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TUESDAY, OCT. 15.

THE TECUMSEH MONUMENT.

The heartiness with which the press all over the Province are advertising and eulogising the proposal to erect a monument on Tecumseh Park to the memory of the gallant Indian chief whose name it bears, testifies to the popularity of the plan and the ease with which it can be consummated.

But organization cannot be delayed, The most vigorous enthusiasm will burn itself out if it is not turned properly into practical channels. Idealizing upon the propriety and excellence of the project will not result in his course is a wise one in calling its culmination unless the lever of en- in Booker T. Washington, who is deergetic activity be applied.

Let the preliminary suggestion be promptly succeeded by earnest, practical effort. A strong committee should be formed and the co-operation United States are strong enough to be of the Board of Trade invited. Methods should be devised and steps taken to bring about their adoption.

Chatham should have that monument ere the Tecumseh centenary ing accorded the negro in the neighdawns.

THE BOSTONIANS.

There are shows-and shows. Chatham has experienced them all, including, unfortunately, a liberal representation of the nether standard. The statement has been made-and made aptly-by patrons of the Grand that the Maple City is both capable of giving, and willing to give, a generous support to all that is really high class. But the Chatham people have often in times past been humbugged-to use a blunt but truthful term-and Chatham people have no especial apitude for playing title roles in buffoonery. As a result the excellent productions which have occasionally come our way have almost invariably been suspiciously avoided and the theatrical stock of our city

has suffered in consequence. Last year a decided brace was noted and confidence began to blossom again. This year prospects are brighter than ever and several attractions of superlative character are being booked.

The first-and possibly the bestof these will be with us Thursday night when the Bostonians present the opera Robin Hood. There is no question as to the excellence of this company and their production and The Planet, which is decidedly conservative in the matter of committing itself to advance commendation, is assured that the production is all that is claimed for it. In consequence this journal is pleased to recommend it to such of its readers as are desirous of patronizing worthy Thespian accomplishments.

For there are, shows-that are shows.

A GOOD RECORD.

The Schley inquiry is not complete, points out the Ottawa Citizen, but it was known before the investigation began that the Brooklyn, the admiral's ship, had received more injuries than were sustained by the combined U. . S. ships engaged in the fight-an enviable record and one that serves to show that the Brooklyn was somewhere near the thick of the fight, and not running away like a coward. Already it has been brought out in evi-

dence that 35 per cent of the injuries inflicted upon the four Spanish ships was the work of 5-inch shells and that Admiral Schley's ship was the only one firing such ammunition. It looks as if the Brooklyn was IT the day be-No. 53 A fore the Fourth of July, 1898, off Santiago harbor when Cervera attempted o escape.

THE COLORED MAN.

President Roosevelt had already given the South to understand that he proposes to free it from the grip of the office-holding classes and to appoint men to office because of fitness and without reference to where their sympathies lay in the war of thirty odd years ago, points out the Toronto

He has already appointed a prominent Southern Democrat to an important office thereby giving early proof that he means what he says, and that a new order of things has been in-

stituted. Brooker T. Washington is described as being the ablest negro in the United States, and one of the first men consulted by President Roosevelt on assuming office was this colored man. The two are said to have been in private conference for three hours and to have met since then in lengthy private interviews. Since the civil war the colored population of the United States has grown from 4,000,0001 to 9,-000,000, the ratio of increase being much greater than that of the white

If President Roosevelt is seriously bent upon the renovation of the South, it is certain that he must recognize the negro question as the most formidable difficulty in the way, And if he hopes to accomplish anything scribed by competent judges of men to be the highest product of the color-

ed race in America. Numerically the negroes of the entitled to a representative in a Government established on principles of freedom and equality, but there is no kelihood of any such recognition beboring Republic. Yet Roosevelt may nurse the purpose of attempting some solution of the negro problem, using Booker T. Washington as a private and unofficial adviser. And it would be something of a pity if the talents of this colored man, although widely known and recognized, should be turned to no account in the affairs affecting his race.

