## Births, Marriages, Deaths.

**DIED.**

MACMILLAN—In this city, on Tuesday, April 21, 1903, Judge D. MacMillan, aged 67 years.

Funeral from the family residence, 117 Maple street, to Hyde Park Cemetery, on Friday, April 24, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock.

Kindly omit flowers. 77u

**AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.**

GRAND—SATURDAY—MATINEE EVENING
**PRINCESS CHIC.**
Same sumptuous production, with Vera Michelena and Joseph C. Miron. Matinee, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Evening, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1 50. Seat sale today.

**All Next Week—Matinee Saturday.**
**THE KING DRAMATIC CO.**
In a repertoire of scenic successes. Monday, "The Cherry Pickers"; Tuesday, "A Ward of France."
10c, 20c, 30c. Seat sale tomorrow.

**ORIENT MINSTRELS**
LONDON OPERA HOUSE.
MONDAY, APRIL 27.
Lower floor and first two rows balcony, 50c; balance balcony, 35c.
Plan opens Friday, 9 a.m. 76k-ywtz

**St. Johns A. C. Minstrels**
TONIGHT.
With an Extra Performance
FRIDAY NIGHT, APRIL 24.

GRAND ORGAN RECITAL—EDWIN H. Lemare, the world's greatest organist, First Methodist Church, Thursday, April 30, choir auspices. Tickets, 25c. For sale at the music stores. 751

SUMMER SEASON—PALACE DANCING Academy—Private lessons any hour. All arrangements made for dancing parties at Springbank Pavilion by applying W. Lowery, at Pavilion, or Dayton & McCormick.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY—ATLANTIC Steamship Service: First sailing from Montreal to Liverpool, steamship Lake Champlain, Friday, May 1. F. B. Clarke, 416 Richmond street, third door north Bank of Commerce, agent. ywt

TONY CORTESE — THE ORIGINAL London Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 380 Richmond street. 'Phone 1,570.

ALLAN LINE—FIRST STEAMSHIP from Montreal to Liverpool: Corinthian, Saturday, May 2; Bavarian, Saturday, May 9. F. B. Clarke, agent, 416 Richmond street, third door north Bank of Commerce.

**MEETINGS.**

BOARD OF TRADE—THE ANNUAL meeting of the London Board of Trade will be held on Friday, 24th inst., at 8 p.m., to receive annual report and election of officers. A large attendance is desired. C. B. Hunt, president; J. A. Nelles, secretary. 78u

LADY MACCABEES WILL MEET this (Thursday) evening, at 8 o'clock sharp, Knights of Pythias Hall. b

**FEMALE HELP WANTED.**

WANTED—COOK AND CHAMBERMAID. Apply Queen's Hotel, Carling street. 78c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, IN family of two. Apply 372 Maitland street. 78u

A GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR SOME young ladies to learn cigarmaking at Line, McDonald & Co.'s. 78c

HOUSEMAIDS AND LAUNDRESSES wanted. Apply Victoria Hospital. 78c

WANTED — TWO EXPERIENCED saleladies, for the drygoods. Apply at Whiskard's, London, Ont. b

GENERAL SERVANT—HIGH WAGES. 516 Ridout. 62tf-tyw

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, where housemaid is kept. Apply to Mrs. S. N. Sterling, 414 Dufferin avenue. 76tf

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL AS NURSE. Apply 294 Wolfe street. 77tf

WANTED — MACHINE OPERATORS for cap factory; steady employment guaranteed the year round. Apply at once, John Marshall & Co. 77c

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT; family of three; no house cleaning. Apply in the evening, 854 Richmond street. 77c

WRAPPER BOOKER WANTED. JOS. Smith, cigar manufacturer, 286-288 Dundas street. 76tf

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRL. APPLY Western Hotel, 463 Richmond street. 76c

FANCY IRONERS WANTED—GOOD wages. The Parisian Steam Laundry Company of Ontario, Limited. 76c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED FUR MACHINE operators, sewers and finishers; steady work guaranteed; highest wages paid. Apply at once, John Marshall & Co. 76n

