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Coming to London.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy King, of Aylmer, Ont., have been appointed choirmaster and organist respectively of Knox Presbyterian Church, South London, and will take charge on Sunday evening next for the first time. Mr. and Mrs. King have taken up their residence on Askin street. Joined the Church.

At the conclusion of the services at Talbot Street Baptist Church Sunday evening, several young men came forward and declared their desire to join the church and take baptism. They will be baptized at the evening service next Sunday. Two or three young vomen will also be baptized Nicholas Hrisikos the Purchaser.

Through an error it was stated that Mr. Peter Hrisikos had purchased the Davis property on Dundas street now occupied by the Alexandra Cafe and J. S. Barnard. It should have read Mr. Nicholas Hrisikos. The sale was made through Ferguson & Co. Mr. Hrisikos has with him as partners Mr. Peter Mandas and Mr. Tony Karogeorge, of Lindsay, a well-known conectioner of that place.

A Presentation. On last Friday afternoon, at a argely attended meeting of the mempers of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Memorial Church, held in the parish room and presided over by Mrs. Sage, the diocesan president, the president Mrs. Dyson Hague, was presented with a certificate of life membership, a farewell gift from the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Memorial Church to Mrs. Hague before her renoval to Toronto,

The residence of Mrs. C. Bowles. pretty wedding at six o'clock on Thursday evening, when the marriage was solemnized of her youngest daughter, Carolyn, to Mr. George Almony was performed by the Rev. Dr. J. V. Smith, of the Centenary Methroom, which was decorated with palms was given away by her brother. Mr. J. R. Bowles, of Montreal, wore a white silk embroidered net gown with pearl trimming, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses and lily of the valley. The wedding music was played by Mrs. J. R. Bowles, and during the signing of the register Mrs. H. W. Bowles of To ronto, sang "O Perfect Love." Mrs Bowles held a reception after the cere mony, wearing a black satin gown with jet ornaments. Mr. and Mrs. Love left later for Toronto, the bride travelling in tailored suit with mink furs, th gift of the groom, and white beaver hat

Music and Drama

A Daniel Boone Play.

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"Excuse Me."

"Excuse Me," Rupert Hughes' episodical farce, will be seen at the Grand next Monday night. Henry W. Sav-Hamilton, was the scene of a very brilliant New York cast to interpret age is sending the farce here with the the whimsicality of the play, while in the matter of scenery and effects the production will be exactly the same as at the Gaiety Theatre in New York. exander Love, of Toronto. The cere- "Excuse Me" is a distinct novelty. It is a relation of incidents that occur on lan Overland Limited train during its odist Church, Hamilton, in the living- passage from Chicago to Reno. Anyone who has ever made an extended and pink carnations. The bride, who journey in a Pullman train can hardly have failed to have been struck by the humorous possibilities of such trip. Seats Thursday 9 a.m.

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CRIS. GRIGG ON COUNTRY LIFE: PREFERS BEES TO GRAMOPHONE

How the Hired Man Unwittingly Came to Incur Zeb's Wrath-A City Man Who Preferred Music of a Boiler Shop to the Bleat of a Sheep.

received this morning, with an Aylmer Tris Grigg, of Grigg's Corners, is "too good to keep." Mr. Grigg has some e seen by a glance at his following

and country. I can't write you a very long letter this time because a lot of my ideas got away afore I got t' putscription list. Now, atween you an' me-it seems

against corresponding classes in the fix me up. country. A millionaire at Grigg's corners can enjoy himself better than pennyaire in Noo York and vice ersa, but the pennyaires get a purty cold deal in both places an' the plumb norizontal up shot is we'd better git t' 'man," an' it semes to me the ountry is the place to start. All you want is 25 good hens that'll lay in the winter an' a hole-steen or two an' a

If a man has no money he enjoys imself best when he can make it, and he has he generally goes where he an spend it. A few of us can enjoy the "blessed stars," but they're cheap, and can be got, such as they are, anywhere when the sign is right in the Stars are likely dirty enough when you get close to them, and backards in the city are just about as 'high geenick' as their cousins in riggs Corners. We're a race of hypoites anyway-just like the twinkling tars-and can't stand inspection. Nature herself, whether she resides in the rity or country, will be found to be an old maid when the fool "filosofers" and scientists are through with their investigation. The people who enjoy themselves are the folks who stay under the verandah and don't go "muxxin" around in the back-yard of things. But, then, of course, carrion don't hurt rows, and everybody to his notion.

