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SATURDAY, APRIL 17.

BREAKFAST—Sliced bananas. Granola flakes. Milk and sugar. Poached eggs. German coffee cake. Coffee.

LUNCHEON—Brown-bread brewis. Cold roast meat. Lettuce salad. Thin bread and butter. Marshmallow cake. Lemonade.

DINNER—Consomme with custard cubes. Stuffed stew of beef. Whipped potatoes. Creamed cauliflower. Chowchow. Lemon cream pie. Coffee.

Cut the recipes out and paste them in a scrapbook.

Brown-Bread Brewis—Break two cups dry brown bread and half-cup white bread into inch pieces; melt tablespoon butter in frying-pan; put in the bread, cover with two cups milk and half-teaspoon salt. Simmer until bread is soft and milk absorbed. Stir occasionally to keep from sticking.

Scalloped Meat—Chop quart cooked meat rather coarse; season with one level teaspoon salt and one-sixth cup pepper. Put two tablespoons butter in a skillet; stir in two and a half tablespoons flour until brown; add a pint of water or stock; put half the meat, moistened with the gravy, in a dish; cover with half-pint grated bread crumbs; the remainder of the meat, cover with another half-pint crumbs and the remainder of the gravy, dot with half-tablespoon butter. Bake in hot oven 25 minutes. Serve with a border of boiled rice or hominy.

Marshall Cake—One egg, one cup and a half of sugar, half-cup butter; cream together; one cup milk, two cups flour, two teaspoons baking powder, bake in four layers. Divide quarter-pound marshmallows into parts; place one portion on each layer. Bake for a few minutes until they run together and place layers together. Enough for three meals.

Consomme with Custard Cubes—Beat two eggs five minutes with a spoon, add quarter-teaspoon salt and beat three minutes longer; put in a buttered cup, set in a pan of tepid water, cover with a glass of water, and bake in moderate oven about half an hour or until a knife comes out clean. When thoroughly cooked turn out and cut into cubes; add two cups of consomme, or any clear soup heated; pour over the cubes in a tureen. Do not put the soup in the soup while it is on the fire.

Stuffed Stew of Beef—Three pounds from upper side of round, make gashes two inches long almost through it. Rub on both sides with a mixture of one-half teaspoon of pepper, same each of nutmeg and cloves, half one of allspice and one of salt; put remainder in the gashes, mix together one cup bread crumbs, one tablespoon of oil, chopped parsley and one of melted butter. Stuff into gashes and work with it quarter-pound larding pork cut into strips. Tie tightly with twine, and put in a saucepan with this gravy: Brown a tablespoon of butter, mix well with a tablespoon of flour, stir in a quart of stock which has been seasoned with one half teaspoon of salt. If it be hot, add, if at hand, one tablespoon each of mushroom catsup, tomato catsup and Worcestershire sauce, one onion and one bay leaf. Simmer gently three hours. Remove meat, put in a baking-pan, pour over it two tablespoons gravy, brown in oven ten or fifteen minutes. Dish and strain gravy over it.

Whipped Potatoes—After potatoes are mashed and seasoned beat until white and creamy, and pile lightly in a dish.

HAPPY GATHERING.

The First Presbyterian Sunday School Annual Entertainment.

The annual Sunday school entertainment of the Park Avenue Presbyterian Church was held last evening and the school-room was crowded. Supper was partaken of from 7 to 8 o'clock, when an excellent literary and musical programme was presented. Mr. W. C. Ferguson presided.

The programme consisted of kindergarten songs, by the infant class; recitations, by Gordon Craig, Jean Reid, and Harold Dewstow, and Eddie Shuttworth. Five little Irish boys gave the ambulance drill of the Boys' Brigade, and an interesting musical number. A very good dialogue was given by Miss Reagh, Jos. Hynd, Jack Sharp, Lorne Johnston, Will Smith, John Milne, and one of the young ladies.

