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Attempting to board a rapidlymoving northbound Oxford street car, which ran past the corner of Dundas

and Richmond street, Mr. W. H. Boomer, 737 Wellington street, was thrown to the pavement Tuesday evening shortly after 6 o'clock, and received a severe scalp wound. He was taken into Wallace's drug store, and Dr. J. D. Wilson summoned. After having the wound dressed Mr. Boomer was taken to his home in a

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OCCIDENT CHAPTER FROM TORONTO HERE VISITING ST. GEORGE'S

Occident Royal Arch Chapter of Toronto Here Sixty Strong.

St. George's Chapter Were the Hosts at New Masonic Temple.

"The most successful affair we even held," was the verdict passed by members of St. George's Royal Arch Chapter at the conclusion of a banquet Tuesday evening given in honor of Occident Royal Arch Chapter of Torento. Such a verdict implies a good deal, for St. George's Chapter distinguished itself as a host on numerous occasions. When the guests aled out of the new Masonic Temple

the morning, all said it had been the Came Sixty Strong.
About sixty members of Occident chapter accepted the invitation to visit the Forest Citp. They met with several vexatious delays during the ourney from Toronto, but petty annoyances were soon forgotten in the hearty welcome extended them their brother Masons of this city, who urned out to the number of one hun-

on Queen's avenue at an early hour

red to greet them. The officers of the Toronto Chapter exemplified the Royal Arch degree in a very capable manner, which called forth many flattering remarks later in

the evening. Adjourned to Feast. At the conclusion of the conferring of the degree an adjournment was made to the spacious banquetting hall in the basement of the new Here ample preparations temple. had been made for their coming, and no detail which would help to satisfy the demands of the inner man had been overlooked.

A pleasing feature in the arrangements was the way in which the tables were placed. They stretched in unbroken succession around three sides of the room, and were so placed that they formed the outlines of the keystone of an arch, which is the symbol of Royal Arch Masonry. The menu cards were also attractively goten up in a similar shape.

Presided as Toastmaster. Ex. Comp. Frank Millar, first prin-ipal of St. George's Chapter, preas . toastmaster. After "The King and Excellent Companion Goethe Quantz proposed a toast to The Grand Z. and Grand Chapter of Canada." It was responded to by Excellent Companion Harry T. Smith, of Right Excellent Companion Millen, of Toronto; Right Excellent Companion Dewar, of Toronto, and Right Excellent Compan-

ion Fred Palmer, of London. R. E. Comp. Smith drew attention to the large and increasing membership of the Masonic order. "The capitular order is progressive," he said. "It is bound to do good work, and such fraternizing as we are enjoying tonight will help to strengthen the royal

Proud of Toronto. Mr. Millen expressed pride in the Toronto chapters. "They are all doing good work," he remarked, "but we nust not overlook the fact that we have an important commission. That commission is to educate the companions which are brought into the Royal Arch Chapter. We must see that we are teaching them to lead better lives, to become better citizens." He referred to the time, less than a hundred years ago, when education had not reached a high standard among average men. Masonry, he said, then taught them by the aid of symbolism, many truths of which they would otherwise have been ignorant. "And what better form of religion ould we have, if we drink in its ruths?" he asked. "The deeper one

He was loudly applauded. E. T. Essery Replied. In response to a toast to the Dominion of Canada, Comp. E. T. Essery delivered a stirring patriotic address. "Canada is the best part of the British Empire," said he, "always was,

gets into symbolism, the more one

oves it," he remarked, in concluding

and always will be; and the British Empire is the best the world ever saw. All the world has to admire a We have wheat fields 900 miles fice there. eng and 300 miles wide, and mountains which, if the Alps could see, they would hide their heads in shame." He paid a warm tribute to the colonists who fought the battles of Canada in the early days, and also to the Canadian soldiers who went to South Was Going Home When Men Sudden-Africa to fight against the Boers. Were Well Received.

His words found an echo in every heart, judging by the applause which greeted his remarks. His address was preceded by the rendition of "O Canthe Masonic Male Quartette. Toasts to Occident Chapter and the visiting companions were enthusiastically received and responded to by Ex. Comps. Newdick, Hickson, Montgomery, Larter and Proctor, for Occident Chapter Ex. Comp. J. T. Lester for St. Andrew and St. John's Chapter, Toronto, and Ex. Comp Roberts for King Solomon Chapter, Toronto, and the members of the local chapter received many flattering comments on their

abilities as hosts. The new temple also came in for very favorable comment, one speaker expressing the belief that it was the best-appointed on the North Ameri-

can continent. Invited to Toronto. A hearty invitation to visit Toronto in the near future was extended by the visitors, which the officers of St. George Chapter promised to accept in the near future.

