A citizen calls attention to the thicket, weeds and brush that sur-round the police station and suggests their removal.

James Broad has purchased the house on Centre street belonging to Robert Watt and occupied by W. A. Moore. The price was \$900.

was severely jolited, too. Harold Rankin, speaking of the accident, said that only one man was severely hurt. He had his collar bone broken.

S. S. EXCURSION

Park St. Methodist Sunday school

annual excursion yesterday, to Belle

Isle Park, was a success from every standpoint. Although the weather was slightly cool there was a good crowd aboard and all, with the exception of a few who were seasick, enjoyed a very pleasant day's out-

Financially the Sunday school will

riminitally the Sunday school will come out well, making about \$25.

Probably the most enjoyable part of the day was the coming back up the river, when singing was indulged in. J. W. White led the singing in his own inimitable style. Mr. White

has performed this function most ac-ceptably on Park St. Methodist ex-cursions for many years.

THE WILSON FIRE

Frank Wilson was in the city to

day. He estimates that the value of

000 on contents.

Mr. Wilson has no idea how the fire started. They had just gone to the field when the straw-stack in the

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of.

We wish the institution the success which it so well deserves. The fall term opens on Tuesday, Sept. 1st.

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### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W. Toronto, July 15.-10 a. m.-Moderate to fresh northwest to north winds; fair and cool. Thursday, light to moderate winds, fine; not much

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

Thermiometer 53. Highest yesterday 72. Lowest yesterday 47. Direction of wind, west.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Capt. S. M. Smith was a Detroit visitor yesterday.

J. Wright, of Dresden, was a Maple ity visitor yesterday. Charles Medlicott, of Blenheim, was

the visitor in the city yesterday.

J. L. Quinnell, of Wallaceburg spent yesterday with his Chatham friends. Will Winterstein has returned from

a business trip to St. Thomas and Smith & Donovan shipped two cars of hogs this morning, they paid \$5

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Markle, of Brantford, were Maple City guests

Smith Bros, of Toronto, are in the city repairing the furnaces of the Central school.

Mrs. Eckert, St. Catharines, is visiting heir mother, Mrs. J. M. Pike, Murray street.

Ed. Eddington, of Cleveland, a former Chatham boy, is visiting his perents, William street.

James Marshall, Jeffrey street, reports that a scythe has recently been taken from his barn. Mr. Marshall says he would like to have it re-

Ida Sullivan and Nana Reed were removed from jail this morning. The Sullivan woman was taken to the Central Prison and Nina Reed was taken to the Asylum.

Miss McFadden, who reported the theft of a silk coat at Eberts station Saturday, has had it returned. The girls brought the coat back last night but volunteered no explanation. Mrs. M. M. Maxwell, Cleveland, left

to-day for Windsor after visiting her father, George Wanless, Lorne ave-nue. Mrs. Maxwell will visit with relatives in Windsor before returning home.

Another information has been laid against W. H. Brackin. It is charged that he used abusive language and interrupted and hindered the members of the 24th Kent Regiment at

### FOR SALE

House and lot in excellent location, street now being paved with brick. Eight rooms and large lot. Price \$1600.

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ELGIN LOAN COMPANY.

Official Statement of the Liquidators Surplus of \$23,000.

St. Thomas, July 15. - John S. Moore, Manager of the London Western Trusts Co., presented to Judge Hughes yesterday the following statement of the affairs of the Elgin Loan Co., of which they are liquidators:—The Elgin Loan Company, in liquidation. Statement of the proviliquidation. Stater sional liquidator:—

Assets.

Total .... \$356,322 48 Liabilities.

Savings bank deposits .....\$322,858 34 Due Imperial Bank ..... 10,543 91 Total ..... \$333,402 25

Surplus ..... \$ 22,920 23

The above statement is arrived at after a careful valuation of the securafter a careful valuation of the securities held by the company. In its preparation there has been added as a hability the amount claimed to be due depositors of which no record appears in the company's ledger, but appears in passbooks, and there has been deducted from the assets all claims for payment made upon mortgages which have not been credited in the books. In so preparing the statement, the liquidators do not in any way admit the correctness of these claims, not waive their right to dispute any or all of them; the statement prepared being simply for the court and for the purpose of showing the assets that, as James Ross, brother of Will Ross, Gravel Road, is superintending the electrical part of the four million water power plant which the city of Seattle, Wash, is putting in. The power is obtained from glaciers in the presentains mayor McKecough, Ald. Mounteer and Ald. Piggott left this afternoon for Boston to examine the bituilitie pavement in that city. The civic representatives are travelling at the expense of the Bituilithic people, not at the city's expense. Mayor McKeough has appointed A. B. McCoig acting mayor during his absence.

