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#### THE LOCAL BUDGE

ready in type, has been unavoidably crowded out of to-day's Planet.

Harry Massey is improving. Hugh Malcolmson is in Windsor on

business to-day. Fred. Leroy has opened a butcher shop at Putnam's old stand on Queen

Jas Dyer, of the G. T. R., is able to be at work again after his recent There will be a love feast, service in

Park St. Methodist Church to-morrow morning at 9.45.

Bruce Hooper, who has been spending a few days in the city, has re turned to his home in Turnerville. A large number of men of various

trades from the States are tramping through Canada looking for work, The cause of this is that a large number of the factories over there have been shut down for different reasons. The infant son of Wesley Clements,

Wellington street, died this morning in the General Hospital from Scarlet fever, The little fellow has been sick only (a few days. The funeral took place this morning at 11 o'clock. Miss Tena Houston, teacher in S

S. No. 1, Harwich, is arranging for a concert in the school house on the evening of December 20th. Miss Allie Humphrey, Miss Myrtle Terry and Robert Knight, of this city, will assist the pupils.

Tom Taylor, of Harwich, and Dun-can Macdonald, of Bover, appeared before Judge Houston in Court yesterday on the the County charge o shooting and trespassing on the Joy Club reserves at Mitchell's Bay. The case against them was laid over for a week to secure evidence as to the ownership of the land.

A social evening was given by the Park St. Methodist League last evening, and a very large number were present. Three tables were the subject of much interest, the Curious table, the Poet's table, and the Library table. No formal program was prepared, but Miss Allie Humphrey nd Robert Knight sang vocal solos and the following gave instrumental solos, Miss Mary Adams, Miss May Coate, Miss Grace Jones, Miss Annie Bogart, A flute solo was given by Earl Sheldrick, accompanied by Annie Bogart. The Sunday School hall where the reception was held was very beautifully decorated with flowers.

E. A. Blackwell, of Glencoe, is in th

> of Walkerville, is in William Hood, the city to-day. F. A. McKim, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday. F. H. Jennings, of Walkerville, was

in the city yesterday. T. W. Wilson, of Petrolea, spent resterday in the city.

A. J. C. Shaw, of Thamesville, was n the city yesterday. Harry Hewson has returned from a short rtip to London, i

Jas. W. Carswell has moved into his esidence Park street. John Waddell's fine new verandah has just been completed.

J. S. Hickey, of Merlin, called on his Chatham friends yesterday. Ed. Johnston, Witherspoon street

s able to be around again. R. J. Gregory, of Windsor, was guest in the city yesterday. Arthur Smith, of Dresden, was

Maple City visitor yesterday. Arthur G. Baalem, of Blenheim, Chatham visitor yesterday. S. Glenn & Son shipped a car

beans to the eastern market to-day. Ed. Brown has returned from a three months' trip to the Northwest. A. Coleman, William street, has returned to work ,after a week's illness. Roadmaster H. Morris, of the Lake Erie, was in the city yesterday on

Architect J. W. Carswell, is making arrangements to start a branch office in Windsor.

Jas McMullen, horse buyer for Walter Harland Smith, is in the city purchasing horses. W. H. Courtney returned last even-

ing from spending a few days in Dresden and district. Roger Philp will give a trombone solo at the meeting of the Park St.

Mission Band next ThursdaGy. Miss Nettie McLaren, is spending Sunday with Rev, and Mrs. T. T. George, at the Victoria Avenue church

Col. J. B. Rankin, K. C., will hold Drainage Court at Cornwall and at other points in Eastern Ontario for the next two weeks.

The work on Mr, Malon's new residence in Chatham township is steadily progressing. The building will be completed in a short time.

The Ireland, Capt. Wagner, leaves "We will keep on for Wallaceburg. running," said the genial captain, "until the ice stops us."

Detective McGregor has returned from a trip to the scene where the unknown man was killed a few days ago, but again failed to iden-

Will George, of Tupperville, brother of Rev. T. T. George, of this city, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia. Mr. George has been very ill, but is now out of danger.

The funeral of the late John Sample took place yesterday from the re-sidence of his son, Stanley Avenue, to the English burying ground. Rev. Dr. Jamieson of Blenheim, officiated. Six grandsons acted as pall-bearers.

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## HE LAW LORDS

the Manitoba Prohibition act Appeal-Act Constitutional.

The Provincial Legislature have the Power to pass Such an Act-Judgment Reversed.

London, Nov. 22.-The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, at its sitting to-day, advised the King to discharge the judgment of the Court of King's Beach of Manitoba, dated Feb. 23, 1901, and declaring the Manitoba Liquor or Prohibition Act to be unconstitutional and void, on the ground that power of the Province to pass such legislation does not come within section 92 of the British North America Act, wherein the Province is authorized to legislate in regard to

property and civic rights.

Lord MacNaghten delivered the judgment, in which the Law Lords said that, although the questions submitted to the Court of King's Bench in Manitoba numbered eleven, only one question was considered in the Court of King's Bench, and their Lordships had considered only one question in the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. That question is: "Had the Manitoba Legislature power to pass the act? If not, in what particular respect had the Legislature

exceeded its power?" Referring to section 119 of the Manitoba Liquor Act (this section ap-pears to recognize such Emitations as section 92 of the British North America Act imposes on the power of the Province), their Lordships declare that the provisions of section 119 are as much a part of the act as any other section, and that these provisions must have their full effect in exempting from the operation of the act all bona fide transactions in liquor

which comes within its terms.