A REMARKABLE MAN.

Montreal Herald Duke of York holds the unique distinction of being the only man out of the west who hasn't made an estimate of the Manitoba wheat crop.

> A VILLAGE WITH POISE. Hensall Observer.

The Duke of York and his good wife will, so far as we can learn, not visit Hensall, This will be their loss, not Hensall's, as they will miss the op portunity of seeing one of the pretti est villages in Canada. They will also miss the opportunity of seeing and being cheered by the most loyal and law abiding people in the King's Domin-We won't enumerate other things they will miss, as we don't wish to spoil the pleasure of their visit to London and other unimportant places

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A FOOLISH QUESTION. Ottawa Citizen

Did Premier Ross show His Royal Highness the furnace wherein the West Elgin ballots were cremated?

WORD TO THE KODAK FIEND. Washington Star. If the cartoon ever reaches the out-

rageous exaggeration of the amateur photograph there may be some serious thought of suppressing it.

BRER SMIFF'S SYMPATHY.

Bobcaygeon Independent. The Duke of York, Prince George as was, took a day off out west and had a duck hunt. How weary he must be of the eternal round of flummery, mummery and snobbery. George is a decent sort of a fellow, for a Prince, and he must be sick to his very soul. Stepping on board his vessel will be a heaven blest relief.

CAPTAIN MORRISON. D. S. O. Goderich Signal.

Capt. E. W. B. Morrison, who quit hrowing hot shot at the Grits from the columns of the Ottawa Citizen, and went in for heavy tragedy gun work on the Boers last year, has had D. S.O. added to his name by Royal prerogative. He was always a good newspaper man, and now he is a man of

> ON BRITISH SOIL ONLY. Buffalo Express.

There need be no expectation that the Duke of York will visit the Pan-American exposition. He set out to make a tour of the world, setting his feet only on British soil. Our loss is equally his. He misses the most beautiful creation of man, and we miss seeing the heir-apparent to the Brit-

A HISTORIC SPOT.

Buffalo Express. With the Duke and Duchess as its guests, Niagara-on-the-Lake acquires an importance for a few hours such as it is not had in many years. It was the first capital of Upper Canada and has sheltered royalty before-as far back as 1791, when Edward Duke of Kent visited the region. In all his world-wide realm (prospective) Prince George could not find, a quieter spot in which to spend Sunday.

GREAT OCCASION.

Toronto Telegram. An uprising of "large-minded men," would have been a demonstration of Canada's intellectual greatness.

"Large-minded men" do not embellish a state occasion with the ideals of national youth and power which marched in the progress of the Canadian troops yesterday.

It is a crass fanaticism which assumes that every Canadian who stops to look at a soldier is a butcher at heart. The attempt to push "largeminded men" to the front and hide the soldiers in the cellar was doom ed to failure, and should fail.

MULL.

Harvey Hildreth has recovered from Miss Sadie Sterling, of the Eau, has returned home, after spending a few weeks, with her sister, Mrs. Harvey Hildreth, of this place.

Will. J. McEachran's fine mare cap-

tured first prize at Blenheim fair. Chas. Padbury has purchased the farm of Wm. McEachran, for \$2,850, the 9th concession.

Mrs. Thomas A. Spencer, of this place is visiting friends and relatives Jackson, Mich. Misses Elizabeth McWilliam and E Cook, of Dunwich, are the guests of Miss Rosa McWilliams, 10th conces-John Ballard, of Walkerville, was enewing old acquaintances in Mull on

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Ben Baker is busy sawing logs for

Mr. Gordon, of Wallaceburg.

Lesley Morris n and family have moved to Brigd n, where he has purchased the flour mill of that place. Thomas Redpath spent Saturday, at

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Baker fell beirs to a fortune last week-a baby girl.

Mt, Ruttle purchased a very fine

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