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MoKAT'S CORNERS.

George Hales has become nicely mettled in business in the old Booth stand.

John A. Clark, of Chatham, visitad with friends in Harwich during
the week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Spence, of Ridgetown, is seriously sick with pneumania at her daughter's home, Mrs.

Farmers in this vicinity are mak-ing-active preparations for spring work, the fields and roads drying

Maple syrup will be very scarce by all indications. There has been a very scant run of sap, while the buds on the trees are getting quite Jarge,
John McCann, of Chatham, lies
quite ill with pneumonia at the
home of Walter Tuck, Harwich.

"Grambling and complaining will anottake out the pain of an insect's sting, but Perry Davis' Painkiller will do so every time. Apply it with your finger to the sore spot. Price 25c. and 50c.

WABASH.

Whi Phillips had a wood bee on Wednesday atternoon.
David Phillips is laid up with a sathering in his ear.
The Canadian Order of Foresters had an exter supper among them. held an oyster supper among them-selves on Thursday evening of last

Henry Sharp and family have moved to the Northwest, Charlie Hawkins is ill with pneu-

Wesley Campbell is building a new kitchen.

kitchen.

The literary was well attended on Friday night at the school house. Friday hight next will be the last night, when a grand concert will be given by the members, Making maple syrup is the order of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell spent Sunday with John Reek.

Misses Jennie and Ethel Shaw attended Dresden church on, Sunday

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CEDAR SPRINGS. The Kivel brothers, of Harwich, are visiting at John Hambley's.
Albert McFadden is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Thompson.
Wm. Hutchison, of Blenheim, was the guest of L. McDayyell last Sunday.

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James Claus and Alex, Forbes spent Sunday at Erieau.
Sneak theves have been at work in our midst last week.

John Huckle, the young man who attempted suicide by taking Paris green, is recovering slowly.

Miss Mary Ransom is sewing for Mrs. Echlin, of Blenheim, this week.
John Maine fell from a tree which he was trimming and injured his back and arm quite severely,
Jos. Heatherington, Sr., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Smith.
S. McDowell was at Merlin this week on business.
David Dikon's wood bee last Friday afternoon proved a success. The boys turned out with saws and soon out his wood for him.

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Red Feather Ceylon Tea leads in the quality race. It is inspected and blended by experts—and hygienically packed, never in lead, but in air-proof parchment,

Black, Green or Mixed, at one price per pound-40c.

Get Red Feather in your cup.

John Short was the guest of T,
J. Rankin last week.
Robert Kennada sold a horse for
a good nump of money on Saturday.
People from Baldoon and Dover
Centre report Lishing very good at
Mitchel's Bay. They carry them
away in bal fall.
Peter McColum, our good old
teacher of No. 8, was down town on
Saturday last.

Saturday last.
P. Fryar is still pulling picket bolts to the mill. He intends having good fences on his farm.
John Cartwright made a business trip to Chatham on Saturday.

DAWN VALLEY.

Mr. VanSickle, Sr., is seriously ill.

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Harry King, lat Con., is suffering from an attack of shingles.

The revival meetings held at Dawn Valley appointment have been discontinued owing to bad roads.

Wm. Robbins has exchanged his farm, lot 19, 2nd Con., to C. P. Watson, for property in Dresden. Wm. Rickman has also exchanged his farm for town property and will shortly move to town.

A reception and cyster supper in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Elton J. Adkin, the newly married couple, was held at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Chas. Babcock, 2nd Con., and much enjoyed by all present.

Walter Walker and wife have moved to Dresden.

GUILDS.

