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## DOINGS IN THE CITY OF ST. THOMAS

## STIRRING SERMON TRINITY CHURCH

Williams Preaches to Crowded Congregations at All Services

By Our Own Reporter. ST. THOMAS, Sept 1.-His Lordship ishop Williams, of London, preached to a large congregation in Trinity Church this morning. In the afternoon he addressed an overflowing attendance in the tentiary. old English Church. The services were unusually interesting and the words of the bishop were listened to and enjoyed by a number from the other denomina-

"This is the first and great commandment" was the theme on which his earlier course was founded. He spoke of the love of God being the distinguishing characteristic of the Christian. Where the love of God existed there was love of fellow man. God has given us three means of grace to help us to learn to love Him, the Bible, prayer an Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. These who wish to obey His commandments and "Brue Him should make diligent use of his

the means of grace provided for them. The later sermon, as well as the service at Labor Day prices." in the old worshipping place of so many of St. Thomas' elderly citizens, came to a number of the bishop's hearers with not a little sadness as the ancient landmark the old people brought back varied rem- lish and continental markets. iniscences. The pulpit, the pews, and even the windows carry their memories over years and perhaps to happier days.

His lordship based his sermon on Revelations xxi., 7: "He that overcometh shall inherit all things." He divided mankind into two classes, those who overcome and those who are defeated. We or be vanquished in the lifelong strug-

The deliverance was an earnest, powerful and practical one. Mr. J. H. Jones and his excellently trained choir provided a delightful and inspiring musical service.

### MOURN HIS LOSS

Away in Hospital

By Our Own Reporter. ST. THOMAS, Sept. 1.-Neil McIntyre, the young son of Neil C. McIntyre, of her residence, Ann street. lot 13, concession 10, Yarmouth, died this Mrs. D. K. McKenzie and Miss Mcmorning at the Amassa-Wood Hospital from the results of an operation for ap-

hospital on Friday and was operated on. Saturday. He is survived by his fatner and mother and the following brothers and sisters: Catherine, Gertrude, John and Colin. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to St. Thomas cemetery. Rev. Mr. McVittie, Essex

Centre, formerly of Sparta, will conduct the funeral services. Within the last year there have been four deaths amongst the immediate relatives of Mr. and some weeks ago his brother-in-law this city. His brother, Levi Brown, is

### DIED SUDDENLY

Donald McMillan, Popular Young West minster Man. Passes Away By Our Own Reporter

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 1.-The death Donald McMillan, son of James McMillan, of concession 8, Westminster, took served approval from the management place to-day under very sad circumstances. He complained on Wednesday of being in and later typhoid fever de veloped and paralysis followed.

He was in his 20th year and was deputy manager of the Sovereign Bank at Harrietsville. His mother died very suddenly last June at the residence of Mr. Cole in this city. He is survived by his father, one

Mrs. Willis, Belmont, and Misses Catharine and Irene, at home. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon to St. Thomas cemetery

READY FOR ST. KITTS

Keen Contest May Be Expected at Pina-

fore Park By Our Own Reporter.

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 1 .- The St. Catharines Lacrosse Club arrived in the city to-night and is staying at the Columbia. The team is a likely looking and robust

bunch of young players. The members do not practically constitute the seniors, but rather the pick of the lacrossists of that city. They assure themselves that the local club will put up a sort of a scramble, but their chance of outdoing the visitors is not possible. The locals are in perfect trim for a warm and fast contest, and the public may expect one of the fastest and most exciting games of this or any other season. The fun starts at 1.30, and the anticipations are that the stands and green will be crowded.

GARDENER LOST; HOUNDS ON HUNT UTICA, N. Y., August 31.-Wm. Ham-York, 40 years old, gardener for Timothy L. Woodruff at Camp Killcare, in the Adirondacks, mysteriously disappeared Thursday afternoon. posse falling to find him, bloodhounds

SUDDENLY STRICKEN WHILE AT

PORT STANLEY ON SUNDAY

of Oldest Residents-Highly

Esteemed

an acute attack of stomach trouble. She

local dealer in sporting goods, and was

in her sixty-ninth year.

