40TH YEAR, NO 183.

LONDON, ONTARIO, TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1902.

WHOLE NO. 16576.

### Births, Marriages, Deaths.

NICHOL-On Sunday, May 4, 1902, at Glanworth, to Dr. and Mrs. William H. Nichol, a son.

MARRIED. MACLEAN-MANNING-At the manse, on April 30, 1902, by the Rev. W. J. Clark, Mr. Norman Maclean, of Listowel, to Miss Carrie C. Manning, of

DIED. WANLESS-On May 6, 1902, at 877 Dundas street, William Wanless, eldest son of the late William Wanless, aged 40

Funeral will leave the above address on Thursday, the 8th inst. at 4 o'clock p.m.; services at 3:30 p.m. Friends will please accept this intimation 76u

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

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### WATKIN MILLS

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THE LONDON HORTICULTURAL SO-CIETY will hold a spring flower show in the City Hall, May 7 and 8. Mem-bers and citizens are requested to con-tribute. Free and everybody invited. 74u-ty

DANCING-CLASSES THIS WEEK: Beginners, gentlemen, Monday; ladies, Tuesday; advanced, Wednesday evening. Private tuition any hour. Strictly private parties can be arranged for. Dayton & McCormick.

#### MEETINGS.

STAR LODGE, No. 367, A. O. U. W., meets this (Tuesday) evening, Albion block, James W. Barr, M. W.; Thomas Woolley recorder. Woolley, recorder

SPECIAL MEETING OF AMALGAMATED Society of Carpenters, in Edge block, May 7, 8 p.m.

#### FEMALE KELP WANTED.

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT, AT once; no washing or ironing; references. Apply 521 Dufferin avenue, city. 76c WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant; highest wages; no washing Apply 429 King street. 75tf

ings. Apply Boomer's Confectionery. 75c

VANTED-A GOOD HOUSE, Apply to once; references required. Apply to Mrs. Hume Cronyn, 580 Dundas street. WANTED-A GOOD HOUSEMAID AT

GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK; family of three. 36 Evergreen avenue. 74c

WANTED-GOOD SKIRT AND WAIST makers; also assistant skirt finisher. Smallman & Ingram. 74c WANTED-GOOD GIRL FOR GEN-ERAL housework. Apply 15 St. An-drew's street, Wast London. 74c

WANTED IMMEDIATELY - GOOD cook. Apply Mrs. Denison, Wolseley Barracks. 73tf

GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL housework; sleep at home, Apply Mrs. E. Dunn, 411 King street. 73n

WANTED - GENERAL SERVANT. with best references; no housecleaning, no laundry; good wages. Apply immediately, 286 Dufferin avenue. 73tf

WANTED-GIRLS. APPLY LONDON Corset Company, Spencer block. 72tf WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant; highest wages. Apply 81 Wharncliffe road, corner Riverview avenue. 71tf

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT, AT once; references required. Apply at 286 Dufferin avenue. 71tf

WANTED-AN EXPERIENCED DIN-ING-ROOM girl. Apply Cook Bros., Richmond House. 68tf FIFTY GIRLS WANTED. APPLY Superintendent, D. S. Perrin & Co.

Co. 63tf WANTED-COOK and KITCHEN girl. Apply Mrs. W. S. Hodgins, Hodgins House.

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY McCOR-MICK Manufacturing Company, 43tf

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WANTED-STRONG BOY. APPLY AT YOUNG MAN WANTED WHO UNDER-STANDS pork business, and can attend counter; must have best of references.

Apply G. Park, Market Lane, b

WANTED-TWO GOOD BLACKSMITH Lelpers for boiler work; also two labor-ers. Apply E. Leonard & Sons.

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LARGE SIZE DRUMMERS' YARNS, 10 cents. Late novels, 5 and 10 cents. Red Star News Company, 20 Dundas street. MILLIONS OF STAMPS FOR COLLEC-Yonge street, Toronto. THE NOBBIEST THING IN GO-CARTS

and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros. 127 King street. wood for Sale-WE CAN SUPPLY summer wood at \$1.25 a load. D. H. Gillies & Co., 673 Bathurst street, lead-ing east end wood yard. 'Phone 1,312.

