# **LEAGUE WORK** IN DISTRICT.

**Fpworth Convention In First Metho** dist Church Yesterday.

Rev. Dr. White of British Columbia a Speaker.

### Large Attendance and Good Programme Last Evening.

The Epworth League of the Hamilton District held its annual convention in First Methodist Church yesterday afternoon and evening, and it was a decided success, and from the enthusiasm of the large audiences at both meetings, it is evident that the League is doing good work among the young people of this city and the surrounding district.

At the afternoon meeting, Rev. R. J. Treleaven, pastor of First Methodist Church, acted as chairman, and he had charge of a splendidly arranged pro-gramme, Rev. F. W. Hollinrake, of Zion Tabernacle, conducted the opening devotional exercises. After an address of welcome by the chairman, a round table conference was conducted by Rev. S. T. Bartlett, the Associate Secretary of the Sunday School and Epwortn Leaguers, in the Eastern portion of Canada. The conference consisted of Mr. Bartlett distributing a number of printed slips through the audience on which were written a number of questions that he answered. These questions dealt with the work of the League, and Mr. Bartlett answered in a very clear and concise manner, which left no doubt in the minde of his hearers as to the right methods to pursue in advancing the cause of welcome by the chairman, a round thods to pursue in advancing the cause of the Epworth League. Next followed a well-rendered solo by Miss Alma Tall

man. Rev. J. S. White, D. D., a missionary Rev. J. S. White, D. D., a missionary from the Northwest, was the next speaker. Mr. White is an old Hamilton boy, having received his first local preachers license while a member of First Church. He was warmly received by the large audience. Mr. White's address deat chiefly with the work that is going on at the present time in the Northwest Mission Fields. He destribed accurately the conditions that prevail there, and emphasized the need of more young men in the west to carry on the work. He explained the needs, and the reason why the Eastern people of this great country should be loyal in their support of such a worthy object as the Northwest Missions. He was listened to with careful attention, and was warmly applauded.

Rev. Richard Whiting confined his remarks to a short religious talk. A solo by Miss Grace Treleaven was warmly

by Miss Grace Treleaven was warmly received. Mr. W. W. Prudham, a returned mis sionary from Japan, gave a telling ad-dress on "Foreign Missions." He dealt with the situation in Japan at the present time, explaining its needs and the tre-mendous development that is going on

in the country, just now.

The close of Mr. Prudham's address anded the afternoon meeting. The nominating committee was then chosen to select the officers for the coming year.

At the evening session, Rev. J. S. Williamson, D. D., of Emerald Street Methods. thodist Church, was the chairman, and he introduced another instructive and interesting programme. The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. R. H. Bell, B. A., of Charlton Avenue Methodist Church. The officers' reports and the research of the Nominating Committee was

Church. The officers' reports and the reports of the Nominating Commutice was the first item of business. The nominating committee's report was as follows:
G. I. Lush, President.
P. A. Moore, 1st vice-President.
Bert. Nichol, 2nd Vice-President.
Thos. Offen, 3rd Vice-President.
Miss Carey, 4th Vice-President.
Miss Modand, Fifth Vice-President.
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Miss McNair, Secretary.
Miss J. L. Harker, Treasurer,
W. E. Soule, Conference Representa-

These are the officers for the coming-These are the officers for the coming-year, and the names were received with tremendous applause. Many were the complimitary words of praise that were bestowed on Mr. J. H. hobinson, the ex-President, who took such a deep interest in the society's work during the past year. The society has much to be thank-ill for, for under his able leadership there has been great progress. Mr. Rob-inson, fortunately, is retained on the inson, fortunately, is retained on the executive board, and his advice and natural leadership will be eagerly sought

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Dr. Williamson, in the Chairman's address, had a few complimentary remarks to make regarding the progressive state of the church followed.

Mayor W. H. Moss, of Dundas, who is well known for the interest he takes in young people's work, was one of the speakers of the evening, and his short address was listened to with rapt attenaddress was listened to with rapt atten-tion. He spoke of the need of young people to carry on the work in the church, and emphasized the fact that the young people were the backbone of the caurch, and that the older people must look to the young people to carry on the

Rev. H. W. Crews, M. A., of Guelph, and Rev. J. S. White also spoke at the evening session, each dwelling on the importance of the young people in church work.

The convention closed with an address by Rev. S. T. Bartlett. His principal point was the need of the young people in the church. He regarded the presence of young people in connection with any work of the church as a sign that the Gospel was being spread. If there were no young people around to help stagnation would naturally be the result. Good work has been accomplished by the Epworth League in bringing young people to Christ, in a way that the church could not do, but the officers of the League even looked for greater results in the coming year, that would bring rejoicing to the executive board. Mr. Bartlett found that it pays to be optimistic, and The convention closed with an address ound that it pays to be optimistic, and that it does not pay to go around with long face when the subject of religion i mentioned, as that is apt to give man the impression that there is no joy i reving the Lord. erving the Lord.