WANTED—GIRLS. THE FOREST CITY Laundry. 76c

COOK WANTED. APPLY AT MORKIN House, King street. 75i

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED BY FARMER; to keep house for owner and two hired men. Address Box 97, this office. 75k

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT; NO washing. Apply at 236 Central avenue. 66tf

GIRLS WANTED AT McCORMICK'S new biscuit factory. Steady employment; big pay. 32tf

**MALE HELP WANTED.**

WANTED—FOUR GOOD, ACTIVE BOYS for light work; good wages paid. Apply at this office. 78tf

AN OFFICE BOY WANTED. HOBBS Manufacturing Company, Limited, corner Ridout and G. T. R. tracks. 78c

OFFICE BOY WANTED. APPLY, with references, Box 12, this office. 77c

WANTED—CARPENTERS. APPLY TO William Thomas, builder, at London Cold Storage, or 63 Byron avenue. 76c

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO DRIVE bread wagon; must understand horses. Apply 930 Maitland street. 76c

PARCEL BOY WANTED. APPLY Johnstone & Johnstone, milliners. 74tf

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A FEW smart messengers. Great Northwestern Telegraph Company. 73n

WANTED AT ONCE—SEVERAL COMPETENT machinists, lathe and vise hands; good wages paid for nine-hour day; non-union men preferred. Canadian Bridge Company, Limited, Walkerville, Ont. 73n

TWO STOUT BOYS FOR CUTTING table. The London Soap Company.

WANTED—A FEW BOYS, ABOUT 15 OR 16 years of age; also boys for shipping room. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company. 64tf

**AGENTS WANTED.**

UP-TO-DATE AGENT'S BUSINESS—Many agents are making fortunes. You have the same chance. The field is large, possibilities unlimited. Apply Cooper, 332-6 Clarence street, London.

**SLATE ROOFING.**

SLATE ROOFING, ASPHALT, CEMENT paint for iron roofs. Walter Scott, 506 York street, London.

**REAL ESTATE.**

**REAL ESTATE AND BUSINESS EXCHANGE**

Cottage, Simcoe street ..... $ 800
1½-story, Wellington street. 1,750
Cottage, Paul street, London West ..... 600
1½-story, Mary street ..... 850
1½-story, St. George street. 2,800
2-story, Albert street ..... 4,000
1½-story, Thornton avenue.... 1,100
2-story, Byron avenue ..... 2,800

LARGE LIST TO CHOOSE FROM.
**DULMAGE & MOORHOUSE.**
'Phone 1,525. 6 Albion Block.

FOR SALE—TWO ACRES OF LAND; frame house, 5 rooms, cellar, pantry; good water, some small fruits. South side Hamilton road, east of Ealing P. O. Do not apply on Sabbath days. Mrs. Alex. Scott. 78c

THIRTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS buys two-story brick house and barn; lot 33 by about 200, on Craig street. G. Park, corner Market Lane. 78u

FOR SALE—THE WHITE SULPHUR Springs and Mineral Baths. Apply 61 Elmwood avenue, South London. 56bu-tyw

FARM—200 ACRES, LOTS 10 AND 11, concession 11, London Township. Price, $10,500. James Robb, Bryanston. 74bu

FOR SALE—DESIRABLE RESIDENTIAL property; two-story brick house, 791 Richmond street; two-story brick house, 161 Maple street; two-story brick house, 422 King street. Will be sold at a bargain to close. Apply T. Macbeth, Esq., K.C., Dundas street, or George M. Reid, Clarence street. 74m

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—453 Princess avenue. Particulars will be given and plans seen at 379 Queen's avenue.

FOR SALE—TWO-STORY BRICK, 4 bedrooms, large cellar, furnace, gas fixtures; $1,800; small cash payment; balance monthly. Apply J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

WANTED—ADDRESS OF MISS ROSE Hancock and mother, who resided in this city in the year 1881. Apply at this office. 77u

**WANTED.**

WANTED—SECOND-HAND DOUBLE-BARREL, hammerless, 12-gauge shotgun. Give description and cash price. Apply Box 99, this office. 78c

WANTED — OLD PICTURES OF George Washington; also historical pictures; highest prices paid. Send name of engraver and publisher appearing on picture. United Publishing House, P. O. Box 751, New York. 76n

WANTED—CITY LOAN COMPANIES' stocks. John Wright, stock broker, London, Ont. 'Phone 693.