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FOR SALE-TWO STORY BRICK RE-

FOR SALE—CHOICE BUILDING LOTS, north part of city; one-fifth cash, balances yearly installments, 5 per cent. Fraser & Moore, barristers.

FOR SALE-BUILDING LOT ON GROS-VENOR street; cheap. Casey & Mor-wood, 90 Dundas street.

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### ROY-75 acres; good buildings and water. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy.

LOST AND FOUND. STRAYED-MAY 5, FROM E. R. TAL-BOT'S, Hyde Park, brown pony, mare, 14½ hands high; small white spot on side. Suitable reward for information

leading to recovery.

ON MONDAY-WATERPROOF Finder kindly return to 594 Dufcoat. Finder ferin avenue. LOST, ON FRIDAY-PEARL BROOCH

### (crown shape), with chain, pin attached. Finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving at this office. AGENTS WANTED.

A BRIGHT AGENT, WITH AMBITION, looking for a permanent agency, with a chance for advancement; salary, \$400 per year and upwards from the start, according to ability. Apply to Cooper, P. O. Drawer 531. London.

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WANTED.

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BUSINESS CHANCES.

WANTED TO BUY-TWO-CHAIR BAR-BER shop; must be cheap, city or country. James Marren, London, Ont. 76u GOOD STORE-EXCELLENT STAND for retail or office, Dundas street, near Wellington. Apply W. M. Spencer, 282 Dundas street. 75n

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### HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

TO LET—COMFORTABLE COTTAGE, 85 Clarence; rent, \$8 50. Apply London Soap Company.

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TO LET-HOUSE, 341 PRINCESS AVE-NUE; has bathroom and closets; pos-session on 15th May. Apply to Fraser, & Moore, barristers.

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NEIL COOPER, Auctioneer.

THE LIQUOR LICENSE ACT-TO whom it may concern: In accordance with the provisions of the liquor license act, public notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners will be held on Tuesday, the 13th day of May, at 4 p.m.. to consider an application made by James Ward for removal of shop license from No. 471 Simcoe street to premises known as street. No. 173 on the south side of King street. o. 173 on the south side of King street, subdivision No. 4 in ward No. 1. Any in subdivision No. 4 in ward No. 1. Any petition against the removal of said license, signed by duly qualified electors of the polling subdivision in which said premises sought to be licensed are situated, must be lodged with the undersigned at least four days before the ed at least four days before the day of meeting. R. HENDERSON, inspector. License Commissioners' Office, 629 Talbot

A Vancouver B. C., dispatch says that McLean Bros. have been given a the last four years. The town of Sarcontract to construct the Coast-to-Kootenay Railway for a cash subsidy, to be returned to the province by a percentage on the earnings of the road. the line to be exempted from taxation for a term of years. The necessary bill will be brought down on Monday. Scrofula is a bad thing to inherit or acquire, but there is this about it-

For Genuine Leather Purses, English, American or Canadian styles, try-Tackaberry & Co., 364 Richmond.

Hood's Sarsaparilla completely cures even

THE NEVER failing medicine, Holloway's Corn Cure, removes all kinds of corns, warts, etc.; even the most difficult to remove cannot withstand this wonderful remedy.

## THE PRINCESS BEATRICE WAS WILDLY JEALOUS

Reasons for Her Attempt at Suicide.

Death of Bret Harte, the Noted American Author.

Condition of Queen Wilhelming Still Critical—Royal Family of Greece in Peril.

PRINCESS WAS JEALOUS.

Rome, May 6. - It is learned that Princess Beatrice, daughter of Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, who attempted to commit suicide, arrived at the Sistine bridge, beautifully dressed and wearing jewels. She made the sign of the cross and then jumped into the Tiber. Her clothing kept her afloat until two policemen jumped into the river and rescued her.

She refused to give her name to the police, who decided to take her to a hospital. Upon arriving in the hospital ward she revealed her identity, and explained that her attempt at self-destruction was due to jealousy of her husband, Prince Massimo. The princess is now suffering from fever, and her father has been summoned.

