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First Presbyterian—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Christ Church—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
St. Andrew's—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Holy Trinity—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
St. Joseph's, R. O.—8.30, 10.30, 7.30,
Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 and 7.
William St. Baptist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Park St. Methodist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.
Latter Day Saints—7 p.m.
Campbell A.M.E.—11 a.m.; 7.45 p.m.,
First Baptist—11 a.m.; 7.30 p.m.

Church Notes. Rev. R. McCosh will preach on both

at the evening service.

in the afternoon,

Church to-morrow.

ecasions in Christ Church to-mor-

All pews in Christ Church are free

The Young People's Church and S. S. Society will meet Monday evening next at 8 o'clook, sharp.

The pastor, Rev. J. J. Ross, will preach both morning and evening and conduct the service for Bible study in the afternoon.

Park St. Methodist pulpit will be oc-cupied to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Hannon.

In consequence of the Rev. H. W. Locke preaching anniversary sermons at Kent Bridge, Mr. Feetem will preach in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church in the morning and Rev. Mr. Walker in the evening.

Rev. F. H. Larkin will conduct the services in the First Presbyterian

Rev. R. Hatchett will preach in the

B. M. E. Church, Princess St., Chat hem, at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

Divine service will be held in the Latter Day Saints' Hall, King St., at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. to-morrow. Eldes. Frederick Gregory, of St. Mary's, will occupy the pulpit. All are invited.

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AUCTION SALE.

There will be sold by public auction Wednesday, May 3oth, 1900, ending at 2 o'clock in Mrs. Garner's new block, opposite the Central Drug Store,

new block, opposite the Central Prug Store, household goods as follows: 1 square Krutzmann piano, 1 piano stool, 1 sideboard (quartered oak), 1 oak extension dining table, 1 oak hat stand, 4 rockers, cake (quartered oak), I oak extended table. I oak hat stand, 4 rockers, case chairs, kitchen chairs, I cherry table with drop leaves, 4 small tables, I walnut bed stead, 2 commodes, I set hed springs, I chamber set, I square book stand, I lounging chair; Brussels hall and stair carpet, wool bed room carpet, Japanese matting, I range (steel lined), I gas range, I parlor stove, I gas heater, I brass student's lamp, hanging lamps, bracket lamps, hand lamps, I sofa rug, I table cover, electric plate, pictures, I China tea set, glassware, stoneware, graniteware, rubber door mat, kitchen utensils, step ladder, garden tools, curtain poles and rings, trays and other articles too numerous to mention.

Bonnie Castle Property to be Sold by Public Auction.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., Auctioneer has received instructions from Mrs.
J. W. Carpenter, who is leaving the
city, to sell her beautiful residence,
known as Bonnie Castle, on Elizabeth
Street, opposite the residence of John
Reeve, Earn harvieter, on Thursday

known as Bonnie Castle, on Elizabeth Street, opposite the residence of John Reeve, Esq., barrister, on Thursday, May 31st, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The building is a large, two-storey frame house, containing hall, parlor, drawing room, dining room, kitchen, pantry, summer kitchen and five large bedrooms, with closets, large verandahs, front and rear, outside cellar, large ement cistern and an ever flowlarge cement cistern and an ever flow-ing well of water; large let, contain-

ing well of water; large let, containing peach, pear, plum, cherry and apple trees, and abundance of small fruit and large grape arbor.

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To The Planet. - While The Planet is no an Araunah threshing floor to winnow pri vate grievances, yet, as my profes position was assaulted in a cowardiy, dark insinuation by John Pleasance, I ask liberty to reply. It has developed that Jack's vade mecum scribbler is a Grit straw-stackfed attorney, who abandoned the hay fork, and is now manslaughtering the Queen's English as a pen scraper. The few cents doled out to him by Jack, and the lunch at the end of the bar, are more profitable and remunerative than this bombastic lawyer's office practice. I challenge this corn-fed solicitor to say "boch!" to me over his own worthless name. I am now locating his identity, and when I do, Rome, will howl, and the case will be closed with a clap of thunder. Now, having lived here so long, and not having studied law in Chatham, I shall give some pointers and instructions to form a brief for my opponents. Years before I came to Chatham, I served the full period of five years under articles of clerkship with the late Patrick McGregor, M.A., (Edin.), barrister-at-law, Toronto, a great personal friend and for sometime law partner of the on was assaulted in a cowardly, dark the late Fatrick needed, and, and for sometime law partner of the Hon. Sir Oliver Mowat, Lieut-Governor of Ontario. The dates of registering my articles and withdrawing them off the files are duly recorded in Osgoode Hall. My articles were destroyed by fire as already stated, and when required, being unable to produce them, the then rules of the law society would not permit me to present myself for final examinations. The powers of law society were subsequently enlarged by the legislature, so as to cover just such difficulties as mine and many others. If Jack and his corn-stack solicitor will look at vol. 13 N.S. of the Canada Law Journal, 1877, page 52, they will find the following barrister-at-law, Toronto, a great persona voi. 13 N. S. of the Canada Law Journal, 1877, page 52, they will find the following in the transactions of the law society:—
"The petition of, Geo. G. Martin was read Orde ed, that on proper proof of his contract of service, and the loss thereof, and his service, under contract, according to the Dear Sir,—In reply to your letter of he 29th inst. Our Gas Range has the 29th inst. Our Gas Range has been in use at my house for several years and has always given perfect

contract of service, and the loss thereof, and his service under contract, according to the rules of the society, he be permitted to present himself for examination."