## Mike Heenan's Big Hit | FORESTERS HEAR As Artful Auctioneer

Michigan Central Detective Successful In Role of Innocent Disposer of

By Our Own Reporter. ST. THOMAS, Sept. 1. - Detective Heenan started a bargain counter at his office in the M. C. R. last night. The goods he shoved off on the boys were bag of silver spoons, forks and toothpicks, which were stolen from the M. C. R. cars by some Italians last March at Welland, and for which the thieves

tentiary.

The company had to pay the loss. stuff originally belonged to the Onieda community, Niagara Falls, and was shipped to outside customers. "Mike" burnished up the metal, in looking glass style and inveigled the unsophisticated ladies of Victoria Circle were also present railwayman into making rapid purchases. "I am losing money on the deal," said the embryo shop-keeper, "but we all belong to the same lodge," pleaded yer own price." And they took it at

"I was offered \$14.50 for it down town, but," said Michael, "I hate to see it go out of the family." "Be around next week," he advised serve Him should make diligent use of his customers, "as I have a load of scrap iron to auction off and you can have it

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Mr. E. G. Cooper, of Anderson & Co., of much that was dear and reverent to has returned from his trip to the Eng-Mr. W. Rogers, Glencoe, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Rogers, Centre street, has returned home. Mr. Robert McCally, William street

left for Toronto last evening. Mr. Ben Merlatt, Queen street, has purchased the Hillside property, in rear all, he said, are fighting and there was no of the Franklin House, Port Stanley, on other alternative that we must be victors which he will erect several summer resi-

Miss Evelyn Bell, Windsor, is the guest of Miss Counne Drake, Rosebery street Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cooke have returned from their vacation trip. At the close of the services in the old English church this afternoon, Bishop

Williams left for Delhi, where he will administer the sacrament of confirma-Neil McIntyre, of Yarmouth, Passes tion to several candidates in the church there, and will preach this evening, Mrs. Mann returns from Port Stanley on Tuesday and will meet her pupils at

Adam. William street, have returned from Muskoka.

Mr. Harold Key, organist of the First He was in his ninth year and took ill Methodist Church, who has been sumon Tuesday last. He was brought to the mering in England, arrived home on Mrs. Pollock and Mrs. McDonald De

> troit, are guests of Mrs. Orchard, William street. Dr. McKay, New York, is visiting his nother, Mrs. McKay, Centre street.

Dr. Locke, Grand Rapids, is spending a few holidays with his mother, Mrs. Locke, William street. Stephen Brown, of Raleigh Township, McIntyre. Some months ago his brother who was recently fatally injured by being robbed on Saturday night about 9.30

and now his son. He and his wife have head sawyer of the P. M. shops, and trance was made, as the doors were unthe sympathy of a wide circle of friends. W. A. Brown, St. Charles street, is a locked, but being in the midst of a Mr. J. H. Jones, of the Conservatory of Music, and Mrs. Jones, who have been

nolidaying, have returned home. Miss Ethel Jones, who has so satisfactorily presided at the organ of the First Methodist and Knox Churches during the absence of their respective leaders, has been the recipient of a well-de-

of these churches. Miss Tafel, kindergarten teacher, has returned from Philadelphia and will resume her classes in a few days.

Mr. Claude Sanagan, news editor of The Journal, has been called to Toronto owing to the serious illness of his brother E. C. Williams, of P. R. Williams & Son, is in Toronto, attending the Can brother, John, and Mrs. Dr. McLaughlin, adian Embalmers' convention.

Miss Furlong, St. Thomas, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gilhula for the past couple of weeks, returned home last evening. Bulding permits to the amount of

were issued by Commissioner Freek during the past month. Mr. Alex. McLenan. Ottawa, who ha been the guest of Mr. Alfred Pulver. Orchard Beach, Port Stanley, returned home yesterday

Mrs. John McIntyre is visiting in Wood stock. Constable Fairbrother has returned from

Detroit. Miss Constance HcDonald, Dawson City, is visiting her uncle, Mr. M. G.