Princess Elvira, a sister of Princess Beatrice, ran away with a painter,

named Folchi, two years ago. DEATH OF BRET HARTE. London, Hay 6. - F. Bret Harte, the American author, died here last night. He was born at Albany, N. Y., on Aug. 25, 1839. Bret Harte died suddenly at the Red House, Camberley, near Aldershot, from hemorrhage, caused by

an affection of the throat. Mr. Harte had been living quietly in England for years. Most of his time was spent in the country, and when in London he was almost equally secluded, having few visitors to his rooms at Lancaster Gate, and only going to the houses of a limited number of very intimate friends. Several months ago, when a Wales report of his death was circulated in America, a representative of the Associated Press called at his rooms. Mr. Harte then appeared to be perfectly well. He laughed heartily and quoted Mark Twain's old saying about the report being grossly exaggerated. "Except for a little cold," said Mr. Harte. "I have no allments or complaints. While I am getting to be a pretty old man" (pointing to his snowwhite hair), "there is life in the oid dog yet," and thereupon he lit a cigar so large that it would have done credit to any of his Poker Flat friends. He was hoping, he also said, to do some more work, but he confessed he was

growing lazy. BRET HARTE'S DEATH WAS SUD-

DEN. London, May 6 .- Mr. Harte had been suffering from swollen tonsils since December last, but he did not consider the attack to be serious. A week ego he went to visit some friends at Cam-

THE PREMIER

Lambton Electors Did Not

Forget Ross,

But Gave Him a Reception Worthy

of His Record.

Ontario's Educational Policy Ably De-

fended-Testimony to Its Excel-

lence Contributed by Opponents

of the Government.

Sarnia, May 5.-It has remained for

Sarnia and the Liberals of West Lamb-

ton to score highest in the demonstra-

tion to Premier Ross in his Ontario

tour. There is a very heated cam-

paign in this riding, and the enthusi-

asm displayed today shows that the

Mr. Fred F. Pardee, the riding's pop-

ular and capable representative for

nia wore a holiday attire today; flags

and streamers were flying, brass

bands were abroad, and the streets

were thronged with men and women,

many of whom wore a red ribbon.

signifying their sympathy with the

his rousing campaign deliverances.

THE PEOPLES' WELCOME.

AT SARNIA!

berly, and was present at lunch as us-ual yesterday. But he suddenly be-came ill in the afternoon, went to bed and died in a few hours. His end was

QUEEN WILHELMINA. The Hague, May 6 .- Queen Wilhel-

mina's physicians, in their morning bulletin, issued at Castle Loo, says: "After a slight rise in her tempera-ture yesterday evening, the queen had a quiet night and slept most of the time. Her temperature this morning is normal, and her condition at the present moment is fairly satisfactory, although the patient still requires great

care and attention." Queen Wilhelmina went through a similar illness about a year ago, when there was great disappointment among the people who had looked forward to greeting an heir to the throne. A few weeks ago the young queen was taken ill with typhoid, and for a time her death was feared. Then the fever sub-sided, and on Saturday she was reportted to have practically recovered. event of Sunday night had been feared from the first of the typhoid attack. Telegrams continue to pour in from

begging information as to the condi-tion of Queen Wilhelmina, and expressing the most sincere sympathy with her majesty. ROYAL FAMILY IN PERIL Athens, May 6.-While the royal yacht Amphitrite, with the royal family of Greece on board was on its way

royal and other notable personages,

gone to the scene to assist in refloating the Amphitrite. The royal party were proceeding to Chalkis to celebrate the king's name day. Chalkis is on the west coast of Eubeoa Island, 35 miles from Athens. THE CATTLE EMBARGO.

