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MR. EVANTUREL VERY ILL. Vankleek Hill, Ont., Sept. 23.-Hon. Mr. Evanturel, speaker of the Ontario Legislature, is seriously ill at his home in Alfred. He was suddenly taken with inflammation of the lungs on Friday. His condition is serious. LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN.

Toronto, Sept. 23 .- The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen spent all yesterday morning discussing the report of the grand executive on the report of the grand trustees. A prolonged discussion had not been expected, and will have the effect of postponing the conclusion of proceedings probably until Saturday evening.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D.: "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and, thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Sold by all druggists, 50 cents and \$1. Guaranteed or price refunded.

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FAIR AND WARMER.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 22, 11 p.m.-The low area which was central near the Lake of the Woods last night has dispersed. A small low which has moved quickly to the lakes is causing a gen-eral fall of rain in Ontario. The pressure is generally low in the Northwest, and is decreasing in Eastern Canada. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 52-60; Barkerville, 36-54; Kamloops, 64-66; Calgary, 40-60; Bat-Ramioops, 64—66; Calgary, 40—60; Battleford, 46—62; Qu'Appelle, 44—60; Winnipeg, 44—56; Port Arthur, 50—68; Parry Sound, 48—74; Toronto, 48—68; Ottawa, 44—72; Montreal, 50—70; Quebec, 46—68; Halifax, 40—62.

Toronto, Sept. 23, 1 a.m.—Probabili-ties for the lower lakes: Fresh southeast to southwest winds; fair and warm, preceded by showers in some

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Thursday, Sept. 22, were 66 degrees and 49.5 degrees.

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-The hospital committee has been called to meet tonight. -Consulting Engineer Willis Chip-

man is in the city today on a tour of inspection. -Thursday, Sept. 29, plebiscite day, is not a holiday in the public schools,

says Hon. George W. Ross, minister of education. -Miss Duclow, Miss Farr and the Misses Cleary have obtained situa-

tions in London, where they will reside.—Hamilton Times. -Mise Maggie McCarthy, of Brantford, who has been visiting her friend, Mrs. Murray, of Bectory street, has

gone to Port Huron before returning -Rev. Mother General Digby, of the Order of the Sacred Heart throughout the world, left the city yes-

terday afternoon for Detroit, where she will visit the convents for a few days. -Word has been received by The Advertiser that "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" Company opened at Ottawa or Monday night last to a large house and that the play made a great hit.

-Mr. Charles Pugh, of Scandrett Bros., is holidaying for a few weeks at Buffalo, Detroit, and other western points for his health, and his many friends hope to see him return much improved.

-Mrs. Lydia E. Shaw, widow of the late Thomas H. Shaw, died at Hyde Park early yesterday morning, aged 40 years. Deceased was a native Canadian, and for the past twelve years had been a resident here, where she was well-known and highly esteemed. Two sons, Charles and William, both of London, are left to mourn her de-

-Fred Wilson, who has been for several years with his brother, J. A. Wilson, in the grocery business here, left Monday night to take a position as bookkeeper in the Hobbs Hardware Company, London. Mr. Wilson was a prominent member of the Park Street Methodist Church, and one of the Maple City's most popular young men.

-Chatham Planet. -The Temperance and General Life Assurance Company have secured offices in the Bank of Commerce building, corner of Dundas and Richmond streets, which will be in charge of Mr. D. Munro, general agent for London and Middlesex. This progressive company has taken a front place in insurance in Canada, and evidently intend to secure their full share of the business from this district. Mr. J. O. Mc-Carthy, of Toronto, superintendent of

agencies, is in the city this week. -Four more cases were entered yes terday for hearing at the coming Middlesex assizes, as follows: Jury-Rowe vs. Stephens, action for damages for breach of warranty; T. G. Meredith, for plaintiff; Osler, for defense. Non--Hobbins vs. Harrigan, for administration; Magee, for plaintiff; D. Meredith, for defense. Faulds vs. Beacham-To set aside a lease; Stuart, for plaintiff; Fraser, for defense; Patmore vs. Crane-For damages for breach of contract; Hellmuth, for plaintiff; Miller,

for defense. -Miss Jane Grieve, a well-known and highly respected young lady, died at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Arch. Sharp, 119 Carling street, last night. The deceased was a native of Westminster township, and for ten years had been employed in the office of Mr. Adam Murray, ex-county treasurer, of South London. Two years ago she was attacked by la grippe, from which she never completely recovered. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, where she had a large circle

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EARNINGS OF STREET RAILWAY FOR FAIR WEEK.