# DEATH FOR SIXTEEN.

Kingston, Ja., Oct. 11.-Mail advices from Hayti state that 16 men were sen tenced to death there for conspirac overthrow the Government of the Re-public. Many persons fear a revolution



ACCIDENT TO WILBUR JEFFERIES AT E. D. SMITH'S.

Grimsby to Have a Series of Winter Assemblies-Praise for the Regimental Band-Personal Gossip.

Beamsville Oct 11 - (Special.) - Jas. Bennett, of Hartford, Conn., is home for

Dr. C. J. Freeman went to Burlington on Saturday, returning on Sunday. Mrs. McKeenan, of Walkerton, is vis-

iting her sister in town. George House is back in town, after a

year's stay in the west.
Rev. John O'Neil, of Paisley, Ont., and a once popular pastor of the local Baptist Church, will be in the old pulpit again on Sunday evening. His coming is being looked forward to with a good

again on Sunday evening. His coming is being looked forward to with a good deal of pleasure.

Mr. Wilbur Jefferies had the misfortune to crush his right and in the cogs of a hand derrick on Wednesday while superintending some work on Mr. E. D. Smith's new house at Winona.

Rev. D. C. and Mrs. MacIntyre, have gone to Blenheim and other points west for a mouth's holiday.

A. H. Dodsworth, of Hamilton, was renewing old acquaintances here on Friday last.

George Snider, of Brantford, and Mr. Frank Gayman, of White River, were in town for a couple of days last week.

Five H., G. & B. cars were hardly adequate to carry al the people who went up to the city on Tuesday, by the Stanley Mills excursion. An extra car could easily have been used in bringing home purchases. The Stanley Mills semi-annuals are now being looked forward to in the same way as Sunday school picnics.

The regular meeting of the School

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The regular meeting of the School Board will be held this Friday evening.

Mrs. (Dr.) Lawrason is home again, after an extended visit to Peterboro and other points east.

G. L. and Mrs. Whyte, of Lyndhurst, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Somerville.

ostponed, however, until Saturday even-ng. A number of the society people

### Wintergreen Home the Scene of a Pretty Wedding.

A very pretty but quiet wedding took Arthur Lee, Wintergreen Home, Stoney Greek, on Weinesday, Oct. 9, when their daughter, Ida, became the bride of W. M. Clark, of Binbrook. Promptly at four o'clock the bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," played by Min Myrtle Hannah, of Hamilton. Rev. S. Sarkişsian officiated. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Jack, was becomingly costumed in cream crepatine with lace trimmings, and carried a bour

fieur-de-lis, and to the groomsman a pair of gold cuff links.

The bride's travelling gown was light grey cloth and hat to match, with white plumes. Mr. and Mrs. Clark left amid showers of rice and confetti on: the evening train for Brantford and Paris. On their return they will reside near Tanleytown.

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Many beautiful presents were received, showing the high esteem in which the happy couple were held.

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Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sarkissian, Mr. and Mrs. B. Clark, Mr. Roy Clark. Miss Alice Swazie, and Miss C. Hendershott, Binbrook; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leitch, Brantford; Mr. and Mrs. C. Jerome, Glanford; Mrs. Hannah, Misses Lillie, Frankie and Myrtle Hannah, and Miss C. McIntyre, Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Hanilton Lee, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, Miss Gladys Webb, Misses A. and M. Lee, Stoney Creek.

# Saturday at McKay's.

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This bright store will be ready at 8.30 sharp to-morrow morning, ready with an increased staff of sales people to handle another day of immense business. Here's a few specials, and at savings shrewd buyers cannot afford to miss; 500 dozen ladies' fine Swiss embroidered handker-chiefs, worth regular 35e each, on sale 2 for 25c; \$1.25 flannelette night dresses for 89c; 60c bath towels for 45c; 200 yards 17e English flannelette for 12½c yard; and a rousing sale of ladies' golf jerseys, worth 83.50 for \$2.98 each; and \$8 silk waists for \$4.98; 90e French Venetian suitings for 69c yard; and 135 pairs lace curtains, worth regular \$1.50 pair, for 98c; also an immense Saturday carpet sale.

The first motor car on the Intercolonial ran from Moncton to Halifax on Thursday, Berlin is to have a British Welcom

(By Mrs. D. A. O'Sullivan, superintendent of the Andrew Mercer Reformatory, Toronto, in the Home Journal.)

Mercer Reformatory for six months. As — could not produce the coin, she will reappear in society some time during the

The 2T's

Let Us Get Acquainted

The 2T's Third Sale, Saturday, Oct. 12.

We say the Pants are worth \$2.75 to \$3.75. We say it because we know they are worth that much money and yet we offer them at \$1.80 on Saturday.

Yes, and we will do STILL BETTER. We will REFUND the MONEY for EVERY 13th PAIR WE SELL. WE NEVER LIKED 13 anyway.

The 2T's

70 and 72 King Street, Chatham.

