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Meeting-National Council of Women. Dr. Swann, Dentist—207½ Dundas street. London Choral Society Practice. House for Sale-645 Princess avenue. Paper-Hangers Wanted—845 Queen's avenue. Machine Wanted-R. X., This Office. Nurse Wanted-136 Kent street. Nurse Girl Wanted-429 King street, Entertainment—Newsboys' Hall. Woodnien Meeting-Forest City Camp. Live Stock Feed-Bart Cottam & Co. Bell Organs and Pianos. Dish Cloth Soap. Hosiery—Priddis Bros.

Salada Tea. Card—Dwyer's Intelligence Office. Tenders—McBride & Farncomb. Souvenir Tickets-F. B. Clarke. Notice-Robert Henderson. Convocation—Collegiate Institute.

Books, April 9-J. W. Jones.

Surprise Soap. Mara's Great Sale. Friday Bargain Day-J. H. Chapman & Co. Milinery Opening—R. J. Young. Millinery—Smallman & Ingram. Typewriters-Wm. C. Coo. AUCTION SALES.

COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

London Money Market. London Floney Harket.

London, April 4, 12:30 p.m.—Consols, 1043 for money, 1043 for account; Mexican, 183; Mexican Central, 624; St. Paul, 59; Erie, 104; Erie, seconds, 65; Pacific Central, 528; Reading, 64; Canadian Pacific, 414; New York Central, 98; Illinois Central, 99; Bank of England rate, 2 per cent; open market discount, 3. Toronto Stock Market.

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SALES—C. P. R., 125 at 39\frac{3}{4}, 225 at 40, 10 at 39, 400 at 39\frac{1}{4}; Duluth com., 150 at 3\frac{1}{4}; Com. Cable, 25 at 144; Mont. Telegraph, 40 at 158; Mont. Street Railway, 100 at 190; Montreal Street Railway, new, 100 at 187\frac{1}{2}, 25 at 187\frac{3}{4}, 75 at 188; Mont. Gas, 375 at 198\frac{1}{2}, 150 at 199, 75 at 199\frac{1}{4}, 25 at 199\frac{1}{4}; Toronto Street, 100 at 76\frac{1}{4}, 25 at 75\frac{3}{4}; Bank of Company 24 at 18\frac{1}{2}

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COMMERCIAL.

Local Market. Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

London, Wednesday, April 4. There were good deliveries of oats today. The price paid was \$1 05 to \$1 06. The demand was good. Wheat deliveries were light and met a good, active inquiry, sales being made at \$1 05 october 100 Servent leads of the price of the sales being made at \$1 05 october 100 Servent leads of the sales being made at \$1 05 october 100 Servent leads of the sales being made at \$1 05 october 100 Servent leads of the sales of the s good, active inquiry, sales being made at \$1.95 to \$1.09. Several loads of peas were sold today at \$1.09 for good. No corn, barley or rye offered, and prices quoted for them are based on last transactions. The supply of butter and eggs was good, and no change was made in price. Poultry and meats were quiet and prices unchanged. Potatoes steady at the advance, sciling at 70c to 80c per bag. Hay sold slow at \$8 to \$9.50 per ton. Maple syrup brought 90c to \$1 per gailon. Quotations:

