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-Among the Tecumseh House guests Mr. I. F. Hellmuth, of Toronto. Bugler Fred Deneau, of Windsor, s arrived at the Barracks for a two

enths' course. -Mr. William Kreitzer, of this city, has secured a position in Toronto in the G. T. R. ticket office. -The west end of Carling's Height's being prepared for topogganing puroses for the members of the London

Golf Club. ney expect to reside for the winter. -Miss Alice McDermott, Victoria

ency in that city.

when many of their friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Boone not only

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f an appropriate character. boy of nitric acid in Southam's printing office on Richmond street, set fire to the floor yesterday afternoon. The firemen were called and the blaze was extinguished with small loss.

terday morning at Victoria Hospital. Mr. Rogers, who was a native of Engwife and grown-up family. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from he family residence, 1,027 Mabel street. CHURCH SOCIAL.

social on the evening of Jan. 27. RECEIVED LAND GRANT. Mr. William Knapton, cf Richmond street north, has received from the provincial authorities a deed for 160 acres of land in New Ontario, being the grant for services randered in the militia during the troublous time of A hearty vote of thanks was tender-1866. Mr. Knapton was a member of ed to Messrs. James Brooks and Campmilitia during the troublous time of the London cavalry.

OFFICERS WERE INSTALLED. The installation of the new officers of Myrtie and Prospect Lodges K O. P., was held Monday night at the lodge gone through. Refreshments were served at the conclusion and several ments.

There died at Victoria Hospital yesterday Mrs. Ann Potter, relict of the late George Potter, in the 78th year of Deceased was a native of her age. Clearing sale of Furs of & England, but had been a resident of this to COST or less. Special & Rev. George Bishop officiating. FUNERAL OF MRS. GOSLING.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John R. Gosling was held from D. A. Stewart's undertaking parlors Monday afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Bishop. Many beautiful floral tributes testified to the esteem in which deceased was bearers: Messrs, C. J. McCormick; W. T. Stenberg, A. G. McCormick, Thos. Wilson, A. Sharp and James Keenley-

> CONCERT AT LAMBETH. The Lambeth Lodge of Independent

Order of Foresters have arranged for a fine concert to be held in Lambeth tomorrow (Thursday) evening. A firstclass programme has been provided, including vocal and instrumental music and readings. Among those taking part are Miss L. Boyce, Miss Maud Fowler, Miss Anthistle, Miss Mabel Webbe and Mr. James Fax. Dr. G. A. give an address. A good time is as-Concert begins at 8 o'clock

CAMP MEMBERSHIP SWELLED. Victory Camp, No. 228, Woodmen of the World, swelled its membership on Monday night, by adding over thirty new names. The decree team from Pine Grove Camp put on the work in a most creditable manner. After the initiation, the following officers were installed for 1905: Past consul commander, Sov. C. R. Sumner; consul commander, Sov. T. H. Haskett; adv. W. H. Copland; sentinel, Sov. Bears; manager, Sov. J. Ellwood.

leutenant, Sov. F. Hooper; clerk, Sov. S. Wilson; banker, Sov. J. E. Hodgins; Sov. M. Ryan; watchman, Sov pleasing time was spent, after the inallation, by way of speeches, etc. ASES \$2,000 DAMAGES. When the Quinn case was finished at he January assize court yesterday afternoon the case of Olson vs. the Lon-

don Builders' Supply Company was taken up. Gustavus Olson, a teamster, asking \$2,000 damages for personal injuries, alleged to have been received the evidence of the crown witnesses oner since Nov. 3. while in the defendants' employ. On being put into the witness box plaintiff told about the accident. He had been ordered to undermine a cer tain clay bank, when the bank gave way and fell upon him, injuring his left knee so badly that he had to be carried home and was laid up for two -Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lee and family, of Glencoe, have moved into the city, to No. 243½ Dundas street, where FUNERAL OF A. W. BURWELL.

The remains of the late Arthur W. street, Ingersoll, has returned to her Burwell were laid at rest in Woodland me, after a pleasant visit with her Cemetery yesterday afternoon, riend, Miss Edna Goride, Hamilton members of Kilwinning Lodge, A., F. and A. M., formed part of the cortege, -Mr. W. A. Fleming, business man- which started from the family resi ager of the London Vaudeville Theater, dence, "Brookside," London Township. has resigned his position and left for Many beautiful floral tributes were lew York City. He has secured a posi- loid upon the casket. There were two n with a well-known theatrical sets of pallbearers, one being chosen by the family, and the other by the Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boone, of Colborne street, celebrated their Henry Farncombe, J. Edward Platt, E. Henry Farncombe, J. Edward Platt, E. Masons. ina wedding at their home last night. Manigault and Ed. Mills, The Masonic pallbearers were Bros. E. W. M. Flock, W. Smith, Joseph Walker, Stephen Grant, Cameron McDonald and Frank conducted the services both at the house and at the grave, and the Ma-

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sonic burial service was also con-

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KING STREET PRESBYTERIANS HAVE THEIR ANNUAL MEETING

Year of Progress for East End Congregation.

