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Pekin, Ill., May 11.-Near Havana, i this state, is a farm on which Riley Smith has been a renter for several years. Wednesday afternoon, in spite of the The Illinois River overflows on the Smith place annually, and when the ice went out this season the water came up as usual. Smith noticed a disturbance in the waters, and found that thousands of carp were flopping around beneath the

He went to Havana and got some seines He went to Havana and got some senes and a man to help him take out the fish. The first haul netted thousands of pounds of carp. For three weeks the farmer seined, and when the water went down he had cleared enough to buy the farm The fish were sold to the dealers of Havana, who ship hundreds of thousands of pounds of them every year.

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-Mr. Bert Piper, of this city, is havng a few days' holidays at his home n Exeter. -Mr. Ed Kestle and family have

moved from this city to Exeter, where they will reside in future. -Mrs. (Rev.) W. G. Smith, of To ento, is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Arch. J. McLean, of Talbot street. -Mrs. A. L. Taylor, of this city, is having a visit with her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. John McCracken, in Wing-

-The Hamilton Times thus refers to the former pastor of St. James' Presbyterian Church, this city: "Rev. M. P. Talling, Ph. D., who by his able ministrations to the congregations of Knox, St. Paul's and Erskine Churches, has won the high esteem of our people, is returning to Toronto, to pursue his literary labors. He has now in the hands of the publishers two volumes, one on "Intercommunion," and another "Extempore Prayer," both of which are assured of a warm welcome by the public. Dr. Talling is an excellent pulpit speaker, a keen thinker and a man of broad mind and liberal views, and his work in our city shows him to be possessed of the qualities that go to make up the successful pastor. He be followed by the good wishes of all our people who profited by his sojourn

HOP AT SPRINGBANK The opening hop at Springbank was held last night by Gruber & Dawe. The affair was a big success. Over two hundred were present, and two special cars were required to carry the crowd. Guber's orchestra furnished the music. A VICTORIAN PASSENGER.

Miss Mabel Hey, of Bradford, England, who is at present on a visit to her brother, Mr. J. W. Hey, of Bruce street, came over on the new turbin steamer, the Victorian, which was de layed for three days by becoming stuck

FIRST JUVENILE GAME. The first game in the Juvenile League was played on the Cove diamond on

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the South London Victorias and the Dufferins, and it resulted in favor of the former by a score of 7 to 2. Batteries — S. L. V., Widdowson and Thompson; Dufferins, McKenna and

BACONIAN CLUB BANQUEL.

The Baconian Club of this city will banquet on Thursday This will BACONIAN CLUB BANQUET. night in the London House. This will be the 21st affair of its kind that the club has had since its inception. DUNDAS CENTER ANNIVERSARY. Rev. C. O. Johnston, pastor of the Wesley Methodist Church, Toronto, will take the pulpit in Dundas Street Methodist Church on Sunday, both morning and evening, on the occasion of the latter's church anniversary ser-

vices. The musical portion of the services will be of an exceptionally en-WEDDING IN EKFRID. A hapy event took place on Wednes-day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John ngdon, of Ekfrid, when their second voungest daughter Katie May, became the bride of Mr. Henry McLellan. also of Ekfrid township. The ceremon was of a quiet nature, being performed

atives by Rev. T. R. Shearer, of Mel-PASSED WITH HONORS. In yesterday's edition in the report t the examinations at the School of Practical Science of Toronto, the name of C. B. Aylsworth, of this city, was omitted. Mr. Aylsworth succeeded in graduating with honors, and also obtained second prize for general proficiency in mechanical and electrical engineering, donated by the Standard Silver Company.

A SOCIAL EVENING. Loyal London Lodge. Manchester Unity, I. O. O. F., held a social evenng in their lodge room on Thursday, when a very enjoyable time was spent Bros, Collins and Jutson and Mr. Mc-Connell gave a good programme. P. G. M. Bro. Dixon, a South African veteran, gave a very interesting address, in which he impressed on those present the necessity of joining a fraternal society.

RECEIVED SECOND OFFER

Dennis Company Now Considering Another Proposition From Berlin.

> The Dennis Wire and Iron Works to go to Berlin. Failing to carry the ber of prominent capitalists have come back with an alternate proposition. "What are you going to do about it?"

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London Medical Man Wedded to Mis King, of Galt.