**ARTICLES FOR SALE.**

THIRTEEN CENTS A POUND BUYS our sugar-cured hams; 11c buys our picnic hams; sliced, 12½c; best crock butter, 20c. Come and get the bargains at G. Park's, corner Market Lane. 78u

FOR SALE—ONE KEROSENE KILN, for burning china decorations and colors; price, $50. Apply P. O. Box 404, London. 78c

STYLISH MIKADO PHAETON, WITH lamps, nearly new; also set single harness; cheap. 168 Adelaide street. 78c

FOR SALE—EGGS FOR SETTING; Brown Leghorn, choice stock, 75c per setting. Also good cook stove. Apply 692 Adelaide street. 74u-tw

TOP BUGGY FOR SALE—NEARLY new. Apply 10 Market Lane. 74c-twt

JUST IN—COOKED PIGS' FEET. ALL the best cuts in beef, at 1 to 5 Market House. James Anderson. ywt

EGGS FOR HATCHING—FROM PRIZE-WINNING stock. Barred Rocks, Black Minorcas and Light Brahmas. All strong, large birds, in prime condition. $1 for 15 eggs. Apply 11 Victor street, or 13 Market House. 76c-ywt

FOR SALE, CHEAP—VERY STYLISH carriage, for two; rubber tires; 1,000-mile axles, lamps, etc; also medium size Taylor safe. Apply 276 Dundas street. 76k-ywtz

STOVES, BASEBURNERS AND Ranges of all kinds for wood and coal. Second-hand furniture cheap, at F. Keene's 141 King street.

FOR SALE—50 YEARLING STEERS and heifers. Apply Odell, Belmont. 77c

FOR SALE—DRIVING MARE, TOP buggy, set harness, some glass, sash, refrigerator. 470 Ridout. 77g

CEMENT FOR SALE — CHEAPEST place to buy cement is at Turnbull's Elevator, Komoka. 73cm

SPRINGS, MATTRESSES AND IRON Beds—Special low prices this week at Keene Bros., 125 and 127 King street.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED WITH special machinery. D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street.

WE ARE OFFERING 25 ORGANS AT $10, $15, $20, payable $1 and $2 per month. These organs are in first-class condition and guaranteed five years. Heintzman & Co., corner Dundas and Clarence.

IMPERIAL BICYCLES — HANDSOME new models, also good second-hand wheels. Terms easy. Large stock tires and sundries. Cunningham's, East London.

BOOKS, PAPERS AND MAGAZINES from any place on earth. Red Star News Company, 8 Market Lane.

HARD COAL THIS WEEK, $7 PER TON cash, at Buchanan's, 633 Colborne. 'Phone 1,096.

WRINKLES CAN BE REMOVED, youthful complexion renewed, by using Madame Kennedy's preparations. Miller's Hair Store, 223 Dundas street.

D. H. GILLIES & CO.—LEADING WOOD yard. Call up 'Phone 1,312, and find out about their prices for wood.

FOR SALE—LARGE IRON SAFE; CONTAINS private drawers and lots of room for large books. Apply Advertiser office. 35tf

**HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.**

TO LET—OFFICE IN EDGE BLOCK, formerly occupied by J. Gould, tailor. Apply W. T. Edge, 385 Queen's avenue. 75k

TO RENT — MODERN TWO-STORY brick house, 517 Dufferin avenue, corner Peter street; possession May 1. Apply 499 Dufferin avenue. 73tf

TO RENT—BUILDING FORMERLY occupied by The London Advertiser, 418 Richmond street; suitable for manufacturing business; has side entrance from lane. For particulars apply to Talbot Macbeth, corner Dundas and Ridout streets. 59tf

TO RENT OR FOR SALE — FINE large residence in the center of city, containing 24 rooms; would make desirable boarding house, or could be converted into factory or warehouse; 120 feet frontage; rent low. Apply D. H. Porter, 97 Carling street. 46tf

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN—Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company.