syrup brought 90c to \$1 per ganon. Quotations	5.	July; 57% Aug.	his methods, but hone of the lowdy sin that	to the terms of the ratepayers' vote at	Will be a dala bay it
GRAIN.		CORN-46c cash, 46gc bid May.		lost municipal election. In mosmonge 40	Brigade.
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs\$1 07 to 1 10 Wheat red fall per 100 lbs 1 05 to 1 00	10	OATS-31c cash.	Toronto Mail and Empire.	last municipal election. In response to	
VI Heath, Ich, Itali, per 200 lobitities 2 00		MILWAUKEE, April 4.	-A lawyer is still engaged in searching	a question, "Who pays the taxes?" a	Companies Are Expected
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs 1 00 to 1 0. Oats, per 100 lbs 1 05 to 1 00		WHEAT-Closed, 56% cash, 56% May.	the title deeds of the property at the corner	delegate from the Typographical Union	and Hamilton-A Bugl
Peas, per 100 lbs		Detroit, April 4.		was unanimously carried:	
Corn, per 100 lbs 95 to 1 0		WHEAT-Close: White 584c bid cash; red,	of Dufferin avenue and Wellington street,	"Whereas Dr. J. B. Campbell, a mem-	ganizing-Ambulan
Parley per 100 lbs 90 to 1 0	05 1	56% cash; 57c bid May, 57% bid July.	which the congregation of the Queen's	ber of the Board of Education, saw fit	
Rye per 100 lbs	00	CHICAGO, April 3.	Avenue Methodist Church proposes to pur-	to unfairly attack Mr. J. T. Marks, a	It is the intention to ma
Ruckwheat, per 100 lbs 90 to 10	00 6	CHICAGO, April 3. On large offerings wheat declined ½c to §c	chase. If the title is clear the deal will be	member of organized labor, who was	Birthday a gala day for the
Beans, per bu 100 to 12	20	today. Corn lost to, and oats to to te in sympathy with wheat. Provisions were lower.		delegated by the London Trades and	
HAY AND SEEDS.	00 1	sympathy with wheat. Provisions were lower.	possibility of the deed being defective in	Labor Council, to wait on the said	panies of the Boys' Brigade
	00	Estimated receipts for Thursday: Wheat, 25	possibility of the deed being defective in	Board of Education in advocacy of free	the Earl of Aberdeen, w
Straw, per load		cars; corn, 110 cars; oats, 175 cars; hogs, 26,000	any way?" was asked of a prominent	Board of Education in advocacy of free	president of the world-wid
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu 5 00 to 5 5		head. Freights unchanged.	trustee. "There is a possibility," he an-	text books in the London public schools;	
Fimothy seed, per bu 300 to 32		LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.	swered. "But we think it will be all right.	be it therefore resolved that we, as	has been invited to attend
Brings rion seed ner bu	70	WHEAT-April, 53ge; May, 54ge; July, 56ge	If it is not we will have to buy other prop-	members of this council, protest against	are on foot between the com
Millet seed, per bu 50 to 8	80	to 584e. Sept. 574c.	erty."	this uncalled for attack on organized	Church Lads and Col. Lin
PROVISIONS.		CORN-April, 452c; May, 462c; July, 465c;		labor by Dr. J. B. Campbell and con-	
	15	1 Sept. 46%c.	-Mr. Frank Nichols, an enterprising	demn his utterances as unworthy of	having in charge the milita
Eggs, fresh, basket. per doz 13 to	13 13	OATS-May, 29%c; June, 29%c; July, 28%c to	young farmer of con. 14, has purchased	any public man, and at the same	that day, whereby the l
	12	284c.	from Mr. Thomas Brittle a farm of 100	time we desire to express our utmost	laddies may be included am
	18	283c. PORK—May, \$12 12½; July, \$12 27½. LARD—May, \$6 95; July, \$7 19; Sept., \$7 25.	acres on con. 11, Lobo township. The	confidence in Bro. T. J. Marks."	
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets. 16 to	17	SHORT RIBS—May, \$6 22½; July, \$6 35; Sept.,	price paid was \$5,000. The farm is one	Delegation to the coursell word re-	tions, However, as it is
Butter, per lb, large rolls or		\$6 50.	of the finest properties in the township	quested to report to the legislative com-	known whether or not
crocks 13 to	14	CASH QUOTATIONS.	and cost Mr. Brittle \$8,600 a few years	mittee any specific cases of infraction	come, these negotiations of
Dietect, per 10, easo of miles	14	Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 58%c to	ago.	mittee any specific cases of infraction	
Lard, per lb 8 to	9	160%c: No. 3 spring wheat, 55c to 60c: No. 2 red.	-Special services have been held in	of the factory bylaws which might	to a finality as yet.