The annual congregational meeting of the King Street Presbyterian Church was held in the lecture room of the church last evening. There was a good attendance and great interest was exreceived the hearty congratulations of hibited in the proceedings by one and all, but also many handsome presents all. Judging from the atmosphere which prevailed and the nature of the -The accidental upsetting of a car- reports of the past year's work which

were submitted, the church is in a healthy condition of steady progress. Rev. James Rollins, the pastor, was in the chair, and Mr. W. A. Hunter acted -Mr. Joseph Rogers, a resident of as secretary. Messrs. Connor, Brown, East London for many years, died yes- Grieve and Rollins spoke briefly upon the financial affairs of the church. It land, was an employe of the Grand was decided to repeat this year the The sum of \$1,945 92 was received and Trunk car works. He is survived by a free-will offering of \$250 on the third Sabbath of March. The following officers were elected for 1905:

Auditor for congregation, Alex, Brown; CHURCH SOCIAL.

Dorchester Station Presbyterian Church intends holding an oyster year term; Mr. McEllhiney, two-year term; Mr. Barr, for one-year term. Mr. George Campbell, having moved outside the bounds of the church, resigned from the position of manager and treasurer. Much regret was pressed on all side for Mr. Campbell's organists, Miss Marie Dyer and mass departure, and a vote of thanks was departured by the vote of th

bell, both of whom are retiring from the board; also to the pastor for his much-appreciated labors during the year, assuring him of continued loyalty and support. When the business portion of the rooms, when the usual ceremony was evening was over, refreshments were served and all enjoyed a few social mo-

The session's report, which was the first of the evening, was very optimistic in character. This report, which Rollins, president; Mrs. Scott, secrewas an introduction to all the others, tary. expressed the satisfaction of the pasboard of managers and other \$174 64; on hand, \$12 01.

1904 Shown to Have Been a destitute at home and abroad. The ession recommended to the meeting the adoption of a scheme, presently to be outlined by the pastor in printed letters to the congregation, for tating the raising of funds for the vareducational and benevolent schemes of the church. Reference was made to seven of the congregation who

> the year. Following are, in part, the various departmental reports, which were read and approved.

have been removed by death during

1903, 327; at the present, 353. Money contributed by the congregation and various societies to the missionary work of the church, \$318 \$8. Missionary Treasurer-Contributions by envelope, \$106 15. Managers - The managers were

pleased to state that the year was closed with all accounts paid, the only liability being the mortgage. The managers had much praise for the choir and the organist, Mr. Pococke. Six members of the board retired this year expended in the general fund; in the organ and mortgage account, \$848 76. Assets were placed at \$11,500 and the liabilities at \$3,350. Sunday School—Number of scholars

on the roll, 277; officers and teachers 29; average attendance, 185. Officers for 1905: Superintendent, George Duncan; assistant superintendent, D. Forsyth secretary, C. T. Ross: assistant secre tary, F. Koch; treasurer, Miss J. Grieve; librarians, J. Murray and D

Ladies' Aid-The twelve monthly meetings have been well attended, and the work of the district visitors well carried out. The balance at the end of the year for mission purposes was \$523 20.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society -Average attendance at the monthly meetings, 20; present active membership, 38; scattered helpers, 10; a box of the value of \$74 65 was sent to the Northwest Indian School. Mrs. S. P.

Golden Link Society-Fourteen profittor and members of the session at the able meetings were held during the success which had characterized all the year, seven of them devoted to the predepartments of church work, and at parties of the Northwest box. The all kinds. Everything in this line has been reduced to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, and the growing earnestness of the members of the Mork for 1905 is for India. President, the growing earnestness of the members. The Lord's Supper, continued the Mrs. Morrison; president of junior Smith & Sons' undertaking establishment to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, during the year, and there had been a which was all expended in the work. report, had been observed four times branch, Mary Forsyth. Receipts, \$43 21, during the year, and there had been a which was all expended in the work. substantial increase of membership on each occasion. Praise was bestowed Young People's Society—Receipts, organizations, especially upon the W. The auditors reported that the finan-F. M. S., and the Golden Link Society, cial conditions of the various depart-for their works in providing for the ments were in very good condition.

