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-Mr. James Gleed, of South Lon-

LONDON AND DISTRICT

don, has returned from a visit to De--Mr. J. M. Lillow, contractor, will move from Stratford to this city to go into the real estate business. returned from St. Catharines, where he went to attend the funeral of his cousin, the late Mrs. D. D. Potter.

—The London and Western Trusts Company has been appointed administrator of the estate of William I. Miner, late of the township of Enniskillen, -Miss Sara Murdock, of this city,

made a distinct impression as a dramatic reader at St. Thomas, where she appeared under the auspices of the tee, Ald. Greer and Garratt and Assistwentieth Century Club.

ler House on Thursday night. panied his brother, who went for the had a very enjoyable trip.

PIANO RECITAL. Last evening the piano pupils of Miss Lotta Francis, F. L. C. M., gave an extensive and excellent programme at the Conservatory of Music, assisted by vocal pupils of Miss K. Moore. The programme was: March Militaire (2 pianos)....Saint-Saens

Misses Turnbull, Ashplant, Steele and McCrimmon. Rondoletto Miss Beatrice Cline. Miss Muriel Draper. Rider's Tale Miss Ruth Stevely.
Marionettes' Waltz
Miss Elsie Morrow. Mrs. B. C. McCann.

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How Chief Clark Spent His First horses came galloping into their places, the doors of the stalls flying open automatically. The "hitch" was an especially creditable one, and though

to be pleased.

usual handshaking took place, followed faction to the party.
by the inspection. During the latter This concluded the business of the Ald. Greer came across a mat worn deputation and at the invitation of threadbare alongside a cot upstairs, Ald. Matthews, they adjourned to a and he remarked that the mat was a down town cafe, where lunch was pardisgrace to the city. Then Ald. Greer taken of at the expense of the chaircloth cover, well worn and shabby, and there were some good stories told, and ripped the oilcloth off, declaring many comments were made on the that No. 3 committee should put the brigades-but Chief Clark said but very brigades in proper shape, and that at little. He will make no statements

There is a small contraction of £160,-171 too, in discounts and other loans, arising chiefly from a reduction in acceptances. Mr. Cator went carefully over the statement, item by item, not only comparing it with the previous statement, but explaining the why and wherefore of the changes in the most interesting way, as our readers will see in the full report of the proceedings, which we publish on another page. Since Dec. 31, 1902, the bank has open-ed nine branches, and other branches have been improved and brought up to date, all of which has resulted in a considerable access of business. The number of the staff in Canada is now 224, and in London it is 24, all of whom the directors heartily thanked for their zeal, ability and general dis-cretion. What will specially interest Canadian readers are the annual reports of the bank's managers in Canada on commerce and banking, and this part of the chairman's address especially will doubtless be widely read

The 68th yearly general meeting of the Bank of British North America took place in the London offices of the bank on Tuesday, March 8. As the chairman, Mr. J. J. Cator. explained.

the capital remains the same as in the statement presented to shareholders for

the year 1902, or £1,000,000, equal to about \$5,000,000; but the reserve has been increased to £400,000, or \$2,000,000.

by the transfer of £10,000 out of the profits of the year 1903, and this policy will be pursued until the reserve

amounts to £500,000, at least, or half the capital. Deposits and current ac-

counts have increased, comparing 1902 with 1903, by £265,852, while notes in circulation show a decrease of £27,825.

here. The proceedings closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman, directors and staff, showing that all present were satisfied, as they had good reason to be. WOMEN ARE BARRED. Ottawa, March 29. - The papal bull banishing women from Roman Catho-

lic choirs was read in the churches of the Ottawa diocese Sunday and goes into effect on the Sunday following VISITED THE SEVERAL STATIONS

AND SAW DEPARTMENT TURN OUT

don's Fire Department.

they still recognized as being in with rusty tin. The committee will se -Mr. Roy MacLean has returned authority, after which Chief Clark was that this is repaired at once.

ever, as the doors do not work probuilding and equipment. All the while engine arrived in exactly 2 minutes, Mr. Clark said nothing, but appeared to be doing a deal of thinking. The entire party considered the time made but he made no comments on any-

by the inspection. During the latter found a table with an improvised oil-

he said nothing, Chief Clark appeared

Finally a visit was made to No. 2 station in East London. The new chief It is Chief Clark, of the London fire was also introduced here to Foreman brigade, now. Yesterday afternoon Ald. Findlater and his men, and the build-Matthews, chairman of No. 3 commiting and equipment were thoroughly inppeared under the auspices of the wentieth Century Club.

