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The eye of a critic is often like a microscope, made so very fine and nice that it discovers the atoms, grains and minutest articles, without ever comprehending the whole, comparing the parts, or seeing all at once the harmony.

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Why do the council not take some definite action re the nuisance of tying horses along our now over-crowded thoroughfare—King street. Let this dangerous, unsightly and troublesome village practice be stoped.

It is pleasing to note that all householders are doing their duty beautifying the grounds in front of their abodes, thereby rendering a very appreciable service to the city, and it is its interest to the city, and it is its interest to the city, and it is its interest to the city are formed their weakness. When these conditions are cured, backache, headache, dizziness, etc. are also cured. abodes, thereby rendering a very ap-preciable service to the city, and it is time that the city performed their part removing the dirt and accumuations of the winter from the alleys in the rear.

A little change that might very easily be made, and which would be of very material benefit to a large number of citizens, is the keeping of the lobby of the post office open until ten p. m., for the benefit of box holders. There does not appear to be any valid reason why this could not be arranged, and it is to be hoped that the P. O. Department will have their attention directed to it.

To the casual observer no more pro-digal use of public money could have been made than that which was spent erecting an expensive flag pole at the point on the property where stands Harrison Hall. The pole on the build-ing that has been there since the edifice was erected, shoots up several feet above the new flag pole tower and what the object of disgracing the building by an enormous ungainly iron frame to support a pole for a flag, could be, is troubling many peo-What is it for? A flag flying ole. What is it for? A flag flying from the pole on the building, now, uld be much more conspicuous.

WALLACEBURG May 8.-Mr. R. Little has resigned his position at the fire hall. Mr, Geo. Pierce has accepted the position, which he has formerly filled.

"The Palms", the new parochial residence, was blessed and opened Tuesday morning, May 6th, by the Rt. Rev.

F. P. McEvay, Bishop of the Diocese of London. A number of clergy were nt from different places occasion. An excellent dinner served at one o'clock.
A very interesting baseball match

took place yesterday afternoon be-tween Walpole Island and Wallaceburg on Agricultural Park, the score being 8-6 in favor of the Indians. Young Men's Social Club gave

a social evening in the opera house last night. A large number of young people were present and danced to the music of the Italian orchestra which is in town. An enjoyable time was

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Cameron left this week for Loraine, where they will reside in future.

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### THAMESVILLE

May. 6.-Mrs. C. L. Verrinder is in Chatham to-day.

Mr. Dodgson, of Toronto, is in town

to-day. Mrs. W. J. Cryderman is visiting

Chatham friends.

During the storm this afternoon

lightning struck the town hall, tak-ing off some of the slate shingles. John Lee, of Highgate, was in town to-day. The many friends of Brelai Ingalls.

of Chatham, formerly of this place, will regret to hear that he is very ill and no hope is entertained of his Mrs. Jos. Fleming is visiting friends

town to-day.

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## S. S. NO. 7, CHATHAM TP.

Following is the report of S. S. No. 7, Chatham Township, for April: Sr. IV.—Annie Craven 290, Arthur

Jackson 250. Jr. IV.—Harold Holwell 242, Lyell Arnold 213, Ella Holwell 170, Tom

S. III.—Anna Lanigan 310, George Wilcox 285, Clarence Craven 285, Al-fred Overstreet 197, Lily Taylor 178, Clinton Overstreet 45. Jr. III.—Roy Wilcox 175, Earl Aus-

tin 107.
Class II.—Roderick Jackson 136,
Cecil Jackson 136, Rena Buist 112,
Fred. Taylor 100, Beverley Mills 50.
Pt. II.—Wilfred Craven 104, Mabel
Kersey 82, Melvin Austin 62.
Class I.—May Holwell 93, Mandy
Arnold 65, Wesley Arnold 65, Jennie
Kersey 60, Douglas Mills 50, John
Taylor 33.

MARY E. WILSON,

feminine are liable to sudden dizziness and faintness, and it is only by curing the womanly dis-eases to which they Dr. Pierce's Fa-vorite Prescription

etc., are also cured. etc., are also cured.

