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LOCAL

George Maris is in Wheatley to-

V. J. Armstrong, of Wallaceburg,

was a city visitor yesterday. John McGibbin, of Sarnia, is in the city to-day on business. Mr. Falahee, of Warren, Pav. Co., left for Ottawa this morning.

Rev. Mr. Mowat, of South Buxton, was in the city yesterday Mr. McIsaac, of the Hendrie Co., Hamilton, is in the city to-day on

Chas. Ladds, of the G. T. R., has resumed his duties, after a few weeks' holidays.

The sidewalk at Adelaide street bridge is in very poor repair, and should receive the attention of the Board of Works.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Romence, of St Thomas, are visiting friends in the city. Mr. Romence is a brakeman on the M. C. R.

Mrs. B. Smith, of London, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Thos. Ward, Richmond St., returned to her home to-day.

Miss Della Weese has returned

The customs officials at Windsor have received two letters from the interior of Ontario containing conscience money, for payment of duty on goods smuggled from Detroit. One on goods smuggled from Detroit. One smuggler signed himself "A Friend in Christ"; another who smuggled some sporting goods signed his let-ter "A Loyal Canadian Christian."

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Mr. Innes is in Toronto to-day on

> The county treasurer of Eigin yesterday paid for Mr. Antoine Robert of Montreal \$16,2.0, the price fixed by arbitration for the London & Port Stanley gravel road. The toll gates were removed this afternoon, thus removing the last toll gates in Elgin

PLEASANT SOCIAL

Chatham Tennis And Pleasure Club Hold An Enjoyable Event-The Program

The Chatham Tenn's and Pleasur Club held quite an enjoyable At Home at the residence of W. P. Shil-lington, Wellington street, last evenlington, Wellington street, last even-ing. The various rooms were tastily decorated in red and white for the

After a short time had been spen in a piensant social way the guests repaired to the dining room, where The S. O. E. Band played at the a tasty repast was served, and the Merlin Fair yesterday.

V. J. Armstrong of Wallaceburg.

On the State of the August 1 and tasty repast was served, and the following toast 1 at was presided over by President Shillington.

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Our King,
Our City and Country—Miss Rutledge and Harry Westman.

Song—Mrs. (Dr.) Hicks.

Arts—Miss Hillman.

Song—Mrs. Bogart.
The second part of the evening's program, which was presided over by Dr. Hicks, was as foilows:

National Pastimes—Mrs. W. W. Turner and W. J. Young.

Song—Mr. Dingman.
Our Club—Miss Mounteer and W. P. Shillington,
Song—Miss' Hollinrake.
The Ladies—Messrs. Piggott, Wigmore and Ellison.
Our Host and Hostess—W. W. Turne-

Miss Della Weese has returned home after a three weeks visit in Windsor and Walkerville. She was accompanied by Mrs. John Horne.

Manager F. H. Brisco, of the local Opera House, has received a fine large photo group of the theatre managers of Ontario taken during their recent convention at Ottawa. Mr. Brisco's picture appears to the right of the group.

Principal J. W. Plewes, of the Central school, is in Wallaceburg to-day, where he is acting as judge of the school exhibits at the Wallaceburg Fair. Inspector Robert Park is taking charge of the Model class during Mr. Plewes absence.

The case against Wm. Pallucci, who was charged in the Police Court with using insulting language, was settled this morning by Paulucci paying the costs. Andrew Thomson, the complainant, consented to withdraw the charge.

The customs officials at Windsor

mets favor

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On Pay Day?

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## BIG FIRE IN **THAMESVILLE**

Down On The Eve. Of Opening

Thamesville, Oct. 2. — The East Kent Fair, opened here to-day, met with a serious mishap to-night. Over half of the large horse and cattle sheds on the Exhibition grounds were completely destroyed by fire, causing a loss of over eight hundred dollars to the buildings, and burning four very valuable horses, owned by Mr. Eli Jillings and Mr. Ed. Brien, 67 Ridgetown, who were stabling them in the sheds.

The fire company responded

who were stabling them in the sheds.

The fire company responded promptly, and by tearing down part of the building managed to save the other half. Several cattle, horses, wagons, etc., were removed, after being considerably damaged. The fire, while most unfortunate, might have proved far more serious had it occurred later in the evening, when more stock had been brought in. The buildings are partly covered by insurance in the Mercantile.

This will in no way stop the Exhibition to-morrow, which promises to be one of the most successful in the society's history, as the entries are exceedingly large and the day promises to be fine. Mr. Gamey, from Manitoulin, is billed to speak at the Fair te-morrow, coming here its-night.

LOCAL LEGAL

Song—Miss Hollnrake.

The Ladies—Messrs Piggott, Wigmore and Eilison.

Our Host and Hostess—W. W. Turner and Harry and W. P. Shillington.

During the course of the proceedings the silver cup donated by the President for the ladies' singles tournament, was presented to Mrs. Turner by Mrs. Teskey. Mrs. Turner made an appropriate reply.

The even ng broke up with the singing of Auld Lang Syne.

PLAYED A GOOD GAME

Rex v. Calvin B. Burr.—Judgment of leave to appeal upon a case to be stated by the Junior Judge of the County Court of Kent, before whom and a jury the prisoner was tried for seduction of a girl of 15 of prejudgment of the Judge withdrawing the case from the jury, upon the ground that there was not the corroborative evidence required by Sc. 684 of the criminal code, at the same time refusing a reserved case to the Crown. Order directing a case to be stated on the question case to be stated on the question whether the ruling of the Judge that there was not corroborative evidence was right. J. R. Cartwright, K. C., for the Crown. No one for the accused.

