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Being troubled off and on with pains in my back, caused by constipation, I tried several kinds of pills I had seen advertised, and to put the truth in a nutshell, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the only pills that have proved effective in my case. I can heartily recommend them.

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METEOROLOGICAL.

UNSETTLED—SLEET OR SNOW.
Toronto, March 30-3 p.m.—A trough of low pressure extends tonight from Texas to the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The outlook is for unsettled weather from the lakes to the Atlantic. In the Northwest the pressure continues high, with fair weather, but the temperature is slowly becoming higher.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 30-50; New Westminster, 38-46; Kamloops, 24-46; Calgary, 4 below-16; Battleford, 2-22; Qu'Appelle, 4 below-16; Winnipeg, zero-22; Port Arthur, 6-32; Pelly Sound, 16-30; Toronto, 20-32; Ottawa, 18-32; Montreal, 20-32; Quebec, 22-30; Halifax, 30-36.

Probabilities for the lower lakes for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Unsettled, with sleet or snow in many places; little change in temperature.

Sun rises today at 6:56; sets, 6:42. Moon rises, 12 a.m.; sets, 8:08 a.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Mr. I. Neighorn, broker, Toronto, is in the city on business.

—Mr. Jos. McLeod, councillor, London township, is seriously ill.

—J. Judson, of the New York Post, is a guest at the Tecumseh House.

—Mr. Robert Wyatt, of Winnipeg, who has been here, left for the west yesterday.

—Messrs. W. H. Adley, and J. A. White, of the G. T. R., Montreal, are in the city.

—Mr. Thomas Coffey, of the Catholic Record, leaves today for a trip to Montreal.

—No. 1 committee will meet tomorrow (Saturday) night instead of this evening.

—Mrs. Loader, of South London, is going to spend her Easter holidays in Hamilton.

—Mr. Reid Wright, of this city, visited his mother at Blythe for a few days this week.

—The inquest on the body found near Denfield a few days ago has been postponed until April 7.

—Miss Maud Williamson, of Alma College, is the guest of Miss Lotta Percival, Dundas street.

—A well-attended "pie" social was given last evening by May Queen Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah.

—Miss Ray and Miss Grigg, of South London, are going to spend their Easter holidays in St. Thomas.

—Mr. H. Wright, a divinity student, at Huron College, left for his home at Brantford, yesterday afternoon.

—Evangelists Ostrom and Hillis held services at the G. T. R. car shops, between 12 and 1 o'clock, yesterday.

—Miss Maggie Boyd left today to spend the Easter holidays with her friend, Miss Mabel Smith, of Exeter.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Burnett, of Toronto, formerly of London, are the guests of Mr. S. B. Coon, 574 Waterloo Street.

—Lectures were discontinued Wednesday at the Western University, but they will be resumed again next Tuesday.

—Mrs. E. Horsman, of Toronto, and Mrs. G. W. Hay, daughters of Mr. D. W. McLeod, are in the city, on account of their father's serious illness.

—Rev. J. Stephens, of Dutton, formerly of Glasgow, Scotland, will occupy the pulpit of St. Andrew's Church at both services on Sunday next.

—Mrs. W. M. Watson, daughter of

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Large assortment of Easter Cards.

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183 DUNDAS STREET.

Quartermaster-Sergeant D. C. Kennedy, of the R. C. I., at St. Johns, P. Q., is visiting relatives in London.

—Three freight cars left the tracks at the G. T. R. station at Woodstock yesterday. A wrecking crew from London replaced them after two hours' work.

—The present short course at Wolseley Barracks is almost ended, and the non-commissioned officers and men will be at their respective homes for Easter Sunday.

—Mr. John Vining has sold his farm of 50 acres in West Nisour to Mr. Ebenezer Vining, and has purchased a 100-acre farm, con. 1, North Dorchester.

—The earnings of the London Street Railway Company for the week ending March 25, 1909, show an increase of \$396.25 over the corresponding week of last year.

—Two more passenger cars were turned out yesterday at the G. T. R. car shops here, in every respect similar to the new ones on exhibition at the station a few days ago.

—Sergeant Major J. B. Munro has returned to Wolseley Barracks from Prescott, where he was acting as instructor of the Provisional School of Infantry for some weeks past.

—Mr. W. H. Hewlett, organist of Dundas Center Methodist Church, opened the Shibley memorial organ in the Methodist Church, Newburgh, near Napanee, last Tuesday evening.

—Today, March 31, is the fourteenth anniversary of the Seventh Fusiliers being called to arms to leave for the Northwest rebellion, in 1885. The volunteers left for the front on April 7.