Whether folks enjoy themselves beter in the country than in the city depends mostly on the folks. We're not dliji amf wayf gyw yw wtagktaggka all "tooned" to the same key. When Bill Squiggs came out to visit me at driggs Corners he couldn't sleep for ne noise. He said the crickets were roaring and bawling" all night, and when he got to sleep, of sheer exhaustion, about 5 o'clock in the morning, sheep that couldn't weigh less than ten tons "blatted" so you could hear it in Thibet. Now Bill Squiggs lives next a bridge-manufacturing plant. There s a boiler works just across the street, working night and day; an iron foundry and rolling mill in the same block. railway station within a hundred yards; his wife snores, and the twins squawk, for all git out It's all like the purr of a pussy cat to Bill Squiggs. riggs Corners.

We are all fond of the things we ike and the disagreeable things of life are very unpleasant to most of us. things are disagreebale. My wife is not exceptionally fond of tobacco smoke and when Susan Slobbs recites at the annual S. S. Christmas tree or Teenie Slimm screeches away up in the high spots in the Griggs Corners choir I confess I am lacking in appreciation. Some are tooned to monotony, others like variety and most of us are satisfied with a home and competence. It doesn't make any difference whether its in Griggs Corners or in London. If you don't feel right in the city git out. If you are dissatisfied in Griggs Corners git in. The world is large. A cannibal can emigrate to Feegee. As to an Orangeman living among Roman Catholics I have little to say. He may have monopoly of all the prejiduce in the neighborhood poor man. Jones went to a Baptist community. It was just the right distance from school, post office, black smith shop, cheese factory, etc. There was a Baptist Church on one corner and the R. E. agent said it was snap. Well, he didn't buy.

There was an organ in the church, and he said "Darn that organ." Now as to grammyfones. I am not sufficiently educated to appreciate them. Zeb Squeers has one, and he thinks that I enjoy a bee hive just as well and I know Zeb would use me just as white if the situation was reversed. To appreciate a grammy fone one must have faith and Zeb has faith for

One sunday last summer we were sitting on the stoop just out side the kitchen door. A wasp got fastened by his head between the screen and the frame of the screen door and was protesting fiercely. Zeb's hired man lived just across the cabbage patch in the old house that got "too darned damp and cold" for Zeb's roomatism

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A drawerful of interesting letters on | and I raised my hand like the awful city and farm life controversy McEwen and pointed suggestively awaits regular publication, but one across the patch and remarked received this morning, with an Aylmer "Squinkerjink's got a grammy fone." postmark, purporting to come from Zeb was gittin' an ant out of his overhauls and he stopped to listen. After a while the wasp paused for breath original views in the matter as will "Purty good one Zeb" I says. "Well-Yes. It ant bad," says Zeb, "but I don't think its quite as clear as mine." The the wasp started on a new record and eer scrap of your'n about the city Zeb added "Hired men git too darned Then he hollered loud much money. "Squinkerjink!" and when Squinkerjink came to the door he said cranky tin' them down. So you'll have t' ex-cuse the brevity this time an' when I oil that wind mill." When the hired get my thoughts corralled I'll put you man went in for his hat I crushed the n a whole side an' double your sub- wasp. All enjoyment is largely a matter of faith. I cometimes think I'm a dang old fool for wasting mine. I have urty darned good in both places for to listen anyway and if I could only ople who have the spondulix. The get the illusion I could enjoy Zeb's rouble in a scrap like the present is grammyfone as well as Zeb enjoyed o get the classes in the city arrayed the wasp. I wonder if McEwen could

From a Farmer's Daughter.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: As I am a farmer's daughter, and have always lived on the farm (and always intend to) I have been an inerested reader of the letters in The Advertiser recently referring to City vs. County Life in the Winter, and would like to put in a few words. hink some of the letters that have been published last week were true and sensible, but others just stretched the truth a little bit. think C. A. must have written etter in his sleep. I would like to see the farmer that would work a man eighteen hours a day. His letter night refer to pioneer days, but not

Referring to education, I think the city has better conveniences than the country, but when a boy or girl aren't so poor that they can't send their children to school in the city But I notice a boy or girl in the country is through public school sooner than one in the city, and know just as much, too.