The statement of earning of the street railway for the week ending Sept. 17, has been forwarded to the directors. The increase this year is more than 15 per cent over last year. Monday was the only day the receipts fell below last year's mark. The earnings amounted to \$7,970 99, an increase of \$1,071 72 over 1897.

MANDOLIN CLUB. A meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo Club was held last night, and the following officers were elected: Honorary president, Col. Leys; president, Wm. Ashplant; vicepresident, George Wilson; secretary-treasurer, Andy Williams; reporter, Fred R. Clarke; executive committee, George Fraser, Will Tambling; leader, B. E. Chadwick. The first practice will be held next Monday evening.

BARBOUR-FRAM.

St. Marys Journal: A popular young merchant of St. Marys, Mr. P. J. Barbour, was united in marriage at four o'clock on Wednesday to Miss Annie R. Fram, daughter of Mr. J. B. Fram, of London, formerly of con. 4. West Nissouri. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Cluff, of Thorndale, at the residence of the bride's parents, 406 Princess avenue, The affair was quiet, the families only of the contracting partles being present. The bride was made the recipient of many hand-

HARRIS AND PRODGERS GUILTY. John Harris (colored) and John Prodgers, who have been in jail for the past two months on the charge of a brutal assault on William Godwin, aged 70 years, whom they beat, bound and left in a half-dead condition, after breaking into his house and robbing him, were before Judge Edward Elliott yesterday. The elected trial by jury, but afterwards changed their minds, and pleaded guilty when arraigned before the county judge. They also pleaded guilty to stealing from Mrs. Heigh. Both the accused were remanded until Wednesday next, when sentence will be passed. Prodgers has heretofore had a good character, and is well connected. A petition for leniency will be presented on his behalf. Harris has a bad record.

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London Township's Proposal Before the Board of Works.

More Accounts Passed for the Financial Committee's Consideration-Assessment Commissioner's Quarters Too

The board of works met last night with Ald. Douglass (chairman), Carrothers, Greenlees, Cooper and Dreaney present. The board's depleted treasury accounted for an absence of spirited discussion, as no expensive

projects were suggested. A communication from the London Township Council objecting to the open drain on the south side of Dundas street, east of Egerton street, was filed. Ald. Dreaney wanted the drain covered over, but the other member 5

opposed it. M. J. Kent and others petitioned to the sidewalk on Wellington street, west side, between Central avenue and Hyman street, refaced witn asphalt. The cost will be about \$90. The work will be done on the understanding that the ratepayers pay twothirds and the city one-third of the

The request of the Bell Telephone Company for permission to open several streets for the purpose of laying conduits to connect with their new exchange building was laid on the table. So, also, was a similar request from the People's Telephone Company. The chairman said the assessment commissioner and his assistants required a bigger room than the one now occupied. It was thought that if the assistants and the clerks use some of the spare rooms on the second floor on the south side of the city hall, Mr. Grant would find his quarters com-fortable, and at the same time he will continue to be convenient to the

inquiring public.

The pay sheet, amounting to \$221 32, and accounts totaling \$752 08, were "What's the use of passing them if

we haven't got money to pay with? was the significant comment of Ald. The matter of dispensing with work men at Victoria Park was referred to Ald. Cooper and the chairman.

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Sewer Committee Again Con siders Mr. J. A. Thomas' Claims.

Council Asked to Pay Him \$1,000 or Consent to Arbitration - London Foundry Company Claim Damages.

Mr. J. A. Thomas again waited upon the special sewer committee last night for the purpose of hastening to a conclusion the settlement for his property on Becher street appropriated by the city when the King street bridge was built. He has been kept waiting many months. A short time ago the matter was practically settled that he should be given \$1,000. But later it was considered that as the rowing club have a right of way over part of the property, and as this right of way is said to be obstructed by an abutment of the sewer bridge. Mr. Thomas should of the sewer bridge, Mr. Thomas should get the rowing club's assurance that they would bring no action against the city for damages. The rowing club was not agreeable to this, and Mr. Thomas urged that his claim be paid or settled at once by arbitration.

Ald. Cooper—I've heard many people

say the bridge has benefited Mr. Thomas' property to the extent of \$3,000. "You can have the whole property for \$3,000," was Mr. Thomas' prompt His offer was not accepted. Continuing, he said he had submitted, through Mr. McEvoy, an offer of his property as a site for the Normal School at \$3,500. There could be no question, he thought, about the bridge, with its consequent traffic of farmers' rigs, from early morning far into the night, having damaged his property to a considerable extent, and he was satisfied he would get more than he asked if it went to arbitration.
On motion of Ald. Douglass, the coun-

cil will be recommended to complete the purchase for \$1,000, leaving out of consideration the possible trouble with the rowing club. If this is not done, arbitration will be suggested as the proper course.