"I suffered for twelve years with female trouble," writes Mrs. Milton Grimes, of Adair, Adair Co., Iowa, "which brought on other diseases—heart trouble, Bright's disease, and at times would be nearly paralyzed. Had neuralgia of stomach. I can freely say your medicines (nine bottles in all, five of 'Favorite Prescription,' four of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and two vials of Dr. Pierce's Pellets), have cured me, I can work with comfort now, but before I would be tired all the time and have a dizzy headache, and my nerves would be all unstrungs of I could not sleep. Now I can sleep and do a big day's work, something I had not done for over eleven years before."

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"Pavorite Prescription" makes weak women strong, sick women well. Accept no substitute for the medicine which works wonders for weak women:

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#### DOWN THE RIVER.

J. C. Pullin visited his brother-inlaw, Stephen Bennett, on Sunday. The wardens of St. Thomas church desire to thank all those who assisted in erecting the new fence around the church grounds, and also the ladies who so generously furnished the

John McGarvin has just finished plowing thirty acres of sod, and the

Saturday and reports a very heavy rain in that section. There are quite a number of cases of measles in our neighborhood.

pearance of his farm by erecting new fences. Wm Newkirk is improving the ap-Mr. Fraser is a sure winner as everybody should support the policy he has outlined.

TUPPERVILLE.

Wallaceburg Saturday.

James Dunlop, of Wallaceburg, wa here last week moving buildings for A.

Carns and W. W. Logan. Henry Wilson met with a serious accident on the ferry lately. Shaw was called and put seven stitches in the out he received. Henry at

present is improving.

A rousing Conservative meeting in the interests of John Fraser, the candidate, was held in the Orange Hall Monday night. The speakers were J. S. Fraser, Dr. Mitchell and A. B. Cars-

Frank Bishop, of Wallaceburg, was here last week buying horses.

The Ladies' Aid held their meeting Thursday afternoon at J. S. Baker's.
Wesley McFadden had a bad accident Sunday night. His horse ran
into a wire fence, throwing Wesley
out and injuring his hands badly on the wire fence.

# LUMBAGO

A Nova Scotia Man Has Found a Sure Remedy.

Claims that Lumbago can be Cured— He Himself Had Suffered For 25 Years-Hope for Apparently Hope-

Economy Point, N. S.—(Special.)—
Mr. George S. McLaughlin of this
place claims to have found a remedy
which will cure any case of Lumbago.
Mr. McLachlin himself has been a great sufferer with this disease, and

has sought relief in very many treat-ments and remedies.

At last however he came across a medicine which completely cared him, and which he claims any sufferer from Lumbago should be told of.

He says:"I was troubled with Lame Back for 25 years or more. Sometimes it was so severe I could not turn my-

was so seeks.

"A slight cold or hard lifting would bring on a fearful attack and give me awful pain.

"I had tried many medicines and treatments, but never found anything to do me any good until I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"My brother, who kept a small grocery store and sold some medicines, told me that he had heard that they had cured a great many people of Lumbago, and he advised me to try them.

"I commenced a treatment and in a short time all the pain left my back and it became as stout and

back and it became as stout and strong as ever.

"Wonderful to say I have had no return of the terrible Lumbago since.
"It is now some years since I was cured, and I have said nothing about it, for I was afraid it would come back, and that I would have to keep on using the Pills in order to be well.
"But now I am satisfied it is gone forever, and know that I am safe in making this public statement.
"I believe Dodd's Kidney Pills wi' cure any case of Lumbago or Lame Back, for they helped me out and nobody could have it much worse than I had."

treas.; Mr. Gibbs, assistant superintendant.

G. Smith was leader at the Epworth League Sunday evening.

Mr. S. Stewart, of Detroit, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Forbes this week.

Mr. Maxwell, of Cayuga, is here for a few days.

Mr. Mismer left last Friday for his home at Fort Erie.