**ELOCUTION AND PHYSICAL CULTURE.**

MISS WYNIFRED LOGAN, F.C.M., pupil Hemenway Gymnasium, Harvard University—Classes for recreative, remedial physical exercises, fencing, voice culture, vocal expression. For terms apply 292 Central avenue, London.

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MAGEE, McKILLOP & MURPHY, barristers, solicitors, notaries, etc.—Office, corner Richmond and Dundas, London. James Magee, K.C.; J. B. McKillop; Thomas J. Murphy.

GIBBONS & HARPER, BARRISTERS, etc., London: Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. George C. Gibbons, K.C.; Fred F. Harper.

JARVIS & VINING, BARRISTERS, etc., 101 Dundas street. C. G. Jarvis, Jared Vining, B.A.

McEVOY & PERRIN, BARRISTERS, solicitors, Robinson Hall Chambers, opposite Court House. Money to loan.

A. GREENLEES, BARRISTER, ETC., Canadian Loan Company's building, Richmond street, London. Private funds to loan.

PURDOM & PURDOM, BARRISTERS, solicitors, etc.—Office, Masonic Temple building, corner Richmond and King streets, London, Ont. Thomas H. Purdom, K.C.; Alexander Purdom.

W. H. BARTRAM, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc.—Office, 99 Dundas street.

STUART & GUNN, BARRISTERS, ETC. —Office, 112 Masonic Temple. Alex. Stuart, K.C.; George C. Gunn.

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DR. JOHN D. WILSON—OFFICE AND residence, 260 Queen's avenue. Special attention paid to diseases of women and children. Office hours, 12:30 to 6 p.m.

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DR. BECHER—OFFICE, 348 DUNDAS street. 'Phone 1,484; house, 148. Hours, 10:30 to 1, 2:30 to 3:30, 7:30 to 8:30.

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CHARLES E. WHEELER, ORGANIST and choirmaster, St. Andrew's Church. Teaching resumed. Piano, pipe organ, harmony, singing. 640 Wellington street. 'Phone 1,527.

ALBERT D. JORDAN, ORGANIST First Methodist Church—Teacher of piano and organ. Apply between 1 and 2, No. 245 Queen's avenue. Telephone 1,498.

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WILLIAM HODGSON, PAINTER, paperhanger. Estimates free. 410 Horton street.

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SPECIALTIES—ELECTROLYSIS FOR the removal of superfluous hair, moles and warts. Facial and scalp treatment. Chiropody and manicuring. Miss Braden, 288 Princess avenue, any Thursday, Friday or Saturday. The Princess and Mrs. Gervaise Graham's facial and scalp preparations on hand. ywt

**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street.

LICENSES ISSUED BY THOMAS GILLEAN, jeweler, 402 Richmond street.

ISSUED BY C. D. JOHNSTON, 198 Dundas street. Private office.

**DENTAL CARDS.**

DR. WESTLAND, DENTIST, CHICAGO, post-graduate in Crown, Bridge and Porcelain work. Philadelphia post-graduate, Porcelain. Masonic Temple, first floor.

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WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY, DENTISTS, 216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros., over Cairncross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 228.

**MONEY TO LOAN.**

PRIVATE AND TRUST FUNDS TO loan at 4¾ to 5½ per cent on real estate security, in sums to suit. No commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, 98 Dundas street, London.

PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN—LOWEST rates. Buchner & Gunn, 83 Dundas street.

MONEY TO LOAN—LARGE OR SMALL amounts. Casey & Morwood, barristers, 87½ Dundas street.