Ald. Carrothers asked that a report from Engineer Chipman be obtained as to the cost of shifting the abutment in question off the club's right of way. Mr. Thomas-I will agree to give \$50 The report will be had.

Another nut to crack was heralded by a notice from the London Foundry Company, stating they would hold the city liable for damages resulting through the construction of the King street bridge.

The company's solicitor will be asked to attend the next meeting of the the committee. Ald. Cooper (chairman), Greenlees, Carrothers, Dreaney and Douglass were present at last night's meeting.

TEMPERANCE TALK

The Sum of \$473,200,000 Spent for Liquors in 15 Years.

Addresses Dealing With Prohibition Delivered in Talbot Street Baptist Church

A meeting was held last evening in the Talbot Street Baptist Church, where addresses were delivered in the interest of prohibition. The weather was unfavorable, and the attendance not so large as expected. Mr. Charles Sayer, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., presided, and after opening the meeting, introduced the Rev. John Morrison. The speaker prefaced his remarks by expressing his hatred of the liquor traffic. Among other things he deprecated in the strongest terms the use of whisky in mincemeat, brandy sauce for Christmas puddings. Mr. Morrison regretted very much the introduction of political animus into the contest. Liberals, he said, would refrain from voting, because it would put Sir Wilfrid Laurier in a hole. Some Conservatives would vote simply because they thought it would help defeat the government, and thus further the political ends of some who were no friends of prohibition. He opposed the license system as a wrong that must be righted speedily. If prohibition were passed it would not, as its opponents contended, be a fruitful source of perjury, theft, smuggling, and kindred crimes, but would only bring to the surface the perjury, that now existed, without increasing Mr. Sayer, in his remarks, took a

logical view of the matter, and told his hearers not "to go too much" on the extracts taken from speeches on either side, as they were only stray sentences, and when taken alone sometimes actually misrepresented the speaker. He quoted F. S. Spence, in the Toronto Globe, criticising the posters of the anti-prohibitionists, which was a jumble of juggled figures and throughout misleading. Mr. Sayer thought there was very little in the argument that the Dominion Government would be "put in a hole" if the people declared in favor of prohibition, and referred to the Globe car-toon and Hon. Geo. E. Foster's statement that if prohibition carried "he would put his hand on the shoulder of a finance minister who would look after the revenue of the country." The speaker then quoted from a speech made by Mr. Foster in 1884, when the ex-minister submitted a table prepared by himself showing the cost of liquor consumed in Canada from 1868 to 1882. inclusive, to have been \$473,200,000. On that occasion Mr. Foster said: "One can scarcely grasp the awful signifi-cance of these figures. The immense quantities of grain that have been worse than wasted would have fed millions of people. The cost of liquor for one year exceeds the whole revenue of the Dominion of Canada. The cost per head has been fully twice as much as the total cost per head of all our customs duties since confederation. The total amount spent in the fifteen years aggregates, without counting interest, nearly \$500,000,000. This would have defrayed all our cost of government, built our railways, and left us without a shadow of a national To all this we must add the incalculable loss of citizens slain, labor destroyed, pauperism borne, and crime watched, restrained, punished. The wonder is, that with such a terrible waste, our country enjoys any prosperity. If this waste could be made to cease, Canada, in ten years, would not know herself, so prosperous and wealthy would she have grown. Surely it is the part of all good citizens to se to it that such a frightful source of waste and destruction is aried up. Prohibition is the only cure.

When Mr. Sayer finished, H. H. Wallace informed the audience that if prohibition carried, the country, from a pecuniary standpoint, would be just the same as it is now. Whisky

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not be had some other necessary article would be purchased. During the evening Mr. Henigar and Mr. Leitch sang solos, and the Talbot Street Baptist Band of Hope, composed of little girls, rendered a couple of temperance selections.

AMUSEMENTS

JEFFERSON'S SON OUTWITS HIS

FATHER. A good story is going the rounds about Mr. William Winter Jefferson, youngest son of Mr. Joseph Jefferson. Willie is a member of the cast in "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" this season, which appears at the Grand on Oct. 6, young lawyer, who, being bitten by a dog, imagines he has hydrophobia, and is only cured by liberal and frequent doses of "spirits of frument," the seeming effects of which creates great fun for the audience. Willie is a great favorite of his father, and during the past summer, when he came of age, his father decided to give him an interest in his business, the same as his other sons. They demurred at first with Willie becoming associated in the business interests, but the old gentleman was inexorable, saying: "Little Willie must be taken care of." Elated at his financial prospects, Willie hied himself to Europe, and while there met a number of his old friends and pals of the profession. Seeing the town from the Imperial to the Royalty, Piccadilly to Cheapside, Willie found that he would have to "touch" his father for funds, and the following cables tell the story:

London, Aug. 6, 1897. 10 a.m.