There was no trouble to prove the contract and the service thereunder, as Mr. Macgregor was then living and in active practice, and the above stringent order was fully complied with. Some ten years ago I acted upon this order and presented myself for the solicitor's examination, and passed it, too. Before doing so, it was required convenience, it has been very economical in fuel, not costing more than one third the price for wood or coal. I may say that it is used for everything that a stove could be required for, and does the work admirably.

solicitor's examination, and passed it, too. Before doing so, it was required that I obtain a certificate from local Q. C's. and one of the county judges that I was "a fit and proper person to be admitted as a solicitor." At this time I had lived here some fifteen years, and was for some time a clerk in the office of Wm. Douglas, Q. C., crown attorney. All the Q. C's. then in the city, I think, readily signed this certificate, including Douglas, Q. C., himself, who is an honored bencher and member of the privy council of the society. More than this, this certificate was graced with the bold autograph of that eminent jurist, scholar and author, his honor Judge Woods, Now, I did not pass as barrister under the act allowing solicitors of ten years' standing to get through with-

years' standing to get through with-out an examination. I was of 'ess than six years' standing, and had to undergo an examination. I carried every position at the POINT OF THE BAYONET, hands down, without asking or receiving any odds whitever. Perhaps I erred in not having a certificate of bad character from Irish Jack. The devil himself fortified with such a credential would pass as a high-toned moral gentleman, and would be as fully qualified for a liquor license as John himself. Having been in active practice before Judge Woods for over ten years, the learned judge would give me now a much better certificate than he did before, and those who doubt it are kindly referred to him. During all these ten years no complaint or charge was ever made to the Law Society against me for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct or otherwise—and this is more than can be said as to more than one lawyer hands down, without asking or re-ceiving any odds whatever. Perhaps can be said as to more than one lawyer here—so that I don't think the learn-

ed Q. C's. who vouched for me have any reasons to regret.

Jack and his legal bean-stalk will find all the records of my service and admission in Osgoode Hall, Toronto. Jack is not satisfied with being the "Big Push" of the liquor traffic, but is now hankering after the guardianship of the Law Society. God forfend This would be placing the carrion Libyan hyena to guard the tomb of the newly buried infant. All the gods on

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Mount Olympus would protest at once Mount Olympus would protest at once. Why, John never heard of such a thing as the law society until his cornfodder Grit attorney gave him advice—fee ten cents and a beer. John and his hoe-attorney are working hard to prevent Jack from obtaining even a "fluke" liquor license next year, as he will find out. His record on the prevent Jack from obtaining even a "fluke" liquor license next year, as he will find out. His record on the two ends of the continent will be officially spread out before the local commissioners, and before their masters at Toronto, and it will remain to be seen whether an outrage on public decency will be perpetrated. Jack will be sorry he spoke before he finishes up his self-imposed task.

It must grate hard on the ears of Mr. Holmes and his friends to hear Jack praising him. Had Mr. Holmes trained a battery of artillery on John to keep him at a severe distance he

trained a battery of artillery on John to keep him at a severe distance he might have been installed court clerk three months ago. This is now fully admitted by Holmes' friends, and opponents, too. Nobody said a word against the exceptionally good reputation of Mr. Holmes, as there is NO FINER MAN

in Chatham. His fatal blunder was to in Chatham. His fatal blunder was to get into the miasmatic atmosphere of Jack, and if he does receive the appointment, it will be in spite of this terrible drawback. Jack tells us, that when he last visited Sodom, he found only one good man there, and he candidly admits he is not the man. It seems he met Mrs. Lot on the third concession outside of Sodom, and in attempting to shake hands with her, she was so horrified at the apparition that she was transmogrified into a huge hump of wock-salt, and like the rest who escaped, John sprinted for who escaped, John sprinted for dear life, and never turned around un-til he entered the street which is calldear life, and never turned around until he entered the street which is called "Straight," in the city of Damascus, enquiring for Saul of Tarsus. Jack says Sodom looks and smells like hades, and is no place for a respectable saloon. John is inviting an action for libel, when he can "tales unfold," root up and tear down generally, like an old gossip hag. Don't wait for an action, John; an action for damages against you would be like storming a fortress, which, when captured, contained nothing in the way of booty but snakes, rats and mice. There is a standing offer now to blow off your foul gas bags ad libitum. So far as the truth is concerned, John is in this unhappy predicament, that, like the "cry-wolf" nobody would believe him, even if he accidentally told the truth—a contingency not likely to happen, however. Jack has either a poor gimlet or he is digging for oil in the wrong locality in this matter. I shall close with a witty Scotch story very apropos to John:

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"Do you ken I had a gey guid dream last nicht. I thocht I was deid and gaun to heav'n, but to win there I had to clim' a lang ladder, an' as I I had to clim' a lang iadder, an' as I was gaun up, step by step, I had to mark my sins on every ring w' a bit caulk. On the road up I met some-body comin' doon, and here it was Uncle Sanny. 'Hallo! uncle,' says I, you're gaun the wrang road. 'Ay,' says he, "I had to turn back from mair caulk.' An' wi' that I wauken't."

