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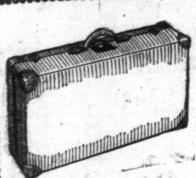
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******** Our Exchanges

H DS CHATHAM AS AN EXAM-

Judge Barron, of Stratford, in an open letter to Mayor Stamp on road improvement, says among other

things:
I surely may be permitted to say that I honestly and sincerely believe that the bad condition of our leading ing thoroughfares is a serious merace to Stratford's reputation as a business centre in the estimation of ing thoroughlares is a serious menage to Stratford's reputation as a business centre in the estimation of people whose good esteem we, as a city, should undoubtedly possess and hold. The city of Windsor is to-day spoken of with respect and admiration and is advertised. Why! Because to-day they are fimishing their leading streets with asphalt pavement. Then again, the main street in St. Thomas for one and one-half mides is now paved with brick. The main street in Chatham is also paved with brick for a mile in length. To follow the enterprising example of Windsor is perhaps out of the question. Asphalt costs \$2.59 a square yard. besides which the extent of such work and would not justify the outlay for an asphalt plant which would be required to be kept always on hand. But, may I ask, is there any good reads on why the example of St. Thomas for the business street by us, at least for the business street from the post office to the railway. Station. Stratford is not behind either of these cities in business enters of them in natural advantage either of them in natural advantage of the sale of ka sum sufficient to pay for her as under al expenses.

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Morrison, are spendital in Chatham.

Henry A. Anderson, Michigan Cers. m. at the home of tral engineer, who resides at No. 78 W. H. Waddell left Hughes street, was fatally injured incume his studies at Hughes street, was fatally injured incume his studies at Hughes street, was fatally injured incume his studies at Hughes company' yards in this city about Geo. Richardson Hughes visit to St. Paul Min the Amasa Wood Hospital about The Daily Planet so colors.

The sad affair courred in a peculiar manner. "Harry," as he was familiarly called by his acquain ances, was "called" to take out a train. Five minutes after he arrival in the yards he was struck by an engine and received fatal injuries. He was walking a round oiling his engine. Steam from the cylinder on his locomotive prevented him from noticing the application. vented him from noticing the ap-inety proach of a yard engine, and to escape from the steam he stepped on an adjoining track. He was struck by the engine and died a short time afterward.—St. Thomas Journal.

DOUBTING THOMASES.

Austin, Texa. Dec. 26.—Spiritualise erves, the sympather of seances in progress here for several number of several weeks, resulting faith, were not stomach ferment dred converts to the faith, were not stomach ferment one of the "ghosts" called forch on austing palpitation, its eternal resting place stepped have not needed for the ghosts called forch on austing palpitation, its eternal resting place stepped have needed for the ghost's called forch on austing palpitation, its eternal resting place stepped have needed for the ghost's called forch on austing palpitation, in the continued did not need to be fakes, but had a find the continued did on the ghosts. The tack theory tently do the continued the ghosts. The tack theory tently do to continue the ghosts. The tack theory tently do to continue the ghost of them and was further score, and the ghost of continued the ghost of continued

tacks with upward turned points a howl of pain rent the night air and the disembodied spirit grasped one bare foot in both hands, screaming unghostly malediction on the doubting Thomases. The seance wishroken up in a hurry.

A PECULIAR ACCIDENT.

A rather peculiar and painful acci-dent happened recently to Mr. James the concession, Elma. He Shearer, 4th concession, Elma. He was up on a beam of his barn oiling the gearing of his windmill when the sleeve on his smock got caught in the og wheels and his arm was drawn in to the machinery. The mill was stop-ped thereby, but the full force of the wheel held the arm fast, and it was an hour and a half before, with the assistance of his vife, he was freed. His forearm was bidly bruised and a good deal of the ilesh cut away by

DISAPPOINTED THE BRIDE.