The Quarterly Board of the Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon. The church is in a very satisfactory condition. Thirty new members have been added under Rev. J. H. Osterhout's pastorate.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Theatrical

To-morrow night at the Grand we are to have Uncle Tom's Cabin on a large and grander scale than ever before. Al. W. Martin's \$30,000 production direct from New York City has been booked to appear. Mr. Martin's production is certainly the most pretentious that has ever been given Harriet Beecher Stow's immortal work. It cost \$30,000 to put it on the stage, Scenically it has never been equalled. The act numbers sixty people and at the head of this list is the inimitable Wilt G. Barlow, the prince of black face characeter actors and a minstrel man without a peer. The balance of the company has been selected with special care and it is said to be unsurpassed since the days of Newton Gothold, Stockwell and Eve Miller. Many bright specialties enliven the scene, buck and wing dancing and jubilee shouting being a special feature, and the company will make a special street parade every day during the week. Its brass bands, pickaninnies, and golden chariot attract much atten-

At the Grand Opera House on Tuesday, May 13th, Charles Coghlan's great romantic play, "The Royal Box," will be seen for the first time here and theatre-goers may rest as-sured there will be a great treat in store for them. Company comes di-rect from Fifth avenue theatre, New rect from Fifth avenue theatre, New York, where it ran on its first presentation for over 100 nights with Mr. Coghlan in the title role of Clarence. This character will be played by Mr. Ned Howard Fowler, who has won praise for his masterly interpretation of a most difficult role being complimented highly by Mrs. Coghlan, widow, of the famous Mrs. Coghlan, widow of the famous author-actor. Many stirring situation in this great play and the manner in which it has been staged are some of the reasons of its yearly visit. The production is under the direction veteran plowman can do the work of Leroy Pelletier, includes a cast of second to none. Mr. McGarvin in- well known players who have been tends to sow a very large acreage selected for their fitness for the many parts, while the production which will Isidore Labute visited his brother-in-law, Fred. Tetrault, of Tilbury, on Saturday and reports a very heavy care of Mr. Taylor Granville, who is responsible for Mr. Coghlan's first presentation.

> Wondrous Boy Sopranos here with the Westminster Abbey Choir on Thursday evening, May 15th. No human voice is so exquisite in quality as the high clear soprano of an English boy chorister. It is more appealing than even a woman's notes. The boy sopranos who are with the West-minster Abbey Choir Glee and Con-cert Party are recognized as the finest in England. They are six in number and are all splendidly trained and able to sing the best of music.
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> Master Percy Phillips, the leading soloist, was selected to create the part of Paul in the first Albert Hall production of Coleridge-Taylor's new cantata, "The Blind Girl." He sang with such other artists in the cast as Madame Albani and Andrew Black. Speaking of him the London Daily News says:—"Master Phillips has a voice so exactly like a woman's that many of the audience in the upper seats might almost have imagined certain notes were sung by Madame Al-bani herself. The young gentleman sang admirably and with remarkable feeling and intelligence."

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### JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Mrs. Scott arrived here last week to assume the management of J. C. Atkinson's home as house-keeper. On Sunday the Sunday school of-ficers and teachers were elected. Mr. ficers and teachers were elected. Mr.
H. Garbett, superintendent; Miss Jean
Forbes and Miss Clara Smith, organists; Mr. M. Shaw and Miss Farquharson, Bible class teachers; Mrs.
Forbes, Miss Jean Forbes and Miss
Smith, teachers; Stewart Forbes, sectreas.; Mr. Gibbs, assistant superintendant.
G. Smith was leader at the Foworth.

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### HARWICH.

The farmers have their seeding al ione around here, and are now working up their corn and bean ground. James McDougall paid a flying visit to London last week. We are glad to report that Miss Katie Holmes is improving.

DEATH OF U. S. CONSUL.

Buffalo, May 5.—Ossian Bedell died early to-day at his home on Grand Island of paralysis, aged 70 years. He was appointed collector of customs in 1861 by President Lincoln, and has held other political offices in this county. At the time of his death he was United States Consul at Fort Erie, Ont. Erie, Ont.

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DROWNED WHILE BATHING.

Oakville, Ont., May 6.—Dr. Porter, of North Bay, a patient at the Lakehurst sanitarium, was drowned while bathing off the sanitarium here. It is supposed he took cramps and before assistance reached him he sank. Dr. Porter had been accustomed to taking cold water baths daily.

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Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front, by 104 feet. House, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208 House, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208 feet, \$1,000.
Farm in Howard, 32 1-2 acres, house, stable and orchard, \$1,000.
Farm in Chatham Township, 110 acres. All cleared. Good house, barn, stables and sheds, \$5,700.00. Will trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part

payment. Farm in Township of Raleigh, 50 acres. All cleared. Good houses and barn, \$3,750.

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