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TO-NIGHT.

Macaulay Club, Oddfellows' Hall,
at 8.15 o'clock.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

George Stephens, M. P., is in the
city.

T. L. Pardo, M. P., passed
through the city to-day.

The S. Hadley Co. shipped some in-
terior fittings to Goderich to-day.

Rev. Fr. Herbert, O. F. M., of St.
Joseph's Church, will preach the Lenten
sermon to-morrow night.

There will be an early celebration of
the holy communion in Christ Church
to-morrow morning at 8.30.

Rev. Arthur Murphy will address a
meeting for men only, in Christ
Church to-morrow afternoon at 4.15.

Lewis Weitzel, of Raleigh, charged
with stealing a corn cultivator, was
brought up before Judge Bell to-day
to elect trial.

Will Miller, of the Merchants Bank,
returned yesterday from Whitby,
where he was attending the funeral
of his grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McPhillips
returned to-day to their home in Por-
tland, after spending a week with re-
latives and friends in the city.

The City Engineer says that the
catch basins that smell are either not
trapped at all or else the work has
not been properly done, and the de-
fective catch basins will be attended to
at once.

Miss Gertrude Potter will sing the
sacred solo "The Choir Boy" at the
special service in the Park St. Methodist
Church to-morrow evening. Miss
Potter's rendition of this beautiful
song is well worth hearing.

The reference from the Court of
Appeal re Chandler vs. Gibson, heard
before His Honor Judge Bell, was ad-
judged until Friday, Feb. 28th, at 10
o'clock, to enable Mr. Scane to give
further evidence as to the cost of the
improvements.

The County Property Committee of
the County Council met to-day. They
went over to the jail and registry of-
fice and inspected the improvements
in the heating apparatus. They be-
lieve they have now stopped the roar-
ing in the steam pipes.

There will be an emergent meeting
of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. &
A. M., G. R. C., Monday evening at
8.30, for the purpose of conferring the
beautiful third degree. A large at-
tendance of the members is hoped for
and visiting brethren will be made to
feel perfectly at home.

PARK ST. S. S. ANNIVERSARY SER-
VICES.

Park St. Sunday School Anniversary
Services will be held on Feb. 23rd and
24th. Rev. R. D. Hamilton, of London,
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A letter from "Caledonian" re the
Carnegie grant, is unavoidably crowd-
ed out of to-day's issue. It will ap-
pear on Monday.

Sam Lee and Sam Wuh, have agreed
to do laundry work at the following
prices: Shirts five cents, collars one
cent, and cuffs two cents.

A young lad named Brown, was run
over on King street this afternoon.
He was taken to Dr. Hall's office,
where it was found that his injuries
were of a slight nature.

New Laid Eggs—Consignments of
new laid eggs, dairy and creamery but-
ter, dried apples, poultry, honey, white
beans, etc., solicited. If anything to
offer in this line, please advise, John
J. Fee, 62 Front St., East, Toronto.

The Chicago & North Western Ry.
advise that low colonist rates, which
have been announced to British Col-
umbia, Oregon, Washington, and other
North Pacific Coast points, will be put
into effect during March and April
to San Francisco, Los Angeles, and
all principal California points, the
rate from Chicago being \$33.

HOME AGAIN

C. Austin Principal of the C. Aus-
tin Co., Returns From a Trip
to Britain and France.

Mr. C. Austin, principal of the firm
of C. Austin & Co., returned at noon
to-day from a purchasing trip to the
European markets. Mr. Austin re-
ports having had a very pleasant trip
throughout. On the way over in Jan-
uary the voyage was like a summer
one. After the first day out from
New York everyone was sitting on
deck without overcoats or wraps of
any sort.

On the return trip, while not cold,
the weather was what the sailors
term "dirty" weather, accompanied by
strong head winds and a continuously
rough sea, which retarded the speed
of the vessel very much, making it in
fact the longest trip of the Tontonic.

My first week was spent in Scot-
land, largely in Glasgow, making pur-
chases for the various departments of
the business. We had the pleasure
while here of visiting the famous
Templeton Carpet and Rug Factory,
where the finest rugs made in Great
Britain are designed and manufactured.

Our customers who desire a high
class article will now be able to make
a selection from a very full range of
this season's patterns in the various
sizes of this rug.

Sunday we spent in Edinburgh, noted
for its beauty of situation as
well as its historic associations. Monday
we visited the great centre of the lin-
en industry of Scotland, Dunferme-
line, the ancient seat of the Scottish
kings. After visiting several of the
best factories here and making our
purchases of linens, details about
which will appear later through your
advertising columns, we spent several
hours in visiting the ancient Abbey of
Dunfermeine, by many called the
Westminster Abbey of Scotland. It is
a splendid specimen of the ancient
Scottish architecture, and contains
many memorials of important per-
sons of the past, and also the tombs
of fourteen of the monarchs and their
wives, the most notable one being that
of Scotland's Hero King, Robert
Bruce.

Dunfermeine is the birthplace of
Andrew Carnegie, and the visitor is
reminded of this by a handsome
stained glass window, said to have cost
him \$3,000, the noticeable feature of
which is the entire absence of all bil-
lial scenes or characters, thus he
proclaims even here his aversion to
everything of a religious nature.