Splendid music was a feature of the evening's entertainment. Some of the features of the banquet were the selections from "Occident Chapter Band," under the able leadership of Comp. Cowan, This band will

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become "famous" if they ever appear in public. The selections were all popular airs, and they became more popular as rendered by "the band." The appearance of Comp. Haslam in his best clothes," and with his "English stories," also created enthusiasm and caused much amusement.

Besides several pleasing by the London Masonic Male Quartette there were solos by Comp. A. McCutcheon, Mr. E. Arnold Webster, and Comp. D. R. Cowan, of To-

SAW NAPOLEON IN ZENITH OF HIS POWER

Birthday, Aged 111 Years.

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[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, March 19.-Mrs. Mary Daly, aged 111, is dead at the home of her son near Port Huron. She was the oldest woman in the district and died on her birthday.

Mrs. Daly was born in Ireland. When but a child she met Napoleon Bonaparte when he was in his sup-Until the end she recalled the battle of Waterloo, and often narrated with interest thrilling incidents of the engagement. After the of Waterloo and while still a roung girl she moved to Canada. Later she left Canada and moved o Emmett, where she lived until the time of her death. For forty-five years she lived in the same house. She was the mother of fourteen children, three of whom survive. Some relatives live near Hamilton and Grimsby.

HOSSIE—CAIRNS

Pretty Wyoming Girl Becomes Bride of Ex-Clerk of Plympton.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wyoming, March 19 .- A quiet marriage was solemnized today in Sarnia y Rev. J. J. Patterson, of St. Andrew's Church, when Miss Emeline Mary Hossie, Sarnia, youngest daughter of the late David Hossie, became the bride of James K. Cairns, Plympton

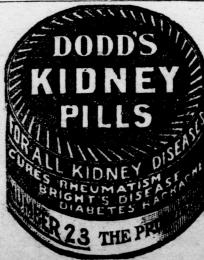
Mr. Cairns is well known to the people of this locality, having served the municipality of Plympton several years

The happy couple will make their home in Saskatoon, Mr. Cairns having nation which flies such a flag as Can- accepted a position in the registry of-

GLAIM CHINAMEN ATTACKED A GIRL

ly Sprang Out at Her.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, March 19.-It is reported that a little girl was attacked last night in the vicinity of George and Forsyth streets by two Chinamen, The child was going home when the men sprang out and tried to grab her. She screamed and managed to elude them and ran down the street. Aroused by her shrieking, neighbors conducted a



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hasty search, but the assailants

WOMEN WERE GIVEN TERM IN THE MERCER

One Aged Offender Was Ordered to Leave the Country at Once.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, March 19 .- The police raided a house here last night, whose in-mates were suspected of being of a disorderly character, and arrested Mrs. Tree, Mrs. Early, Annie Newbain, and Wm. Turner. In police court today the trial was conducted behind closed doors. Mrs. Tree was given one year in the Mercer; Annie Newbain six months in the same institution, and William Turner was fined \$10 and costs. Mrs. Early, who is an old woman, was given twenty-four hours to Mrs. Mary Daly Dies On Her get out of Canada. Annie Newbain, although married, is only seventeen

Everything Being Gotten Ready for an Early Opening.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, March 19 .- Another of the Navigation Company's Northern steamers the Saronic was brought down from her winter moorings in the harbor to dockage just below the

ompany's wharf. The ferry boats are running a halfnour schedule now. Two of the smallr boats will be placed in the drydock for repairs, and until they are in service again it is not likely the schedule will be shortened. All the boats will be cleaned and painted for the spring season.

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Fenchurch street, E. C. London, Aug. 9, 1905. I have analyzed most carefully a box b f Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets (which I bought myself at a city chemist's shop for the purpose), manufactured by the London, E. C., and have to report that Teacher in Exeter School Has Gone to cannot find any trace of vegetable or mineral poisons. Knowing the ingredients of the tablets, I am of opinion that they are admirably adaptable for the purpose for which they are intend-

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SLAMS ASSESSMENT AND GIVES FIGURES TO PROVE ASSERTION

Joseph Lawrence, of South London Progressives, Speaks of Wyatt Property.

Says That He Will Continue to Investigate Civic Departments.

Vice-President Joseph Lawrence of the South London Progressive Assoclation presented further facts at the meeting of that organization Tuesday evening in regard to the laxity in the various departments of the city hall administration.

