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Apoplexy While Holidaying. [Special to The Advertiser.] Forest, Aug. 24. — Death came very suddenly to Mrs. Charles Fitch, of De-

Deceased came to Ipperwash about a menth ago, intending to spend some weeks. Last evening while walking along the beach she complained repeatedly of feeling cold. Her two daughters, Misses Jean and May, were with her at Ipperwash, and also Dr. Styles, of Detroit. A son, Frank, is with the firm of Warren & Co., in Detroit. The remains were brought to Forest today and will be sent to De-

HOW BRYAN WON HIS WIFE.

(Kansas City Star.) After William Jennings Bryan nad couried the beautiful Mary Baird for that he considered a sufficient length of time, the Commoner, then a struggling young lawyer, concluded to put the vital question to the father of the the vital description of the future Mrs. Bryan. William, after tin-ally drowning the lump in his throat-sought refugee in the scriptures.

"Mr. Baird, I have been reading Proverbs a good deal lately," said Mr. Bryan, "and find that Solomon says:

Whose findeth a wife, findeth a good thing and obtaineth favor of the Lord!" Father Baird, being somewhat of a Bible scholar himself, replied: "Yes, I believe Solomon did say that, but Paul suggested that, while he that

Bryan, who never has been at a loss for an answer in his spectacular life, quickly replied: "Solomon would be the best cuthority upon his point, because Paul was never married, while Sciomon had a number of wives." Wherupon Father Baird capitulat-

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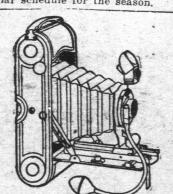
Rev. Thomas H. Mitchell Home.

Rev. Thos. H. Mitchell has returned from a pleasant holiday at Atlantic City and will occupy his own pulpit at both services tomorrow.

WEATHER TOO COOL

Only Small Crowd at Concert in Victoria Park.

Cool weather interfered with the Mrs. Charles Fitch Was Victim of attendance at the band concert last evening, the usual number not being present. However, the Seventh Regisuddenly to Mrs. Charles Fitch, of De-troif, at Ipperwash Beach, where she was summering, shortly after she had risen today. She was stricken with ment Band, under the leadership of risen today. She was stricken with season. The medley of Scotch songs street, city, who has been spending apoplexy and died in a few minutes. was loudly applauded, and Bandsman her vacation in Hamilton has return-



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#### "SWAT THE FLY" CONTEST EXFENDED

Limit Has Been Set Now For the 10th of September.

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#### Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Albert D. Benson and daughters are visiting at 359 Dufferin

avenue. Miss Woods, William street, has re turned to the city after holidaying with friends in Glencoe and Detroit. She also attended the Old Boys' Re-union at Newbury.

Miss Margaret Burns, of 9 Dundas accompanied by her cousin, Mrs. R. Mahoney.

Misses Winnie and Margaret Scott, daughters of Mr. Robert W. Scott, terminals agent, Montreal, and nieces of Lady Whyte, Winnipeg, are visit-ing Mr. Samuel Munro and family, of South London. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Biggar and the

Misses Biggar, of Blenheim, who have been motoring through Michigan, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Benson, Piccadilly street. Mr. Frank Rowed, of this city, left nights, and Saturday matinee. This last week for Winnipeg, where he was comedy has enjoyed success and pros-

made manager of the sundry department of the National Drug Company, under his old manager, Mr. F. H. Bole, who was formerly manager of the London branch.

Friends of Miss "Lou" Prevost, of Adelaide street north, will regret to learn that she is somewhat seriously ill at Victoria Hospital. Miss Prevost underwent an operation a few days ago, and her condition is now reported to be improved.

BROKE HIS ARM

Dorchester Lad Slipped While Up in Apple Tree.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Dorchester, Aug. 24. - Mr. L. Pinegar's son, Wesley, fell from an appletree on Monday and broke his arm just above the wrist. Under the care of Dr. Banghart he is doing well. grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rog-

ers, for a short visit. Miss Ethel Rogers, accompanied by her friend, Miss Edith Elliott, wheeled

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Miss Mamie Watcher is holidaying
at Port Stanley.
Miss Zella Lane is visiting with her
friend, Miss Woodley, at Fullerton.
Rev. Mr. Mahan paid a short visit
to friends here recently.
Mrs. (Rev.) Kerr is visiting at her
mother's in Glencoe.

mother's in Glencoe.

Mrs. Rouse, of Ingersoll, is the guest of Mrs. F. Boyes. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gracie, Wood-stock, paid a flying visit in the neighborhood on Wednesday.

Mrs. S. Lane is visiting at Moss

#### Music and Drama

The waning of the summer is brought vividly to one's attention when find the way into Canada, and London will patronize them liberally, as they have done in the past. Mr. A. J. Small has had a long summer's rest by a tour of the continent, and is now vigorously at work arranging matters for his Canadian houses. The staff at the Grand here will remain about the same.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

westerday all the land needed was secured. The price for the whole property was about \$60,000. Mr. Jennings is to be paid \$30,000 for his hotel if the new project goes through.

Money No Object.

According to Mr. Minhinnick, the men behind the proposition have plenty of capital. They control a string of hotels throughout the United States, and will erect several in Canada. To-

COMING ATTRACTITONS AT THE GRAND. Monday .... George Evans' Minstrels Friday and Saturday Next "The Arrival of Kitty"



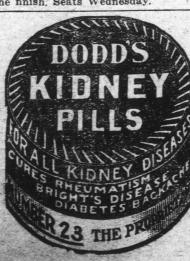
Was a Printer, George "Honey Boy" Evans, the di-minutive and distinguished peer of all minstrels, who, supported by his ver-Satile company ow comedians, song-sters and dancers, comes to the Grand sters and dancers, comes to the Grain Monday night, was a former printer and reporter. He could "set up" his own monologue, if he desired it to be published. He gained his first experience in "black-face" as a printer's devil, although the ink smudge did not come off as easily and painlessly the statement of the second of complexion, worked in many newspaper and printing establishments throughout the country before making his debut as a theatrical star. His versatility with the pen is evinced by the numberless articles and songs of note that have stirred up widespread note that have stirred up widespread placing the city hall on the Richmond mayhap if he had stuck to the newsnation—perhaps a power in politics.