Ducks, per pair 70 to 1	90	53gc to 53gc; No. 2 corn, 45gc to 45gc; No. 2	the Colborne Street Methodist Church	come before the notice of their respec-	It is proposed to hold
Chickens, per pair	00	oats, 30½; No. 2 rye, 5½ to 5½; No. 2 July, 50c; mess pork, \$12 12½ to \$12 25; lard, \$6 87½ to \$6 90; short ribs sides, \$6 15 to \$6 25;	every night this week, and will be con-	tive unions. A notice of motion to call	Opera House on the evenir
Turkeys, per lb, 10c to 11c; each. 1 00 to 2 to Honey, per lb	10	July, 50c; mess pork, \$12 12½ to \$12 25; lard,	tinued for some time. They are under	the attention of this council to the desir-	aid of Newsboys' Hall, w
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.	-	dry salted shoulders, \$5 37½ to \$5 50; short	the charge of the pastor, Rev. Walter	I shility of taking action lowards the	
Apples, per bag 75 to 1	00	clear sides, \$6 45 to \$6 50.	Rigsby, and are increasing in interest.	formation of a Canadian Federation of	work done for the
Pears 75 to 1		Receipts—	Mr. and Mrs. H. Ruthven Macdonald	Lahor was laid upon the table.	
Cauliflowers, per dozen 50 to 1	50	Flour 21.000 Wheat 35,000	are assisting the pastor.	Delegated from the Carpenders, ma	the boys costs money,
Potatoes, per bag 75 to	80	Corn	-A motion was made before Judge	chinists', Bricklayers' and Cigarmakers'	cert is in aid of a worthy c
Carrots, per bu 25 to	90	Rye			
Turnips, per bu 20 to Parsnips, per bu 60 to	75	Shipments-	Edward Elliott this morning to dismiss	cil to the operation of the United	the hall, and an average of
Pumpkins, per doz 50 to 1	00	Flour 15,000 Wheat 42,000	the action against the Westminster Fire		llied
Citrons, per doz 50 to	70	Corn 84,000 Oats	Insurance Company by the late James		1 1 1 1 1
Beets, per doz bunches 20 to	25	Rye 4,000 Barley 39,000	Williams, of this city. The action was		ired among the
Radishes, per doz bunches 20 to	25	Buffalo, April 3.	for \$550, the amount of a policy held		ized among the promised and a doctor in ambulance
Cabbage, per doz 30 to	60	WHEAT—Spring wheat — Active. Sales: 25,000 bu No. 1 hard, 65c to 654c; 38,000 bu do.	by Mr. Williams on property destroyed	was carried:	and a doctor in ambulance
Celery, per doz 35 to	40	25,000 bu No. 1 hard, 65c to 65gc; 38,000 bu do,	by fire. Judgment was reserved.	"That this council petition our repre-	
Od dreputor, bor dog.	25	642c; 55,000 bu do, 643c; 5,000 bu new, hard. 643c;	-ALD. J. W. Jones telegraphed from	sentative to the Dominion Parliamen	
Onions, per bu	60	5,000 bu do, old, 65c spot; 5,000 bu No. 1 Northern, c. i. f., 63ge; closing, No. 1 hard, 64ge: 10c	Toronto today that the bill to amend	to move for the passage in Canada o	are expected to visit
Beef, carcass, per lb 5 to	51	over Chicago May asked; No. 1 northern, new,	the L. and P. S. R. Act, which gives the	lan alien lahor law similar to that it	
Mutton, quarters, per lb 7 to	8	641c; do old, 641c. Winter wheat-Firm. Sales	city power to apply \$25,000 of the \$110,-	loneration in the United States. If us	
Veal, quarters, per lb 4 'to	7	641c; do old, 641c. Winter wheat—Firm. Sales 12 cars No. 2 red, 60c; 7 cars do, choice, 601c; to	000 issue of 40 year L. and P. S. deben-	ther, that sister Trades and Labor	
Lamb quarter 9 to	10) 60%c; 1 car No. 1 white, 62%c on track; 15 cars	tures for the purpose of building neces-	I Councils miroughout the Dominion i	
Dressed hogs, 100 lb 6 00 to 6	6 50	No. 2 red, 58½c to 59c in store.	sary stations, freight houses and other	requested to take similar action and	
Hides, No. 1, per lb 4 to	4	CORN—Quiet; fairly steady; No. 2 yellow 49c; No. 3 yellow, 483c; No. 2 corn, 484c to 483c		I chilom them an members of labor	the nucleus of the colonic
Hides, No. 2, per lb 3 to		No. 3 core 48te on track: No. 3 vollow 49c	Thomas Mr. Tonog returns this evening		the nucleus the colonie
Hides, No. 3, per lb 2 to	1	No. 3 corn, 48tc on track; No. 3 yellow, 49c No. 2 corn, 48tc in store.	House. Mr. Jones returns this evening.		the nucleus of the colonic
Calfskins, dry, each	1	OATS-Fairly active; firm: Sales: 2 cars No		who would not pledge themselves	talion, which the
Sheenskins, each 25 to 1	100	1 white, 36c to 36½c; 26 cars No. 2 white, 35½c:	West School Board attended the reg-	support the passage of such a measur	
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Lambskins, each	15	to
Pelts, each	00	to
Wool, per lb	16	to
Tallow rendered per lh	9	to
Tallow rough per lh	3	to
Wool, hard	4 (10)	to
Wool, soft	2 50	to