The Galt Reporter has the following regarding a wedding in which a wellknown Londoner was one of the prin-A quiet wedding took place today terian manse, when Miss Anna Elizabeth, daughter of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Robert Turnbull McDonald, of London. Dr. King was the officiating clergyman, and the bride was given away by Rev. John George King of

Columbus, Ohio. Miss Margaret Baird played Lohengrin's Wedding March as Company has received another offer the bride was becomingly dressed in white chiffon cloth, trimbonus, the city council and a num- med with lace, over taffeta, and wore The groomsman was Dr. G. Arthur McDonald, of Toronto, and the bridesmaid Miss Ada C. King who The Advertiser asked Mr. E. R. Dennis looked very sweet in a dainty dotted The house was beautifully muslin. decorated with palms, smilax and pink London Society Falls to Make Him as the offer is a very favorable one, luncheon, the bridal party left on the

WILLIS POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED BY COLE AND HIS DAUGHTER

Both Saw Him at Early Hour Covell was taken to her home. Both on Morning After Murder-Girl Breaks Down.

Rodney, May 12.—The positive iden- OPPOSED TO SUNDAY CARS dification of Alexander Willis, by William Cole, as the man who passed his house on the morning after the murder of Eliza Lowery, formed the feature of today's evidence in the murder trial. Cole's foster-daughter, a girl of

11. comeborated his story. Cole is an aged man, but his evidence as given in a satisfactory manner. At times he was slightly confused, but the thread of his evidence always remained unchanged. He hesitated somewhat when asked to identify Willis' coat, as the coat he saw on the man who passed his house, but he declared he knew Willis by his walk and gen-

ral appearance. Bella Cole, his foster-daughter, broke lown in the box, and it was feared for a time she would not be able to give evidence. She rallied, however, and corroborated her foster-father's vidence. She knew Alex Willis well by sight, and she saw him pass the cole farm the morning after the murder about 7 o'clock. But like her

tester-father she was not positive as o the coat worn by Willis, In the cross-examination by the deense, Cole declared he had never been mentally deranged, and he denied that had ever threatened to do himself bedily harm.

F. A. McCallum, editor of the Rodney Mercury, swore that the footprints h saw in the sand the morning after the murder were not made by the rubbers worn by Willis. Neither had he seen any marks on the cherry club.

F. B. Hursley swore that when he aw the club a small piece of human lesh was sticking to it.

A. J. Leibner gave important testi-mony. He said that the day after the nurder he saw Willis coming across the Covell yard and he made a remark about the bruise on Willis' face. "I've worse than that," said Willis, and he showed the witness another wound in his hair on the side of the head. Willis had told him the injuries were caused by the barn door blowing to. Mrs. Covell had told him the story of the murder three times, but she had not changed it, though she had added to it from time to time. The murderer had bitten her hand, she said. The court then adjourned until to-

are in charge of constables. The neighbors have taken pity or Willis' family, and they have planted his crops and will take care of them so that his wife and children may not be in want while he is in jail,

Centennial Sunday School Board Says They Would Demoralize the Young.

The Sunday school board of the Centennial Methodist Church unanimously decided at a meeting held last evening. to protest against any attempt at the introduction of Sunday street cars into action, says Mr. E. J. Rapsey, secretary of the board, "is that Sunday street cars will tend 'to demoralize the young people and empty the Sunday

"We think that all the Sabbath schools in the city should unite with us in this protest," reads the resolution adopted by the Centennial board.

BOTH CALLED OFF

eachers' Association Will Not Hold Annual Meeting or Excursion.

The Teachers' Association of this city, will not hold its annual session visit Guelph this year. Such was

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Willis was taken to his own home tonight, where he will remain with his family until the court resumes. Mrs. packages of Grape-Nuts.

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the decision of the executive of the as sociation, which met in the Collegiate Institute The committee yesterday. has all along intended to recommend that in place of the annual gathering, the teachers should indulge in an excursion to Guelph this summer, for the purpose of visiting the McDonald In-stitute and the Agricultural College The present term has been very brief, however, owing to the lateness of Easter and, in addition, numerous excursions from the associations of cities are booked for Guelph this term so that it was found next to impossible to find a date for the Guelph excursion. event will come off at a later

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SERGEANTS AT EXAMS Number of the Seventh Non-Coms.

Qualifying for Three Stripes There are busy days for some of the non-coms, of the Seventh Regiment, The annual examinations which qualify for the position of sergeant, are being held, Adjutant Captain McCrimmon being the examiner. The sergeants who have been acting for some time, but who have not yet qualified, and those who have just been appointed, are all trying the same exams, forming a class of about 20. The Seventh Regiment is olessed in having very energetic and capable sergeants, and to this fact much of the corp's success is due. The new batch of non-coms, are fully up to the standard. The examinations, which started on Tuesday night, were entinued on Thursday evening, and

will be concluded next week. 'Phone 441 or 423.-Hueston's Liv-

CAN'T PUMP HAYASHI

Talk About War.