As to health, the country sends forth etter results than the city, even if ou do have "good sanitary arrange-If the city affords better ments." health than the country, why is it our roads are infested with automo biles in the summer and livery outfits, and then the poor liveryman has to seek his pay? There is more sickness in the city, and the inhabitant are delicate, whereas out in the country here we get hardened to the ynthia Grey: "What will happed hands?" Some of your high chool principals and teachers, and the najority of our professional men were raised on the good old farm, where everything is fresh and wholesome. I the country our food comes from the manufacturer to the eater, and we know how it is handled.

Now, as to amusements, both city and country offer a number. farmers have one or more musical instruments and the majority have the rural telephone in their what is better than a sleigh-load of young men and women going for jolly ride behind a pair of spirite horses, not old Dobbins, either? Then but we are not all agreed on what there are other numerous amusements, such as coasting or skating, etc. But a good farmer does not need many of these pleasures when he has The London Advertiser and the Farmer's Advocate coming to his home, or some other good farm paper.

In conclusion, I would like to inform H. A. C. it doesn't take the farmers an hour to drive to church. I think some of the city people would be glad if they could drive to church! but they have to take shank's horses. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the space I have taken, I remain, Fanshawe, Jan. 29. M. G. S.

Writes From Baltimore.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: I have been watching with interest Vs. Country satisfied with the thoughts of others the subject, "City Life Life," and am very glad indeed to see buy a farm and Jones was a baptist, the stand taken by so many farmers He found one that just suited him in in the vicinity of London, because the real wealth of our country lies in the products of our farms as, without doubt, the farming industry is to stand for Canada as a greater source of first article in your columns which has wealth than any other industry, and should in every way possible be en-couraged, not only by those directly interested in the farms, but by all vantages of the farm to everyone, other thoughtful and intelligent and since from the farms of Canada we get

loyal citizens. I have tried both, and while I am he appreciates it so I don't tell him | not a farmer at present, and because of entanglements in other business pursuits am not likely to be for some time at least; yet I was "raised" on the farm, and can say unhesitatingly that there is absolutely no comparison be-

tween the two. Let us consider it under the following heads, which lie nearest and dearest to mortal man: 1. Freedom. Health. 4. Wealth. 5. Pleasure. 3. Honor. 6. Social Conditions. 7. Domestic Conveniences.

Freedom-(a) Of thought (b) of action. (a) Of thought, in nearly every other industry, especially where a person is in the employ of someone else and we all are directly or indirectly outside of the farmer. Someone else does the thinking for us regarding the work we are to perform day by day, and (b) we act according to the command or demand of others. The farmer thinks for himself, and acts according-

2. Pleasure.-Most of our pleasure should lie in the work in which we are interested. If it doesn't we put in a Denude that head of its hair and in- dreary life any place. Farming is the stead of a queenly, royal bearing, we most interesting, because it lacks the have a fright. The hair makes all the monotony of every other industry, and difference. To have that glorious abun- because nature is always at work on dance of radiant hair which always the farm. She brings forth some new crowns "a regal head" one should use conditions of interest some place on the farm with every rising sun. If the Herpicide represents the last word farmer wants a day or two off at any in scientific hair culture. It destroys time, he can take his automobile or

> 8. Health.—There is no tonic like pleasing. God Almighty's; i. e., (a) Fresh air (out of doors): (b) Good pure food in abundance. The farmer has these continuously, and next to these contributing to health, he has the healthlest kind

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about as comfortable as the rooms l

have rented in the city of London for

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the past five or six years, and when I