—A horse belonging to Mr. J. G. Pritchard dashed into the river yesterday morning, and got into deep water near the Kensington bridge, at the foot of Dundas street, and was drowned.

—The Jubilee Rink, with eight inches of ice, and the Musical Society Band, for afternoon and evening, Good Friday, promises, in spite of what the weather may be, to give its patrons a good time.

—Miss Lulu White has returned home after a successful course of study at the London Conservatory of Music. She still returns there once a week for lessons, and in June will take her final examinations.—Aylmer Sun.

—Mr. Edward Brammer died at his home yesterday morning, at the corner of Francis street and River road, London township, at the age of 77 years. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m., from the family residence, to Oaklaid Cemetery.

—Mrs. Graham, of this city, who had been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Plewes, has returned from Wallaceburg, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Plewes, and her grand-daughter, Miss Plewes—three generations.

—A horse belonging to J. Pritchard, butcher, West London, ran away yesterday about noon, and jumped over the back of Wallaceburg, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Plewes, and her grand-daughter, Miss Plewes—three generations.

—Two games of basket ball will be played at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow. Two teams will be matched against Hamilton and Stratford. The teams playing Hamilton will comprise George Tambling, C. McLaren, John Robinson, F. Clark and Ferguson. A third team of London boys will play at Brantford, as follows: George Williams, Dr. L. McLeay, George McBride, F. Cooper and P. Ashplant.

—Well, it seems as far as the Uncle Tom's Cabin business is concerned, everything lies in the name of Stetson's. Since the present tour of Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin Company opened, they have met with a succession of packed houses, an illustration of the fact that the public have not forgotten the name of Stetson, the amusement lover, for one can always count on witnessing a first class entertainment under that trade mark. The great Stetson Uncle Tom's Cabin Company will appear in its entirety at the Grand matinee and night today at popular prices.

WANLESS—SOUTHCOTT
Miss May Grace Southcott was united in marriage to Mr. Alexander Graham Wanless at the residence of Mrs. Burridge. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. J. Clark. Miss Cann, of Hamilton, was bridesmaid, and Mr. William Wanless, city, best man.

SCHOOL PROMOTIONS.
The following promotions have been made at Victoria school, to take effect on reopening after the Easter vacation:

From kindergarten to Part I.—Duncan McCallum, Lawrence Latta, George Shaw, John Douglas, George Aitkens, Eva Boyden, Eva Lind, Hilda Keene, Isabel Hauney, Lillie Thomas.

From Part I. to Part II.—Myrtle Nugent, Katie Lancaster, George Weber, John Reynolds, Willie Kennedy, Myrtle Shannon, Viola Wray, Vera Brazier, Lennie Deacon.

PEACH BUDS SAFE.
The mild weather of a few weeks

ago, followed by a cold wave, caused considerable anxiety on the part of fruit growers in this district, as it was feared that the warmth had caused the peach trees to bud and that they were subsequently frozen. One of the fruit growers has been making tests recently by placing peach tree stems in water in the house. They have budded finely, proving the peach crop is safe so far.—Dundas Banner.

THE GORDON MEMORIAL.

The following Londoners have subscribed to the Gordon Memorial fund through the Bank of Montreal, Ottawa:

Hobbs, T. S., London, Ont.\$100
Robinson, Little & Co., London, Ont. 50
Cronyn & Betts, London, Ont. 50
Parke & Purdon, London, Ont. 25
Somerville, G. A., London, Ont. 25
Dr. Eccles, London, Ont. 20
Carling, Hon. Sir John, London Ont. 10
Macbeth, T. London, Ont. 10
Jeffery, A. O., London, Ont. 10
Cameron, John, London, Ont. 5
Leonard, F. E., London, Ont. 5
Weekes, G. W., London, Ont. 5
STAR OF THE WEST.

A meeting of Loyal Star of the West Lodge was held on Monday evening,

when the following officers were elected: N. G., C. E. Poole; V. G., R. H. Prebble; P. N. G., W. Lyons; secretary, J. O. Rooke; treasurer, W. H. Dean;

I. M. F. Parsons; W. A. Kennealy; C. W. McKay; I. G. G. Burgess; O. G. G. Bowman. Before ordinary routine business was transacted, the district deputy grand master, Bro. Dr. Toule, of Kintore, was introduced to the lodge on his official visit. After the business of the lodge was transacted, the D. D. G. M. took the floor and gave the brothers some sound advice on Oddfellowship. He hoped this lodge would send a delegate to grand lodge, to be held in June at Peterboro. After thanking the brethren for their hearty reception the party adjourned for a social hour.