This famous riot of jollity and laughs will be the offering at the Grand next Friday and Saturday



"The Arrival of Kitty," at th Grand Next Friday and

comedy has enjoyed success and pros-perity for several years. The engagement here means much to the theatre-goer who likes to forget his troubles, and have a good hearty laugh at the other poor fellow who is continually in hot water, but comes out all right at the finish, Seats Wednesday.



Land Bonded on Richmond St., It Is Said, for \$300,000 Hostlery.

DEPENDS ON CITY HALL

Unless the New Civic Building Goes There, New Yorkers Will Not Spend Their Money Here.

Negotiations for a new hotel in London to cost \$300,000 were practically closed yesterday afternoon, it is said, and the promoters are confident that work will be commenced on the prop-

osition at an early date. The Western Hotel property, at the corner of Richmond and Fullarton street, and the Morrison property at the rear on Fullarton street, have been bonded, and a deposit made on the

brought vividly to one's attention when attractions are advertised for the Grand Opera House. The season will open on Monday night with George Evans' minstrels, "The Arrival of Kitty" following on Friday and Saturday. Everything points to a fine class of attractions for the Grand. The successful plays and comic operas will be put in the enterprise will be furnished by Toronto and New York parties, although some local money will be put in the enterprise will be furnished by Toronto and New York parties, although some local money will be furnished by Toronto and New York parties, although some local money will be furnished by Toronto and New York parties, although some local money will be put in the enterprise will be furnished by Toronto and New York parties, although some local money will be put in the enterprise will be furnished by Toronto and New York parties, although some local money will be put in the enterprise, it is claimed. The promoters were in the city yesterday afternoon, and closed up the land part of the deal, it is announced. Mr. John R. Minhinnick has been securing the options for some time, and yesterday all the land needed was don't will be furnished by Toronto and New York parties, although some local money will be put in the enterprise, it is claimed. The promoters were in the city yesterday afternoon, and closed up the land part of the deal, it is announced. Mr. John R. Minhinnick has been securing the options for some time, and yesterday all the land needed was developed to the control of the deal, it is announced. Mr. John R. Minhinnick has been securing the options for some time, and yesterday all the land needed was developed to the control of the deal, it is announced. Mr. John R. Minhinnick has been securing the options for some time. The capital for the enterprise will be

> and will erect several in Canada. Toronto and Hamilton will follow London, and the promoters will begin work there as soon as work on the

local hotel is completed.

They spent the entire day here Friday, and looked over the deal. An architect accompanied them, in order to get an idea of the site on which the hotel is to be erected. The building will be six stories high, and of the most modern fireproof construction.
The first story will be altogether of stone, while the upper stories will be brick and steel

The promoters will return next week with completed plans, and tenders will be called for the construction of the building as soon as possible.

Land is Bonded.

"We have bonded the land, and made a deposit on the purchase price," said Mr. Minhinnick. "The men behind the enterprise have the capital, and it

as the jet preparation, which is his present disguise. The "Honey Boy," who is described by critics as being as chameleon in his talents as is his do. It is understood that they want the corporation to guarantee a certain portion of the bonds.

interest throughout the country, and and Maple street site.

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The promoters intend taking over paper game he might have been one the Western Hotel property at an earthe mightiest pen-wielders of the ly date, and run the hotel until the new building is ready.

# FOR BIG SHOW

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Dog Show Will Be Big Feature-Live Stock Entries More Numerous Than Ever Before.

The Western Fair is looming up

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and entries are pouring in so fast that Secretary Hunt intends to increase his office staff immediately. The number of entries on hand to date exceed that for the same day last year.
The fair grounds are the scene of the greatest activity. Scores of work-men are working daily, rain or shine, to get things in shape. Evidently a great deal of money is being spent on improvements in the grounds and in the buildings as well. The Dundas street entrance, the general office and the band stand have all received fresh coats of paint, and resent a very finished appearance. Six clusters of lights have been installed in the cinity of the main entrance, and the turnstiles at the entrances have been examined and repaired. A stair has been erected at each end of the grandstand from the upper story to the ground, which faciliates a great deal the emptying of the stands when they are crowded. On the stage in front of the grandstand a 75-foot row of foot-

lights have been installed.

The Main Building. The space in the Main Building has been all taken up; several firms have been refused the privilege of placing exhibits on account of the lack of space there. Many firms exhibiting have men at work preparing the sec-tions and vieing with each other as to

arrangements and show, The stock barns have been cleaned out, and are being bedded with straw. These will be filled to capacity this year. Two big entries have been received from Edmonton and Calgary, and more are expected. It is up to the farmers of Ontario to retain their laurels over the prize-winning west-

The Horticultural and Agricultural Buildings are going to be veritable fairylands, and will please even the most pessimistic eye. The inside of these buildings is being shrouded with green cedars and fifteen dozen suspended Union Jacks will display the national colors. The Asylum at Londow Junction have engaged one Londow Junction have engaged one Londow Junction have engaged one longer than the street of The Horticultural and Agricultural entire end of the Agricultural Hall and their exhibit will show the results of this year's effort in field husbandry. The C. P. R. are next to them, and will have a splendid exhibit.

The Poultry Building will have a large collection of the finest fowls in

The Dog Show.

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