few days.

—Rev. D. Grant, pastor of the Baptist Church, Stratford, and brother of the late Rev. Alex. Grant, formerly of London, has resigned owing to ill-health.

—Mr. Will Whitehall, of this city, will leave next Wednesday for Detroit, where he has accepted a position as manager with the Pioneer Woolen Mills Company.

—Mrs. Boomer and Mrs. Yarker, of this city, will address the women of Ingersoll on Monday, at 1 o'clock. Mrs. Yarker will give a report of the meeting of National Council of Women held in Winnipeg last September.

—Friends of Mr. Bert Yealand, an ex-soldier, will be pleased to learn of his further advancement in railway circles. He has been made assistant settlement clerk for the R.R. Railway in their audit office at Cincinnati.

—An important meeting of the W. C. T. U. will take place in Somerset Hall on Tuesday next at 3:45 p.m. It will take the form of a prayer service, and all friends interested in moral reform are cordially invited. The subject will be, "Our Country and the Election."

—The preacher at First Presbyterian Church Sunday forenoon will be the able and energetic Field Secretary of Misses Rev. E. J. McLaren, whose story of the successful efforts being made to have the Gospel keep pace with population in New Canada is of patriotic interest.

—Mr. C. H. Ralph, graduate of the Agricultural College, Guelph, who has been engaged for the past five years in the Maple Grove city and butter factory, has accepted a position as manager of the Hawkesbury Dairy Company. His many friends wish him success in his new field of labor.

—Mr. Ralph is one of the best dairymen in Western Ontario. He is a son of Mr. J. J. Ralph, of the Broken Front road, Westminster Township.

TOBACCO SLIDE OPENED.
The toboggan slide of the Ladies' Golf Club at Wolseley Barracks was most successfully opened last evening. The moonlight and the fine weather enabled the tobogganers to enjoy themselves very much.

SUNDAY APPointments.
The students of Huron College have been appointed for the following places on Sunday:

—Riv. E. C. Cox,
—George E. E. Powell,
—Port Burwell—D. J. Cornish,
—Comber—H. P. Westgate,
—Point Edward—J. M. Horton,
—Inwood—T. J. Hamilton,
—Home for Invalids—H. M. Shaw,
—Aged People's Home—P. K. Hughes.

WANTED IN TORONTO.
Detectives Nickle and Egerton arrested Sgt. Samuel Gould, of the Twelfth Regiment, Toronto, at Wolseley Barracks, last evening. The man is wanted by the Toronto police authorities for a theft alleged to have been committed some time ago. Gould was taking a course of instruction and he proved to be unusually short in his case. An officer is expected from Toronto today to take the man home.

PALACE ACADEMY HOP.
Messrs. Dayton & McCormick entertained over 150 guests at their regular hop at the Palace Dancing Academy last evening. The dancing and musical programme proved to be the most popular of the season, every number being enjoyed.

ALLEGED HORSE THIEF.
Chief Constable Offman, of Aylmer, brought an alleged horse thief to the city last evening and placed him behind the bars in the police station over night. The prisoner is Claud Denon, a young man not over 18 years of age, and he is charged by Mr. Fitzgerald, who lives near Aylmer, with having stolen a horse, cutter and robes from him. It is alleged that Denon succeeded in making his way to Sarnia with the property, and that he traded the horse at Port Huron, where he

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was arrested. He was taken to Aylmer today to be tried on the charge.

FESTIVAL CHORUS REHEARSAL.
All chorale singers, and in fact any with a good voice, is invited to the first rehearsal of the Festival chorus in the city hall, next Tuesday evening. This chorus, under the direction of Mr. A. D. Jordan, is to prepare "Elijah" and "Faust" for the May Festival with the Thomas Orchestra of Chicago.

LOBO LIBERALS.
The Lobo Reformers have announced their annual meeting for Monday next, Jan. 22, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at Coldstream, and arrangements have been made with W. H. Taylor, of the North Middlesex, to date; George C. Gibbons, of this city, and others to deliver speeches. A large attendance is requested by the association.

FOOTBALL CLUB AT HOME.
The officers and members of the London Rugby Football Club were "at home" at the Masonic Temple last night. A year ago at this date conditions were the very reverse. From the middle of November there had been no let-up in the severe weather; snow, ice, and sleet had been in all directions, and double-header trains had the greatest difficulty in moving the small amount of cars that they tried to transport. "Finally," says a local item of Jan. 21, 1904, "the Grand Trunk gave up for the time being trying to move cars, and the passengers and livestock trains through."

On the C. P. R. the freight was moved last evening, while on the G. N. R. the L. E. and D. R. R. everything was absolutely at a standstill, not a train moving all day. Similar reports came from all terminal points throughout the west. "The same night a sleet and rainstorm demoralized the telegraph wires; freight traffic on the Bruce and Stratford lines was stopped, and only passenger trains were moved. The temperature at that date, however, was not abnormally low, the range in this locality being 22 degrees to 32 degrees above zero.