POLICE COURT CASES.
William David and Perry David, father and son, were before the police magistrate yesterday morning charged with violating the city bylaw regulating signs. One man's sign projects six inches beyond the limit, and the other's 25 inches. William David last week presented a list of those in the city whose signs projected beyond the limit, and thought that to single him out for prosecution was very peculiar. As the council will deal with the matter, and extend the sign limit fifteen inches, the case was laid over. Three business men were up for blockading the streets and sidewalks with boxes and barrels. All were warned and allowed to go. James Leonard, a tramp, who for the past few days has been a "guest" at the Salvation Army Hotel Wednesday night created a rumpus and insulted and assaulted W. D. Long, one of the army staff. Leonard went down for twenty days in default of a \$5 fine.

SILVER SERVICE

Handsome Gift to Mr. Frank Whiting of the Bell Telephone.

Mr. Frank Whiting, of the Bell Telephone Company, severs his connection with that concern tomorrow, and will embark in the business of manufacturing cigars. Mr. Whiting entered the company's service on April 1, fifteen years ago, as lineman, and for fourteen years has occupied the position of foreman. During that time he has been a faithful servant to the company, and a good friend to all connected with the institution. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Whiting was greatly surprised when about 40 of the employees waited on him and presented him with an address and a handsome silver tea service. The address, expressing in kindly terms regret at Mr. Whiting's departure from among them, was read by Mr. John Padfield, and the beautiful gift, brought forward by Mr. George Hunt. All united in wishing Mr. Whiting every success in his new venture.

THEIR ANNUAL ENTERTAINMENT

Scholars of the First Presbyterian Sabbath School at Tea—An Excellent Programme Follows.

The annual entertainment of the First Presbyterian Sabbath school was held last night, and proved a most enjoyable affair. The building was crowded in every part. The scholars were entertained to a dainty tea at seven o'clock in the schoolroom, and at eight o'clock their parents and friends began to gather in the edifice above, where an excellent programme was carried out, as follows: Piano solo, Miss Mabel Reid; recitations, Enor Conn, Duff Wood; song, "Little John Bottlejohn," junior classes; recitation, Marie Macver, Gordon Andrus; duet, "Shoemaker John," Alma and Edna Kaiser; song, "Wyntken, Binken and Nod," junior classes; recitations, Merle Farrell, Josephine Cameron; song, nursery rhymes, junior classes; recitation, Clytie Phillips; reading, Jean Reid; dialogue, "Little Miss Muffit," "Bo-Peep," "Boy Blue" and "Tom, the Piper's Son"; address, Rev. W. J. Clark; song,

and drill, "Soldiers of the Queen," Harold and Duff Wood, Fred and Walter Wright, Gordon Andrus, Fred McNeer, Fred Bowen and David Crombie; recitation, Burwell Conn; reading, Edith Robb; dialogue, "Trial of Phelin O'Shaughnessy," Alma Neilson, John Fax, John Milne, Rob Black, Clarence Stewart, Wallace Laut, Alex. Riach, Stanley Weekes, Mac Mayer, Monkie Mayer, Alma Fax, Vera Weekes, and Josephine Cameron; "Three Little Toadstools," by three little girls; song, "Time to Sleep," Miss Fleeming's class and Miss McIntosh's class; recitation, Mabel Hamilton, Florence McNeer; duet, Bell and Elsie Headley; recitation, Alma A. Fax. "God Save the Queen."

SPYING OUT THE LAND

The Board of Works Discusses Possible Projects.

What to Do With Dundas Street Between Wellington and Waterloo.

A Proposal to Pay the \$7,000 Back to the Sewage Debenture Fund—Two Clocks for Which \$54 Is Asked.

The board of works met last night and discussed a number of interesting matters. Ald. Douglass presided, and the other members present were Ald. Parnell, Wilkey, Reed, McPhillips and Garratt, the mayor, Assistant Engineer Inroside and Secretary Bell. Ald. Carrothers was also present and put in an ear occasionally.

Mention was made of the condition of Dundas street between Wellington and Waterloo streets. Last year the ratepayers petitioned to have the block macadamized, and would not consent to asphalt pavement. Ald. Parnell spoke strongly against macadam, and said the best thing to be done, if the ratepayers were still of the opinion that they should not be called upon to pay the balance due on the present block pavement in addition to the usual proportion for asphalt pavement, was to get a report from the city auditor as to the amount still to be paid on the block pavement. Carried.

The mayor casually asked the chairman if the committee would require as much money as they had last year. The chairman said more would be required. They would need \$30,000 or \$35,000 at least. The mayor said the estimates would have to be kept down as low as possible.

Ald. McPhillips called attention to the \$500,000 extra assessment. The mayor said that would be more than offset in the general estimates, and mentioned the expense to the city in connection with the conviction of Marion Brown as one of the unusual expenses. That would cost the city \$3,000, he said. Ald. McPhillips announced his determination to have the bill itemized.