$100 AND UPWARDS TO LOAN ON real estate at 4½ to 5½ per cent. Apply J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, 420 Talbot street. ywt

MONEY TO LOAN—$500,000 PRIVATE and trust funds on first mortgage, at 5 per cent; also on notes and other security. Tennent & Coleridge, barristers, solicitors, notaries, etc., 78 Dundas street. ywt

**INSURANCE.**

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND Globe Insurance Company—Assets exceed $61,000,000. Losses paid since 1803, $200,000,000. Edward Towe—Office, corner Dundas and Richmond streets (over Bank of Commerce). Note.—Funds to loan at 4½ per cent on farm and 4¾ per cent on city property. ywt

**Queen Insurance Co.**
Funds available for security of Queen policyholders, $64,000,000.
J. A. NELLES, Agent,
428 Richmond Street.
'Phone 343. ywt

**DRESS CUTTING SCHOOL.**

LEARN CUTTING, GRADING AND designing costumes at the London Cutting School. Individual instructions. Special arrangements for out of town pupils. Correspondence solicited. Address Cutting School, 233½ Dundas street, London, Ont.

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BRUNSWICK HOTEL, CORNER YORK and Clarence—$1 per day. M. J. O'Donohue, proprietor.

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## Summer Hotel for Sale

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction by John W. Jones, at his rooms, 242 Dundas street, London, Ont., on Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1903, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, that valuable property in the Village of Port Stanley, in the County of Elgin, and Province of Ontario, known as

**THE FRASER HOUSE,**

together with the lands connected therewith, being lots 18 to 24, inclusive, on the north side of Front street, according to a registered plan made by John St. V. Caddy, P.L.S.; lots 17 to 24, on the south side of Front street, and other parcels, comprising in the whole about 30 acres.

The hotel is in first-class order, having been lately renovated; contains about 40 rooms for guests, and is noted as a popular summer resort. There is a barroom with excellent fixtures, good barns, sheds, stabling for 30 horses, large lawn, swimming baths, beautiful beach, the longest and safest on the lake. The hotel overlooks Lake Erie. The whole property forms a most desirable investment, and is well worthy the attention of buyers.

Terms of sale: Ten per cent of the purchase money will be required to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance within fourteen days thereafter. A portion of the moneys may be secured by mortgage on the property. For further particulars apply to J. W. JONES, auctioneer, London, Ont., or to A. GREENLEES, vendors' solicitor, London, Ont.
April 22, 1903. b

## 24 CHOICE BUILDING LOTS
**BY AUCTION.**

on property corner Emery and Ridout streets, opposite Ald. Judd's residence, Saturday, May 2, 3 o'clock p.m. Lots have plenty of trees, giving beautiful, home-like appearance. Near cars and Normal School. See property before sale. Terms easy. ROWLAND STEPHENS, proprietor. A. M. HUNT, auctioneer.
78k-wtyv

**The Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company.**

The annual general meeting of the LAKE ERIE AND DETROIT RIVER RAILWAY COMPANY, for the election of directors and for general purposes will be held on Tuesday, the 5th day of May, 1903, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the company's head office in the Town of Walkerville.

Dated the 9th day of April, 1903.
66c-w J. E. HOWARD, Secretary.

## BRIDGES WILL BE BUILT

**County to Call for Tenders—Repairs Required in Various Places.**

The county commissioner of bridges, Mr. Talbot, and Capt. Robson, clerk of the county, made out the list today of the bridges that need immediate attention. Tenders will be called for at once and they will be required to be in by the 9th day of May, when the contracts will be awarded. Altogether there are seven bridges that will have to have alterations or additions. The largest probably is that which is to be put over Doty's Creek. A steel span of 70 feet is required over it. A steel superstructure is also required on the bridge over Gilzean's Creek, near Strathroy, with a span of 20 feet.

A concrete arch is to be asked for on a line between the Township of Caradoc and Ekfrid, south of Melbourne. A tender will be called for a wooden superstructure for the bridge opposite lot 1, concession 5, Ekfrid. Two concrete and iron bridges are to be built between Delaware and Westminster Townships, near Littlewood. New flooring is also necessary for Norton's bridge on the Hamilton road, about six miles east of the city. The several bridges and repairs will cost the county in the neighborhood of $2,000 or $3,000.

There are none so blind, sometimes, as those who fall in love at first sight.

GREAT THINGS FROM LITTLE CAUSES GROW.—It takes very little to derange the stomach. The cause may be slight, a cold, something eaten or drunk, anxiety, worry or some other simple cause. But if precautions be not taken, this simple cause may have most serious consequences. Many a chronically debilitated constitution today owes its destruction to simple causes not dealt with in time. Keep the digestive apparatus in healthy condition and all will be well. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are better than any other for the purpose.