Mr. Lawrence stated that although the present council was elected only two months ago, several of the aldermen had already succeeded in getting relatives appointed to positions in the city hall offices.

Wages Doubled. "The total amount of wages in the city hall have been doubled during the last two years. I wish to correct an impression that was created by my remarks last week. I did not say that all the old men in the employ of the city should be discharged, but I did say that they should be contented with the salaries that they were getting befor they were given an assistant. At each meeting I intend to show up the muddle and mismanagement in one of the departments. "If you want municipal affairs conducted in an economic manner, never

vote for a candidate who has a son or daughter.' Inequality of Assessments. Mr. Lawrence also referred to the

nequality of the assessments in various parts of the city. "I spoke last meeting about Mr. William Wyatt defending the assessment commissioner, and the following will show that he had good cause to do so. Mr. Wyatt is the owner of the Hotson Block on Dundas street, opposite the site of the Federal Square, and his property consists of three stores and a stable. A low valuation of the land would be \$20,000, as the city paid \$600 foot for the McCormick property across the street, and the buildings are worth \$20,000, making a low estimate of the whole property at \$40,000.
"The monthly rental is \$210, which is \$2,520 per year. This property, gentlemen, is assessed for \$9,500, which is

only 23 per cent. of the value." Want Him To Continue. The members of the association adised Mr. Lawrence to continue his nvestigations, and will take the matter

ip at a future meeting. Mr. W. West suggested that the association place on record its disapproval of the establishment of a icensed liquor store in the East End. "We call ourselves progressives, and in our life. we should do everything possible to stamp out this evil, which is the greatest enemy of progress in the world. A large majority of the members present expressed themselves as opposed to a shop license being granted, committee composed of Messrs Gerry, West and Dr. Axford, was ap-

eport back. Leave It With Temperance People. President Gerry stated that the temperance people had taken the matter up, and that while he was against the issuing of a license, he thought that the best thing to do would be to leave it in the hands of the temperance workers. We certainly would not stand for a shop of that nature in South

London. The park committee of the associaion reported that it was to meet the park commissioners on Thursday afternoon, and was requested to ask that a etter fence and entrance be erected on Ridout street at the Parke Flats playground. This committee was also empowered to ask that the railing on Ridout street south of Victoria bridge be extended 60 or 100 feet further, as the present railing did not offer suf-

ficient protection. NAPIER TO UPHOLD THE AFFIRMATIVE

Debate on Various Forms of Government To Be Held on Friday.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Calvert, March 19.—The Union Literary Society will hold the challenge debate at S. S. No. 7, Metcalfe, on Friday evening, March 21. The sub-"Resolved That a Republican Government as Adopted by United States Is Preferable to a Limited Monarchy as Exemplified by Great Britain." Napier debaters have the affirmative

side of the discussion. On account of an epidemic of colds and pneumonia, the N. L. S. is not yet certain of the date of the minstrel concert. The minstrels have been faithfully practicing for some time, and wagon was wrecked and the car badexpect to give the concert some time ly smashed. The driver, Wm.Winter,

during Easter week. Wilbur Merrick, the youngest son of Leonard Merrick, is making gratifying progress towards recovery.

David N. Brown, formerly of Toronto, has accepted a position in the Donald Urquhart Had Resided There

American Radiator Company, Brantford. A number of farmers of this neighorhood are engaged in sugar-making.

ALLOWED TO LEAVE

Her Home in Wyoming.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Wyoming, March 19.—Miss Helen Wetherill, who was filling the prinipalship of the school at Exeter and uarantined recently owing to the smallpox scare in that town, is at her home here, the authorities so far removing the ban as to allow the teachers to return to their homes.

The Methodists are having a new chapel organ installed in their church. They expect to use it on Easter Sun-

for nearly forty years. CLEANS DISTINFECTS

day. The old one has been in service

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Nineteen Confirmed at St. George's by Bishop Williams

Nineteen candidates for confirmation were presented to His Lordship Bishop Williams by Rev. Canon Sage, rector of St. George's Church, West London, at a confirmation service held last night, His lordship preached a sermon from the text, "He that overcometh shall inherit all things." The evangelist, St. John, placed great emphasis upon the need of being conquerors, and not slaves

"Our position in this world is, as i were, between heaven and earth, and i s our destiny to endeavor to grasp the things of heaven. If we cling to the things of earth we become degraded. We sink instead of rise," said his lordship. "In our own inner lives we need to become masters of ourselves, of our appointed to consider the question and retites and passions, or they will master in our organized work. If rightly pursued it may be a worship of God, but if we become the slave of our work, following it solely to acquire fame, or to neap up wealth, we forget God."

