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S. F. GARDINER,

0444444444444444444444 Chatham, May 17, 1904

DISTRICT DOINGS.

DARELL.

Mr. Chas. Agar's' staff of horses—three teams—marrowly escaped bing consumed in the configration on Thursday last. An old straw stack had been burnt and all fire was supposed to have been extinguished. However, during the noon hour, the shed in which the horses had been tied for dimer, caught fire and the flames had begun to deal destruction to its victim. The horses were fortunately, relieved by Mr. Agar valued his horses at \$600, which would indeed have been a very heavy loss had they been burnt.

S. S. No. 2 have added about fifty new volumes to their library, 'A case for the books is the only requisite to furnish the school with one of the best library equipments to be found in rural schools.

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to be raised ready when the Board meets. It was decided by the Board to ask the conference to join Jean-nette's Creek with Tilbury church and have the Rev. Mr. Uren preach here every Sunday morning at eleven.

M. This arrangement would be very agreeable to the members here.

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J. Thompson, of London, carriage tramer, is now engaged for the season by William Pursous.

Many regrets are heard over the action of Dr. Jamieson in resigning from Bithel, as the Dr. is a prime favor'te with St. James' people. It is to be hoped that Dr. will not leave the Chatham Presbytery.

John Stenton was in the village Sunday interviewing his friends.

The Ladies' Aid are to provide lunch on the Rifle Range for competing teams on Thursday, 19th inst., and dinner in the evening in the basement of the church.

Neil Clark had a runaway, which did not prove serious, only the rig and harness being badly damaged.

Mrs. (Dr.)Robertson with children, Christina and Ross, of Newbury, are visiting with her mother, Mrs. Christina Clark, for a few days.

William Parsons has just moved into his fine new residence.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Morgan were visiting with friends in the village on Sunday.

Mr. Booth, of Port Lambton, is visiting with his son, G. E. Booth, our esteemed merchant.



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### EBERTS.

The farmers here have about finish-The farmers here have about finished seeding.

New St. Andrew's choir, of Dover, will have charge of the song service in Chalmer's church next Sunday.

Riv. Mr. Neilly will conduct the Y. P. S. meeting on Tuesday evening.

Miss McCorvie, of Mul', has returned home after visiting friends and relatives here.

The Misses Rowe were in the Maple City on Saturday.

We congratulate the Darrell football team on their success in last Saturday's game.

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Lawn tranks is to be the popular sport here this summer.

Geo. Byran left on Monday for Mis-

Gray Bros. have had the misfortune to lose two colts this spring.

Wm. Brooksbank shipped a fine drove of cattle this week.

E. H. Mor is doing a rushing business in his new up-to-date store.

### 13th CON., RALEIGH.

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The farmers of this vicinity are nearly all through seeding.
Coms.derable excitement was caused the other day by unknown parties breaking into a well known farmer's house.

Mr. Doyle has contracted for the job of drawing oil from the gusher.
Mrs. James Russell spent Monday with friends in Chatham.

Wilfrid Scaman spent Sunday with friends on the Blenheim road.

The rain on Saturday right was quite acceptable.

### EAST BRANCH

A rain would do the land good.
There are prospects of a good fruit crop this season.
Dr. Thorne, of F. Seed's of Wallaceburg, made a business trip up the East Branch on Friday.
W. Innis is slightly indisposed.
Fraser Knight, of Wallaceburg, spent Saturday with his friend, Stanley Richardson.
Miss Annie Kellet, of the 5th Con., left last week to visit friends in the East.
The steamer Winous sailed up the river on Tuesday evening.

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JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

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East.

The steamer Winona sailed up the river on Tuesday evening.

The popular St. James' Choir, of Wallaceburg, was on board the Winona Tuesday evening en route to Dresden, where they took part in an entertainment in that fown.

A few from here will take in the excursion to Detroit on the 24th.

A number of fine fish are being captured in Otter Creek.

The farmèrs are preparing their corn ground, and the click of the corn planter will be heard on every side.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith, of Dresden, spent Sunday at the home of his father, S. Smith.

G. Barry, of Wallaceburg, called on his friend Milt. Richardson, recently.

CHARING CROSS.

Wm. Jenner, Jr., of the Middle toad, lost a valuable horse last

week.

