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ter business will be the largest in the  
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ice, and add a heaping teaspoonful of  
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state.

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## Meteorological.

Toronto, May 5, 8 p.m.—The weather  
during the day has been showery in  
Manitoba and over the western por-  
tion of the Maritime Provinces. Else-  
where in the Dominion it has been fine.  
Temperatures of nearly 50 have been  
fairly general in Western Ontario.  
Minimum and maximum tempera-  
tures: Victoria, 40—52; Kamloops,  
40—64; Calgary, 34—68; Edmonton, 42—  
60; Appelle, 38—54; Winnipeg, 44—  
74; Port Arthur, 40—64; Parry Sound,  
34—70; Toronto, 42—72; Ottawa, 46—70;  
Montreal, 46—60; Quebec, 38—48; Hal-  
ifax, 36—48.

Local temperature—The highest and  
lowest readings of the thermometer at  
the observatory on Saturday, May 4,  
were 68 and 31.5; on Sunday, May 5,  
were 76 and 37.

Today (Monday) the sun rose at 5:03  
a.m. and sets at 7:25 p.m. The moon  
rises at 10:16 p.m. and sets at 6:56  
a.m.

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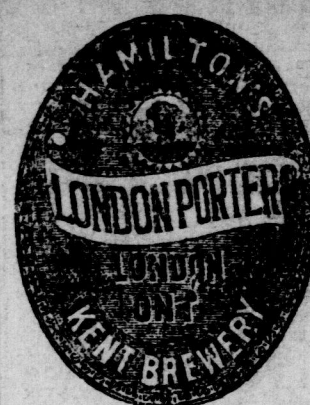
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ways rely on  
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new service is put on it will not af-  
fect the men here to any extent, as the  
service will be sufficient to employ all  
the old engines.

DEATH OF MRS. GOWER.

Mrs. Gower, wife of Mr. William  
Gower, of Thornton avenue, died yester-  
day at Victoria Hospital. The de-  
ceased was ill only since early Satur-  
day morning, but her condition was so  
critical that practically no hope was  
entertained for her recovery from the  
onset. Mrs. Gower was 25 years of  
age, and the eldest daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. Maxwell Angus, of 904 Elias street,  
who, with the deceased husband, will  
have the sympathy of many friends.  
She was married about two years ago.  
The funeral will be held tomorrow af-  
ternoon.

L. E. AND D. R. R. EXTENSION.

Kingsville Reporter: Perhaps not  
everyone within the radius of our cir-  
culation is acquainted with the fact  
that the L. E. and D. R. R. is extend-  
ing its line to London, that the exten-  
sion is nearing completion and is ex-  
pected to be open for traffic by July.

The commercial advantages of  
having a direct line of road connecting  
us with London cannot be overesti-  
mated. Goods will leave and arrive on  
same day without the annoyance and  
trans-shipment over other roads and  
in about three hours will land passen-  
gers in London or Kingsville without  
the inconvenience of change of cars.  
Then, too, the excursion business out  
of London is something enormous, and  
without doubt the L. E. and D. R. R.  
will come in for a goodly share of this  
traffic, and if our harbor can be got  
into shape and a boat put on between  
here and Pelee Island plying several  
trips a day it would prove a strong  
attraction to great numbers of excu-  
sionists. Our board of trade should  
be wide awake to these suggestions  
and leave no stone unturned to put  
Kingsville as a pleasure resort well  
before London and all intermediate  
points on the L. E. and D. R. R.

## SAW LONDON GROW TO CITY.

Interesting Life of L. C. Leonard,  
Who Died Yesterday.

Was Born in 1813 and Had Lived the  
Greater Part of His Life in  
London.

Mr. Louis C. Leonard, of Queen's  
avenue, eldest brother of the late Sen-  
ator Eljah Leonard and the late Ly-  
man Leonard, died yesterday after a  
lengthy illness. Mr. Leonard had seen  
London rise from a mere village to its  
present proportions, and in the early  
history of the city was one of the most  
energetic and influential merchants.  
He served on the board of aldermen  
as representative of No. 4 ward in the  
years 1834 and 5, and during the two  
later terms officiated as chairman of  
the finance committee, a position he  
filled with great acceptance and profit  
to the city generally. He was not  
what might be termed a public man,  
but on municipal matters was excep-  
tionally well posted. He was born in  
the village of Geddes, near Syracuse,  
N. Y., in 1813, and engaged in a small  
way for several years in the develop-  
ment of salt, relinquishing his connec-  
tion therewith in 1850, in which year  
he came to London and opened a wool  
and commission store on Dundas  
street, on the site at present occupied  
by the Ontario Loan and Debenture  
Company. He removed from that

## CRICKET COACH

Englishmen Comments on American  
Food.

The English coach of the German-  
town, Pa., cricket club had an experi-  
ence with food worth knowing.  
He says, "When I came to this  
country I was engaged as professional  
coach. I had suffered a long time  
from constipation, and pains in the  
lower part of the back, and after  
bowling and coaching for about an  
hour, the pains would be so severe  
they would nearly draw me to the  
ground."