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, April 4. Market quiet.

WHEAT—Two cars of No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at North Bay at 84½c, and 84c asked g. i. t. via Sarnia.

FLOUR—Round lots of 19 cars of patents FLOUR—Round lots of 19 cars of patents seld. high freights, west at \$3 17.

PEAS—Odd cars for domestic use sold at 58c west and 69c east; one car of choice for splitting sold east at 63c.

OATS—Sales of white reported west at 33½c; 3 cars of white sold west at 34c, and 5 cars on the Midland at 35c.

the Midland at 35c.

BARLEY—One bid for No. 2 reported at 47c.

RYE—Car lots east would be taken readily at 48c. BUCKWHEAT—In fair demand east at 41c to 42c for cars.
CORN—Car lots of good sound Canada corn

Petrolea Oil Market. PETROLEA, April 4.—Oil opened and closed at \$134.

Montreal Produce Market.

Montreal, April 4.

FLOUR—Receipts were 400 bbls. Market firm and unchanged. Patents, winter, \$3 40 to \$3 50, do spring \$3 80 to \$3 90; straight roller, \$3 10 to \$3 30; extra, \$2 70 to \$2 80; superfine, \$2 40 to \$2 50; strong bakers, \$3 50 to \$3 75; Ontario baces, \$1 40 to \$1 50.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Manitoba hard, 74c to 76c; corn, 56c to 58c; peas, 69c to 70c; oats, 41c to 414c; bariey, 57c to 60c; rye, 53c to 55c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, \$2 to \$2 30; cornmeal, \$1 30 to \$1 45. PROVISIONS —"Mess pork, \$16 to \$16 50; lard, 7c to 9c; bacon, 10c to 11c; hams, 9c to 10c; cheese, 9c to 10c; butter, townships 14c to 16c, Western 10c to 12c; eggs, 14c to 16c.

English Markets. London, April 4. (Beerbohm's Report by Cable.) (Beerbohm's Report by Cable.)
Wheat off coast firm, less active; passage steady; LaPlatta, sail shipment, April and May, 28 3d; Walla, iron arrived, for Hamburg, 238 4½d; No. 1 Cal., iron, prompt shipment, 248 1½d; sale 3; English country markets quiet, steady; corn off coast quiet, passage firm; sale 1; Poti prompt, 208 9d.
Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet, demand poor, futures quiet, R. W., 48 9½d April; 48 9½d May and June; 48 9½d July; 48 10d Aug.; corn, spot. quiet, demand poor, 48 2½d; futures quiet, 48 2½d April; 48 2½d May; 48 2½d June; 48 3¼d Sept.; flour 16s.

4s 31d Sept.; flour 16s.

LIVERPOOL, April 4. The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:
| April 2. | April 3. | April 4.

Wheat quiet, demand poor, holders offer moderately; corn quiet, demand poor, American Markets.

NEW YORK, April 3, NEW YORK, April 3, S. PLOUR—Receipts, 23,000 packages; exports, 8,000 barrels; sales, 9,000 packages; steady. Winter wheat, low grades, \$1 90 to \$2 30; do fair to fancy, \$2 35 to \$2 75; do, patents, \$2 90 to \$3; Minnesota clear, \$2 25 to \$2 60; do, straighte, \$3 to \$3 25; do, patents, \$3 25 to \$4 10; low extras, \$1 90 to \$2 30; city mills, \$3 35 to \$3 40; do, patents, \$4 to \$4 15; rye mixtures, \$2 20 to \$2 60; rve flour firm, \$3 to \$3 35.

BUCKWHEAT—50e to 55c.

CORNMEAL—Steady: yellow western. \$2 70

CORNMEAL-Steady; yellow western, \$2 70 RYE-Nominal; western, 50c to 57c. BARLEY—Nominal; western, 63c to 68c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 64c to 65c. MALT-Nominal; Canada country-made, 850

MALT—Nominal; Canada country-made, 85c to 90c; western, 65c to 80c; two-rowed State, 70c to 72½c; six-rowed do, 75c to 80c.

PEAS—Canada nominal.

WHEAT—Receipts, 4,000 bu; exports, 200,000 bu; sales, 2,440,000 bu futures; 85,000 bu spot; spots firm; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 60½c; affoat, 61½c; 1. 6.2c; No. 51c to 62½c; ungraded red, 57c, 10,53c; No. 1 spots firm; No. 2 red, store and elevator, or, afloat, 61\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; I. 6. b., 61c to 62\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; ungraded red, 57c to 63c; No. 1 northern, 68\(\frac{1}{2}\)c to 68\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; options steady; No. 2 red, May, 60\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; June, 60\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; June, 60\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Sept., 61\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Dec., 63\(\frac{1}{2}\)c.