The price of milk will be advanced in Brantord from live cents to six cents per quart on account of the general scarcity. Dealers have been contemplating the move for some

Bulk or separate tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned architect until Friday, October 4th, 1906, for all trades, including brick and stome work, placeting, carpenter work, painting and glazing, galvanized iron work, slate coofing, plumbing and heating and inders required to erect and complete an addition to the Public General Hospital.

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The Fair Buildings Burned Butler Claims He Could Have had Money To Settle Case

THE LOSS QUITE HEAVY CONTRADICTS HEPBURN

Aylmer, Oct. 3.—The Orwell hotel case, out of which came the retirement of W. F. Hepburn, the Liberal candidate in East Elgin, was concluded yesterday afternoon.

Magistrate Hunt convicted Proprietor Butler on the charge of keeping a disorderly house on Aug. 2, but reserved sentence until Tuesday, when argument will be heard as to whether it is a second or a first offence, Butler having previously been convicted on having previously been convicted on

naving previously been convicted on the charge of having the blinds drawn on barroom windows.

When the case was resumed yes-terday morning. E. C. Sanders of St. Thomas appeared for Mr. Butler. But-ler in his evidence, and Mr. Hepburn, both exonerate David Marshall from having anything to do with bulgates.

both exonerate David Marshall from having anything to do with bringing up this charge.

Contradicts Hepburn.

David Butler was recalled and stated that W. F. Hepburn was called Monday contrary to his (Butler's) desire. The evidence given by Hepburn was not true. He (Hepburn) had said he did not know the woman, Mrs. Gilroy. In defendant's house, Hepburn had made him acquainted with the woman Gilroy. Hepburn had asked him to bring three drinks upstairs. The drinks were for Hepburn and the two women.

To the magistrate Butler said he had taken the bottle of whiskey and

CHANCES ARE BRIGHT

Nominations to the Advisory Council of Education have been sent in to Principal J. W. Plewes, of the Central School, of this city, from every city and county in Ontario, with the exception of Toronto.

Mr. Plewes' chances look very bright indeed, and he is certainly described and he is certainly described by the county in Ontario, with the exception of Toronto.

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women.

Hepburn Offered Money. Hepburn Offered Money.
Butler said Hepburn had yesterday sworn that he (Butler) demanded money to settle this thing. That was not true. The fact was Hepburn had proposed to settle the thing. He was the man who brought the case on. He (Butler) had not asked for money.

in question; he had heard of one Mrs. Gilroy, and the reports were not favorable as to her character. Her general reputation was bad. He did not know until after the charge was laid that the woman in this case was the same woman.

woman. The magistrate said this was a remarkable case. He had been anxious to find out who was lying, but had not been very successful, so far as he

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ually reduced. We are giving you plenty of ime to look and see what you Remember the date, Saturday, Oct. 6th.

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THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Supplied to The Planet by Press

Agents.)
At the Brisco Opera House— Real Widow Brown-Oct. 6. John Griffith-Oct. 11.

THE REAL WIDOW BROWN We all have a certain weakness for widows, especially when they are as captivating as "The Real Widow widows, especially when they are as captivating as "The Real Widow Brown," which visits the Brisco Opera House on Saturday of this week, chaperoned by the able manager, A. Q. Scammon. This amusing play is the latest bid for popular attraction from the American public, and there is no doubt that its great Berlin and London success will be duplicated here. It is a farce comedy of the most amusing type, replete with proposed to settle the thing. He was the man who brought the case on. He (Butler) had not asked for money from anybody. Hepburn, after witness had got into trouble, had offered to pay money to have the matter settled.

To Mr. Cameron, Eutler said he had never said to Hepburn that he could get \$1.000 from the Conservatives, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Boughner, or any person else. The statement was false, absolutely unfounded.

Butler was questioned as to what was said in reference to Hepburn staying with the other woman after he came back that morning. Butler said Hepburn told him about it, and what he wrote os the paper shown yester day in that regard was based on what Hepburn said. Butler denied what Hepburn said. Butler denied what Hepburn said in reference to the interviews with Boughner, Hepburn talked to Boughner on the night mentioned, and witness did not hear what was said.

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trapped and finished with touches of velvet and small buttons. \$12.00

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COLD ENOUGH FOR AN OVERCOAT

Samuel I. Slade—Basso, of Detroit, has resumed his class here and will be pleased to receive pupils for vocal training, every Monday at his studio, McCail Block, Mr. Slade will come to Chatham every Monday during the winter months had entered into a proposition to obtain money from Hepburn or anyone else winter in Shampooing, will be done at customers' homes. Ladies wishing to secure services, please address Miss Eva Brown, Chatham Post Office; or apply at Mrs. Lawrence's residence, William St.

TENDERS WANTED

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Mahlon Boughner, recalled, said Hepburn and Butter called to see him the Hepburn wanted him to keep the matter of his staying at Butter's house will mark it on the label of every Cough Cure containing Opium, Chloroform, or any other stupifying or poisonous drug. But it passes Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure as made for 20 years, entirely free. Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure is absolutely safe even for the youngest babe—and it cures, it does not simply suppress. Get a safe and reliable Cough Cure, by simply insisting on having 'Dr. Shoop's. Let the law be your protection. We cheerfully recommend and sell it.

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Gilroy, and the reports were not favor. kind that we have ready for you to put on. These long coats, raincoats if you like, were made to remove such prejudice. They have removed many, give them a chance at yours. Our prices

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