In answering a question to the House of Commons, suggesting the desirability of augmenting the food sup-ply in view of the present prospective short supplies of beef, the president of the board of agriculture. R. W. Hanbury, said that the government could not remove the restrictions placed on the importation of Canadian store cattle; but, possibly, Argentine beasts might be admitted on the same conditions as cattle from the United States. Mr. Hanbury added that he was awaiting information on the sub-

ject from the Argentine Government. COMBINE WON'T HURT CANADA. Lord Strathcona, interviewed by the Daily Mail, said that in his opinion the proposed steamship combine would Canadian fast line of steamships, a line that would embrace vessels superior even to the ocean greyhounds which Germany at present ization of the colonial dream of federa-

ANOTHER CONSUMPTION CURE. Another attempt to combat tubercuosis has just been communicated to the French Academy of Medicine by Dr. Spadari. He claims to have arrested the progress of incipient consumption by administering iodide of potassium in solution in very small doses, followed by an inhalation of essence of turpentine lasting ten min-This treatment is concurrent with the usual hygienic and dietetic

CABLE NOTES. The pope was greatly distressed when informed of the death of Arch-

bishop Corrigan, of New York. His holiness had been a constant inquirer for news throughout the archbishop's

It is currently reported that the Dowager Queen Margherita has de-

cided to enter a convent. Ross Geddes, followed by more cheers. The route lay through streets decorated with many flags and banners. Among the mottoes on the streamers were: "West Lambton Welcomes the Premier," "Vote for Pardee, Progress and Prosperity," "Remember Ross," and "Sarnia Sawmills Show the Sawlog Policy of the Liberals." This afternoon the premier attended a reception, between 4 and 5 o'clock, under the auspices of the Brys' Brigade, of which he is president, when for upwards of an hour a steady stream of visitors

shook the hand of the distinguished A PROCESSION. Prior to the opening of the meeting tonight a procession was organized. which paraded through the streets. Lieut.-Col. Ellis was chief marshal and Capt. Colter, assistant marshal. The Sarnia brass band led, while the other bodies marching were the Sarnia Liberal Association, the various ward organizations of the Reform

Association, and the 29th Regiment Bugle Band. The processionists, together with

turned away.

AT THE AUDITORIUM. The large auditorium was filled in mony as to the excellence of our school less than 2,000 persons. The mottoes and streamers included these: "Liberals Love Their Eloquent Leader," ton Reform Association, was chairman. Among those with him on the Mr. F. F. Pardee, Dr. T. G. Johnston. candidate in North Middlesex; Rev.

#### Smith, Forest; United States Consul McMillan, Sarnia.

Dr. Thompson, Sarnia; J. H. Fair-

bank; Dr. Colter; George Sanso, Pe-

trolia, Mayor Logie, Sarnia; Montague

Liberal government. Special trains from the east and south brought hun-The chairman, in a few well-chosen words, spoke of the premier's presence dreds to the town, and farmer's rigs and introduced Mr. Pardee. A re-markable demonstration greeted Mr. lined the streets adjacent to the hotel sheds. Fully two thousand persons Pardee as he arose to speak. Cheers heard the premier tonight in one of in his honor were given again and again. When silence was restored he thanked his hearers, and said the re-The premier reached Sarnia shortly ception was an evidence of satisfaction it." before 1 o'clock, and was driven to with the Liberal Government, with Mr. Ross then explained the referenthe residence of his nephew, Mr. J. Premier Ross, and also of satisfaction cum fully, and concluded his speech with

They had a policy for which no Liberal need apologize, a policy of progress, of go-ahead, opening up Canada and making her everything that can be made; in short, Canada for the Canadians. (Cheers.)

After Mr. Pardee came Dr. Johnston and Mr. Fairbank, who made telling

MR. ROSS' TRIBUTE TO LAMBTON When Premier Ross rose to speak he was given a magnificent reception. In opening, Mr. Ross recalled the names of famous sons of Lambton. Hon Alex. Mackenzie, Hon. T. B. Pardee and Hon. J. F. Lister. And now they had another scion of the Pardee family, able and courteous in debate, and thoroughly informed in regard to pub-

lic matters. (Cheers.) "Mr. Whitney says it's time for a change," Mr. Ross continued. "I have been premier for less than three years. What is the matter with me? (Laughter.) Why should I be changed because my pre-decessors occupied office for a good while? The time has not come for a change. The rebellious Israelites were compelled to wander forty years. Our opponents have only been thirty years the wilderness. (Laughter and cheers.) Their time is not up yet. They have ten years longer to serve, and what I have to say to you is to see that they serve their full term. (Renewed laughter.) It will take it all before they are fully equipped and ready to enter the promised land. (Cheers.) Mr. Whitney gave me a very bad name when speaking here a week ago, and I fear that you scarcely recognize me as the same gentleman who was for six years in-

who enjoyed the complete confidence of

the county council.

