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BORN.

BOOTH—At Erie, Pa., on May 6, the wife of
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daughter.

DIED.

PRICE—In the township of Carleton, on
Thursday evening, May 8, Richard Price, aged
71 years.
The funeral will take place from the resi-
dence, lot 8, Westminster road, on the after-
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LONDON AND PRECINCTS.

The case against George Hill for breach
of the cow bylaw was withdrawn at the
Police Court this morning.

Mrs. Ann Wiley, who was charged by
her son-in-law last week with insanity, was
again remanded for a week at the Police
Court this morning.

A quartet of drunks appeared before
Magistrate Parke this morning. Three of
the number were fined \$2 and the other re-
manded for a week.

The grangers of East and West Elgin,
East and West Middlesex, and the farmers'
institutes of East and West Elgin will all
picnic together at Port Stanley on June 2.

Jessie Keating, the girl charged by Squire
Peters with insanity last week, was dis-
charged from jail to-day. She had im-
proved much during her short stay in that
institution.

Alexander Stewart and Thomas Wilkin-
son were charged at the Police Court this
morning with drunkenness and vagrancy.
Stewart was sentenced to one month's
imprisonment and his companion was
allowed to go.

Robert Warren, a drayman, had a dis-
pute with Wm. Jenkins settled in the
Police Court this morning. Jenkins was
charged with refusing to pay day hire to
Warren. He was ordered to pay the hire
and also costs of the court.

Inspector Henderson laid a charge this
morning against Edward Pantor for breach
of the Liquor License Act. The prosecu-
tion endeavored to prove that Pantor sold
liquor on Sunday, April 27, but failed to
make it good. The Magistrate dismissed
the case.

Mr. A. D. Hardy, of this city, has be-
come a member of the legal firm in this
heretofore known as Hardy, Wilkes
& Jones. Mr. C. S. Jones retires, and the
firm will hereafter be known as Hardy,
Wilkes & Hardy. Mr. Hardy's many
friends here will regret to learn of his de-
parture.

Thanks Returned.

The trustees of the London Convalescent
Home gratefully acknowledge, the following
donations for April: Mrs. Becher, Illus-
trated News, pictures, fresh eggs; Mrs.
O'Higgins, pair of jolly; Y. W. C. T. U.
and Mrs. M. Sage, preserves; Mrs. Ham-
ilton, tongue; Mrs. Ford, Ministering Chil-
dren's League, cakes; Mrs. J. Shanley and
Mrs. Balkwell, books and reading matter;
St. John's Church Guild, autograph quilt;
Mrs. W. Glass, milk; Mrs. Barker, lunas;
Mrs. Graydon, books for library.

Want Equal Rights at Ottawa.

The Recording Steward of the Port Lamb-
ton Quarterly Board meeting of the Metho-
dist Church, held recently, it was resolved,
on motion of F. W. Merritt, seconded by
Stephen Lane, that we ask the Chatham
district meeting to urge upon the conference
to demand a just share of the [Dominion]
Government grant to Indian schools, or to
refuse to accept the miserable allowance to
the Methodist Indian schools, viz., \$253 per
school, when the Roman Catholic Indian
schools are granted \$2,652 each on an aver-
age.

The Late Mrs. S. Cobblecliek.

The death is announced, at the age of 65
years, of Mrs. Samuel Cobblecliek, of
Exeter, which occurred at an early hour on
Wednesday last, the anniversary of the
death of her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Gallo-
way, of Adelaide, who died just one year
previously. The indirect cause of her death
was la grippe. Deceased was born in the
western part of Ireland on Nov. 12, 1824.
With her father's family she came to this
country in early life and settled in the
county of Durham. Forty-seven years ago
she was married to her deeply bereaved hus-
band. In 1855 they moved west to the last
concession of McGillivray, where they resided
until they retired from active life twelve
years ago, when they then went to live in
Exeter. Of their family, besides the daughter
already mentioned, five died in early
childhood, while the following four remain.
—David Cobblecliek, of McGillivray; Joseph
Cobblecliek, of Biddulph; Mrs. A. Hicks,
of Exeter, and Rev. G. H. Cobblecliek, of
Guelph.

Male Teachers' Weekly Meeting.

The male teachers of the city, held their
second meeting in Mr. A. C. Stewart's
room, Central school, Wednesday, 4:15
p.m. Mr. Carson was unable to attend on
account of illness and was received to that
effect. Composition was taken up, in-
troduced by Mr. A. C. Stewart and dis-
cussed by the teachers representing the
different grades. The difficulty of testing
the results of the pupils' knowledge of the
subject by examination questions was illus-
trated. Numerous exercises should be set and

an easy grade of work set for each class.
Questions should be so given that the mind
might be fully devoted to construction and
neatness. Composition could only be ac-
quired by practice under proper direction
of teachers and should be taught concu-
rently with literature and grammar—the
two latter being the means to an end—the
habits of expressing thoughts clearly, con-
cisely and correctly. Theoretical discussions
were thrown away on junior pupils. It was the
opinion that a carefully graded set of exer-
cises might prove beneficial as a suggestive
method of introducing the subject.
Literature will be discussed at next meet-
ing. Adjourned till Wednesday next.

The Talbot Street School Additions.

A short session of No. 2 Committee of the
Board of Education was held in the assess-
ors' room in the City Hall last evening.
Trustees Turner (chairman), Purdin, Jes-
sery, Cook, Childs, Brady and Craig,
Engineer Tracy, Inspector Boyle, Principal
Goods and Secretary Abbott were present.
The time was principally occupied in dis-
cussing the advisability of engaging a man
to supervise the work of the proposed
school additions, but no action was taken.
Principal Woods complained about the bad
state of plastering in the Collegiate Insti-
tute was referred to the Engineer, and re-
pairs suggested by Inspector Boyle to the
Central school were ordered to be made.
The application from Mr. David Chambers,
of King street school, asking for an increase
of salary was filed. The janitor's report
was also considered and filed for reference.
Engineer Tracy submitted the plans for the
Talbot street school addition, together
with the specifications. They were ap-
proved of and the Engineer instructed to
advertise for tenders for construction of the
same.

LOUIS JAMES.

A Performance of "Othello" for Man-
ager Kirchmer's Benefit—A
Presentation.

The audience at the Grand Opera House
last evening attended for two reasons—that
it was Manager Kirchmer's benefit night,
and that Louis James, the eminent actor,
appeared in Shakespeare's "Othello" sup-
ported by a strong company of 22 people.

Of the performance of Mr. James much
praise has been given by journals and people
of the United States and much was ex-
pected of him. He proved himself
worthy of all the plaudits which
were bestowed on him, his rep-
resentation in which he figures as Othello,
the Moor showing careful study and pleasing
talent. He is possessed of a rich, deep
voice, which he uses well—in fact, his
eloquent power is splendid. In some of
the lighter passages his words were not
altogether intelligible, and in one or two
places there might be detected a little
tendency to straining his voice, but
throughout the play he was of an
almost perfect rendition. His
acting is superb. The portrayal of
the rugged Moor's love, his suspicious
doubts, his jealousy, his jealousy and
madness and then to remorse was equal to
anything given on London's stage in years.
Miss Victoria Bateman, as Desdemona,
gave a nice portrayal of that simple, loving
girl, although her elation was ap-
parently slightly impeded by a cold or
other affection of the voice. In the
emotional chamber-scene she did very well.
Miss F. G. Gillette as Emilia made her
favorite of the audience. She took that
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