The presentation of medals won by of the department to the three sta
of the Doninion town also given at this station, the time made being very creditable. The inspection of the Court Pride of the Donzinion team in the A. O. F. carpetball contest will be made at a banquet to be held under the auspices of the league at the Sad-saluted Acting Chief Aitkin, whom the fire hall which is broken and filled in the saluted Acting Chief Aitkin, whom the saluted acting the carpetball content of the department to the three statures of the building was satisfactory in all save one particular, Ald. Garratt locating a window in the building next to the saluted Acting Chief Aitkin, whom the fire hall which is broken and filled in the committee will save

home after an absence of eight months in New Mexico. Mr. MacLean accomman in turn.

The definition of the shaking hands with each man in turn.

The definition of the corner of Dundas and Wellington streets, where cen- a general alarm was sounded by Asbenefit of his health. They spent some tral station, where everything was sistant Chief Aitken, for the purpose time in different parts of Mexico and found clean and tidy. It was impos- of testing the speed of the brigades. 1% minutes after the alarm was rung perly as yet, and the new chief and the first wagon from the central hall committee merely inspected the was on the scene. Then the chemical

horses were of special interest to him, but he made no comments on anyNo. 2 brigade, which had over a mile to come, reached the corner of Dunnight were thoroughly appreciated. Then the party were driven to the das and Wellington in 41/2 minutes, South London station, where everything and No. 3 brigade, from South London, was decidedly in ship shape. As the arrived in 6 minutes, having come party entered, Foreman Tom Aiken and about a mile and a quarter, over a his men drew up in line and saluted. very bad road, with many hills. All Then Mr. Clark was introduced, the of the runs gave the greatest satis-

repeated encores. Rev. A. K Birks was chairman, and man of No. 3. During the luncheon whatever until he knows exactly where sounds, made a search, and discovered

prietors had made some preparations

for a flood, and the only loss they will

of having their lumber, which has been

swept around the yards. One lum-

berman had a quantity swept away

The greatest distress prevails in the

country district below Chatham,

and Raleigh Townships.

miles below the city, at Prairie Siding,

in a district eight miles square, there

is not a farm that is not under water.

The ice has jammed in the river there

and it has resulted in the water back-

ing over the Raleigh Plains, farms be

shut up in their homes, some of them

supplies. An organized effort is likely

The water having receded at Dres-

den, the town and vicinity is totaling

up its losses. Several sugar companies

have been hard hit, eleven hundred

The marsh plains about Wallaceburg

are still covered with water. People there are suffering great loss. Michael

O'Neill has lost all of his farm stock and J. S. Fraser, barrister, has lost

The stores and hotels of Chatham

present a picturesque sight, lit up by

candles and oil lamps. The business men of the city met this evening and

decided to dynamite the blockade down

the river. A dramatic company put

barrels of sugar being destroyed.

to be made in this direction

a hundred head of hogs.

Live stock has suffered terribly,

ing submerged from four to nine feet.

by the high waters.

sustain as a rule will be the expense

Next a "hitch" was ordered, and the he stands. RIVER TWENTY-ONE FEET ABOVE LOW WATER MARK AT CHATHAM

But Country Below Suffers-Farms Under Water.