Real estate has certainly been a boom of late on the Middle Road. Four farms have changed hands this spring, Mr. Warner, of Blenheim, buying the Shepley farm, Mr. Henderson buying the Fred Jenner farm, A. Cameron buying the Geo. Jenner farm, and L. Edmondson, of Blenheim, buying the Russell farm. The average price was about \$30 per acre.

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We are glad to report that Miss ollie Drewry is steadily improving. Wm. Scaman has about completed the sale of his fast colt, "Flying Bet," to some eastern parties.

George Shaw spent Sunday with friends in Blenheim. Mr. Shaw says a man had better take a nose-bag for his horse and a few oats when he goes there, in order to have accommodation, as all the stables are crossed.

John Earley has purchased the horse, King Canuck, from parties in Pain Court.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle, of Harwich, spent Sunday with friends on the 11th Con.

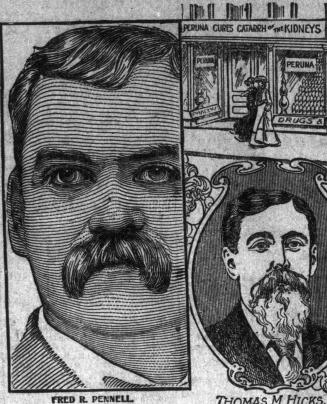
It is a wonder that our commissioner does not repair the bridge on the 11th Con., as it is in bad condition. Is he waiting so as to have to pay for a few more wagons and buggies? One has been paid for already which was broken in the washout.

# APPLEDORE,

We are glad to hear that little rene Brown, who fell from a swing and was seriously injured, is improv-

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S. L. Earle, Superintendent of Streets, Jacksonville, Fla., writes:

"I am a firm believer in Peruna. I find that it has been of practical benefit to a number of the men employed in the Street Cleaning Depart. ment in the city of Jacksonville. They are especially exposed to the inclemency of the weather and a number who caught eold, which later developed into pneumonia, kidney or liver trouble, were cured through the use of Peruna."—S. L. Earle, Superintendent of Streets.

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ville, Ky., writes:

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## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* District Dashes: In the Division

Crossley & Hunter closed their ser-

On Monday morning the Rev. Mr. Nicol became the happy father of a beautiful pair of children, a boy and a girl. The children and mother are well and the happy rather is receiving from all sides the glad hands and showers of congratulations in which the Herald-Record joins. — Wallaceburg Herald. burg Herald,

### BUSINESS CHANGE.

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Mr. Geo. Pierce, city fireman, has embarked in a mercantile venture having purchased the stock of books and stationery owner by the late T. N. Leigh. Miss Sadie Pierce will have charge of the store, and if the owner being a good fellow and the saleshad being all that the most fastidious could desire, count for anything, their success is assured, — Wallaceburg Herald,

MANITOBA WHEAT. Mr. Sandy McVean this week received what he thinks is the best car of Manitoba wheat he has ever seen. He says it is simply a magnificent sample of wheat. — Dresden Standard.

## OUNGAH.

D. Urquhart left for St. Louis last Roy McKenzie, of Detroit, is home

W. J. Brown is all smiles. It's a girl.

We are all looking forward for a good time at the picnic in McKellar's grove on the 26th inst., under the auspices of the Ladies Assisting So-

Miss Gertie Bruce left for Toronte Minard's Liniment Cures Diph theria.

ies of meetings in Sarnia on Thursday evening. They are this week holding a series of meetings at Markdale, Grey County.

appealed from report of Drainage Referee under the Municipal Act. A drainage work was constructed by the Township of Chatham in 1886, known as the "little creek drain," Menneth Henderson left Saturday morning for Moosejaw, Assa., where he has secured a lucrative situation in a large real estate office. —
Thamesville Herald. extending for a short distance into the Township of Dover for its outlet. Pursuant to a report of an engineer, the drain was entarged and improved Thamesville Herald.

Mr. Sam. Taylor's little daughter Leona has been brought home from the Chatham Hospital and has been doing well, but is reported to-day (Wednesday) not quite so well.—Wallaceburg Herald-Record.

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LOCAL LEGAL

In the Divisional Court, Osgoode Hall, Thursday:

Township of Chatham vs. Township of Dover,—M. Wilson, K. C., for the corporation of the Township of Dover, appealed from report of Drainage Recepter under the Municipal Act. A drainage work was constructed by the Township of Chatham in 1896.

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