THE OPPOSITION'S LANGUAGE. Some of the choice expressions used at Mr. Whitney's meeting, some of to Chalkis last night, it stranded in them evidently intended to apply to the Euripos Channel. Vessels have myself and colleagues, were as follows: them evidently intended to apply to "Political cowards, hiding behind any unclean thing like the referendum, "Ministers who brazenly held positions," "Ministers with faces of brass," "Arrant and contemptible cowards," 'Slimy villains," "Deep humiliation for Ontario," and so on. (Loud laughter.) Don't you think he had better spare his words? asked Mr. Ross. Ruskin, speaking of a certain 'individual, said he was covered with a "cutaneous eruption of vituperative volubility. (Renewed laughter.) I hope Mr. Whitney will never be afflicted with it. Mr. Ross went on to explain in some de tail several features of the government's policy, including the railway subsidies, the development of industries in the North, the success of the sawlog policy, the pulp industry and the taxes on corporations, on the lines

followed in previous speeches. MR. WHITNEY'S EDUCATIONAL

POLICY. "I understand," the premier went on not materially hurt Canada. It would to say, "that Mr. Whitney, when here, paid a good deal of attention to the subject of education. I would like to for the third reading of the James know in what respect he indicated any reform in our school system. How said he hoped for great results from the forthcoming conference of colonial premiers, and believed that the issues plied to the improvement either of our vorces were to be granted at all, they to be discussed would tend to the realization of the colonial dream of federa- (Hear, hear.) It is rather a serious fact that, while Mr. Whitney is 80 stituted court which could properly inanxious to reform our public school quire into them. Mr. Charlton's resystem, he never yet measure into the Legislature, although Ross (Victoria), who contended that he held a seat in the house for fourteen years, calculated to change single clause in the public or high vorces was an injustice to the poor school act."

Is it not strange if our system is so imperfect, that Mr. Whitney in the session of 1901 allowed the public and high school acts to be consolidated for their improvement? One would expect that bills dealing with everything 5 per cent in our high schools, dealing the money market was not likely to be with the training of teachers and the favorable; we could wait till after the powers to be exercised in administra- war. The resolution was adopted, tion of schools and in the preparation amendment if our school system is as imperfect as he alleges. (Applause.) But the fact is that, although these bills were considered by the house at clause by clause in committee of the whole house, he did not propose an amendment either to a line or sentence, proof that he does not understand the school system or that he has no in-(Hear, hear.) Whatever reason can be given, the fact remains as I have stat-

PRAISE FOR ONTARIO'S SCHOOL SYSTEM. If our school system is so defective, how is it that when we enter into competition with the school systems of other countries our system is rated | he hoped to reduce that amount by one high? special award was made to the Government of Ontario for the general educational exhibit expressed in the

following terms: "For a system of public instruction almost ideal in the perfection of its detail and the unity which bind together in one great whole all the schools from the kindergarten to the those already gathered, filled Victoria university, this award was made to Hall to overflowing, and many were the schools of Ontario in competition with the schools of the United States and the continent of Europe."

The premier referred to similar testievery available inch of space, with system, given by Sir Richard Webster, chairman of the British Royal Commission at the World's Fair. Gen. Eaton, commissioner of education for "Lambton Is Satisfied; She Needs No the United States, and even the To-Change," The Liberals Brought the ronto Mail, which said, referring to Liberals are thoroughly roused, and Tall Chimneys." Dr. A. J. Fisher, of the educational exhibit at Chicago: will spare no effort necessary to elect Brigden, president of the West Lambjustly feel proud of the success of its educational exhibits. The commissionplatform were: Hon. George W. Ross, er says he understands that Ontario has the only award given for a com-M.P.; W. H. Taylor, ex-M.P.P., Liberal plete system of education from the kinplete system of education from the kindergarten to the university." And later the Mail used these words: "We congratulate the department and the teachers and pupils of this province on their brilliant achievements and wonderful success in capturing such an award when in competition with so many older and wealthier nations and states, declared by prominent educationists as the largest and most complete selection of the work and appliances ever collected together." Sir John Carling, speaking at the