Our sun at the distance of Arcturus would be invisible to us.

# WESTERN POINTS OF THE PROVINCE

## The Mettawas Hotel, Kingsville, Sold for $22,000.

## E. LAMBTON LICENSE-HOLDERS

**Many Fairs on the "Converted" List—St. Mary's Voted $2,000 for Good Roads.**

*ELGIN.*

Mr. John White died at the Amasa Wood Hospital, St. Thomas, aged 75 years. Deceased was born in Essex County. He leaves two sons, D. J., of Tilsonburg, and Frank, of St. Thomas, and two daughters, Mrs. A. J. Selwin and Mrs. W. Batzold, St. Thomas. The remains were taken to Orwell for interment.

A case of smallpox has developed at the residence of Charles Munday, on Silver street, south of Rodney. His son-in-law, J. Stevens, recently came from Bay City, Mich., and was taken sick with symptoms of smallpox. Dr. Hall, of Chatham, pronounced it a case of smallpox. The house has been quarantined.

Mr. John Down, of Payne's Mills, died at Amasa Wood Hospital, St. Thomas, aged 69 years. His wife died about six years ago. He leaves two sons, Samuel, of Payne's Mills, and George, of the L. E. and D. R. R., St. Thomas. He also leaves six daughters—Mesdames George Heard, T. Millard and George Collins, of St. Thomas; Mrs. C. Stanbury, of Toronto; Misses Julia and Laura, of St. Thomas. The deceased lived at Payne's Mills for 27 years. He was born in Northlew, Devonshire, and came to Canada when a young man.

*ESSEX.*

Mr. A. E. Rondot, one of the leading citizens of Amherstburg, and one of the best known merchants in Western Ontario, died on Monday of pneumonia, after being ill since the previous Wednesday. He had been a widower for the past few years, and leaves one child, a boy of 12 years. Mr. J. D. Burk, another prominent citizen, was stricken with paralysis on Sunday night, and has not spoken since.

The Hotel Mettawas, Kingsville, was sold on Tuesday to J. E. Dupont, of Detroit, for $22,000. Only two bids were made for it.

Joseph Geering, of Detroit, has been awarded the contract for the new St. Mary's Church at Walkerville, and has commenced the work. The new edifice will cost $60,000.

*LAMBTON.*

Sarnia Observer: From 7 a.m. Sunday until 7 a.m. Monday, 65 boats passed up the lake and 43 down, making a total of 108 boats passing here in the 24 hours.

W. M. Parker, from the Sandwich Fish Hatchery, has just deposited in Lake Huron, above Point Edward, 4,000,000 whitefish fry.

East Lambton licenses: Arkona—Present licenses extended for three months, and the matter of granting new licenses laid over for further consideration. Alvinston—George M. Jones, H. L. Bidner, J. F. Bidner. Camlachie—Mrs. J. H. Needham. Forest—George Webster, M. J. Roche, Mrs. Johnston. Grand Bend—H. Bossenberry, six months, wine and beer. Watford—F. P. Taylor, Roche Bros., W. H. Rogers. Wyoming—J. Fenwick, Joel Shaw, W. Witty. Thedford—S. McNames, Fred. Jennings. Florence—J. C. Ellison, O. E. McRoberts. Cairo—R. Wehlman. Inwood—Frank Carson.

The marriage took place in Sarnia on Tuesday, at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. Robert H. McMann, of Howard Neville Evely, one of the leading merchants of Strathroy, being the manager of the Evely Company's store, to Mattie Ross Mathewson, daughter of Mrs. and the late Mr. Robert Mathewson, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. Thompson, pastor of St. Andrew's Church. The groom was supported by Mr. Joseph H. Argue, of Strathroy, and Miss Mary Wark attended the bride.

*MIDDLESEX.*

There is some talk of getting granolithic sidewalks in Granton.

Wages are very high this summer, and farm labor is scarce; $150 for six months is a very common figure, and $200 even is obtained by some.