One of the most interesting features of the programme was a water drill, by a class of eight young ladies. Mabel Harkness, Alice Reid, Aggie Harkness, Clara Chadwick, Louise Craig, Mabel Callender, Gertrude Hodge, and Ethel Murray. The water drill was organ were given by Alex. Rich, Miss Beatrice Gibson presided at the piano. Rev. Mr. Ferguson gave a pleasing address during the evening.

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A Local Budget

—Col. Lindsay is under again after a severe attack of influenza.

—Conservation services will be held at Hyde Park on Sunday by Bishop Baldwin.

—The Jewish Feast of the Passover begins today, and will continue for nine days.

—Dr. Roome leaves for Rossland in a few days to look after his gold mining interests.

—A large number of holiday excursionists went south, east and west by all roads yesterday.

—Principal Colgrove, of the Cranbrook public school, is home to spend the Easter vacation.

—Do you want to get a supply of envelopes? If so, send to The Advertiser Job Department.

—A petition is being largely signed to change the name of the Askin post-office to South London.

—The Forest City Business College has closed for the Easter holidays. It reopens on Tuesday next.

—Mrs. Wm. Anson, of this city, has returned from a two weeks' visit to Miss Brown, of Woodstock.

—T. H. Teale, president of the Tilsonburg, Lake Erie and Pacific Railway, was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Felix Lewis left for Montreal yesterday afternoon, where they will spend the Easter week.

—Rev. Dean Innes, city, has been re-elected a director of the Canada Life Assurance Company, of Hamilton.

—Mrs. Jerry Collins, of London West, left yesterday afternoon for a two-weeks' holiday with friends in Ingersoll.

—Judge Edward Elliott returned yesterday after holding Division Court in the different districts of Lambton county.

—Mr. John Auld, G. T. R. car distributor, has returned from his holidays. He was visiting Toronto and other eastern points.

—Corporal Cockburn, of Wolsley Barracks, was called to Toronto yesterday, owing to the dangerous illness of his sister, Mrs. Cope.

—Principal Bryant, of the Princess avenue school, went to Toronto yesterday, where he will attend the Ontario Teachers' Association meeting.

—Rev. J. W. Pedley, Rev. W. H. Clark and Mr. Fred Ross, of this city, are in Forest, attending the semi-annual meeting of the Western Congregational Association.

—The handsome residence of James Fridt, at 41 Waterloo street, was offered for sale by J. W. Jones yesterday afternoon, but was withdrawn. The highest bid was \$6,400.

—The current report that Bandmaster Treesham will give up the leadership of the Seventh Battalion Band, and go to Brantford, is well founded. His successor is not yet named.

—At a meeting of the elders and managers of Chalmers Church, Guelph, on Tuesday evening, it was decided to appoint Mr. Pirith, of London, choir instructor at a salary of \$350 per annum.

—Miss Edith Harrison, formerly soloist of the First Methodist Church, has been engaged by the management of St. Andrew's Church, and begins

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her work there next Sunday. Miss Hartson is a pupil of Mr. J. W. Fetherston.

—Sydney Rodgers, of London West, driver of Caswell's delivery wagon, collided with Plewes' heavy truck at the corner of York and Richmond streets yesterday afternoon. Caswell's rig suffered considerably.

—Sixty members of Chatham Entertainment No. 10, I. O. O. F., passed through the city on the G. T. R. yesterday afternoon en route for Toronto, where they will tonight exemplify the patriotic degree of Oddfellows.

—The annual drill of the Seventh has been ordered, and particulars will be announced later. This afternoon there will be rifle practice at the Cove ranges, and it is likely that a sweep-stake match will be arranged for volunteers' benefit.

—The jubilee chorus had a practice in the City Hall council chamber last night. There was a large turnout, and the result promises well for a large, well-balanced chorus at the celebration on June 23.

—Several changes are expected among the local C. P. R. employees about the first of May, when the company commences running over the new T. H. and B. road. Engineers Joseph Mimms and John Plaxton, of this city, have been notified of transfers.

