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RUMORS CONFIRMED

Special to The Advertiser. Wiarton, Oct. 2 .- Oil drilling openations on a large scale at Spry in the township of Eastner are being commenced this week by a Chicago firm The oil drill and other equipment are expected to arrive this week in Wiarton.

J. H. Cook the township clerk, i securing 20 teams to move the plant to the vicinity of Spry, where operasoon as arrangements are completed. torium yesterday afternoon, Miss quired two cars to bring it by rail, the boiler alone weighing over six tons, and good bodywood is required in large quantities for fuel.

white ds the colors, which will be reduced. Full art on, Full arton, Fu

the boiler alone weights to deal the presentation and section. Considerable money is being spent in the venture, proving the good faith of the company engaged: A Mr. Shaw of Chicago is in charge of the operations, and the would rank alongside the Central whole neighborhood is very much town.

The afternoon session opened with Mr. F. C. White, president of Chatham, in the chair. The opening devotional exercises were conducted by the pupils how the new collegiate would rank alongside the Central and South collegiates in every devalue to the presentation of first prize, and in a brief address to determine the presentation of the pupils how the new collegiate would rank alongside the Central and South collegiates in every devalue. The afternoon session opened with Mr. F. C. White, president of Chatham, in the chair. The opening devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. A. E. Moorhouse. Mr. H. E. Dickenson, president of the local league, gave a brief but interesting address of welcome.

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#### At the Theatres

GRAND OPERA HOUSE. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 2:15 and 8:15 daily—Barney Gerard's "Follies of the Day," with Bozo Snyder, the comedian who never speaks.
Thursday, Friday, Saturday evenings 8:15, Saturday matinee 2:15—May Robson in "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary."

LOEW'S. Monday, Tuesday and Wednes-day—Clara Kimball Young in "Cordelia the Magnificent"; vau-

Thursday, Friday and Saturday
—Buster Keaton in "The Three
Ages." Vaudeville. VERNA KEEN PRESENTED

Before the students of the London East Collegiate Institute assembled

Session Opens At St. Marys With Large Attendance of Delegates.

TALK ON MISSIONS

Special to The Advertiser St. Marys, Oct. 2.- The 15th biennial convention of the London conference Young People's League opened here today very enthusiastically. Registering of the delegates started at 9 o'clock this morning, and before WITH COMPETITION PRIZE night over 125 had entered their names. These came from the following places: Monkton, Wheatley, Listowel, Clinton, Millbank, Gorrie, West tions are expected to commence as in the central high school audi- Monkton, Lucknow, London, Charing Cross, Bayfield, Warrick, Bethel. The men in charge of the outfit are Verna Keen was presented with a West Lorne, Sharon, Gesto, Ethel, confident that success will reward five-dollar gold piece as first prize in Stratford, Wardsville, Auburn, Appin, them, and have secured a block of the school color competition recently Ridgetown, Benmiller, Granton, Watland on which to drill composed of held. Miss Keen chose green and ford, Chatham, Blenheim, St. Thomas, nearly 6,000 acres. The equipment re- white as the colors, which will be Port Lampton, Toronto, Fullarton,

Miss Sparling of China dealt in an interesting manner with the mission-

"There are four classes in China," she said, "the scholar, the farmer, the mechanic, and the merchant, but there is no place for the soldier. The Chinese believe that no good man can make a soldier."

can make a soldier."

Miss Sparling showed the progress of the work in the last twenty years.

This address was followed by an address of welcome on the part of the St. Marys Ministerial Association by Rev. F. W. Duggan. Departmental conferences were then called for the different rooms.

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The devotional department was led by Rev. J. E. Hunter of Granton; missionary department by Miss M. M. Boilu of Goderich; citizenship by Oliver Bunt of Walkerville; literary and social by Rev. A. R. Johnston of Warwick; intermediate by Rev. J. E. Findlay of Courtright, and junior by Miss Florence Thompson of Cedar

Round Table Conference The central event of today's proeedings was the round table con-erence, ably conducted by Rev. F. Langford of Toronto, general secre-tary of the department of religious education. Rev. Frank Langford is a brother of Rev. A. J. Langford, who was formerly stationed here, but who is now in Reterboro. The various subjects dealt with

were: "How to get leaders for boys' work." It was suggested that these might be obtained through training camps, boys' conferences, and mentors' classes, (a class conducted by the pastor of each church). "How to get young people to invest their money properly;" "missionary text books, which are this year chiefly on langue," "How to get proper material "How to get proper material or the program each night;" "Rereation and prayer."