London, May 12.—The man who is most in request by London "lion hunters" today is Viscount Hayashi, the Japanese minister, who has suddenly taken to going out to parties, where he usually surrounded by pretty wonen, who try every possible method gnown to the faminine mind to "pump" ews from him about the war in the Far East which may not get into the newspapers.

Viscount Hayashi is one of the most ilent of men, but he does not wear the usual Oriental "mask" and twinkles all over when he is addressed. At a big evening function given by the Duchess of Somerset in Grosvenor Square, the unfortunate Japanese minister was escorted to the refreshment room by no fewer than five ladies, to ione of whom had he been introduced and who bombarded him with ques tions. He beamed upon one and all

eclined even to discuss the war, THEOSOPHISTS IN INDIA

with his usual native politeness, but

Annie Besant and Followers Denounced by Hindus. Calcutta, May 12. - The leading Card Experts in Quandary Over Hindu thinkers are organizing for the purpose of driving theosophy from the stronghold it has begun to obtain in

These leaders point out that theo sophy is almost entirely the creation of women, who have built upon the sacred writings of the Hindus a fabric of fiction, myth, and mystery as a

neans of gaining money and reputa-Annie Besant, the successor to Mme. Blavatsky, has established herself boldly in the religious center of the Hindus, is in the act of rising from her seat, and has built up a college for the development of her personal doctrines. She wears the Hindu dress, eats are struggling for supremacy. only food cooked by Brahmins, announces that she was a Brahmin in a their game and their gaze is fixed on previous incarnation, and walks the the culprit. But how has the woman streets of Benares counting her beads, managed to surrounded by young and interesting players are asking, and very ingenious people of both sexes. India is a tranquil place, where religions of various kinds are always her feet been the culprit," the method welcome, but Mrs. Besant has gone a

She now announces that the religion revealed to her predecessor, Mme. Blavatsky, is the oldest religion in the world, and precedes the Vedas, the sacred writings of the Hindus. This has brought forth an organization under the authority of Guru Paramahanza, the "tiger Mahatma" of India, the objects of which are

Mrs. Besant has claimed to possess

step too far.

occult powers. The native masters of occultism have asked her to prove it, and they also declare that she knows neither Hindu nor Sanscrit. Theosophy has pictured the Mahatmas to the western world under the guise of jugglers and charlatans, stooping to perform low tricks to deceive delightfully simple."

Clear momen Hindu thinkers is sending Indian the methods, or nearly all, necessitated wards. guise of jugglers and charlatans, stoop-

to counteract Besant's influence.

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eachers abroad to explain to theosophists the world over how wretchedly

hey have been deceived. PICTURE IS A PUZZLE

Meaning of Painting. London, May 11. - Considering the popularity of the game of bridge in New York, it may interest the players to know that the staple topic of conversation in clubs frequented by bridge players here is the Hon, J. Collier's remarkable picture, "The Cheat," at

this year's Royal Academy. picture shows a scene at bridge table. One of the players, a woman, has thrown down her cards, and to denounce an opponent, also a wo woman's partners too, have stopped puzzled bridge "Had the woman who has risen to would have been sufficiently obvious, said one famous bridge expert to an interviewer, "but it is the woman who is seated who is the cheat, and she is dealer, and her partner, being dummy, has, of course, exposed his hand. It is evident from the number of cards still in hand that at least four tricks have been played. If the cheat had signaled for trumps, the most usual method of

To Mr. Collier, the painter of the picture, the interviewer went for "I am going to leave the solution of the little mystery to the public," re-marked Mr. Collier. "It is self-evident. though I am quite prepared for bridge

cheating at bridge, she would have

been found out at once, and not at this

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Phone 461. 118 Dundas St collusion between two partners, and it was necessary for the purpose of my picture that the cheat should be alone

in her wrongdoing. Well, I found one

way, and I believe the only way, in which connivance was not necessary. "No. I am not going to give away my little secret, and the clue is to be looked for in the card which lies face downward on the table in front of the who has risen." "Marked card," Such, indeed, is the obvious solution of the enigma, and one that has been overlooked by the bridge experts. The dealer in dealing has picked a tiny corner out of the

and denounced the "cheat." Clear up as you work; it takes but a moment then, and saves time after-

dealt that card has detected the nick

card, and the woman to whom