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## THE DISTRICT.

### EAST BRANCH.

Wm. Trotter, of Dover, was through here last week, buying up a load of fat cattle.  
Dan McGinnis, is in Tilbury visiting friends.  
A. Brown, of Charlemont, was a visitor on the East Branch on Sunday last.  
Charlie Seward is taking a course in the Wallaceburg High School.  
J. N. McCoy, county commissioner, was in Chatham on Tuesday.  
Mr. Irwin, of Thamesville, made a business trip through here last week.

### UP THE CREEK.

The Men Who Can Shoot.  
Forty-one of the bravest and best of the country's riflemen fought for supremacy Tuesday at the H. R. C. grounds. The contest was very even, no marksman winning more than two turkeys.  
The accuracy of aim was of the most deadly nature, the half-inch circle being cut to pieces in each of the twenty events.  
Howard, Harwich, Raleigh and the city each sent a strong contingent.  
Secretary McCormick, Walt Rowe, and Lieut. Colby captured all the prize money.

### CHARING CROSS.

The following resolution of condolence was passed by the Quarterly Official Board of the Methodist church of Charing Cross Circuit:  
Moved by S. F. White, seconded by A. R. Mummery, that whereas it has been in the wise Providence of Almighty God, to remove from our us late fellow member and esteemed brother in Christ, Thomas Jenner, who departed this life, to enter Immortality, on January 9th, 1902, and who has been a useful and prominent member of our Church and Quarterly Board for many years.  
We embrace this, our first opportunity, of expressing our deep sentiments of condolence to his relatives and friends, and may the God of all grace and consolation be with the widow and children, until one and all are reunited in the glorified family of the redeemed.  
THOMAS KNOTT,  
Rec.-Sec.

### DOYLES.

Messrs Burke and Barrons intend taking up their residence on the ninth concession in the near future. They intend going into stock raising and butchering.  
Jack Doyle and Philip Sheeler spent Sunday at the residence of Mr. Turpin.  
Mr. George Johns and Jack Carley were the guests of Mr. Jim Gregory on Sunday last.  
Morris Neill was the guest of John Neill on Sunday.  
Blonde Bros. have the contract for the erection of a fine brick house for James M. Doyle.  
A pedro party was held at B. Schaefer's the other Saturday night in honor of Mike Doyle and Jerry Carley.  
James Dillon, of Morlin, spent last Monday evening with James M. Doyle.  
We are glad to hear that our new teacher, Miss Lacey, is well liked by all the people.  
Anne Richie spent Sunday with friends on the ninth.

### TURNERVILLE.

Several of our farmers are drawing water in great big chinks from the river and are going to try to save it for the summer.  
The Ladies' Aid is busy getting things in shape for the opening of the new church.  
Thomas Buckingham has rented A. Moore's farm on the 8th concession.  
On Tuesday evening last, a large number of our young folks were pleasantly entertained at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rubble, Dresden, but before they left, we are sorry to report, that James R. Hales, our Turnerville barber, was suddenly stricken with inflammation of the bowels. We are pleased to know he is somewhat improved.  
The Lindsay road Methodist church having been remodelled and enlarged, will be reopened with dedicatory service on Sunday, Feb. 23rd. Rev. J. Hannon, of the Park street Methodist church, Chatham, will preach at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. On Monday evening, Feb. 24th, a supper and entertainment will be given in the new school room. Dr. A. W. Thornton, of Chatham, will act as chairman.

### FLETCHER.

Alex. Dale has purchased a saw mill from Mr. Dawlin and expects to have it running in a couple of weeks.  
Mr. Skipper is moving a house to his farm in Tilbury township.  
Frank Finn, of this place, sold a small pig, weighing 725 pounds for which he received \$51, and besides, since March, 1901, has made from pork \$1,000.  
Miss LeGrand, of Raleigh, is on the sick list.  
Miss Jessie Grant is visiting friends in Fletcher.  
H. Vince has purchased 100 acres of land from D. Crow.  
Mr. Jas. McKeon, has arrived to his home from the Chatham hospital.  
Mrs. James is one the sick list.  
John Laidlaw and family are out again after their long illness from small-pox.  
Mrs. D. Griffin is on the sick list.  
James Laidlaw's team ran away while drawing logs, but no damage was done.  
Several cases of small-pox are reported in Tilbury East this week.

### McKAY'S CORNERS.

Mrs. Mary McMillan, mother of Duncan McMillan, city, is seriously ill with pneumonia. She is eighty-three years of age.  
Wm. Steen is making preparations for building a fine brick house residence the coming summer.  
Mrs. Malcolm McBrayne is visiting with friends in the village.  
Mrs. (Dr.) McRitchie has recovered

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One of our esteemed young ladies, in the person of Miss Pearl McKay, is to be led to the altar on the 11th inst, by Alex. Chumla, of the sixth concession Harwich. These young people start in life with the best wishes of this community. Miss McKay will be greatly missed by the choir. Here's a sweet, clear alto voice.  
Mrs. Sarah Clark is ill.  
There is considerable interest being taken in the formation of a civilian rifle club, in connection with the old Howard Rifle Club.  
Alex. Clark, teacher at McCully's, spent Sunday with his parents.  
Mrs. Wm. Steen is visiting friends at Wilkesport, this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Woodington, of Muir, visited with Alex. Patterson and wife on Sunday.  
Colin McCann, carpenter, returned to Detroit on Friday, where he has a good situation.  
There is considerable scarcity of water among the farmers just now, many having to draw water for their stock.