In a separate room the business session of the Stratford league was

Rev. Mr. Doan of Ridgetown pro-A very interesting missionary ex-

A very interesting missionary exhibit was on view in one of the classrooms, the opportunity being given to any delegate to purchase many of the books shown. Evening Session. Rev. Mr. Millson took charge of the musical program for the evening. J. W. Hibbert, Kingsville, past presi-dent of the conference, delivered a speech on "Courage," which dealt with young people, and was much appreciated. The speaker pointed out the splendid courage shown by the Japanese in the recent earthquake in which thousands lost their lives.

A solo was rendered by A. B A solo was rendered by A. B. Creighton of St. Marys.
Rev. Frank Langford spoke on "The Program of Jesus and the Young People." In the course of his speech he stated that God was the center of all things, and reminded the young people to think more about God and the happiness that comes to them if friends of God.

in Literary Society

Struggle.

vailed at the London South Collegi-

end in the announcement of the

winners in the literary society elec-

TWO CARS COLLIDE.

After the program Professor W. H. Bishop, F.R.C.O., A.R.C.M., gave an RED'SEAL VICTOR RECORDS. organ recital in the church. Two now for about the price of one. **COLLEGIATE ELECTION** (Double Side.) Third Floor.

First Rehearsal of Society Will ate for the past week has come to an Be Held Wednesday

Night. The program of the Institute

which adorned the entrance hall of library of music of the Orpheus Sothe building bespoke the lengths to ciety of Toronto, which is a valuable which the candidates went in their collection of works. collection of works.

The campaign is now past history, and the pupils and teachers alike are immensely pleased with the officers so democratically appointed by the student body. The new officers are as follows: President, Donna Gracey; vice-president, Arah Johnston; sectetary, Lillian Westlake; treasurer, Willard Stanley. The councillors its present relies would vary from

choirs. A conservative estimate of its present value would vary from \$800 to \$1,000.

Owing to the fact that the Orpheus Society of Toronto is now disbanded willard Stanley. The councillors are as follows: First year, Madeline Dicknoether, Elizabeth Orchard; second year, Grace Cape, W. L. Smith; third year, Maurice George, Alex. Fleming. Fourth year councillors to be elected later.

H. C. Davidson of 7.253 Canfield avenue, east, Detroit, driving his car last night, struck a light touring car driven by E. Switzer, 1,182 York street, at the corner of Wellington and Dundas streets, shortly after eight o'clock. Mr. Switzer's car had a rear wheel completely knocked off and the body was badly dinted. The Michigan car suffered a bent front mudguard.

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TICKETS IN CIRCULATION.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Hamilton, Oct. 2.—E. P. Coleman general manager of the Dominion Company street car tickets, part of which is sue was recently seized here, were mudguard.

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cuffs, lined with brocade silks, lengths 40 to 46 inch. Shown in both French Seal Coats (dyed Coney) all seal, with shawl crush, new chin col-

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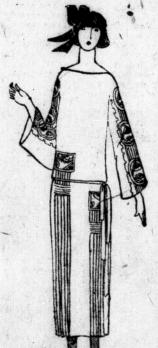
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of chapeaux.

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Gayety and color everywhere! For our

rather appropriate for the store to

have a new dress

right after Hom

Sewing Week? But

the materials for

this dress can't be

bought by the yard

-they are the

flaming red and gold of maple trees, the deep

brown of bulrush-

es, the exotic plumage of birds

of Paradise, and an

effective tricolor of

hangings in am ber, brown and

store is wearing its newest party dress

in honor of the Fall Opening Days. Isn't

And the beauty of this attire is only

a reflection of the colorful beauty and

vivid loveliness of the garments which

are awaiting your inspection during the

Fall Opening Days. Each department of

fers a variety of new and beautiful things

which are in readiness for your visit. 1 can only suggest the charm of these new

beautiful coats in camel's hair and vele nette, coats which feature the side

fastening, the flare bottom, the embroid-

ered panels and the wrap-like lines of

Fashion's dictate: luxurious collars of

beaver and sable; Hudson seal coats of

soft lustrous pelts with exquisite bro-

caded linings: dainty lingerie in delicate shades; costume blouses; and the newest

As for the French afternoon dresses

which have just arrived they simply must have a column for themselves. And

I'm going to firmly throw down my pen

before it beguiles me into describing

them! But if you want advance informa-tion about the style tendencies of the

winter season, do come and see us during

the Fall Opening Days.

Smart Knitted Suits from England

A week ago the pupils held a nominating convention, and the Musical Art for this season will be nominations made, the various can- completed on Wednesday evening, didates set about the task of massing October 3, when they will hold their the greatest number of votes in the first rehearsal. The Musical Art Soelection, which took place yesterday ciety choir has just completed arafternoon. The number of placards rangements for the purchase of the efforts to capture the major positions on the literary executive.

The Schubert Choir of Brantford,

ton Baker, who purchased the music, made a special trip to England and Europe for its selection.

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