Hay. Mr. J. A. Kilpatrick, of the Canadian Iron and Foundry Company, is suffering from a slight attack of typhoid fever Miss Aggie Grace, of Grimsby, is visit-Mrs. E. N. Compton, Redan street. A silo of cypress wood, 16x30 feet, the first of its kind in Canada, has been erected for W. G. Sanders, Yarmouth. by J. M. Green & Sons, contractors and

Mr. Gordon Medland and Gilbert C. Tassie, formerly of the Dominion Bank, are spending their holidays in the city. Mrs. J. R. Martin, Miss Rosy Martin and Miss Edna Campbell have returned from a trip to the Pacific coast. W. Reid and Miss Jeffrey, Hamilton, are guests of their uncle, Mr. John Gra-

ham, Vokes street. Port Stanley and up till noon yesterday | Church, in the work of which she took **DEATH OF MRS. GURD** had been enjoying good health. The sickness which proved fatal was brought

minutes she expired. Her son, Mr. Walter Gurd, on receiv ing the news at once proceeded to Port Comes to London in 1849 and Was One Stanley to make arrangements for the removal of the remains to this city on the early train this morning.

on by a sudden attack and within a few

Mrs. Gurd was a daughter of the late Mrs. Wm. Gurd, of this city, died very James Saunders, of the Experimental suddenly at Port Stanley yesterday from Farm at Ottawa, and was one of the oldest residents of London, having setwas the wife of Mr. Wm. Gurd, the tled here in 1849, coming direct from her former home at Crediton, near Exeter, in Devonshire, England. She was a life-She had been spending the summer at long member of the First Methodist

## **EXCELLENT ADDRESS**

Rural Dean Graham Preaches to Brethren in St. John's

Church

By Our Own Reporter. ST. THOMAS, Sept. 1.-The Ancient Order of Foresters attended St. John's Church this evening and heard an inspiring and excellent sermon from the pastor, Rural Dean Graham. The members of Court Elgin and Pride of the

West were largely represented, and the

in goodly numbers. His sermon was suggestive of the stability and substantial constituents of the the innocent Mike. "Ye can have it at individual good deeds of its members, of purchase their tobacco, according to the the many blessings, both fraternal and material, that come to the widows and up rather than defend a law action, but isters of the city object to the practice, little ones when they are most in need of it. The history, as told by the preacher, of its inception and wonderful growth show that it is the most ancient of all tributed to pay his legal expenses and societies of its kind, and stands to-day

one of the most progressive. The local courts have a big and influential membership, and since their institution they have done much towards uplifting humanity and leaving many an example of their precepts and good work

n the community. The procession of the brethren, which proceeded from their hall to the church, headed by the 25th Regiment band, was an extensive and imposing one.

#### LAID AT REST

Thomas Cemetery

By Our Own Reporter ST. THOMAS, Sept. 1.—The funeral cortege of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Hilis, who passed away at Aylmer on Friday morning, arrived in the city this afternoon. It was accompanied by many friends of the deceased lady. A number from the city met the remains and atended the services at the cemetery. Rural Dean F. A. Farney, of Aylmer, officiated.

The bearers were: David Marshall, M.

E. Hillis, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. dogs are probably poisoned. Dewar, London; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, Walkerville; Mrs. D. Hicks, Pontiac, and Mr. John Dewar, Creelmore.

### ROBBED HER HOUSE

Thieves Secure Money and Watch at Mrs. Pierce's Residence

By Our Own Reporter. ST. THOMAS, Sept. 1.-The dwelling of Mrs. Maggie Pierce, 71 Karns street, was died in Washington State; later a nephew kicked by a horse, was well known in o'clock, \$23 and a gold watch being taken. The family were down town. Easy enthickly-populated neighborhood and the hour being an early one, it was not thought by Mrs. Pierce that a visitor of the kind would make a raid on the resi

The robber knew of the sum being in her possession and must be a local character. The police searched the Wabash, M. C. R. and Pere Marguette yards, but found no trace of any interloper being

### WAS SATISFACTORY

Trial Trip of New Traction Equipm Proves Successful

By Our Own Reporter. ST. THOMAS, Sept. 1.-A trial trip was made by the Southwestern Traction Company between St. Thomas and London, and everything worked smoothly and satisfactorily. The regular hourly service between the two cities will again be in operation to-morrow (Monday) and following days.

The alteration in the equipment of the road and getting the cars in readiness in so short a time since the recent fire are worthy of not a little commendation. The public at this end of the line-have very much missed the service.