The next week we spent hard at
work completing our season's pur-
chases in busy London, the Mecca of
the business world. This fact was im-
pressed on us in many ways, one in-
stance being that at the same hotel
we had business men from Aus-
tralia, East India, and Johannesburg,
South Africa. The first three days of
our last week we spent in Paris, where
owing to the courtesy of our London
shipping agents, we were enabled to
even that short time to see almost
all the places of business in and about
Paris, including a trip to the old
palaces of the Bourbons, at Versailles,
now used as a public museum. On our
arrival at Paris we found awaiting
us, Mr. Clare, the resident agent of the
company, an Englishman, but having
resided in France for the past 20 years,
he knew Paris like a native, and all
the points of interest, the quickest
and what is just as material the
cheapest way to reach them. With his
assistance we easily accomplished what
the tourist under Cook's guid-
ance requires a week to do. Return-
ing, we spent the balance of our time
sight-seeing in London seeing the
principal places of historic interest,
reserving a few for another trip.
We also had the pleasure of visiting
the House of Commons and listening
to a spirited debate on the new rules
of procedure. The chief speakers were
Mr. B. Forster, Leader of the Government
and on the opposition benches Mr.
McNeill, Hon. Ed. Blake, and John
Burns, the well-known Irish socialist.

Messrs. C. C. Richards & Co.
Gentlemen—Last winter I received
great benefit from the use of MIN-
ARD'S LINIMENT in a severe at-
tack of LaGrippe, and I have fre-
quently proved it to be very effective
in cases of inflammation.

Yours,
W. A. HUTCHINSON.

When you want an artistic design,
made with the choicest and freshest
flowers, your wants can always be
supplied at the Victoria Avenue Green
Houses.

WANTED.

GOOD GIRL WANTED—Apply at
Merrill House, King street. 10

THE MARKETS.

There was a very good market this
morning. Some new stuff was of-
fered in the vegetable line. Rhubarb
sold for 10 cents a bunch, lettuce for
25 cents a pound and radishes for 10
cents a bunch. Apples sold from 40
to 50 cents a peck.

Dairy produce remains the same as
usual.

Following is the price list:

VEGETABLES.

Rhubarb, per bunch, 10c.

Lettuce, per bunch, 25c.

Radishes, per bunch, 10c.

Parasols, per peck, 12c.

Sage, a bunch, 5c.

Apples, 40c. to 50c. a peck.

Cauliflower, 10c. head.

Celery, per bunch, 10c.

Beets, 15c. peck.

Vegetable oysters per bunch, 5c.

Carrots, 15c. peck.

Onions, 30c. to 40c. per peck.

Potatoes, per bag, 90c. to \$1.00.

Tobacco, 10c. per lb.

Winter squash, 25c. to 30c. each.

Butter, 18 to 20c. per lb.

Eggs, 20c. per doz.

Honey per rack, 13c.

A BIG HANDICAP.

A man with a lame back does
not feel much like working and you
cannot blame him. Jeremiah Red-
den, carpenter, No. 7 Cowdy St.,
Kingston, Ont., suffered with
rheumatism in his back (lum-
bago) for two years. Five bottles
of Dr. Hall's Rheumatic Cure com-
pletely cured him. This great blood
purifier is put up in bottles con-
taining ten days treatment. Price
50 cents at all drug stores or Dr.
Hall Medicine Co., Kingston.

The Chatham Binder Twine
Co. Limited.

A CARD.

Chatham, Ont., Feb. 21, '02.

The Directors elected at the ad-
joined annual meeting held on 13th
Feb., have pleasure in announcing that
after a friendly conference with
Messrs. Henderson & Cummings, the
Promoters, all differences have been
amicably adjusted.

The contract has been fully carried
out by them, so far as the plant is
concerned, in every particular.

As regards additional stock, to be
taken up, the company will take con-
trol of same, the promoters releasing
their right under the contract, but
they will use it as they see fit.

The promoters feel, however, that
charges of unfair dealing having been
made against them, and their personal
character impugned as well, that the
Board should restore them to public
confidence.

The directors are pleased therefore
to state that so far as they are able
to judge from the evidence before
them, the gentlemen have acted
honorably throughout, and that no
friction would have arisen between
the promoters and the company, had
the former directors confined their at-
tention solely to having the terms of
the contract carried out.

Any objections as to the cost of the
machinery would only be effective be-
fore the contract was executed.

Reference having been made to the
question of custody on the ma-
chinery, would state for the infor-
mation of shareholders, that the duty
paid by the promoters was returned to
them by the government, and not to
the company, before the present di-
rectors assumed office.

Now that all matters of disagree-
ment have been removed, it only re-
mains for additional stock to be dis-
posed of to secure the success of the
enterprise, by providing the necessary
working capital.

ARTHUR LEVERTON,
President,
T. C. SMITH,
Secretary

All shareholders who have not yet
paid their calls are requested to do so
immediately.

All agents who have been soliciting
stock subscriptions, are requested to
return their old stock books to the
Company, and obtain new books, a lib-
eral commission will be paid for all
stock obtained.

J. J. ROSS,
General Manager,
VERY LOW RATES TO THE
NORTHWEST.

March 1 to April 30, 1902, the
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Rail-
way will sell tickets to Montana,
Idaho and North Pacific coast points
at the following greatly reduced rates:
From Chicago to Butte, Helena and
Anaconda, \$30.00; Spokane, \$30.50;
Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Victoria
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routes via Omaha or St. Paul to points
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We have just received direct from
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Keen's mustard, in 1-4 and 1-2 lb. tin
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perior to all others, both in flavor and
strength and although a little more
expensive is by far the cheapest must-
ard as it requires so much less on ac-
count of its superior quality. We sell
the 1-4 lb. tins for 15c and 1-2 lb. tins
for 25c, and the stone jars at 35c. We
also have mustard at 40c lb., 30c lb.,
25c lb. that is good.

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Such as we can supply you with you will
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ing and prove more economical than
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mings for a dress is often more difficult than
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Two cards patent books for 5c.

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Plain and fancy. A complete range
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Best Canadian makes, Irish linen
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asunder. A precise
definition of what has happened to the prices
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Coats that are so well worth their full val-
uation.

But we must ignore the fact that blizzard
weather is nothing of a rarity during Feb-
ruary and March