One or two farmers in the Fernhill district have turned their stock out to grass.

There died in Adelaide on Tuesday morning, April 21, Eve, wife of John Chambers, aged 48 years, 10 months and 10 days. Deceased was married 29 years ago, her maiden name being Eve McQuillan.

Up to date about 100 fairs in the province have placed themselves on the "converted" list. These will put a ban on horse racing, and will have expert judges. The Agricultural Department arranges the dates for the circuit and appoint the judges. Last year these experts were sent out to 59 fairs, and this year the number required will be much larger.

*OXFORD.*

Woodstock Sentinel-Review: Work on another extensive addition to the factory of the Bain Wagon Company is to be commenced next week. The blacksmithing and iron-working department is to be enlarged, at a cost of $10,000.

St. Marys has voted $2,000 for good roads.

The Listowel Banner is asking the opinion of its readers on a proposal to celebrate the semi-centennial of the town next year, and also to commemorate the 30th anniversary of the founding of the high school.

John McCulloch shipped a carload of fine cattle for export this week from Woodstock. The prevailing quotations are from $4 50 to $4 75.

Messrs. G. G. Publow, of Perth, and G. H. Barr, of Guelph, chief dairy instructors for the province, were in Toronto on Monday, making arrangements for covering the whole provinces with their instruction campaign during the coming season. In the east 22 men have been engaged, and there will be a circuit covered by 30 instructors.

*PERTH.*

Messrs. Slack & Whelihan St. Marys, sold a fine 3-year-old Clydesdale stallion a few days ago to Mr. Murray, of Ridgetown. The price paid was $1,200.

Messrs. John Lucas and Will J. C. Brown, of Kirkton, who have been on service in the South African Constulary force for nearly two years, returned home on Saturday. They came along with about a dozen of the force and stayed a couple of weeks in England on the way.

*WATERLOO.*

One of Waterloo's best known residents passed away on Friday morning, in the person of Mr. Joachim Kalbfleisch, editor of proprietor of the Bauenfreund.

The resignation of Rev. A. S. Francisco, pastor of the New Jerusalem Church, Berlin, has been accepted, to take effect immediately after next Sunday.

## BORDEN BANQUETED

**Opposition Leader Entertained at Montreal.**

Montreal, April 23.—Mr. R. L. Borden, the Conservative leader, was the guest of honor at a banquet tendered to him last night by the Sir John A. Macdonald Club, nearly 500 guests being present, at the Windsor Hotel. Mr. D. A. McCaswell, president of the club, presided, and among the leading guests were A. T. Monk, M. P., Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Messrs. Forget, Casgrain and many others.

**"Bobs" for St. Louis Fair.**

London, April 23.—According to the St. James' Gazette the Government is considering appointing Field Marshal Lord Roberts as special commissioner to represent Great Britain at the St. Louis Exposition.

# BUDGET DAY IN BRITISH COMMONS

## It Was the First Peace Budget in Four Years.

## EXPENDITURE WAS $719,770,000

**No Change in Duty on Tea, Sugar or Coal—Four Pence Is Removed From Income Tax.**

London, April 23.—The budget, which was introduced in the House of Commons today, shows an estimated expenditure for 1903-04 of $719,770,000.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Ritchie, fixed the national debt charge at $1,035,000,000, of which $31,500,000 is available for the sinking fund.

The estimated revenue on the existing basis of taxation is $773,850,000, giving an available surplus of $54,080,000.

Budget day in the House always is attractive, and it was unusually so this year, as the chancellor, Mr. Ritchie, had the pleasure of introducing the first peace budget for four year. The House was well filled and there were many visitors in the galleries when the Chancellor rose to make his statement.

The duty on tea, which the trade expected would be reduced, is not changed. Mr. Ritchie's proposals included the following:

The abolition of the duty on grain.

The taxes on sugar and coal are unchanged. Four pence (eight cents) is taken off the income tax.

# THE MACLEAN TELEPHONE BILL

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hall favored a sub-committee to consider the bill.