CORN—Receipts, 12,000 bu; exports, 1,000 bu; sales, 140,000 bu futures, 27,000 bu spot; spots

sales, 140,000 bu futures, 27,000 bu spot; spots firm; No. 2, 56c elevator; 57½c afloat; steamer mixed, 50½c to 52½c; options steady; May and Sept., 51½c; July, 51½c.

OATS—Receipts, 48,000 bu; exports, none; sales, 100,000 bu futures; 46,000 bu spot; spots steady; No. 2, 33½c; to 33½c; No. 2 white, 37½c; No. 2 Chicago, 34½c to 34½c; No. 3, 33c; No. 3 white, 36½c; mixed western, 34½c to 35½c; white do. 37c to 40½c; white State, 37c to 40½c; coptions easy; April and May, 33½c; July, 34c; No. 2 white, April, 37c.

FEED BRAN—87½c to 92½c.

MIDDLINGS—90c to 95c.

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RYE FEED—85c.

HAY—Steady, 70c to 75c.

HOPS—Steady; State, 3c to 10c.

BEEF—Firm; family, \$10 to \$12; extra mess. \$8 to \$8 50.

CUTMEATS — Firm; pickled bellies, 7c; do shoulders, 5½c; do hams, 8½c to 9½c; middles easier; short clear April, \$7.

LARD—Weak; western steam, \$7 20; refined quiet: continent, \$7 60; compound, 5½c to 5½c.

PORK—Steady; mess, \$13 50 to \$14; extra prime pominal

rime nominal.
BUTTER—Steady; State dairy, 9c to 19hc; do creamery, new, 21c; western dairy, 8c to 13½c; do old, 9c to 15c; do factory, 7c to 12c; Eigins, 21c.
CHEESE—Steady; State large, 8c to 8½c; do fancy colored, 1½c to 1½c; do white, 10½c to 1½c; do small, 8½c to 12c; part skims, 2c to 8c; full skims, ½c to 2c.
EGGS—Steady; State and Pennsylvania, 13½c to 13½c; western fresh, 13½c.
TALLOW—Dull; city, 4½c; country, 4½c to

PETROLEUM—Nominal refined, \$7 10; do in bulk, \$4 55 to \$4 60. POTATOES—Firm; Jersey, \$1 87 to \$2 12; New York, white, \$2 12 to \$2 37; do rose, \$2 25 to \$2 50; Bermuda, \$5 to \$8; sweets, \$2 75 to

\$3 50.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 4½c to 6c.

MOLASSES—Firm; 28c to 38c.

COFFEE—Options quiet. Sales, 550 bags.
including May, \$14 75 to \$14 80; July, \$4 70
to \$14 75; Oct., \$14 70; Dec., \$14 45; spot firm,

July; 57% Aug. CORN-46c cash, 46% bid May. OATS-31c cash.

clear sides, \$6 45 to \$6 5	0.
Receipts-	
Flour 21.000	Wheat 35,90
Corn147.000	Oats307,00
Rye 11,000	Barley 82,00
Shipments-	
Flour 15,000	Wheat 42,00
Corn 84,000	Oats284,00
Rye 4,000	
	BUFFALO, April 3.

car No. 2 mixed, 33c on track; 55,000 bu No. 2 ular monthly meeting last night. Mr. white, 35% in store. L. V. Ludwig presided. Accounts to the white, 35% in store.

BARLEY—Market nominal.

RYE—Dull; No. 2, 60c asked in store and on

FLOUR—Firm; fair demand. MILLFEED—Steady; light receipts; fair de Receipts-Wheat, 5,000 bu; corn, 12,000 bu oats, 16,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 2,000; wheat, 19,000 bu. Chicago Exchange.

Reported by C. E. Turner, broker, Masoni Temple. Temple.

April 4—1 p.m.

Open. High. Low. Close.

—May. 54\(\frac{1}{2}\) 55\(\frac{1}{2}\) 54\(\frac{1}{2}\) 55\(\frac{1}{2}\) 55\(\frac{1}{2}\) 56\(\frac{1}{2}\) 46\(\frac{1}{2}\) 47\(\frac{1}{2}\) 40\(\frac{1}{2}\) 12\(\frac{1}{2}\) 12\(\frac{1}{2}\) 20\(\frac{1}{2}\) July. 12\(\frac{1}{2}\) 12\(\frac{1}{2}\) 12\(\frac{1}{2}\) 5\(\frac{1}{2}\) 40\(\frac{1}{2}\) 12\(\frac{1}{2}\) 20\(\frac{1}{2}\) 30\(\frac{1}{2}\) 12\(\frac{1}{2}\) 5\(\frac{1}{2}\) 6\(\frac{1}{2}\) 6\(\frac{1}{2} WHEAT-May PORK-S. RIBS-

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

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-The corporation pay roll amounted to \$116 60 this week.