Dr. J. L. Bray and E. Harold Rankin, of this city, were on the International Limited Monday night when this fast express ran into the yard engine at Hamilton. Dr. Bray was returning from Toronto and was badly shaken up. E. Harold Rankin was returning from Kingston. He was severely jolted, too. Harold Rankin, speaking of the accident, said pose of showing the assets that, as far as known, can be relied upon, and all claims, so far as known, against

The defalcations of Mr. Rowley, so

far as ascertained, are as follows:—
Taken by way of: Advance on mortgages .....\$ 3,521 80 Advance on stock ..... 10,000 00 Advance on stock 10,000 oo Cash shortage 1,849 71
Amount claimed by savings bank depositors 1,47,248 54
Amount claimed by mortgages 25,000 oo

Total ..... \$187,620 14

### IN SOUTH AFRICA

Firemac Frank Ryall has received letter from his brother Charles, who s serving with the Baden-Powell Mounted Police

Charlie is now in Dewet's Dorp, where he was when he wrote last He is having a quiet time of it, but says he is enjoying himself and getting fat. The inhabitants of South Africa ex-The inhabitants of South Africa experienced a very severe winter, some of them having only a small quantity of corn-meal to eat. The life of the Mounted Police is getting to be an old story now, as there is practically nothing to do, but Charlie does not make any mention of coming home. He wished to be remembered to all of his Chatham friends.

### OFFICERS INSTALLED

On Monday evening D. D. G. M. Millne installed the following officers of Western City Lodge, No. 93, I. Q. O. F., for the ensuing term.

F., for the ensuing term.
Zent, J. P. G.
V. Mellish, N. G.
Park, V. G.
C. Gibson, R. C.
M. Lafferty, F. S.
V. Challinor, T.
B. Arnold, W.
Vm. Potter, C.
A. McCormick, O. S. G.
Powers, I. S. G. his barns and buildings destroyed by fire yesterday was about \$2,100. They were insured for \$600. The buildings, however, cannot be replaced for less than \$3,000. The contents of the buildings were covered by insurance, Some seventy-five tons of hay and a new land roller were burned. These were covered by an insurance of \$1,-

Bowers, I. S. G. Bogart, R. S. N. G. Stokes, L. S. N. G. J. Pritchard, R. S. S. Tilley, L. S. V. G.

Jos. Kime, Jr., R. R. Chrysler, L. S. S. J. Taylor, C. T. V. Challinor, Organist.

SAT ON PASSENGERS.

the field when the straw-stack in the barn-yard was noticed to be on fire, The stack evidently caught near the top. The fire was kept under control till the arrival of the fire eagine from the city. The engine was just coming in the lane when a gust of wind carried some sparks up into the haymow and the barn caught. The fire-How Conductor on Trolley Saved men did good work and by keeping the fire down the bucket brigade were able to save the house. Two Lives.

Schenectady, July 14.—while a run-away trolley car was dashing down State street hill at the rate of seven ty-five miles an hour this morning the This popular business school has closed its 27th year, which has proved to be the most successful in its history, both as to the number in attendance and the success of its graduates in securing and filling good positions in a period of 11 months is a record they may well feel proud of. conductor sat on the two passengers to prevent them from jumping, and thus, doubtless, saved their lives.

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SENATOR DICKEY DEAD. One of Nova Scotia's Oldest Repre

Halifax, July 15. - Hon. Robert Barry Dickey, who has been a member of the Canadian Senate since confederation, died at his home at Amherst after an illness of many months, at the age of 92. In his death Cumberland county loses one of its foremost citizens, and the town of Amherst is indebted to him for much of its progress and prosperity. He was herst is indebted to him for much of its progress and prosperity. He was admitted to the Bar of Nova Scotia in 1834, and continued to practise at Amherst up to a few years ago. His career as barrister and as public man was appointed to the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia, and sat in that body until confederation, when he was appointed one of the first Senators from Nova Scotia. He leaves a son and two daughters. Hon, Arthur R. Dickey, former Minister of Justice, who was drowned near Amherst four years ago, was a son of the deceasd. His wife was a daughter of the late Hon. Alexander Stewart, Master of the Rolls of Nova Scotia.

CHLOROFORMED AND BURIED

Disappearance of an Indianapolis School Teacher Accounted For.

