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—Mr. A. G. Frances has severed his connection with A. Scream & Co., to accept a position with Dundas, Flavelle & Co., Lindsay.

—Mr. Bert Yealland, contracting freight agent, Pere Marquette Railroad, Toledo, Ohio, was on a brief visit to his parents in this city today, on his way from Toronto.

—Mrs. John McCann, 234 Central avenue, wishes to thank the nurses and staff of Victoria Hospital for kindness and care extended to her while she was a patient in the institution.

—Mr. C. B. Foster, district passenger agent of the C. P. R., has sent out a general notice to all agents, notifying them that the Oceanic Steamship Company has withdrawn its service from the San Francisco-Australia route. This will divert all Australian and New Zealand business to the Canadian-Australian Line operating from Vancouver in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway.

CARADOC SCHOOL HONOR ROLL.
The following is the honor roll for the Easter examination at school section No. 13, Caradoc: Class IV.—Earl Cobban and Mary McLachlin. Class III.—Willie Chambers and Ethel Cobban. Class II.—Alice Adams, Jessie McLachlin and Fred Orr. Class I.—Harold Forsythe.

MISSION BAND ORGANIZED.
A Mission Band was recently organized in the Colborne Street Methodist Sunday School by Mrs. Harrison, the district organizer. The following officers were elected for the year: Superintendent, Mrs. Robinson; president, Myrtle Hickey; vice-president, Lena Henry; recording secretary, Laura Foster; corresponding secretary, Maude Beech; treasurer, Ella Henderson; secretary of Palm Branch, Mable Houston; pianist, Cynthia Stabler. The band, which will meet semi-monthly, starts with a membership of over 20.

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Rev. Dr. Stewart of Rochester at Reopening of Talbot Street Church.

The Rev. J. W. A. Stewart, D.D., professor in the Rochester Theological Seminary, and dean of the faculty, preached yesterday morning and evening at the Talbot Street Baptist Church, and in the afternoon he delivered an excellent address at the open meeting Sunday school. It was reopening day, the church and Sunday school having recently undergone repairs and alterations necessitating an expenditure of over \$6,000.

In the morning Mr. Stewart chose for his text the words contained in the 15th Psalm: "But if I tarry long, that thou mayest know how thou oughtest to behave thyself in the house of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth."

"Everything," began Mr. Stewart, "is built on a foundation. Even as the great British Empire is built on liberty, so is the church built on truth. We must think of two things: truth and the church. And they should be synonymous."

All truth, he said, was embodied in God, and no one truth could conflict with another truth. The church was the earthly embodiment of spiritual truth. "Everything," continued the speaker, "is founded on God, by God, and for God."

The universe, he said, had a spiritual origin, and each being in it had a spiritual nature. God made man in his own image and likened him unto himself. While the church was founded on truth, it was also a pillar, or stay, upon which truth should rest. As a rule the world was too ready to forget God, and men often looked around for truth instead of through them. The outside of a telescope showed nothing, but if one looked through the instrument distant wonders were revealed.

The great business men, the prominent men of modern times, pride themselves on their wonderful intellect, but their marvelous business insight, and forget that God, and God alone, is responsible for their greatness. People too often apparently did as they liked, and asked, "Where is God?"

The Almighty, said Mr. Stewart, "stands in every store, every home—in fact, everywhere; and he is there as executor of his own holy judgment."

The church was necessary in many ways, but none more so than as a monument to remind people that there was and is a Christ.

The speaker deplored the fact that in many churches or denominations, the priests came between God and souls. Inspiration and the Bible was denied, and the church was denied. In fact, souls were taught not to look to Christ, but to earthly servants of the Master.

"There are three supremely great institutions on this earth where good may be done," continued Mr. Stewart. "They are—the home, the church and the pulpit. The church testifies to passers-by that there is a world above; the home can wield an influence all-powerful, and the pulpit is a gate to opportunity for doing words of good if a real, live man be in it."

The prayer services, the Sunday school and other branches of church work, he said, did much good. But there was good and bad in all things, and the church was no exception. To ring true when thrown upon a table, so sometimes did the work of the churches fail to give forth the genuine ring.

The speaker dwelt at some length on the new movement of church poles in general, and said that while many church members believed that they were doing their full duty by attending church regularly, there were many thousands of people outside of the church fold, who would be glad to become Christians were it not for the obvious apathy of the churches themselves. Mr. Stewart referred principally to the working classes, thousands of whom stayed away from church chiefly because they felt that they were not wanted there.