-There have been no infectious diseases reported at the health office since March 2. Mrs. (Dr.) S. S. Murray, of Seaforth, late of Thorndale, is very ill. Her physicians have hopes, however, that she may re-

-J. D. O'Neil, V.S., has obtained a permit to erect an addition and make alterations to the hotel property on the corner of -Peter Dymond was fined \$3 or twenty

days by the police magistrate today. It was his second appearance within a week on a charge of drunkenness. Two other drunks were discharged. -Mr. Wm. Hendrie, of Hamilton (head

of the cartage company), who has been in poor health recently, will take a trip to the Southern States shortly. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Hendrie. -At the semi-annual election of officers

and conveners of the Christian Endeavor of the Memorial Church the following were chosen; President, Mr. J. H. Hambly; vice-president, Mr. W. J. Doherty; treasurer, Miss Carry Drew; recording secretary, Miss Ida Chapman; assistant secretary, Miss R. McCracken; corresponding secretary, Miss Laura M. Findlater; organist, Miss Rose Dawson.

-Rev. Dr. Dewart will sail for England on May 25. At the last conference Dr. Dewart was appointed delegate to convey greetings to the meetings of the Wesleyan Methodist Conference of England, the Irish Methodist Conference, the Methodist New Conference, the Primitive Methodist Conference and the Bible Christian Conference. Rev. A. C. Courtice will assume the editorship of the Guardian early in June.

-Mr. Wm. Bowman went to Hamilton today with Architect King, of Toronto, to get some pointers on the interior arrangement of Knox Church Sunday school. The good points of Knox Sunday school, which is evidently looked on as a model one by burned-out London Methodists will be incorporated in the new Dundas Center Sunday school. The trustee board meets again tonight. Mr. Frank Cooper secured negatives of the perspective of the proposed structure today.

-The captaincy of the Toronto team will be offered to Second-baseman Sippi, of London, who has all the qualifications for the position. Sippi is a worker himself, and his example will have a wholesome effect upon the members of the team. The advocates of an aggressive, gingery style of play should watch Sippi's management of the team. There will be aggressiveness and ginger in his methods, but none of the rowdyism that characterizes some captains and teams .-Toronto Mail and Empire.

amount of \$185 were passed, and the truant officer, Village Constable Ward, was instructed to visit the school once a week and investigate the cause of any pupil's absence. Parents who ne-glect to send their children to school will be dealt with according to the law in that regard, which is very severe, and will be enforced to the letter.

COWAN-REYCRAFT.

The residence of Mr. Thomas Reycraft, assistant superintendent of the London Street Railway Company, 408 Rectory street, was besieged by a company of about 75 persons last night. The occasion was the marriage of Mr. Reveraft's eldest daughter, Miss Mabel, to Mr. Martin H. F. Cowan, a successful young farmer from con. 10, Cara-The bride was becomingly attired in white silk, with pearls and lace trimmings, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. She was assisted by her sister, Miss Winnie Reycraft; her aunt, Miss Jennie Reycraft, of Glencoe, and Miss Emma Cowan, of Strathroy, as bridesmaids; and Mabel Pearl Tull as maid of honor, and Lorne Clifford Tull as page. The groom was accompanied by Mr. John Reycraft, of Glencoe, uncle for the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Joseph Philp, of Ridgetown, formerly of the Centennial Methodist Church, and Rev. A. G. Harris, the present pastor. After the cere-mony the Wedding March was played by Miss Maggie Carrie, a bountiful wedding breakfast was partaken of, and Mr. and Mrs. Cowan left on a trip to Jackson, Mich. Among the guests from outside places wer eMr. and Mrs. Cowan, of Strathroy; Mr. and Mrs. Rundall, of Ingersoll; Mr. Thompson and Mr. and Miss McCallum, of Glencoe. Mr. S. R. Break, Detroit; Mr. C. E. A. Carr and Mr. D. L. De Harte, city, and Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Legg, of Jackson, Mich, were unable to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Cowan received a beautiful array of presents. A notable gift was a combination reed and pipe organ, presented by the groom to the bride.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL

Want an Alien Labor Law Passed by Parliament,

Similar to that of the United States-Assessment Roll Publication Demanded-Dr. Campbell Criticised.