THE LATE MRS. BARTER.
The death occurred recently, after an illness extending over two years, of Mrs. Mary A. Barter, of London Township, widow of the late Eli Barter.

Mrs. Barter was a daughter of the late Cassar McLeod. She was in her 72nd year, and had resided all her life within a mile of her birthplace. Mrs. Barter was a member of the Methodist Church, and a devoted Christian mother, unselfish and full of faith.

She is survived by four sons—Harris B. Dickey, James N. John W. and Joseph W. Barter; two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Howe, of Maplewood; Mrs. W. G. Huser, with whom she resided, and Mrs. T. E. Colbert, of London Township; two brothers, John, of West Nisour, and Joseph, of London Junction, and four sisters, Mrs. Vincent, Mrs. Carrie and Miss McLeod, of London, and Mrs. Chalmers, of Thamesford. The funeral service, which was attended by many friends, was conducted in Silem by Rev. Mr. Fair, who spoke very impressively. The solo, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," was sung by Miss Edith Fair.

MR. BECK GAVE THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM A WIDE BERTH

Failed to Explain Many Things at the Town Hall Meeting of the East London Electors.

COMPLETELY IGNORED THE RECTORY STREET LINE

Other Matters Affecting the Ratepayers Were Given the Go-By—Ex-Ald. Judd Fumes at the Advertiser, Which "Got After Him"—Premier Ross Attacked.

A meeting in the interests of Mr. Beck was held in the East End Hall last night. The chair was not taken by Dr. English until nearly 8:30 o'clock, by which time the building was well-filled. Mr. Beck was given a hearty welcome as he entered some time after the speech-making commenced, and again when he arose to address the electors there was considerable applause. First Lieutenant Gray was also cordially received. The features of the gathering were the prominent part the Advertiser played in it, and the manner in which Mr. Beck carefully avoided all reference to many of the charges made against him by the electors.

He did not even tell why he ruled urgency in the matter of the bylaw authorizing the London Street Railway Company to tear up the Rectory street line.

He did not tell the electors how Albert street, on which his factory is situated, could have a broken-stone roadway, and also have a sewer constructed out of the general funds, while other streets in the city could not have such favors.

He did not tell the electors how Wellington street, in rear of his residential property, was graded and gravelled at the expense of the people, although it was announced before the work was undertaken that a portion of the cost was to be borne by the street railway.

He did not tell, either, why he ignored the ratepayers in the matter of the "Nurses' Home," why he considered it necessary to issue \$25,000 of debentures for the building without first taking a vote of the people, or why he ignored the lowest tender for the work, and awarded the contract to Jones Bros., his close political friends, whose price was \$500 higher than that of the lowest tender, who, by the way, was a Liberal.

Neither did he tell why he neglected his legislative duties to such an extent as to allow the City of London to be apparently none better than the City of London, and why he considered himself entitled to draw the full indemnity for one session.

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CONVERSAT IN FEBRUARY
Western University Literary Society Decides to Hold One.

A special meeting of the University Literary Society was held yesterday in the reception room, with Dr. James in the chair. The executive of the society recommended that a conversation be held during February in the university, and this recommendation was adopted.

Mr. Fred Landon was appointed to represent the university at the Guelph O. A. C. conversation next Friday evening.

The class debates, which have been a special feature of college life during the spring term, for several years past, are to be made a feature of the year followed by Dr. Tamblin, who arranges the debates has been to hold a debate every second week, the alternate week being devoted to a criticism of the speakers.

The council of the Aroopagus met on Friday afternoon, with President Grass in the chair. The programme consisted of impromptu speeches by several of the members and readings by Messrs. Landon and Grass.

The next meeting of the Literary Society will be held on Thursday evening, Jan. 26. The public are cordially invited to attend.

Lobo Reformers
The annual meeting of Lobo Reformers will be held at Coldstream, on Monday evening, Jan. 23, at 7:30. Speeches will be given by W. H. Taylor, George C. Gibbons and others. By order of Lobo Reform Association. 16-u

—Mrs. Beasley, Port Stanley, was driving across the Pere Marquette tracks on the L. and P. S. gravel road when the cutter caught in the rails and upset. Mrs. Beasley had one of her arms broken and her face injured.

PITTSBURG ORCHESTRA ENGAGED.
The Pittsburgh Orchestra, under Emil Paur, the celebrated conductor and pianist, is to appear at the second annual concert of the London Male Chorus Club in the Opera House, Tuesday, Feb. 14. The chorus is working hard on the numbers allotted to them, and promise to better the splendid reputation made at their appearance last season. Subscription lists are at music stores, and with members of the chorus.

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