## LITTLE CHILD DIES

Infant Son of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Fitch Succumbs

By Our Own Reporter infant ST. THOMAS. Sept. 1 .- The son of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Fitch died to-day at their home, 215 Centre street, aged one year and twelve days, from an attack of cholera infantum. The interment will take place to St. Thomas cemetery and the funeral will be held at 4 o'clock on Monday after-

### THIRTY AUTOS DESTROYED.

Associated Press Despatch. CHICAGO, Sept. 1 .- Thirty auton vesterday were destroyed in a fire in Croft Bros.' garage on Evanston avenue, following an explosion of gasoline in a tank on one of the machines. The automobiles and garage were valued at \$100,000. Covered by insurance.

an active interest. Two sisters and one brother survive. They are Mrs. Wm. Skinner and Mrs. Burgess, of this city, and Mr. William Saunders, superintendent of the Experimental Farm at Ottawa.

Besides her husband, Mr. Wm. Gurd. he following children are left to mourn her death: Walter H. Gurd, Florence and Emma, all of the city. The funeral will take place to-morrow and will be of a private nature.

The Average Man.

You can't convince the average me

that he isn't a little above the average

## ACTION DISMISSED BRANTFORD PLANS WITH HEAVY COSTS

Bank Settled by Judge McHugh

From Our Own Correspondent. WINDSOR, August 31.—Judge McHugh has handed down his decision in the important action brought by the Traders' suit was dismissed with costs.

The action was brought by the bank as at Agricultural Park. Representatives in by the defendant. He and a number of Guelph, these two places having joined farmers took stock in the old Consumers' with Brantford in helding a demenstra-Tobacco Company and gave their notes tion every year in one of them: for payment. The company was to buy their tobacco at a certain stipulated on Monday from \$6.75 to \$7.25 per ton. price, this being provided for in agreements, but the company was amalga-mated with the McAlpine Tobacco Com-ficulty in filling them. A temporary suppany in Toronto, and after the Mc-Alpines acquired full control they repudi-

ated the agreements with the farmers. The notes had been discounted by the Traders' Bank, but the farmers kicked order, of the work of benevolence and the about settling after the company did not agreements. Some of the farmers paid White signified his willingness to dispute the claim. About 80 farmers, who were also in the position of White, contory for the defendant, who declares court in the country if an appeal is

Remains of Mrs. E. Hillis Interred in St. Form Association to Mete Out Swift Justice to Guilty

Party

From Our Own Correspondent CHATHAM, August 31.—The dog fanciers of the city have banded themselves together to conduct a systematic campaign with the idea of finding out who the person is who is doing all the dog poisoning in Chatham. For several days chibald Poustie, J. M. Wrong and Ed- been dropping off and no clue can be ward Scott. Many beautiful floral tri- found as to who is responsible. The dog anciers feel that it is better to spend Among the relatives present were the money now, to find out who the per-Miss Hillis, Mrs. McNarie, Aylmer; Mr. son is, rather than wait until their own

A subscription list is being prepared and those who have it in hand are meetthe culprit is severely punished.

Too Much Speeding Mayor Stone has issued an edict, instructing the police to keep a strict watch for automobiles which are traveling at a faster rate than that stipulated in the law. It is felt by the mayor that there has been alogether too much speeding in the city, and he is going to have it stopped, if it is possible to do

so. Human life is being continually endangered and the citizens generally are beginning to protest. Enthusiastic

Messrs. P. H. Bowyer, M.P.P., and H. S. Clements, M.P., held a meeting of the electors of the rural districts in the vicinity of Bridge End in Harwich township last evening, at which there was a very large attendance. The meeting was called in order that the two parliamentarians could have the opportunity o giving accounts of their stewardship since hey were elected to their respective seats. The meeting was a most successful one and the applause of the evening and the resolutions passed showed that the people at the meeting thoroughly commended the actions of the two men, and the course they have taken since elected.

## PRETTY WEDDING

Miss Elizabeth Longfoot Becomes Bride of Mr. T. S. Baird

From Our Own Correspondent STRATFORD, August 31.-The home of Mr. and Mrs. James K. Longfoot, William street, was the scene of a pretty wedding this afternoon, when their daughter, Lizzie, became the bride of The Mises Taylor returned to Beach-Mr. T. S. Baird, Oelwein, Iowa, son of ville yesterday after spending two weeks Mr. and Mrs. J. Baird, McKenzie street, at Lake View House, this city. Rev. J. P. Gunne was the officiating clergyman, and the young ed home to London yesterday after spendbeing given away by her father, Mr. J. Erie Rest.