In Rochester, ten ministers, the speaker included, had gotten together and formed a small association for the purpose of preaching the Gospel to the classes which the churches failed to reach. For some time these gentlemen have been visiting the various shops in that thriving city at noon-hour, and giving ten and fifteen minute services to the men working there. At the beginning, perhaps only ten of the workmen in a shop would join in the services. Gradually, however, the number increased until 50 or more would gather around and listen to the services. A few moments of the fifteen would be given to song, and the remainder to a short discourse on Christianity. In order to decide whether the services were popular or not, the question was recently put to a popular vote of the workmen, and every workman voted for a continuation of the noon-hour services.

"There are thousands of Christian souls behind the grease and grime of the great shops, waiting to be saved," said the speaker, in conclusion. "And, remember, God says: 'Go ye forth into all the world and preach the gospel.' Foreign missions are all right, but we must not forget that there is a great work to be done right at our own doors."

"The Aristocracy of Youth."
At the First Methodist Church last night, Rev. J. W. Graham preached to a large congregation, taking as his theme "The Aristocracy of Youth," after referring briefly to two kinds of aristocracy, namely, that of wealth and that of blood, Mr. Graham compared them with the aristocracy of youth, with its energy, strength, hope and ambition in overwhelming quantity. He spoke of the physical attributes of youth and pointed to the great importance of a strong and healthy body, but while doing so he warned young men to guard against putting the physical before all else, or the worship of brute strength. In closing Mr. Graham said that in order to gain the high ideal of the aristocracy of youth a man must have a strong body and soul. Sp

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the London Male Chorus and the male portion of the choir, under the direction of Mr. Jordan. Mr. Ruthven McDonald, of Toronto, and Mr. Alfred Dunn rounded solos.

Rev. Mr. Livingstone preached at the Hill Street Methodist Church yesterday morning, when he baptized one and received thirteen into the membership of the church.

Rev. Mr. Telle, of the German Evangelical Church, will preach this evening in the Wellington Street Methodist Church, in connection with special revival services to be held there this week.

Madame Egbert, the colored soprano, rendered several solos at the Wellington Street Church last evening.

Dr. Hossack, of Toronto, addressed a large gathering of young men at a special meeting held in the First Methodist Church yesterday afternoon, in connection with the 29th anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. After giving a brief sketch of the origin and growth of the Y. M. C. A., Mr. Hossack spoke of the work done by the institution wherever it existed the world over.

At the York Street Mission last night Evangelist Belcher answered the question, "Is it possible to attain to sinless perfection?" He quoted John i, 2-9, and said it is a saying which is very staggering to one's faith and the interpretation of it has led to very opposite results—despair on the one hand and presumption on the other. They should produce a result exactly midway between these two, an intense striving after holiness, and an intense humility because we come so far short of it. No man may claim sinless perfection. Yesterday was a red letter day in the history of the Adelaide Street Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. T. T. Shields, giving the right hand of fellowship to 65 new members. The reception took place at the observance of the Lord's Supper, which followed the regular evening service. Of the new members, 39 had been baptized within the past five weeks. The pastor's morning sermon, from John xiv, 23, was more especially addressed to the young converts. The evening service began with the baptism of six persons, and the sermon dealt with the question, "Who Should Partake of the Lord's Supper?" Text, I Corinthians xi, 23 to 26. Mr. H. T. Ryland, of the Wellington Street Baptist Church, sang two solos at the morning service in splendid voice, while Miss Minnie Butler's solo solo in the evening was much appreciated.

SPOTTERS SECURE THIRD CONVICTION
Fifty-Dollar Fine Imposed on London Township Woman for Breaking Laws.

As a result of the work of spotters in the employ of the Ontario Government, Lillian McGraw, of the Gov. London Township, was on Saturday fined \$50 and \$50 costs, by Squire Chittick, for selling liquor without a license.

One of the spotters who operated in the case is the same individual who on Saturday morning secured the conviction of a druggist and a hotelman for violating the license laws. Thursday night the pair visited the McGraw house, made themselves real good fellows by taking two of the occupants for a drive, and when, upon their return, one of the girls intimated that they were thirsty, the spotters bought \$1 worth of ale. On the strength of their evidence the conviction was recorded. An appeal will be entered, the defendant claiming that she was not at the house at the time of the alleged offense.

Daniel Thody, of Lambeth, also appeared on a charge of selling liquor after hours, but the case was dismissed. The crown witnesses were the spotters, who claimed to have secured liquor at Thody's after closing time.

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