convocation of the Western University of London a couple of years ago, said of our school system: "It is the best in the world. No other can surpass t." (Cheers.)
Mr. Ross then explained the referen-

with the way he had represented them

people. It restores vitality and flesh lost by the enervating influence of the weather. It's nourishing, and is

also a fine appetizer. Beef, Wine and Iron (C. & L.) is a blood-builder, and an ideal spring

tonic. Large bottles, only 50 cents. CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Chemists and Druggists,

216 Dundas Street. Corner Park Avenue, London, Ont. an eloquent appeal to his audience to so live as to make Canada a worthy colony of the great empire and to pre-

serve to our children those inheritances of liberty which we have received from our fathers. When. Mr. Ross resumed his seat the audience rose and cheered name with the utmost vigor, and the meeting closed with more cheers for

### the King, for the premier and for Mr. Pardee. gentleman who was for six years inspector if schools in this country, and who enjoyed the complete confidence of METHODS CENSURED

Mr. Charlton, M. P., Advocates Divorce Courts.

The House Makes Good Progress With the Estimates

Government Telegraph Lines-Yukon

Buildings-Proposed Departmental

Building at Ottawa. Ottawa, May 5.-Morning sessions began in the House of Commons today

and an unusual amount of business Mr. John Charlton, on the motion Brown divorce bill, renewed his proshould be granted by a properly conintroduced a marks were indorsed by Hon. William the present method of granting di-

people.

MR. FIELDING'S BILL. The house went into committee on a resolution by Mr. Fielding asking without proposing a single amendment power to borrow \$15,000,000. The last time when power was asked to borthat pertains to the education of 95 row was in 1897. He did not think per cent in our public schools, to use that advantage would be taken of the Mr. Whitney's own expression, and the | bill this year, because the condition of

Among the bills considered and of text-books, would call out some passed was one to amend the fruit marks act. The packer is now relieved from the necessity of stamping his full name on packages and need only stamp initials of his first name. their three readings, and considered with surname and address in full. Inspectors are given power when fruit is falsely marked or badly packed to efface the marks of description and or even a word, of either bill. Is this fraud, these words on packages notifying the packer of his action.

itiative, or that he does not care? NEW DEPARTMENTAL BUILDING. In committee of supply Hon. J. I. Tarte stated he was personally of the opinion it would be profitable to erect a new departmental building, and that the site near the exchequer court, west of the Mackenzie block, which R. L. Borden had suggested, was a good one. The rental now paid for buildings in Ottawa was \$18,000 yearly, but For instance, at Chicago a or two thousand dollars this year by making improvements in the postoffice building. The question of erecting a new chamber for the House of Commons was, he said, under consideration, but it was a most difficult problem to solve. He promised to give the matter of the ventilation of the chamber his most careful attention and to

consult experts. This afternoon, in answer to Mr. Borden, Mr. Tarte explained that the government has 6,000 miles of telegraph lines, including the Yukon line, and

some 230 miles of cable. In answer to Mr. Earle, Mr. Tarte stated that the total length of the Yu-kon telegraph line is 2,135 miles, the total cost \$786,224, not including \$95,000 taken out of construction money. The total average cost per mile was \$368 23. There are 70 offices and 110 employes. He explained that by laying cable in the most exposed sections to was hoped to have an uninterrupted circuit throughout the whole year. Next year [Continued on page 6.]

The pupils of The Western Ontario Shorthand and Business Academy, 76 Dundas street, are taught by successful teachers, and are placed in situations as soon as competent, and this is the best proof of the success of our method of instruction. Miss Page has been placed as bookkeeper for Mr. Hagarana ed as bookkeeper for Mr. Hagerman, lumber merchant, city. Pupils may join day or evening classes at any time.
WM. C. COO. C.S.R.,