R. Longfoot. A beautiful array of handsome costly gifts testified to the popularity of the bridal couple. Among the presents were a magnificent cut glass berry bowl and water jug from the Congregational Church choir, in which Mrs. Baird was the highly esteemed and capable soloist. Mr. and Mrs. Baird left on the 4.30 express for Chicago and western cities. and after a trip of two weeks will reside in Oelwein, Iowa.

### MAKE GOOD PROGRESS

Annual Meeting Kent Farmers' Product Company Held at Blenhelm From Our Own Correspondent.

BLENHEIM, August 31.—The fourth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Kent Farmers' Produce Company, Limted, was held here this afternoon in the township. President Jas. Clendenning was in the chair and a large number of shareholders were present. The auditors' report showed a profit of

\$146.30 for the year, after a payment of \$2,000 having been made on the mortgage indebtedness. The subscribed stock has all been paid but \$400. The auditors' report was adopted. The directors were elected for the ensuing year as follows: James Clendenning, president; Ed. Brien, J. B. Snobelen, J.

## The price of coal will be advanced here Two vacancies exist on the local Colply has been secured in one instance in

Arranged for Labor

From Our Own Correspondent.

the person of Miss Odell, of Belmont, who will take charge of the junior work. The Dufferin Rifles band has inaugurated the practice of sacred band concerts at Jubilee Terrace Sunday nights at 8.30. Large crowds have attended. The minchiefly because they claim it affects church attendances. A formal protest will be lodged in the matter.

The expected developments in protest payment. The decision is a vic- tion with the electrocution of William Noble have not materialized. The corohe will defend the case in the highest ner's inquiry brought out nothing that could be regarded as neglect on the part of the company in whose employ the deceased was at the time of the fatality. No one was to blame. The members of the Heather Bowling

Club are holding a big tournament on Mr. Dalton Davis, of the Bank of Commerce, who has been accountant here for some time, has been transferred to Hali-

Charles Steekles, of Scotland, Ont., is inder arrest here on a charge of burglarizing the house of Mr. Shellard, Eric avenue, and stealing goods amounting in all to \$55. He will be tried next week.

## HEEPLESS CROWDS

P., Mayor E. Kilmer, William Caron, Ar- dogs in the vicinity of Queen street have Amherstburg Colored Boy Sank Before Hundreds of Spectators

> AMHERSTBURG, August 31.—Erastus ing with great success. It is the in-Clingman, a colored youth of about 18 tention to spare neither time, money nor years, was drowned last night at the labor in locating the individual, no mat- lower slip dock. He was in swimming ter who he may be. The men at the with some other boys around one of the head of the movement will not rest until dump scows of the dredge Old Glory. There is a stiff current at this point and Clingman found himself unable to reach the scow. Some persons on the dock told him to swim to the scow, while others told him to swim around the edge to the shore, but the poor fellow became exhausted and sank from view, although he

might easily have been saved. Grappling for the body was kept up until late last night and resumed this morning, but without success. The body probably lies under the dredge, which will be moved to facilitate the work of the This is the first drowning which has

#### avoided. PORT STANLEY

occurred on the river in this vicinity this

summer, and one that might have been

From Our Own Correspondent PORT STANLEY, August 31.-D. S. Loughlin, Hazelbone Cottage, and John Jenkins, of Willow Cottage, Erie Rest, removed their families to London to-

day.
Miss Vera Chalmers, of Owen Sound, who has been visiting Mrs. J. Hardie, at Michigan Cottage, Erie Rest, returned home to-day. F. J. Fowler and family, who have the peen rooming with Mr. C. W. Wells, Mr. Stuart, as he had not solicited the Maple Grove Cottage, returned to Lon-

don to-day. "This Is It Camp," located on Erie Bank Camp Field all summer, pulled up stakes to-day and the members are scattering far and wide-Vancouver, Chicago, Toronto and London. Miss Rietta Downie returned home last night, after a two weeks' visit to Pe-

trolea and vicinity. Mr. S. D. Manning and family returncouple were both unattended, the bride ing the summer at Columbia Cottage,