The regular meeting of the London Trades and Labor Council was held in Labor Hall, Dufferin avenue, last Tuesday evening. President John Cummings took the chair at 8:15 o'clock. The roll call was responded to by delegates from the Bricksayers', Cigarmakers', Tailors', Machinists', Shoemakers', Carpenters' and Typographical Unions, the Retail Clerks, Railroad Trainmen, Industrial Brotherhood, etc. The minutes of the last meeting were

read and confirmed. organization purposes; also that the becoming affiliated. The committee meeting of the amalgamated engineers and request that body to appoint dele-

gates and affiliate with this council. The committee appointed to consider the advisability of publishing the In-dustrial Banner weekly in future (with a paid editor and business manager, who could devote all his time to make the official organ of the Trades and Labor Council a commercial success) reported that a sample special issue of 5,000 copies of the proposed new form of the paper would be issued by May 1; also that a provisional editor and special advertising collector had been appointed, and the prospects of floating the proposed new weekly at an early date were very good.

The relief bureau committee reported the receipt of a contribution from Ald. Heaman; also that provisions on hand would not last more than one or two weeks from date.

The municipal committee reported that they were informed by delegates from the Tailors' Union that Messrs. Boyd, to whom a recent contract for suits had been let by the City Council, were not paying the union scale, and further reported that proper steps would shortly be taken to obtain the passage of a standard wage bylaw for city contracts, similar to those existing in London, Eng., Toronto and else-

The cigarmakers reported that an investigation had been made into the reported use of the union label by George Kelly, and it was satisfactorily proved that Mr. Kelly had not used the label as complained of.

A communication was received from the Charity Organization Society asking the appointment of a delegate from the Trades and Labor Council to attend a meeting in the council chamber on Wednesday, April 3. The president being unable to attend, Bro. T. C. Thornhill was appointed.

The matter of assessment roll publication was discussed, and the council was unanimous in an expression that the roll should be published according to the terms of the ratepayers' vote at last municipal election. In response to a question, "Who pays the taxes?" a delegate from the Typographical Union was unanimously carried:

Accounts presented were ordered to be paid, and the meeting adjourned, to meet on Tuesday, April 16.

PRESBYTERY OF LONDON.

Leave Granted to Moderate in a Call to Delaware and Caradoc.

Rev. Mr. Vert's Case-Applications to be Made to the General Assembly for the Reception of Ministers from Other Churches

The regular meeting of the Presby tery of London was opened in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church at 11 o'clock this morning, with the moderator, Rev. Geo. Sutherland, presiding. Other clergymen present were: Revs. W. J. Clark, M. P. Talling and D. Robertson, city; E. H. Sawers, Westminster; A. E. Vert, Delaware; M. Macdonald, St. Thomas; Mr. Brown, Tempo; W. A. Cook, Dorchester; Alex. Henderson, Appin; Alex. Millar, Mosa; Mr. Hague, Hyde Park; John Currie, Belmont; S. Lawrence, Vanneck, and Mr. Stuart, Melbourne. There was a large number of delegates from the Delaware congregation to give evidence in the inquiry of Rev. Mr. Vert's case. It was not reached, however, when the Presbytery adjourned at 12:30 for lunch. Leave was granted to Mr. Stuart to moderate in a call to Delaware and Caradoc, also instructing the congregations to make a canvass with the object of raising the guarantee of stipend to

Permission was asked by St. Andrew's Church, Delaware, to mortgage the church property, exclusive of the manse,

Certificate of reception of this Pres bytery of W. A. Mackay as a student was granted to Mr. Mackay, who has gone to California to resume his studies in a San Francisco semmary. Mr. Mackay is a son of Mr. Wm. C. Mackay, of Adelaide street.

Notices from the Presbyteries of Brandon, Inverness, Wyoming and Hamilton were read intimating applications be made to the General Assembly to receive the following ministers from other churches, viz: Messrs. Peacock, Vincent, Hale, Beavis and Don-

Messrs. Henderson and Sutherland were appointed as representatives on the bills and overtures committee at the synod committee of the assembly. The session minutes of St. Andrew' Church were certified as carefully and neatly kept.

AFTER ALDERMANIC CONTRACTORS A Bill That Will Disqualify Municipal Jobbers

Whether in Connection With the Water Commissioners, Hospital Trust, School Board, Police Commissioners, Etc.