Martin Quinn Acquitted On Impersonation Charge

Jury at the Winter Assizes De- rather than that of the defense, which clares Him Not Guilty -Perjury Case Postponed.

yesterday afternoon, the jury at the been committed at the last election winter assizes declared Martin Quinn tion, and he stepped from the prisoner's for the prosecution and the defense. 1

box a free man. In his address to the jury, Mr. Mc- some of them doubtful characters, Evoy dwelt upon the evidence given by could be accepted, an alibi was estab-Quinn's friends to the effect that he lished. His was not at No. 7 booth of ward 4 at statement of the seriousness of the the time in question. It was true, he crime of impersonation, and said that admitted that some of these witnesses no political affiliations should be al differed from each other with regard to lowed to interfere with the course of details, but counsel said that in the justice. main it was reliable.

Crown Prosecutor Mabee asked the this: Am I convinced upon this evi jury to lay aside any political feelings dence that the prisoner is guilty? that they might have, for the sake of you are convinced, then there is no the honor of the city and the Dominion. Mr. Mabee discredited the witnesses vinced then a doubt exists and the for the defense in the same way as Mr. prisoner ought to get the benefit McEvoy had done the evidence of of it."

David Baskerville, a horsetrainer, and When the verdict had been brought the complainant in the case, and of the in, Mr. Mabee asked that the trial of other crown witnesses. The prosecutor Quinn on the charge of perjury be then reviewed the evidence for the de- postponed until the spring. The court fense in detail. He asked why the de- consented, and the prisoner's bail was fense had not put Jas, Malloch, chair- fixed at \$1,000, half of it being perman of the subdivision, in the box? sonal and the rest outside bonds. Quinn

ROUSING MEETINGS

Liberals Are Conducting a Vigorous Campaign in West Middlesex.

Hon, G. W. Ross' campaign in West Middlesex is being prosecuted with

Rousing meetings in his interest were held at Newbury on Monday, and at occasions being Mr. N. W. Rowell, of Toronto; Mr. F. P. Betts, of London, and Mr. J. C. Elliott, of Glencoe. The general policy of the Governmen

as well as their course with reference to the development of New Ontario and the promotion of the industries at the

For the table, for cooking,

contradicted it. He pointed out that the pollbook of Quinn's own division showed he had voted there at a time when several of his friends had sworn he was with them The court, in charging the jury, read the statute dealing with the crime of After an absence of about two hours impersonation. That the crime had

was without doubt. The thing was to not guilty of the crime of impersona- The court then reviewed the evidence the testimony of prisoner's five friends

"The question to ask yourselves," In opening his address to the jury, said his lordship, in conclusion, "is room for doubt, but if you are not con-

Mr. Mabee asked the jury to believe was then released, after being a pris

degree of purity than their opponents

Both meetings were very largely at-

tended, and great enthusiasm was dis-

ville, on Monday evening was declined.

The Liberals throughout the riding

are working with great determination,

and everything points to the return of Hon, G. W. Ross by a largely-increased

FOR THE PREMIER

DEATH OF ANOTHER VETERAN OFFICER

Appin yesterday, the speakers on both Mr. James Hobbins, an Ex-Member of the Police, Force, Passes Away.

A veteran police constable and wellwith large commodious 'bus or tally- Soo, were fully discussed, and defend- Hobbins, died yesterday at his resied, and the hollowness and hypocrisy dence, 192 Simcoe street, in his 78th year. Although Mr. Hobbin's had not been in good health for the past four years, his illness did not become serious until a few weeks ago. He was born in Menagh, Ireland, but emigrated to Canada when a young man. He was a resident of London for about half a century, and for thirty-three years was a valued member of the police force, Since his superannuation, which

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An offer by the same speakers to attend a meeting held by Mr. Stewart, daughters, Mary and Margaret, of this

the Opposition candidate, at Wards-city, and a son. James,

P. C. Boyd, whose death occurred last

week, were the oldest ex-members of

the force. Deceased is survived by two

The funeral will be held on Thursday

morning to St. Peter's Cathedral when

HAYES-SMITH Marriage of Well-Known Young Londoner Celebrated at Fanshawe.

The marriage took place at Fanshawe esterday of Mr. Bert Hayes, assistant ticket agent in the city office of the Grand Trunk Railway, here, to Miss Minnie Smith, the youngest daughter Mrs. James Hatfield, of concession

London Township. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Fair, of Fanshawe, the bride beng supported by Miss Ada Hayes, sisof the groom, while Mr. Albert Smith was best man Only the immediknown resident of this city, Mr. James ate friends of the contracting parties

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