Joseph Jefferson, Gray Gables, Mass. U. S. A.: Dear Dad,-Cable me £100, advance William W. Jefferson. on season. Boston, Aug. 6, 1897.

10 p.m. W. W. Jefferson, London: What for? London, Aug. 7, 1897.

Joseph Jefferson, Boston, Mass., U.S.A. W. W. J. For Little Willie.

He got it. WOMEN LOVE BRIDES. That women are interested above all things in a bride was discovered by Effie Shannon through a peculiar experience recently in Chicago. She had occasion to visit one of the large drygoods stores on State street to make some purchases for her appearance as the bride of the second act of "The Moth and the Flame" at the opening of Powers' new theater. Stepping up to one of the counters she said to one of the saleswomen: "I should like to see some orange blossoms, please. The girl's eyes immediately extended. and she stared for quite an instant at her customer. Other saleswomen who heard the remark immediately sidled up to Miss Shannon's vicinity, and, with other purchasers who were near by, began to take the greatest interest in Miss Shannon's purchases. The assortment of orange blossoms which were brought out also attracted the attention of other women in the store, and the actress was soon the center of a group of women who were inspecting her closely from head to foot, doubtless commenting, some of them audibly, as to the kind of bride she would be. Miss Shannon felt exceedingly annoyed at first, but as the true position of matters dawned upon her, she could scarcely conceal her enjoyment of the huge joke. Not a woman budged while she was making her selections. When she had finally completed her purchases, she had to run the gauntlet of many sharp, feminine glances, sonable observations and speculations as to her identity as she walked out

of the store. The Shannon-Kelcey Company appear in London on Thursday next, the 29th, in "The Moth and the Flame."

"Though soldiers are paid by the month," said the Cheerful Idiot, and "Well, what?" asked the paused. "The commission transient boarder. will be paid for peace work."-Indianapolis Journal.

Remember the Fly.

VERY QUEER SITUATION

Wedded. but No Wife-Mrs. Holihan's Husband Is Slow in Taking Up Housekeeping.

Windsor, Sept. 23.—Eliza Hayes Holi-han, of Walkerville, is in the most emb barrassing position ever a girl was placed in outside of a novel. She was keeping company with Walter M. Holihan, a Detroit grocer, and he proposed to her that they should get married quietly, as he did not wish his friends to know anything about it. He was old enough to know hi and he plays the part of Howston, a ing a man of about 40; so the girl, young lawyer, who, being bitten by a who is about 25, consented. They were married on April 22, by Rev. D. R. Hind, of Sandwich, and the bridegroom escorted his wife back to her home. He seemed to have forgotten all about the marriage afterwards, for he never said anything about their taking up housekeeping or their living together.

"He would come to call on me twice a week," says the young wife, "and talk to me about the war and things I had no interest in, but he would never say anything about me, or about

us living together." The young lady spoke to her brother about it, and he broached the subject to the bridegroom, who made no reply, but simply lay back in his chair and closed his eyes. The girl sought legal advice, but there does not seem to be much that she can do, except to sue for alimony. The law-yers do not believe that the marriage could be annulled on the ground that it was never consummated, and if she applies for a divorce in Michigan she will have to live there for a year first to make her a bona fide resident

TRIPLE TRAGEDY.

Cumberland, Md., Sept. 23.-Frank P. Myers shot and instantly killed John Lenhart, a constable, and Michael Kerns, a bystander, at Garrett, Md., yesterday, while resisting eviction from a house which was the subject of family dispute. He was captured by the sheriff, and

as he was being taken to jail someone

in the crowd shot the prisoner in the

He fell dead in the sheriff's arms.

THE PEW TROUBLE. Windsor, Sept. 23. - The action of Father Bayard, parish priest, of Windsor, in ordering E. Hanrahan and a lady friend out of the pew that he had paid for, and renting it to Senator Casgrain, has been overruled by the bishop, who gave the pew back to the Hanrahans. As a result of this Sena-tor Casgrain has severed his connection with the church.

The secretary of the United States treasury has received a conscience fund contribution of \$500 from an unknown citizen of Topeka, Kan.



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