The worst flood since 1868-a space of 36 years-has been experienced during the last three days at Chatham and all through the County of Kent. The Thames commenced to rise on Friday night, and continued until last night, when it had reached a mark 21 feet above the low water line, Ice eccompanied the flood, and in many parts hardships and loss of property nave been endured. In Chatham, two streets on the right

bank of the river were under water for some time, and the people who lived in cottages were driven from while those living in their homes. story-and-a-half or two-story houses with very little in the way of food were compelled to make their abode on the upper floor, or go elsewhere. However, the loss in the city proper vill not be very heavy. The residents of the low-lying section had been prepared for the fleod, and while some ad removed to other parts, others again had their family effects placed out of harm's way. The business-men were beyond the reach of the river, but they anticipated trouble from another direction — the backing of the water from the sewers into their cel-

lars. To be on the safe side they had the goods removed from their cellars, and it was well that they did, as scarcely a cellar escaped. The electric plant, which lights the city, is partly submerged, necessitating its shutting down for a couple of on their show at the Grand tonight days at least, and a number of flour by lamplight.

CHAIRMAN WAS A BOY Successful Anniversary Concert at Empress Avenue Methodist Church.

The concert given at Empress Avenue Methodist Church last evening by the married and single men of the Sunday school proved a great success. The church was filled with a most appreciative audience. Quite a surprise was sprung upon the people when Master George Bartlett, 12 years of age, introduced the chairman of the evening, Mr. Earl Harrison, 13 years of age, son of the pastor of the church. The youthful chairman made a capital speech, and presided as though he had been in the business for years. Rev. Mr. Lanceley gave a most stir-ring address and helped in no small

friends at Empress avenue, where he was pastor some nineteen years ago Miss Greene presided at the piano, and to her untiring efforts is very largely due the success of the concert. programme was an excellent one, the performers being frequently encored. The church under the able pastorate of Rev. T. E. Harrison is in a very flourishing condition. The programme Chorus, "All Hail;" duet, Messrs Francis and Gibson; cornet solo, Mr Wooster; quartet, Misses Spence Francis Gibson and Greenway; read ing, Mr. Grant; solo, Mr. Francis; address, Rev. Mr. Lanceley; solo, Mr. W. Greenway; reading, Mr. Gibson cornet solo, Mr. Wooster; solo, Mr. Percy Spence; reading, Mr. Gibson; quartet, Messrs. Spence, Francis, Gibson and Greenway; chorus, "The Bonny Barque."

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COLBORNE STREET CONCERT Mr. Ruthven MacDonald and Miss Novel Dramatic Entertainment Plan-

Anthistle's Fine Programme. sible to secure a "hitch" there, how- The watches showed that in exactly Church was filled last evening on the occasion of a concert given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the church. The artists were Miss Gwen-

Anthistle and Mr. Ruthven doline MacDonald, who gave a most success-Mr. MacDonald is an old favorite with Londoners and his numbers last his time to the precise study of Irish Some of his numbers were: "The Lord scrupulously accurate in every respect Is My Light," "King of the Elves," and What the Chimney Sang. Miss Anthistle her usual charm. Her every selection was most pleasing, and she received

favored with a piano solo to light on the Dutch-Belgian frontier, where a farmer had some buildings put up, part of which were in the one country and part in the other. customs officials, hearing st strange

an underground passage for the illegal

passing of cattle and pigs across the

THE IRISH PLAYERS ned for London Playgoers.

London, March 28. - A curious the are Irishmen and Irishwomen who are One of the company is a working foiner. So great is his love of art tha he gives up a considerable portion of details, that the plays may be most In order to hear "keening," the thrilling old Irish cry for the dead, he traveled with his company through Connaught to find the only aged woman who is said to know the cry, but she declared she could not do justice to 'keen." except in the presence of dead body. The enthusiastic actor left during the evening Mr. Bert Weir the room and transformed himself into a fine dead body. The old woman "keened" away at his bedside with

such a bitter wail that the rest of the company were so affected they almost forgot the object of their long journey from Dublin. They are to produce five pieces in London. Lord and Lady Aberdeen, the Duchess of Sunderland, Henry James,

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bers of Parliament, are much interest-

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