Trudell & Tobey
50 and 52 James Street North Hamilton

Sale starts 8 a. m. sharp, so get busy.

Work Among Women.

300 pairs of Men's \$2.75, \$3, \$3.50 and \$3.75 Pants for ... ... \$1.80 a pair

See that your clothes bear the 2 T's label, the symbol of all that is worth while

work Among Women.

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was nonest and taithfull in the work and a docile prisoner. The disgrace of himprisonment finally drove her sister out of Canada. In a recent newspaper read of her in this style:

"To THE MERCER.
"In the police court this morning was given the option of paying in the source of Discharged Prisoners, a year ago said, speaking a given the option of paying fine of \$10 and costs or going to the work of the Committee of Discharged Prisoners, a year ago said, speaking a discharged convict to be reformed must be taken and kept well in hand. There must be some person in whom he can have confidence-confidence of such strength that it will lead him to submit to imposed restraints'; and again. "The lack of success in reclaiming ex-convicts that so often attends the efforts of organization and individual."

The must be success in reclaiming ex-convicts that so often attends the efforts of organization and individual. How much more strongly does all this apply to women—for myself. I think no woman should be discharged the except upon parole, and under a supervision that does not exist as yet in Canada, and the man who would tempt her weakness should be discharged the work of the man who would tempt her weakness should be guilty of a punishable offence. Too often has it occurred in my experience that a girl placed in domestic supervision that does not exist as yet in Canada, and the man who would tempt her weakness should be guilty of a punishable offence. Too often has it occurred in my experience that a girl placed in domestic supervision that does not exist as yet in Canada; and the most symmetric them to hand or Canada from now until Dec.

31st, 1908.

Only 50c

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Times

Some Difficulties in Reformatory

elimination of the flippant reports of police court proceedings.

3rd A revision of the present system of sentencing the keepers of houses of ill-fame, their inmates and frequenters, and of female drunks.

4th. The better protection and cara of the discharged female prisoner.

### AT THE ANY OLD TIME CLUB



MISS GLADYS VANDERBILT, WHO WILL WED COUNT LADISLAUS SZECH ENYI.

Miss Gladys Vanderbilt is a daughter of the late Cornellius Vanderbilt and has a snug little fortune of about \$12,000,000. She is accomplished in music and has studied singing in Paris with Jean de Reszke. She is also quite expert in guiding an automobile and often drives her big touring car through the streets of Newport. The count is a scion of a prominent Hungarian family and is said to be rich.

Cold Weather Ahead. Cold weather is coming, and the wise ones are preparing for it. Finch Bros., in their new west end store are holding a great Saturday October sale to-mor a great Saturday October sale to-morrow, and will make buying interesting
and profitable in women's and children's
warm winter garments of all kinds, on
their grand second floor. Their large
stock, comprising everything that is new
and stylish for this season's wear. Not
an old garment in the whole store. Every Saturday shopper who has winter
garments to buy of any kind should not
miss this timely sale. Big savings will
be made on everything. On the first
floor many large purchases have come
in during the past week, and will be on
sale Saturday at very low prices. Wosale Saturday at very low prices. in during the past week, and will be on sale Saturday at very low prices. Wo prices were sale and children's pure wool English cashmere fine ribb hose, an entire surplus stock of an English manufacturer selling at one-third below regular prices. Large purchase of men's English cashmere fancy and ribb half hose, travellers samples, selling at about wholesale prices. Large purchases of extra fine and large flanuelette blankets and all wool Scotch blankets, fresh from Scotland. Other buying inducements and savings will be made on faturday by attending this great one-day Saturday October sale. Read Finch Bros', large and

ing account of their many sales. You will find it interesting and profitable reading. Open at 8.30 a. m. and close at 10 p. m.

ST. THOMAS GIRLS.

Gave a Successful Sale and a Linen Shower.

St. Thomas Church girls branch of the Women's Auxiliary held a sale of work and entertainment last evening in the school room, which proved quite successful and most enjoyable. Home-made cakes and candy and all sorts of articles made of handkerchiefs were sold, and the buying was brisk. The school room was nicely decorated and the scene a pretty one. An informal musical programme added to the enjoyment.

After the entertainment the girls of the society gave a linen shower for Miss Annie Burton, who is to be married.



MR. AND MRS. AUREL BATONYI, WHO ARE INVOLVED IN DI-

VORCE PROCEEDINGS. west hrow the Government of the Rearbilic. Many persons fear a revolution
soon.

Mrs. Batonyi, who has sued Au rel Batonyi for divorce, is a daughter
of Frank Work, a rich New Yorker, and the ex-wife of James B. BurkRoche. Two years ago she secretly married Batonyi, and the wedding
was not anounced for nearly a 3-3 ar. Batonyi is by birth an Austrian.
At one time his family bore the name of Cohen, it is said. Soon after he
came to America he became a ridir g master in Durland's academy, New
York, Later he developed into a whip of note among the coaching set.

Mr. J. C. Whyte, Warden of New Westminster Penitentiary, is dead.