Considerable discussion arose over the request for permission to connect the Normal School property with the Duchess avenue storm water drain. The city engineer recommended that the contractor be allowed to put in a 6-inch tile sewer on the condition that he take up same if a satisfactory agreement be not made with the Ontario Government.

Ald. Parnell moved to grant the contractor permission to drain the property as recommended.

An effort was made by Ald. McPhillips to have the matter delayed until the government was heard from. Ald. Parnell said the committee should not be an impediment in the way of furnishing work for the mechanics of the city, and Ald. McPhillips withdrew his motion. Ald. Parnell's motion was carried.

The committee will select a spare room in the city hall for the convenience of the assessors.

Ald. McPhillips had kicks coming against the street railway company for bunching their cars at the opera house, and also because they allowed the cars to be overcrowded. He cited the case of a Dundas street car, which carried 79 passengers.

Ald. Carrothers said No. 2 committee should bring some recommendation to the council. He wanted another chance.

Ald. Wilkey—You never had as good a service on the Hamilton road.

Ald. Carrothers—Yes, we've had a better.

Ald. Wilkey—You have a six-minute service both ways.

Ald. Carrothers—Who told you that? We haven't an 18-minute service.

The mayor will interview Mr. Carr on the subject.

The construction of a tile sewer on

Exhibition of Easter Millinery Will Be Continued Saturday. . . .

KINGSMILL'S

and drill, "Soldiers of the Queen," Harold and Duff Wood, Fred and Walter Wright, Gordon Andrus, Fred McNeer, Fred Bowen and David Crombie; recitation, Burwell Conn; reading, Edith Robb; dialogue, "Trial of Phelin O'Shaughnessy," Alma Neilson, John Fax, John Milne, Rob Black, Clarence Stewart, Wallace Laut, Alex. Riach, Stanley Weekes, Mac Mayer, Monkie Mayer, Alma Fax, Vera Weekes, and Josephine Cameron; "Three Little Toadstools," by three little girls; song, "Time to Sleep," Miss Fleeming's class and Miss McIntosh's class; recitation, Mabel Hamilton, Florence McNeer; duet, Bell and Elsie Headley; recitation, Alma A. Fax. "God Save the Queen."

A number of topics were touched upon in a general discussion.

Ald. McPhillips—I'm going to insist that the sum of \$7,500 be paid back to the sewer debentures out of the general fund.

"What nonsense!" said the mayor. "There was a wise provision in the by-law for the use of the money for putting the streets in repair, and that was what it was used for. A balance of about \$3,000 still stands to the credit of the committee."

Ald. Garratt said Adelaide street north needed some improvements. He had spoken to Township Councillor Clark about the matter, and Mr. Clark said the township would bear half the cost if the city engineer would furnish the levels and a statement of the probable cost. It is proposed to put the street in good shape from Piccadilly street to the city limits.

Ald. McPhillips said the fence on Mr. Slater's property, west side of Wellington street, south of the G. T. R. tracks was dangerous, as pedestrians could not see approaching trains. He wanted the chairman and assistant engineer to see Mr. Slater with a view to having the fence lowered.

Ald. Parnell thought the duty of interviewer should fall to Ald. McPhillips—and that was the way it fell.

There was an account, which the city engineer had not certified. It was from Mr. P. Birtwistle for two clocks, and the amount was \$54. One of the clocks is in the council chamber, and the other in the city clerk's office. The chairman said that before the purchase he had shown the bill to the city engineer, who said the figure was not too high if the clocks were good ones. They might have got clocks for \$3 or \$4, said the chairman, but these were good ones.

"I should think they would be!" exclaimed Ald. Parnell, with a significant intonation. And the other aldermen smiled.

The chairman said the clock in the treasurer's office cost \$55. The new clocks were warranted for a lifetime. The mayor asked what had become of the clock that Mr. Thomas Gilean loaned to the city. When he put it up in the council chamber he understood it was to be purchased, he was said.

Ald. Douglass said the clock had been taken away.

Ald. Wilkey suggested that the new clock be used to call talkative aldermen to time, and the mayor said that he would vote for that with two hands.

On motion of Ald. McPhillips, payment of the account was deferred until the city engineer certifies it.

Among the accounts was an item—six pairs of goggles. The goggles were for the stone-breakers at the jail stone pile, and the residents of that institution have an aversion to stone-breaking without goggles.

ANOTHER HOSPITAL!
Hellmuth Ladies' College Reported to Have Been Sold for a Sanitarium.

It is rumored that the Hellmuth Ladies' College has been purchased by a Chicago company, and