—Chatham is making one last dying struggle for the C. W. A. meet. The special convention of C. W. A. yesterday carried about fifty enthusiasts, including the mayor, town council and a brass band. The Chatham I. O. O. F. ran an excursion to Stratford yesterday, and an arrangement is being made to go on to Toronto today.

—Joe Pack, the 12-year-old boy who took Wm. Bailey's horse from London West Methodist Church a few weeks ago, and who had a runaway, smashed the right hind wheel of the horse, and before Squire Lacey yesterday was remanded for another week. After his first escapade he was sent to the Orphanage, but escaped a week ago.

—About 100 bicyclists from Chatham passed through the city on the 4:25 train yesterday afternoon. Pinned on their coats were pasteboard pads in the shape of the Yellow Kid from the "Punch" magazine, bearing the elegant inscription: "Say! Dose Chatham hotels are right!" and "De town's dead easy for us fellers."

—A new investment company has just been announced, with headquarters in London. The prospectus is just out of "The Temple Savings and Loan Company," incorporated under R. S. O., chap. 169, and amending acts. The company has a capital of \$500,000, consisting of 10,000 shares of \$50 each.

The business of the company will chiefly be to loan money on real estate. The directors are John Ferguson (president), J. D. Balfour, M.D. (vice-president), James Magee, John Purdon, all of London, and Rev. J. H. Starr, Toronto. Under so able a management the company ought to succeed.

—The following list of patents recently granted to inventors residing in the Dominion of Canada is reported for The Advertiser by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London: Canada patents—T. & B. Boxall, Woodstock, hymn indicator; R. T. Steele, Hamilton, tea (trade mark).

United States patents—Thomas Passford, St. Thomas, wheel tire; D. Best, Peterboro, petroleum engine; C. Dean, Port Erie, water tube cleaner (three patents, sold); A. H. Durand, Montreal, fire extinguisher; M. W. Ingraham, North Sydney, shoe-lace fastener; F. A. Knapp, Prescott, marine vessel; John Leask, et al., Gore Bay, wrench; Thomas Paterson, Peterboro, laundry case; Wm. G. Rochester, Montreal, lithographic producer; Mr. Overell, Hamilton, ready calculator.

A GENEROUS DONATION.

Chief Roe and the city firemen gratefully acknowledge the receipt of \$100 from Mr. W. J. Refl, in recognition of their splendid services at the Crystal Hill fire. The money will be applied to the firemen's accident insurance fund.

HIRAM COMFORT'S WILL.

Mary Ann Toogood and Mrs. Hindmarsh, of this city, sisters, are fighting over the estate of their father, Hiram Comfort, of St. Thomas, who left about \$120,000. The bulk was bequeathed to Mrs. Hindmarsh, who, together with her sister, was sued by Mrs. Fortune, their stepmother. The suit was settled, and under that agreement Mrs. Fortune's share was increased from \$4,000 to \$7,000. Now she declares that Mrs. Hindmarsh promised her half of what she came to be, and demands \$2,000. A motion to take the case without jury was argued in chambers at Osgoode Hall Thursday. Judgment was reserved.

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The New Sewers.

Their Route Sketched by the Board of Works.

Teamsters Empowered to Draw Store from Springbank—Sewer Inspectors Appointed—Mr. Glaypole Wrong About the Sandbank.

The regular meeting of the Board of Works was held at the City Hall last night. Those present were: Chairman Parnell, Ald. O'Meara, Nutkins and Carothers, ex-Ald. Stringer, Secretary Bell, Engineer Graydon and Assistant Engineer Ironside.