Mr. Ben Alexander, of Listowel, left for home to-day, after spending all summer in "This Is It Camp." Miss Marion Price returned home today, after paying a two weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. McCracken, Broughdale,

Mrs. Eggleston, of St. Thomas, is visiting her son, Mr. L. Eggleston, drug-Mrfl. Bryce Sainsbury, head of the Sainsbury & Co. clothing manufacturers, London, is visiting Mr. Darch, Orchard Mr. Chas. Howey, of London, is visit-

### FLECT OFFICERS

Meeting of Windsor, Essex & Gale Shore Railway Held

From Our Own Correspondent. WINDSOR, Sept. 1 .- The Windsor. Essex & Lake Shore Railway elected the following officers: President, John Piggott; first vice-president, Charles Magee, Toronto; second vice-president, W. McKeough, Chatham; secretary, W. T. Crawford, Tilbury; directors, Elliott G. Stevenson, Toronto; W. R. Phillimore, Chatham; P. Heseltine, Detroit, and Matthew Wilson, K. C., Chatham; manager, W. N. Warburton.

The company intend running a car this A. Cameron, Neil C. Sinclair, Treasurer week between Kingsville and Essex, T. H. Nichol, Angus McMillan, John Mc-using their own electric power, for test-Dougall, Donald McColl. Mr. W. E. Hall ing purposes. It is expected the line was elected auditor.

## SERIOUS ACCIDENT BIG CELEBRATION NARROWLY AVERTED

Long Pending Suit Brought by Elaborate Programme of Sports Heavy Roof Was Forcing Wall Stratford Thoroughfares Render-Until It Nearly Col-

lapsed

From Our Own Correspondent. BRANTFORD, Sept. 1-Brantford will FLESHERTON, August 31 .- A threatduly celebrate Labor Day on Monday. Bank against a farmer named White. The Elaborate arrangements have been made much expense and probably caused loss for a big parade and suitable attractions of life, was, by being noticed in nick of a test case to collect a note for \$200 given large numbers will be here from Gait and time and prompt action of mechanics, fortunately averted here yesterday.

The mansard roof on the east side of the large three-story Richardson block, built twenty years ago, had given way, pushing outward to the street the top of the brick wall, which had gone out of plumb over twelve inches when discov-

"The cause is attributed to insufficient the hand of Architect Large and Contractor Wright the roof is being raised to its proper position, and the brick wall, which was feared would have to be rebuilt, is being successfully sprung back

A bush fire on the farm of Mr. Jacob Thompson, two miles from this place, consumed about twenty cords of fine, dry wood and about thirty rods of fence. Drouth continues here, and it is with much difficulty bush fires are kept under

## Struck in Abdomen

Kingsville Man May Be Fatally Injured duties here. Three arrests have alas Result of Accident in Flour Mill

From Our Own Correspondent met with serious accident in the streets. flour mill this morning while putting on a belt. He was using two sticks on a belt. He was using two sticks to replace the belt and one of them to replace the belt and one of them. The milk returns for this year have been slipped and became entangled in the spokes of the pulley. One of the pieces struck Mr. Vizan a terriffe blow in the abdomen. Mr. Vizan are spending a few days in Toronto. was removed to his home and Dr. Lee,

### who made an examination, fears the injuries may prove fatal. BIG ELEVATOR

Work Being Rushed on Grain Storage for Harriston to assume his duties

WALKERVILLE, August 31.-Work is proceeding rapidly on the new fireproof grain storage building being built near the ferry dock for the Walkers. The structure will be of tile, steel and cement, and will hold 150,000 bushels. It is being built on the same system as the mammoth elevator at Fort William, which is owned by the Canadian Northern and is the largest in the world. out of town. The weather being very The contractors are the Barnett-McQueen Co., of Fort William, who control the patents on this style of building. The grain will be stored in circular tanks, of which there will be twenty, and twelve interspaces, making 32 huge bins in all. aunt in Buffalo. The building will be completed about October 10. It is expected the Walkers days, visiting friends in Ailsa Craig. will then erect a new malt house, on the drum system, adjoining the eleva-

#### tor. GOES TO QUEEN'S J. Stuart, Public School Inspector Strat-

ford, Leaves Shortly From Our Own Correspondent. STRATFORD, August 31 .- Mr. J. Russell Stuart, public school inspector of this city, received word to-day of his appointment to the chair of lecture in the public school management and methods in the pedagogical department of Queen's University, Kingston. appointment includes the supervising principalship of Victoria street school, which is the practice school of the university students. The initial salary is

\$1,500. The appointment came as a surprise to position.

HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE From Our Own Correspondent. WINDSOR, Sept. 1.-The abduction of girl under sixteen years of age for immoral purposes is alleged against Isaac

## SPRINKLE STREETS

ed Less Dusty by Latest Scheme

From Our Own Correspondent. STRATFORD, August 31 .- The street watering problem here has been solved. Since the water commissioners forbade the the use of city water for anything save drinking purposes until the supply is in-creased, the dust on the pavements has been flying high and wide. To-day, however, the hearts of the down-town merchants were made glad when the fire

engine was requisitioned and river water pumped into the tank. At a joint meeting of Tecumseh and Stratford Lodges, A., F. and A. M., D. D. G. M. Col. White, of St. Marys, was installed into the duties of his office. collar tie to give strength to support the St. James' Lodge, No. 73, St. Marys, also heavy roof above the mansard. Under paid a fraternal visit and exemplified the econd degree.

## NEED RAIN BADLY

heesemen in St. Mary's District Say

Milk Returns Very Small From Our Own Correspondent. ST. MARY'S, August 31. - J. Walton Peart has left for Chicago with his niece, who has been visiting here. Fred Whiles, who has been spending the last few weeks here at his home, has returned to the West. He reports the West as, being the only country for

young people.
Miss Annie L. Hudson, who has been While Replacing Belt spending her vacation at her parents, returns Monday to resume her duties as teacher for the Acton school. Chief Constable Young is active in his

ready been made the last day or two, one offender being an Indian, on whose person was found a bottle of whiskey, the others being two Englishmen, wh KINGSVILLE, Sept. 1.—Mr. J. C. Vi- are accused of disorderly conduct on the The cheesemen in this vicinity report that unless there is rain very, so

> smaller than they have been for some four or five years. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Butcher and son Dan Baird, son of A. Baird, has started up a box factory in the stand of the old Johnson & Company planing mill. Mr. R. C. Smith, for a long time gro cer here, has closed his doors for

> C. J. Johannes, V. S., has left town Packing Company.

## LUCAN

From Our Own Correspondent. LUCAN, August 31.-A union Sunday school picnic was held yesterday on the banks of the Sauble River, about a mile favorable, a large number attended, and

the afternoon passed pleasantly games and other amusements. Mr. Jas. Park is in Toronto this week. Miss Margaret Martyn is visiting her Miss Kathleen Fox is spending a few

Miss Annie Guilfoyle has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Monkton

Miss Stanley, of Granton, is the guest of Mrs. D. O'Neil.

FIVE GENERATIONS IN PICTURE. From Our Own Correspondent. BRUSSELS, Aug. 31.-One day this week a photo group was taken in which the unusual occurrence of having five generations was the feature. James Broadfoot, of Antagonish, Nova Scotia, his daughter, Mrs. Armour, and her little girl were visiting here, so they took advantage of the occasion. Mr. Broadfoot's father and grandfather McNaughton were drafted into the company, completing the five generations. Mr. McNaughton is over 90 years of age, and young Miss Armour about two. These are rare occasions in family history, and therefore the more

noteworthy.

GLANWORTH. From Our Own Correspondent.
GLANWORTH, August 31.—Neal, son of Elder N. C. McIntyre, of Glenlyon, Yarmouth township, has been taken to the Amasa Wood Hospital, where he is to be submitted to an operation for appendicitis by Drs. A. A. McIntyre, of Belmont, and Campbell, of St. Thomas.

D. Ferguson, of Ferguson Bros., Yar-Washington, a negro track follower, who was arrested on suspicion in Detroit several days ago, following the disappearance from home last Sunday of Hazel Bayless, a mulatto girl, aged fifteen, daughter of John Bayliss, 16 Assumption street.

Belmont, and Campbell, or St. Thomas. D. Ferguson and Campbell, or St. Thomas. D. Ferguson and D. Ferguson and D. Campbell, of the 10th con., accompanied the consignment.

Miss Nichol, of Brantford, is being entertained at the home of her brother, Dr. Nichol.

## Woods' FAIR

## School Books!

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