Dr. McRitchie has put up a good supply of lake ice for the hot season. Rev. D. M. and Mrs. Robertson, visited with friends in Ridgeway on Friday.  
The clauses of Premier Ross' referendum are very unsatisfactory so our local wiseacres say—ditto.  
Joseph Parsons is laid up with a kick from a horse.  
**BOND RAY.**  
S. S. No. 13-1-2, Harwich, held their annual outdoor supper on the evening of Feb. 14. It was a success financially, realizing the sum of \$72.50. Gilbert Phipps who lately purchased the farm of David Wilson, is busy engaged in hauling material for the erection of a fine new brick residence. John McDougall is also engaged in hauling material for a new brick residence.  
Rumor says John and Charles Morgan, Commanders, have decided to proceed of their fine farm to Archie Nichols, 2nd concession, Harwich.  
Mrs. John Palmer, who has been very ill for many weeks, we are glad to hear, is improving.  
Mrs. Gilbert Ryckman has also been very ill, but was better yesterday.  
Miss Alto Watson is the happy possessor of a fine new piano.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Graham celebrated their tin wedding last evening.  
We welcome to this place the bride of Mr. McGill. While not forgetting "the old friends," we hope she may be happy with "the new."

### FLORENCE.

Miss Ida Corbett, of Windsor, is spending a week's holidays at home.  
Miss Lou Webster has returned from a very pleasant visit with relatives in Chicago.  
J. S. Anderson, of Napinka, Man., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Gordon.  
Dr. and Mrs. De Long attended the funeral of Mr. Guyatt at Clearville last week.  
John Hillson, and family are moving into town in the house owned by Mrs. Little, Battle Creek.  
Miss Grace McKenney left this

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week to attend the millinery opening at London.  
Miss Vie McKenney is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Webster, in Chatham.  
RUTHERFORD.

Messrs. Harrison and Brown audited the Township Treasurer's books last week and everything was found satisfactory. Mr. Wood is a model treasurer.  
Ed. Struthers has purchased fifty acres more land. He now owns 250 acres.  
Our veterinary, Dr. Gras, is kept busy and has been very successful.  
John Prescott, merchant, is able to use his foot, which has been badly inflamed.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of this village, have both been on the sick list. Council met here on Saturday last. The new men, Messrs. Prescott and McGuire, are getting quite up to their work.  
John Neely, of Wabash, was in Dawn recently looking for a horse.

### NORTHWOOD.

Geo. Granger called on friends up the concession this week.  
Chas. Osterhout and wife have taken up their home at Muir.  
J. and N. Roe have the most of their material on the ground for their new house.  
Peter Osterhout is preparing to build a new house in the spring.  
Mr. Billard is moving back on his farm.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Hales spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Conway, of Howard.  
Mr. Gudmore, of Guelph, loaded several cars of hay this week.  
Thomas Breton is under Dr. Davis' care again.  
Good success is following the revival meetings in the Methodist church.  
A number from Bethel and Magna Villa have attended the meetings this week.  
P. D. Campbell is thinking of buying the Williams saw mill and moving it to Northwood.  
A. B. Patterson has purchased the house and lot formerly owned by Mrs. V. Simpson.  
The Planet is the paper for both local and foreign news.  
The man who claims to be a weather prophet will have to change his course or get out business.  
Miss Laura Kirk, of Chatham, is visiting in this community.

### LOUISVILLE.

Rev. Mr. Samuel preached a missionary sermon in the Methodist church here Sunday.  
James Gordon's team of colts ran away the other day. Not much damage was done.  
A number of Louisvilleites attended the outdoor supper at Mrs. Patterson's, Harwich, Friday evening last, and report having a good time.  
Thos. Broughton and Hill Merritt are working this week hauling logs for Mr. Drader.  
James Merritt is laid up with a lame animal.  
Every person seems to be much pleased with the opening of the new story in The Planet.  
Miss Hattie Stover, of Raleigh, is visiting Miss Beeser Arnold.  
R. Biggart has moved into his new shop.  
S. W. Williston had a narrow escape from getting his head split Friday last. He was chopping under a tree and the axe got tangled with a limb and came down on his head, inflicting an ugly wound.  
The following is the score of the Louisville Gun Club on Friday; shoot at fifteen birds:  
F. M. Bedford, 11.  
Alf. Reid, 11.  
Thomas Broughton, 10.  
Art. Arndt, 10.  
Alf. Merritt, 10.  
Bill Bedford, 10.  
A. Houston, 10.  
B. French, 10.  
L. Bedford, 10.  
F. Houston, 9.  
L. Weese, 8.  
H. Blackburn, 8.  
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### JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Ouellette gave a large party on Monday night. The Rev. J. H. Osterhout attended the wedding of Miss Richards, of Providence.  
R. W. Venning was summoned to Dorchester last Saturday to the deathbed of his mother, who passed away Monday morning. Mr. Venning will not return before Saturday. Mr. Teeple, of Aymer, is relieving Mr. Venning.  
There will be a box social in the S. S. hall on Thursday evening, the 20th inst. A good program is being prepared.  
A representative of the Wallaceburg sugar beet factory was here last week interviewing the farmers, and many have agreed to put in a few acres of beets. Monday night there was a meeting which was addressed by two delegates, one from Wallaceburg and the other from Dresden. They tried to show the profit from raising beets.  
Seven persons were received into the Methodist Church on Sunday.  
Mr. Smith, of Mount Hope, and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis, of Windfall, were visitors here on Sunday.  
Mr. Bissette lost all his pigs last week. The animals refused to eat and in a few days they were dead. A great many horses are dying around here from prairie or bronco fever, and the carcasses are left out in the fields and are eaten up by pigs. Whether this has anything to do with the pigs dying off is not known, but the animals display very similar symptoms.  
James Hamilton caught a seven pound eel in one of his hoop nets on Lake St. Clair.  
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