Copies were received in the city today of the act to amend the present Municipal Act, which was introduced in the Local Legislature on March 27 The organization committee reported by Hon. A. S. Hardy. The bill, which is York and Talbot street. They will cost that arrangements were being made to about to become law, will be a terror call a meeting of city blacksmiths for to aldermanic contractors, and provides against any alderman accepting directstationary engineers were desirous of | ly or indirectly a contract for municipal work of any kind, whether it be in was instructed to wait upon the next | connection with the water commissioners, hospital trust, school bard police commissioners, or any work that is paid fr by the city. The penalty is disqualification.

The clause now reads: "No judge of any court of civil jurisdiction, no jailer or keeper of a house of correction, no sheriff, deputy sheriff, sheriff's bailiff, high bailiff or chief constable of any city or town, assessor, collector, treasurer or clerk of any municipality, or bailiff of any division court, no county crown attorney, no registrar, no deputy clerk of the crown, no clerk of the county court, no clerk of the peace, no high school trustee, no inn-keeper, no saloon-keeper, or shop-keeper licensed to sell spirituous liquors by retail, no license commissioner or inspector of licenses, no police magistrate, and no person having by himself or his partner an interest in any contract with or on behalf of the corporation-amnedment begins here)-and no person who is counsel of solicitor, either by himself or with or through another, in the prosecution of any claim, action or proceeding against the municipality shall be qualified to be a member of the coun-

cil of any municipal corporation.' The amendment reads: "Or has a contract for the supply of goods or materials, or supplies goods or materials to a contractor for work for which the corporation pays, or is liable directly or indirectly to pay, or which is subject to the control or supervision of the council or of an officer thereof on behalf of the council, or has an unsatisfied claim for such goods or materials, and no person who, either by himself or with or through another, has any claim, action or proceeding against the municipality, and no person who is counsel, or solicitor, either by himself, or with or through another in the prosecution of any claim, action or proceeding against a mupnicipality, shall be qualfied to be a member of the council of any municipal corporation.'

THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

Will Be a Gala Day for the Boys' Brigade.

Companies Are Expected From Sarnia and Hamilton-A Bugle Band Organizing-Ambulance Drill.

It is the intention to make the Queen's Birthday a gala day for the different companies of the Boys' Brigade in London, and the Earl of Aberdeen, who is honorary the Earl of Aberdeen, who is honorary president of the world-wide organization, has been invited to attend. Negotiations president of the world-wide organization, are on foot between the commandants of the Church Lads and Col. Lindsay and others having in charge the military celebration of that day, whereby the little uniformed laddies may be included among the attractions, However, as it is not definitely known whether or not the Kilties will come, these negotiations cannot be carried to a finality as yet.

It is proposed to hold a concert in the Opera House on the evening of May 24, in aid of Newsboys' Hall, which now has a regular brigade in connection. The work done for the advancement of the boys costs money, and the concert is in aid of a worthy cause. Ten boys who would otherwise be homeless sleep at the hall, and an average of 60 meals a week are supplied. A drum and buglerent city companies,

ized among the promised to give the boys and a dector has promised to give the boys instructions in ambulance drill. A company from Sarnia and a company from Hamilton from Sarnia and a company from Hamilton are expected to visit London and take part in the celebrations of the day.

A grand field day is also being arranged for the Western Fair.

for the Western Fair. Lieut. Col. Lindsay takes a great deal of interest in the Boys' Brigade, and sees in it the nucleus of the coming Seventh Battalion, which the coloniel intends to make

BIG BLAZE IN GODERICH.

The Loss \$30,000-Insurance Compara tively Light.

GODERICH, April 4.-A disastrous fire broke out here this morning shortly before 8 o'clock, which destroyed the Grand Opera House, the large general store of C. G. Armstrong, with millinery store adjoining, and the book and stationery store of D. B. Calbick. In addition the drygoods store of James Robinson was completely gutted, the larger portion of the goods having, however, been removed. The total loss will be about \$30,000. The fire originated from furnace in the cellar of Armstrong & Co.'s store and spread so rapidly that little opportunity was given to save much of their stock, which had lately been increased greatly by spring importations. The loss by fire is only covered partly by insurance, so far as Armstrong & Co., James Robinson and Geo. Acheson, the proprietor of the block, are concerned. In the case of D. B. Calbick there is no insurance, During the fire Mr. Calbick in en deavoring to save a portion of his goods fell through a trap-door in his cellar and sustained severe injuries, two of his ribs being broken. It was with difficulty that he was enabled to get out, owing to the heat and smoke.

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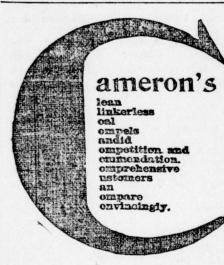
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