When John starts up the golden stairs, he will require, a chunk of stairs, he will require, a chunk of chalk as large as a huge Cheshire cheese, and even then he will have to trop down again for "mair caulk," Good-bye, John, Dan't stee lone."

Don't stop long."
GEO. G. MARTIN. May 23, 1900.

Nyack, N. Y., May 25. — Robert Sneden, of Monsey, an Englishman by birth, raised a British flag on his house Thursday to celebrate the Queen's birthday. Saveral neighbors came on the premises and ordered the flag taken down. Mr. Sneden refused, when one of the men held him while others climbed upon the house, tore down the flag and burned it. Mr. Sneden says he will take legal proceedings to have the offenders punished.

Money to Lend on Mortgages —Farmers and others wanting to borrow money on mortgages at best rates and save expenses and time, and secure other advantages, should apply personally to the Chatham Loan & Savings Company.

The Paris exhibition cor have listened to Canada's protest and have agreed to close the Canadian sec-tion of the exhibition on Sundays.

A priest, supposed to be Father John O'Donnell, of New York, got his pic-ture taken at the Falls, walked to the Whirlpool, waved his hand to the peo-ple, shouted good-bye, jumped in and was swept away

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TILBURY.

May 26.-Mrs. A. R. Nicol has re-curned from a visit with relatives in

Leamington.

Miss Gilpin, of St. Mary's, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. C. Crawford, this week.

Gordon Richardson, of Essex High school, is spending Suturday and Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. Henry Richardson returned last evening from a visit in Detroit.

Miss Beulah Bartley is expected home this week, after a visit with home this week, after a visit with relatives in Detroit.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

Dreaded Meal Time.

THE STORY OF A DYSPEPTIC WHO HAS FOUND A CURE.

There is an Intimate Connection Between Good Health, Happiness and Good Digestion-Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Bring About These Conditions.

From the Tribune, Deseronto.

Without good digestion there can be neither good health nor happiness. More depends upon the perfect working of the digestive organs than most people imagine, and even slight functional disturbances of the stomach leaves the victim irritable, melancholy and apathetic. In such cases most people resort to laxative medicines, but these only further aggravate the trouble. What is needed is vate the trouble. What is needed is a tonic; something that will build up the system, instead of weakening if as purgative medicines do. For this purpose there is no medicine equal to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They enrich the blood and strengthen and stimulate the digestive tract from first dose to last. In proof of this assertion the case of Mr. Thomas A. Stewart, the well known and genial proprietor of the Oriental Hotel, Deseronto, may be quoted. To a reporter of the Tribune who mentioned the fact that he was suffering from dyspepsia, Mr. Stewart said:—"Why don't you take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills?" Asked why he gave this advice Mr. Stewart conas purgative medicines do. liams' Fink Fills?" Asked why he gave this advice Mr. Stewart continued: "Simply because they are the best medicine for that complaint I know of. For years I was a great sufferer from indigestion, and during that time I think I tried a score of medicines. In some cases I got temthat time I think I tried a score of medicines. In some cases I got temporary relief, but not a cure. I fairly dreaded meal times and the food that I ate gave me but little nourishment. On the recommendation of a friend I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a little over a year ago. I soon experienced relief and no longer dreaded meal time, but as I was detarmined that the cure should be permanent if possible. I continued taking manent if possible, I continued taking ing the pills in light doses for several months. The result is every vestige of the trouble left me and I have as good an appetite now as any boarder in the house, and my digestive organs work like a charm. I may also add that my general health was greatly improved as a result of using the

"Do you object to my publishing this in the Tribune?" asked the re-

this in the Tribune?" asked the reporter.

"Well, I have no desire for publicity," said Mr. Stewart, "but if you think it will help anyone who suffers as I did, you may publish the facts."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure by going to the root of the disease. They renew and build up the blood, and strengthen the nerves, thus driving disease from the system. If your dealer does not keep them, they will be sent postpaid at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brock-ville, Ont.

DRESDEN

May 26.-The junior baseball club of Wallaceburg tried conclusions with the Dresden juniors yesterday afternoon. Owing to a dispute as to the umpiring of the game, it was left un-

Dr. J. N. Byers is in Toronto, visit-Dr. J. N. Byers is in Infolice, visiting his mother, who is seriously ill.

The ladies of the Methodist church will hold an At Home at the residence of Mrs. R. Kimmerly on Monday afternoon from 3 to 5, and in the evening from 8 to 10.

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TOWNSHIP OF DOVER, COURT OF REVISION.

Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the Township of Dover will hold its first sitting as a Court of Revision, at the Town Hall, on Monday, May 28th, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forencon, to hear and try complaints and appeals made against the Assessment Rolls for 1900, and to revise the same the Assessment revise the same.

J. WELSH.

Township Clerk.

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