(Associated Press Despatch.) Indianapolis, July 15. — Acting on statements made in affidavits made by Rufus Cantrell, chief of the recently convicted band of Indiana grave rob bers, and who is now serving a sentence at the Jeffersonville Reformatory officers, accompanied by Cantrell, wh was brought here yesterday afternoon visited the Union Chapel Cemetery visited the Union Chapel two graves, near Nora, and opened two graves. According to the statement of Cantrell there should have been found the body of Miss Carrie Selvage, an Indianapolis school teacher, who disappeared from the Union State Hospital March 11, 1900, and never was found. According to the story of Cantrell, two men countries was recommended to the story of Cantrell, and the story of Cantrell, and a countries of a countries found the woman wandering on a coun try road as they were returning from a grave-robbing expedition on the morning of her disappearance. They invited her into their buggy, found she was demented, and took her to a cabin in Hamilton County, where he was kept for weeks. She was moved later to a hut in Indianapolis, and when th search for her became so close they chloroformed her and buried her body in the Union Chapel Cemetery. Can-trell, when he arrived at the cemetery trell, when he arrived at the cemetery last night, was uncertain as to which grave she was buried in. He said she had been placed in a grave that had been robbed several months before Miss Selvage's brother was in the party. Two graves were opened, and one was found to have been disturbed as Cantrell said, with the rough box broken open and the coffin lid turned upside down. The body in it was not recognized by Mr. Selvage. Other graves will be opened to-day.

Topics of Toronto.

Toronto, July 15.—The Grand Lodge of Pythians is in session. Builders' laborers have decided to declare their strike off.

Over eight hundred delegates are expected at Masonic Grand Lodge.

Colonel Rankin was in Tilbury to

day attending Division Court. WANTED.

at Hotel Garner. WANTED-A good strong intelligen

boy to work in bake shop. Apply W. S. Richards. WANTED-Competent men to appoint agents, whole or spare time.

Commission paid. Apply John Doyle, Drawer 531, London WANTED-A chamber maid; one understanding dining room work pre-

ferred; wages no object. Apply at once C. P. R. Hotel. BRICKLAYERS WANTED - Six weeks or two months work at 45 cents per hour. Apply at the Dres-den Sugar Co., Dresden, Ont.

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### FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FOR SALE—The Veteran Land Claim, Apply to Walter Huson, Chatham. FOR SALE—Two well bred young cows, both fresh. Apply to J. D. Thompson, North Chatham. 10

FOR SALE—Bakery business. The best in the city. Splendid oppor-tunity. J. J. Wild, Fourth street. HARNESS FOR SALE CHEAP-Two set nickle trimmed custom made buggy harness. Enquire 95 Murray

HORSE FOR SALE—Fine black mare, weighs about 1,200 pounds, can be seen at Jamieson's livery stables, Chatham. Jas. H. Graham.

FOR SALE—An eight room house in North Chatham, good locality, in good repair, newly papered and painted, city water; will be sold cheap. Enquire T. A. Smith.

FOR SALE—That desirable residence on the south side of Wellington street, four doors east of St. An-drew's church, ten rooms, with modern improvements; at a bar-gain. For further particulars ap-ply to Geo. A. Sayer, Barrister, Eberts Block.

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towels, red, white and brown stripes, each 15c 22 x 47 in. extra heavy fancy colored striped cotton bath towels, each 20c

40 x 20 in. pure bleached cotton bath towels, heavy nap with fancy border, special each, 200

24 x 54 in, pure linen bath towels, natural linen color with fancy red and white stripes, each **50c** 24 x 48 in. solid lineu bath towels, plain color, fancy

border, special each, 60c 24 x 50 in. brown linen Turkish bath towels with stripes of white cotton, superior quality, each 650

## LINEN TOWELS.

For toilet and bathing purposes, 23 x 45 in. linen crepe towels, extra heavy quality, red border, each 200

22 x 43 in. pure bleached solid huck towels, fancy red border, fringed ends, heavy quality, regular, 35c, value, special each, 25c

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ange at \$4.98, \$7.98, \$9.98

A saving on every purchase of from \$2 to \$5 a suit. Selection good, big. variety to choose from.

### ..... Saturday, July 18th, Specials.

200 Pairs Men's High Class Worsted Trousers, regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 qualities for \$2.48, made from high class fine worsteds, neat hair stripes, very diessy effects, full range of sizes, perfectly tailored, a snap, Saturday at \$2.48.

50 Boys' 2 Pc. Tweed Suits, regular \$2.50 quality, Saturday at \$1.98, made from neat pattern tweeds, grey effects, nice weight, suitable for any season of the year, for ages 5 to 13 years.

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