I tried many remedies without suc-  
cess. Finally I went on Grape-Nuts.  
Food using it for breakfast in place of  
oatmeal. Within three days I began to  
feel better. I have kept it up regularly  
and now feel like a new man.  
I can go on and bowl for hours with-  
out pain. Bowels are as regular as a  
clock and my head is clear and steady.  
I advise its use with all our players."  
J. Caesar, professional coach.  
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place to the south-east corner of the  
present Market lane, where he estab-  
lished a tin shop in connection with  
his then increasing business. Subse-  
quently he erected the building next  
door to the Free Press office and con-  
tinued the business until some fifteen  
years ago, when he moved to Dundas  
street west, and with his sons con-  
ducted a large lamp and oil trade, un-  
til he retired a few years ago. He was  
married twice, first to an Ohio lady,  
who died in 1854. His second wife,  
whom he married in 1859, was a sister  
of the late William and Judge James  
Daniell. By this union three child-  
ren were born—two sons and one  
daughter Mrs. Nicholson, who alone  
survives. Mr. Leonard possessed a  
well stored mind, and was held in high  
esteem by all who were intimate with  
him. Though his death was a sad  
event, it will cause feelings of sin-  
cere regret to all who knew him.

## PASTOR FEELS

GRATIFIED

Rev. W. J. Clark's Announcement  
Regarding Century Fund.

Splendid Achievement of First Presby-  
terian Church—Subscriptions Were  
Entirely Voluntary.

The pastor of the First Presbyterian  
Church made a statement yesterday  
morning concerning the progress of the  
century fund in that congregation. The  
sum aimed at had been \$8,000, and  
there had been paid in \$5,904 32. With  
the interest accruing more than the  
total sum had been obtained. Of this  
70 per cent had been devoted to the  
common fund of the Presbyterian  
Church in Canada, and 30 per cent to  
debt of the First Presbyterian Church,  
with the exception of three subscrip-  
tions, totaling \$207, which the contribu-  
tors wished divided evenly between  
the common and debt fund. There  
have been 321 contributors to the fund,  
and in no case has an individual been  
asked personally to contribute. The  
highest sum received from any one  
household has been \$373, and the large-  
est individual contribution has been  
\$200, while the lowest sum received  
has been 25 cents. There is included  
an open collection of \$36 21. Sabbath  
school, \$36; Society for Bible Study,  
\$55; and interest already allowed, \$8.

Mr. Clark expressed the greatest pos-  
sible satisfaction at the spirit the con-  
gregation had shown in undertaking  
this work; the fact that so large a  
number of the people had some share  
in it; that it had been entirely vol-  
untary, and that such generosity had  
been shown in awarding 10 per cent  
more to the common fund for the gen-  
eral work of the church than the max-  
imum of 60 per cent asked for by the  
General Assembly's committee. Surely  
those who had given to the work of  
the Christian church in such a liberal  
spirit would not fail in obtaining bless-  
ing from the Divine Master. Mr. John  
Anderson has acted as secretary and  
Mr. A. M. Hamilton as treasurer of  
the fund.

Mr. Clark related a curious incident  
which occurred in connection with the  
century fund work. Soon after he had  
made an announcement concerning the  
fund through a local paper, he re-  
ceived by mail a copy of the paper in  
which was securely fastened \$77 in  
bank notes. The name of the contribu-  
tor is still unknown.

## 7TH REGIMENT AT DIVINE SERVICE.

London's Smart Corps Presents an Impos-  
ing Appearance on the March.

The Seventh Regiment, accompanied  
by the Collegiate Institute Cadets, par-  
aded to divine service at the First  
Methodist Church yesterday morning.  
The regiment has seldom presented a  
more creditable appearance on the  
march. The turnout was the largest of  
the season, and the marching of the  
men elicited much favorable comment.  
The band of the regiment, under Band-  
master Hiscott, created a particularly  
favorable impression. This excellent  
organization is being constantly  
strengthened and improved, and it is  
not going beyond the truth to say that  
it is in the front rank of Canadian  
military bands. For this much  
credit is due Capt. W. J. Reid, the  
capable and zealous chairman of the  
band committee of the regiment. Capt.  
Reid's interest in the band is a per-  
sonal matter, and he has sacrificed  
much valuable time in furthering its  
interests.

At the First Methodist Church, Rev.  
Dr. Smith, the pastor, preached a stir-  
ring sermon from Joshua viii, 13: "To-  
morrow the Lord will do wonders among  
you." The sermon, dealing with  
a remarkable period of Jewish history,  
was listened to with eager attention,  
not only by the soldiers, but by the  
large congregation present.

## STEAMERS ARRIVED.

May 4 and 5. Reported at. From.  
Batavia.....New York.....Hamburg  
Ft. Erie.....New York.....Hamburg  
Umbria.....Queenstown.....New York  
Mesaba.....London.....New York  
Tauris.....Liverpool.....New York  
Hibernian.....Glasgow.....Boston  
Greclan.....Halifax.....Liverpool  
Cortina.....Rimouski.....Liverpool  
Dagma.....Montreal.....Bristol  
Frisia.....Montreal.....Hamburg  
La Champagne.....New York.....Glasgow  
Furnessia.....New York.....Glasgow  
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A beautiful range of Ladies' Pure Silk Gloves, in all the  
new shades, at per pair..... 25c, 35c and 50c  
Bicycle Gloves, in shades of gray, brown and mode,  
three buttons, per pair..... 30c

## Children's Straw Sailor Hats.

Children's Fancy Braided  
Straw Sailor Hats, in navy  
and royal blue colors, worth  
25c,  
Selling at 15c.  
Children's White Straw  
Sailor Hats, corded silk rib-  
bon band and streamers,  
Selling at 50c.

## MISSSES' STRAW HATS.

Straw Sailor Hats, with  
fancy crown, neatly trimmed  
with ribbon, for  
45c.  
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ting Patterns, a valuable  
guide and instructor. Sold  
by us  
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delicate shades, heavy kn