City Engineer Graydon reported that the plans for the new sewers, known as "J" and "K" respectively, were now practically completed. Section "J" extended along Ridout street from King to Lichfield. The total length would be 2,916 feet 5 inches; the size, as recommended by the Board of Health on Oct. 12, 1888, 2 feet 2 inches by 3 feet 3 inches; and the average depth of excavation 29 feet 5 inches. Section "K" extended from the corner of Lichfield and Ridout to a point on Mill street 40 feet west of Richmond. The total length was 2,400 feet; the average depth 22 feet 3 inches; and the size the same as in the case of section "J." The work on section "K" might be commenced at once at Lichfield street. He recommended that contractors be allowed to give a full tender for both sections, as well as for the several parts, as he thought a lower price for the whole would thus be obtained. Before calling for tenders for the work on the two sections, he said that Mr. Chipman would have to approve and sign the plan. Section "J" could not be commenced until Harding & Leathermore had constructed their portion of section "J" on King street.

In the course of the discussion that followed, Ald. O'Meara stated that he thought the tenders for the two sections should be so arranged that the work on both could go on at the same time and thus employ a larger number of men.

The engineer's communication was left over for further consideration.

The question of the appointment of an inspector for the new sewer came up. Out of the sixteen applications the contest lay chiefly between Samuel Davis and Wm. Ironside. The choice finally fell to Mr. Ironside on the fifth ballot. The position of inspector of the new sewer had already been awarded to Mr. Bryan. Bryan will receive the union rate of wages as a brick mason, viz. 32½ cents per hour, while Ironside will receive \$2.50 per day.

George Oliver's request for compensation for the improvements which he had made on Hellmuth avenue was considered. Engineer Graydon reported that the committee had no power to grant the request. Further, the improvements claimed were made by Mr. Oliver entirely on his own responsibility, without consulting No. 2 committee or the council. Mr. Oliver appeared before the committee and spoke in favor of his claim. The matter was referred to the chairman and the clerk for the ward.

Ald. Nutkins brought up the question of a survey to determine what buildings in the city encroached on the streets. Engineer Graydon stated that a general survey would involve over a year's work, and would cost the city a considerable amount of money. He added that if particularly doubtful cases were pointed out to him he could make the necessary examinations. The matter was laid on the table until the next meeting of the committee.

Assessment Commissioner Grant wrote regarding the petition of James Crawford, and others, that a tile drain be laid on Grey street, between Colborne and the easterly limits of lot 12. The letter stated that according to the last revised assessment roll there were nine owners representing \$9,150 interested, and that thus the petitioners failed to represent the necessary two-thirds of the residents and half of the assessed value as required by the Local Improvement Act.

The communication was left to be reported upon.

The chairman reported that the repairs to the defects in the sidewalk in front of the Hiseox building, because of which Mr. Hiseox had refused to pay, had been remedied, and the secretary was instructed to write and ask for a settlement.

The special committee reported favorably upon Mr. Cronyn's petition that Talbot street, between St. James and Grosvenor, be closed up, as it was the property of Huron College; and the committee reported it back for further consideration.

Engineer Graydon reported that the complaint of A. H. Claypole concerning a sand heap at the corner of John and Talbot streets was unfounded, and the matter dropped.

A petition on behalf of the teamsters, asking that they be allowed to haul the stone used by the city from the quarries at Springbank at the same price as before, \$3 per cord, was granted.

The committee concluded its business by the consideration of the week's work.

A NARROW ESCAPE

Samuel Mitchelltree and His Boy Rescued by Sergt. Crawford From a Perilous Position.

Mr. Samuel Mitchelltree and a boy had a very narrow escape from serious injury yesterday morning. Mr. Mitchelltree was driving along Ridout street, south of Victoria street in a high wagon, when his team took fright at an approaching bell line car. The horses backed the wagon up on the sidewalk, and the jolt precipitated the driver and boy on to the whiffletrees below. The horses bolted, and the police sergeant Crawford was forced to scrape along to the side of the car, and, jumping from the rear platform, clutched the bride rein. He brought the excited team to a standstill, and then rescued the boy, who was so entangled with the whiffletrees and harness as to be unable to extricate himself. Mr. Mitchelltree was more fortunate, and fell off while the horses were being stopped. Both were badly alarmed, and he had not been for the timely presence of mind of Sergt. Crawford, the accident would have had serious consequences. Mr. Mitchelltree was loud in his praise of Sergt. Crawford's conduct.

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