Above all other things the farmer i

he finds, even in his idle hours, some-

or do, and is quite able to amuse him-

self in some very profitable way with-

out the aid of someone else as is re-

The greatness and goodness and use-

thoughts he is thinking, and the boy

who has not something real to think

about and do is sure to be thinking of

mischief, as is the case in the city only

too often, and the mind of the man is

only developed to a very high state in the degree in which he thinks for him-

self, and too often we in the city are

almost entirely to guide our acts and

There is no question that if I had

space and time I could enlarge on this

vince the pessimistic author of that

led to so much comment, and I sincere-

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Masons. About 176 couples were in at-

to the fullest extent.

hour was spent there.

tendance, and all enjoyed themselves

The dancing was held in the city

hall, which was prettily decorated. The

C. P. R. firemen had granted the use

of their decorations for the occasion.

and in addition the chapters had

placed Royal Arch designs in the most

suitable locations. The effect was most

In the Masonic Temple the lunch

was served. This room was made an

extremely cosy affair, and a delightful

Prior to the dance a short pro-

gramme was given in the temple. Ex.

Comp. W. R. Bishop, chairman of the

joint committee, presided, and briefly

welcomed the visitors. He congratulat

ed the committee on the most success.

ful result of their efforts, and ex-

pressed the hope that all would thor-

oughly enjoy themselves. A pleasing

musical programme was introduced

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wood, Earl F. Hetherington, Ed C. Domestic Conveniences.-Nearly Codling, and Walter A. McCutcheon. every house is heated by either hot air gave a number of selections in excelor steam in the country nowadays, and lent voice. This is one of the best the percentage of these is growing musical organizations heard here in & long time, and they delighted the audience greatly. Miss Verna Boss recited in a manner that won her unstinted praise from the audience. Mr. Oleson gave a much appreciated clarinet solo. The grand march to the city hall followed, and the dance

The committee in charge looked after the comfort of all the guests, and one had reason to complain of inat-

The Committee.

The committee in charge was comosed of the following, and to them of the affair: St. John's Chapter-Ex. go home I sometimes envy the cattle Comps. W. R. Bishop, chairman; T. G. Davis, Charles Gilbert, A. M. Trick, Oliver Ellwood, A. E. Cooper. the highest type of individual, because ton, J. R. Sampson, John Drysdale, A. E. Carrothers, W. R. Kennedy, A.Carsthing simple and pure to think about well. St. George's Chapter-Ex. Comp. E. W. G. Quantz, J. A. Atcheson. Frank D. Millar (secretary), Morris Percival, J. E. Keayes, Wm. Spittal. quired in play on the street or in the theatre in the city. He learns to be comps. Frank Thompson, George Lo-independent, and can think and act for gan, Edwin Smith, W. A. Odell, Frank Campbell, M. A. Ross Thomas, W. J. himself, and is not dependent on the Smith, London Chapter-Ex. Comp. J. Heath, G. W. Reed, C. R. Reed. others, and it is because of this train-Whit Lancaster, J. E. Keayes, C. C. ing of self-reliance that he usually makes his mark when he enters other Reed, Comps. C. R. Hoare, L. A. Boss. R. Symes, C. W. McGuire, H. T. Bell

Jos H. Langford and T. C. Olson. The dance committee was composed of Comps. Ed Smith (chairman), Morris Percival, George Reed, J. A. Atche

eson and A. M. Trick. MINISTERIAL CAUCUS.

Ottawa, Jan. 29 .- A ministerial caucus has been called for Wednesday, when the sessional programme will be discussed. The Government will shortly move to add Mondays to the list of Government days. The average weight of a human

stituents being as follows: Muscle, 43.5 per cent; fat, 19. per cent; skin, 17.8 per cent; bone, 17.5 per cent, and brain, 2.2 per cent. Dyaks, natives of Borneo, are extremely truthful. So disgraceful, indeed, do the Dyaks consider the de-

eing is about 154 pounds, the con-

ceiving of others by an untruth that such conduct is handed down to posterity by a curious custom J. T. O'NEIL

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