Those who are fortunate enough to mingle in society circles are doing r irritates and weakcheard, quite a little bit of gossiping just he most sensible thin for now. And it's all because a wedding announced to take place a couple of n and assimilation of nights ago didn't occur. The was-to-be bride was there, the minister was on hand, but the intended husband didn't put in an appearance. Elabortary are preparations had been made for found at most drug and the many drug and the second sense where the many are preparations had been made for found at most drug and the sense where the many are preparations had been made for found at most drug and the sense where the many are preparations had been made for found at most drug and the sense where the many are preparations had been made for found at most drug and the sense where the many drug and the sense where the many drug and the sense where the sense Those who are fortunate enough ate preparations had been made for the wedding breakfast. The invited ich contain the necessitive guests remained for about an hour afments in a pleasant gient ter the time announced for the wed-ding to take place, and were then in-formed that the affair would, under the circumstances, have to be adjourned until some future date.—St. Thom-

EASY FOR INSPECTOR. The Stratford hotel men met in the office of License Inspector W. G. Mackay, and discussed a proposition which was placed before the meeting, the object of which was to combine in an effort to stripgently mbine in an effort to stringently observe the license laws in regard to the hour for closing and Sunday sell-ing. The outcome of the meeting was an agreement among the hotel men to keep the law strictly.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Not all the "Reubens" live in the country, nor all the money-makers in the city. Messrs Solomon, of Brighton, have nimeteen acres of apple orchard, which in 1900 produced 2,200 barrels of apples, which sold for \$4,900. In the last eight years this orchard has made a net return of \$25,000 to the owners. It is needless to add that it had received for years the most careful culture. he most careful culture.

The death took place at Woodstock of Mrs. Peter Karn, mother of D. W. Karn, of the Karn Organ and Piano

mpany. Deceased was 79 y e. Another son, E. M. Ka codstock, and a daughter, N Brown, of St. Thomas, als a her.

ohn Mabee, a farmer residir nwick, was run over and in-led by a T., H. & B. tra'n nea ck depot on Salarday. He was years of age, and leaves one and two sons.

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The ratepayers are all very anxious to know how the funds of the city
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this board to make a detailed statement and publish the same on or before the 15th of December of each
year. Those members of the Board
who are seeking re-election would better perform their duties instead of
running around button-holing for
votes. They will hear from the electors next Monday.

RATEPAYER.

RATEPAYER. FOR WORKING MEN.

Editor Planet. Editor Planet,

In a recent issue of your great home journal appeared a letter from a person signing himself "Toiler" endorsing G. G. Martin as alderman. I can endorse what Toiler says and can appreciate what Mr. Martin has done, as he done it at a time when he was not a candidate or had any object in view other than the laudable purpose of helping the hard working under paid Grand Trunk workmen.

Yours truly, P. McAULEY, CIRCUS LICENSES.

Editor Planet, Editor Planet,
Dear Sir,—I would like to ask
through the medium of your paper
why Alderman McCo:, sanctioned the
reduction of the circus licenses from
seventy-five dollars to twenty-five,
thereby beating the city out of fifty
dollars. In the past I have supported
Alderman McCoig, but when he considers the interests of a circus before
his duty to the city then it's time his duty to the city then it's time to consider my ballot and the names on it.

Yours, RATEPAYER.

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Theatrical ****************

"Mam'selle 'Awkins" will appear at the Grand Saturday evening, January

Harry Wilson, of the "Mam'selle 'Awkins" Company, was boasting of his ability as a chaffeur, and Miss Delia Stacey, who is an expert in the handling of an auto, determined to call his "bluff."

"Oh, Bobby," exclaimed she, "I have an engagement to lunch wish some friends to-morrow, at their cottage just outside the city. I should like

just outside the city. I should like to go there in my auto, will you come along and run it for me?"

"Why, certainly," said Bobby," putting on a great front.

After the evening performance Williams on hunted up a friend of his who is the proud possessor of one of the latest model machines and he informed him of his dilema and he took great pains to ealighten his friend as to the fact that he knew absolutely nothing about the operation of a horseless vehicle, no more than he did of a trolley car.

"Never mind," said the friend, Tilfix that all right. When I get through with you I am positive that you will know something about running one. All through the night they whirled about the city, the friend going deeply into details in his endeavors to enlighten Wilson as to the proper method of handling one of the machines. When Wilson at last sought his couch he felt positive that he was the greatest chaffeur of them all.

The next day came, as day's are

The next day came, as day's are wont to come, and in the afternoon Miss Stacey and Wilson started on their way. The outskirts of the city we, a reached without accident, and Bobb. "was congratulating himself on "make," as good." A sudden turn in the road sn "ught matters to a crisis. A heavily loaded farmer's wagon had the right of way. Bobby turned out of the road too suddenly and directed the machine. Miss Stacey escaped with a raines gown, and Wilson with a few bruises. A gentleman driving along with a 'light wagon carried Miss Stacey to her destination, leaving Bobby to watch the machine. Now Bobby never mentions automobiles in the presence of any member of the "Mam'selle 'Awkins" Ce. The next day came, as day's are

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