This danger was present in joy and sorrow, and in every experience of life, said his lordship, and if man is to be victorious in the battle he must rely upon the spirit of God to help him. The ishop likened the human soul to an electric wire that is weak and useless until the current of electricity has passed through it. In the warfare against the world, the flesh and the devil, it was necessary, he said, to have the current of God's holy spirit moving and

directing our lives. BURIED AT MALAHIDE

Joseph Thomas Had Resided in Glencolin Over Thirty Years.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Aylmer, March 19.-The funeral loseph Thomas, held from his home in ilen Colin to Trinity Church, Malahide, this afternoon, was largely attended. Fowler, at home, and Two sons, George, of Aylmer, and two daughters, Mrs. J. Martin, of the 8th concession

Malahide, and Mrs. Wright, Ann Arbor, Mich., survive. STRUCK A WAGON

Traction Car Was Damaged in Crash

Near Lambeth. [Special to The Advertiser.] Lambeth, March 19 .- The 8:30 car from St. Thomas today struck a wagon loaded with coal as it was going into J. Bourne's place here today.

escaped without any serious injury. DIED IN NISSOURI

For Over Thirty Years.

Rebecca, March 18.-West Nissour lost one of its most esteemed resithe last 33 years, and always took a pay for the teeth upon the facts been a resident of West Nissouri for deep interest in municipal affairs. He stated. was a member of the council for several years until ill health compelled him to resign eight months ago. Mr. Urquhart was also a prominent member of Court Ivy, I. O. F., was a consistent member of the Presbyterian Church, and a Liberal. Besides his widow three sons, Alexander, James and William, at home, and one daughter. Mrs. George Martin, of Wyton,

survive him. CHICAGO FIRE TRAGEDY

Mother and Two Children Were Burned to Death.

[Canadian Press.] Chicago, Ill., March 19 .- Mrs. Frank Pustella and her two small children were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the two story frame building in which they lived on Wentworth avenue, early today. The woman's husband and Joseph Casedoro, were severely burned in their attempt to rescue the woman and her children. Both are in a critical

condition. Half a dozen Italian families lived

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nish Brushes

The fire started in the store and spread so rapidly that the occupants on the floor above were trapped, those who made their escape being comelled to use the windows. Rumors that the fire had been

caused by a bomb explosion caused the police to begin an investigation. Western Fair to Have More Prize

The finance committee of the Western Fair Association on Tuesday added \$2,000 to the prize list for 1913. This increase will be shared as follows: Light horses \$300, heavy horses \$200, speed horses \$300, cattle \$300, sheep \$175, swine \$175, poultry \$200, agriculture \$150, horticulture \$100 dairy \$100, honey \$50, ladies work

Money This Year

This year's fair will cost between \$40,000 and \$45,000. Last year's receipts from all sources were \$46,489. A yearly increase of salary of \$100 was voted to the secretary.

There were present: T. H. Smallman, chairman; W. J. Reid, J. Hale, Wm. Moore, Ald. Saunders, and A. M.

The printing committee met Tuesday afternoon and selected the hanger and posters for 1913. Tenders will be called for at once for prize lists, programs and entry forms.

Hunt, secretary.

LEGAL QUERIES ZURICH .- Must I pay a dentist for eeth if I cannot eat with them? He had plenty of time on them. He is going to leave, and I returned the teeth Donald Urquhart. Mr. Urquhart had to him and he sent them back to me. Ans .- You are not legally bound to

LOBO OLD TIMER DIES

Dougald W. Graham Was Prominent

as Agriculturist-Seventy Years

Dougald W. Graham, a lifelong resident

of Lobo Township, died at his home on Tuesday at the age of 70. Deceased was widely known as an agriculturalist and in municipal affairs. He leaves a wife, his nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan G. McAlpine, and four sisters-Mrs. Johnston, city; Mrs. Daniel Johnston, Curlew, Iowa; Mrs. Duncan McAlpine; Iona, Ont.; Mrs. Thomas Connor, West London. The funeral services will be held in the Covenanted Baptist Church at Poplar Hill at 2:30 o'clock, and burtal will take place in the Poplar Hill Ceme-

ONE GOOD THING. [Kansas City Journal.] Success is very difficult to attain."

"True enough." "Fortunately, when a man does ettain success his entire family can go

on the second story of the building, through life hanging onto his coat-which was occupied by a grocery store. tails,"