The Court of King's Bench in Manitoba, in declaring the Liquor Act to be unconstitutional, said: - "It is enough to say that the provisions of the act are extremely stringent, more stringent, probably, than anything to be found in any legislation of a similar kind, and that unless the act is to become a dead letter it must interfere with the revenue of the Dominion, with licensed trades of the Province of Manitoba, and indirectly with business operations beyond the limits of Province."

These words represent the grounds on which the Court of King's Bench of Manitoba declare the Liquor Act be unconstitutional and in excess of the powers conferred by section 92 of the British North America Act, authorizing the Province to legislate in regard to property and civic

The judgment, as delivered by Lord MacNaghton, notes the objections, but goes on to say that in the opinof their Lordships these object tions are removed by the judgment the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in the case of the Attorney-General of Ontario, vs the Attorney-General of the Dominion

Lord MacNaghton declared that the five Law Lords of the Judicial Commitete who heard the case (Lords Hobhouse, MacNaghton, Davey, Robertson and Lindley), would His Majesty the King that the judgment of the King's Bench of Manitoba dated February 23, 1901, be discharged, substituting the committee's answer to the eleven questions.

The Judicial Committee of the Privy

Council declared the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba had jurisdiction to enact the Liquor Act. Thier Lordships are of the opinton that the answer to question one answers all the questions from two to eleven, and that therefore no useful answer can

be given to these questions.

Their Lordships further order that here shall be no costs between parties to this case, the appeal of the Attorney-General of Manitoba and the Court of King's Bench.

#### CHRISTIAN CHARITY

Municipalities Give Striking Evidence of it in Dealing with The Dead Poor and Unknown.

'Rattle his bones Over the stones, He's only a pauper Whom nobody owns.

A true illustration of this has just been given in this city of churches and this county. The poor unfortunate killed on the G. T. R. track was only buried to-day. Harwich, where the man was killed, refused to pay for the interment of the remains. Chatham, claiming no right to pay, refused, and only te-day, when Mr. Jahnke himself paid the expenses, that the dead man record a last resting place dead man rec mother earth Councillor ormick, of Harwich, was notified and the municipality which he represented was asked to

which he reprepay for the bu M. Wilson, K He consulted Mr. c., and a letter was a that Harwich was written, claim; for the burial of the deceased. All this week this matter has draged along, while the body lay at Jahnke's morgue. At last Mr. Jahnke had to pay the cost of inter-

He was dead, alone, unknown, with-out friends, and neither pity nor char-ity prompted even the municipalities interested to pay for the consignment

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Peter 'Rutherford, one of Chatham's nost 'prominent and influential citizens, passed away at three o'clock this afternoon in St. Joseph's Hospital. He has been ill for six months. It was thought he would recover, but lately

his condition became serious. Deceased was 60 years old, and has lived in Chatham for a large number of years. Prior to his moving here he taught school a short distance out of Chatham on McGregor Creek, and bore a reputation as an educationist of exceptional ability. His home was



survive him, a physician in Edmonton, number of years. Three brothers W. T., a yeoman, in Ottawa and James Rutherford, manager of the Canada Flour Mills at Blenheim. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed, pending the ar-rival of his brothers from Blenheim. Deceased was identified with many fraternal organizations and one of the oldest Oldfellows in Chatham. A years ago he was presented with a Veteran's jewel by this society. He also served as civic finance minister in the City Council and has held many other important public positions.

Mr. Rutherford was universally es

#### teemted in the community. MONEY STOLEN

Mysterious Disappearance of St. House.

A mysterious robbery is the great

topic os conversation on Harvey St., where the residence of John Irwin, as entered and \$15 taken. Miss Flo. Irwin and a girl friend were out at the bann, some 25 yards distant, at the time, and the younger sister was down town. On returning o the house Miss Irwin says that she discovered the doors all open, a flower pot on the window sill knocked down and \$15 missing. Miss Irwin at once notified the police, and P. C. Dezelia visited the house. The money had been concealed in the holder of large parlor lamp. A cosy and secret spot had been made for the concealment of the bank-book and the money by placing them beneath the oil bowl in the holder of the lamp. In the excitement of the discovery of the loss and the usual feminine flustration at-tending the same, the amount was

said to be \$20, but this has since been reduced by five.

After examining the flower pot, ap rently knocked off the window, P. Dezelia gave it as his opinion that the robber had not obtained entrance through that aperture. He considered that the pot had been placed on the floor for the purpose of deceiving Miss Ir vin and the officers of the law. He asked the young lady to make a careful search to see that the money had not been mislaid, but the search proved futile. The bank-book that lay with the money was not touched. P.C. Dezelia thinks that the money must have been taken by someone who had learned of the place where the money

was concealed, but there is no clue to Miss Irwin is the only one able to throw even a little light on the matter. She says that both she and her sister had seen a fellow with a slouch hat banging around in the vicinity. He fold that he was waiting for a train. This is, in all probability, the man who committed the robbery. Miss Irwin says that several parties living in the neighborhood have lost sums of money of late.

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Detective Skirving Gathered in Fleetfooted Prisoner Who Escaped at Kingsville.

CAUGHT HIM

Special to The Planet. Tilbury, Nov. 23.-11 noon-Detective Skirving secured the man Frank Geralds, wanted on the charge of stealing from the Lake Eric Railway at Kingsville. Geralds escaped from the Chief of Police at Kingsville, while Archie was searching the man's house for stolen property.

Detective Skirving wired all along the line for the employes to look out for the man. The section men at Renwick located Geralds and notified

the man this morning and brought him here, taking him on to Windsor by the C. P. R. train at noon. WANTED

the Lake Erie officer. He arrested

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