The committee was told by Mayor Dyke of the position of Fort William, where an up-to-date municipal service was subjected to the opposition of the bill, though the latter had no local franchise. Because of the later company's contract with the Canadian Pacific Railway and Canadian Northern Railway the municipal lines could get no connection with the railway stations. The city concern had five hundred subscribers and the Bell only 115.

Mr. MacLean criticised the attitude of the Government. The Minister of Justice, he said, had promised a bill last session and had not brought it in.

Mr. Fitzpatrick's reply to this was that in an interview on the 5th of February last Mayor Urquhart, of Toronto, in the presence of ex-Mayor Howland and Mr. Lighthal, president and secretary of the union of municipalities, advocated delay on the ground that a full inquiry should be made. The views of rural as well as of other municipalities should be obtained; moreover, the rights of the municipalities were before the courts of Ontario in the suit of Toronto vs. the Bell.

Mayor Cook, of Ottawa, told the committee that the mayor of Toronto had been the only one who wanted delay.

E. F. Clark said that Mayor Urquhart did not speak of the union of municipalities.

Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick thought that the committee ought to know how far the Bell Company would be affected, how far companies operating under than Dominion legislation would be affected, and whether the present act did not provide for the control of rates.

It was decided to send the bill to a special committee to be named by Chairman Hyman.

McLEAN'S RAILWAY BILL.

The McLean railway bill to compel railways to give access to their stations to all telephone companies alike came up. Mr. Blair opposed it on the ground that a multiplicity of telephones in a station would lead to confusion and thus add to the already heavy responsibility of station people on whom rested the public safety. Mr. Blair was prepared to impose any reasonable responsibility on railways, but he counseled the committee against running wild and imposing unfair, unjust and unnecessary burdens, just because the railways were franchise holders.

The bill goes to the same committee (on Mr McLean's suggestion) as the telephone bill.

Mr. Ross, M. P., succeeded in getting his bill, the Huron and Ontario Railway bill, passed. This railway will be 300 miles long, extending from Port Perry to Walkerton and has capital of $3,000,000.

The Grand Trunk Railway bill will be taken up on May 7.

## KENT MURDER TRIAL

**There Has Been a New Jury Empaneled.**

Rochester, N. Y., April 23.—With the jury completed in the Kent case, public opinion is now being devoted to the trend of Rev. Frederick Ladendorff's thoughts, he being one of the last jurors accepted. Mr. Ladendorff is the Protestant chaplain at the jail, and has talked and labored for Kent's spiritual welfare. Mr. Ladendorff is well known as a follower of the Rev. Charles Sheldon, and he has announced in the past that when called on a jury he should seek to do as Jesus would do under similar circumstances. This has opened up a field of conjecture for both sides in the case. This morning a police officer took the stand and said that the blood on Kent's side of the bed was bright and red, while the stains on Miss Dingle's side of the bed were clotted and dark. The prosecution insists that this proves that Miss Dingle was cut first. Witness O'Connor, the first man to enter the room, said he could not remember seeing a single stain of blood, or the bloody razor, or any wound, while he did remember in detail every other part significant or otherwise. Witness O'Connor sprung a sensation by declaring that he was positive that on his first visit to the room there was no razor in Miss Dingle's hand.

*How a Snake Moves.*

Now, anyone who has looked at the skeleton of a snake—and it is really a very beautiful object—will have been struck by the great number of ribs, which may be as many as ten hundred and fifty pairs. In these lies the secret of the ability of the serpent to do some of these wonderful things. The lower end of each rib is connected with one of the broad scales that run along the under side of a snake, and when a rib is twisted slowly backward, it pushes on the scale, the edge of the scale catches on the ground on whatever object his snakeship may be resting on, and the body of the snake is pushed just a little bit forward. Of course, each rib moves the body but a mere trifle; but where the ribs are so many, and they are moved one after another, the result is that the snake moves slowly but steadily ahead.—St. Nicholas.


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## A KENTUCKY SCRAP

**Some Prominent Citizens Engage in Fisticuffs.**

Paducah, Ky., April 23.—Ex-Congressman Charles K. Wheeler and James E. Wilhelm, past grand master of Kentucky Masons and editor of the Paducah Register, figured in a lively fist f