Ross Cumming spent Sunday a Morpeth as the guest of Miss Edn

Spencer.
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Robinson spent
Sunday with her brother, G. Cumming near Ridgetown.
The funeral of the late Wm. Bailey was held last Monday afternoon at the family residence. Interment at Evergreen Cemetery. N. Comming spent Sunday at Highgate. Miss Bertha Serson, of Ridgetown,

miss hertag Serson, or rangetown, was a village visitor on Saturday. Miss Josie and Mr. George Bailey, of Detroit, were in attendance at the funeral of their father last week. Oscar Bentley spent Sunday at the residence of John Purvis. Mrs. Geo. Attridge is visiting in Detroit.

The bad roads are mending some what.

TILBURY.

March 28 .- The road machine was

put to work scraping the streets this

march. So. The toak has have put to work soraping the streets this morning.

The stable of Oliver Sauve, rented by H. Mailloux, was burned to the ground yesterday afternoon, with contents—a quantity of wood and coal. The firemen made a very slow response owing to the difficulty of the fire-horse drawing the cart to the seene. The fire started from children playing with matches.

F. X. Ouellette, of Jeannette's Creek, died on Sunday in his 83rd year. Deceased was born in Pain Court, Dover, and has been a resident of Tilbury East for 55 years, settling on the river. He suffered from a paralytic stroke two years ago, and was taken worse a couple of weeks ago. The remains were interred in St. Peter's R. C. Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richardson, of Essex, were yesterday the guests of relatives here.

ZONE CENTRE.

Mr. Gordon has bought Joseph Bourne's place and has taken possession,
Misses Margaret Schott and
Gwendolin Greene have started to
learn the art of dressmaking with
Miss Beamish in Bothwell,
Miss Bell Tinney and Miss MsCulloch have been appointed as collectors for the Bible Society in this
district

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George Liberty has sold 20 gallons and maple syrup already.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist channel meets at the home of Mr. Roberts on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Elgie spent Sunciay at the home of Arch. Phillips.

Miss Annie Irwin, Mr. Will Irwin and Mr. Will Neil were calling on old acquaintances on Wednesday last.

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Charles Jackson is going extensively into raising Barred Rocks.

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COMMANDER LAW.

From Poop-Deck to Govern His Sea Pictures-Captain as Much of an Old Salt as Ever.

For many years after I became Sec-Ontario, I refused to take any naval papers whatever. I was afraid my old Ontario, I refused to take any navail papers whatever. I was afraid my old passion for the sea would come back."

At his home, 504 Sherbourne street, Toronto, smid pictures, many of scurrying ships on green seas, Commander Frederick Law thus delivered himself to a, reporter. The captain had just resigned his desk at Government House, where, since "14, with a break of but a single term, he has been a thorough landsman, and almost as far from the sea as a man may get.

Cadet on board H. M. S. Hannibal in the Black Sea during the Crimean War, afterwards, midshipmite, officer and ultimately captain of the Royal Alfred, the commander came to Canada in "14. Since leaving the navy he has added to his secretaryship the career of a successful architect, and the diversion of an amateur painter. He built the Church of "Our Lady of Lourdes" on Sherbourne street, next to his house.

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to his house. Most of his paintings are of ships at

Most of his paintings are of snips at sea, and they are as true to the briny deep as the captain is himself still every inch a sailor.

Gray-headed, ruddy and bluff, hearty in laugh, and quick in stride, he half fancies as he pilots the visitor about the drawing-room to view his sea pictures that the floor is a deck once more. He would rather talk ships than rollities.

From Poop-Deck to Desk.

"Well, of course," he said, in his breezy nautical style, "a Lieutenant-Governor's secretary can have no politics when his chief has none."
"How did you come to change the sea

for a secretaryship, captain?"
"Mr. Crawford, Governor up till May, "Mr. Crawford, Governor up till May, 1875, was my father-in-law," he replied. "He didn't want me to go to sea again. That's about the whole reason why I have been secretary to all the Lieutenant-Governors in Ontario since 1874, though I was with Mr. D. A. Macdonald but seven months of his term. It was during my temporary retirement at that time that I learned architecture with Mr. Darling."

"You must have missed the sea?"

"Did I? Well; I've told you I didn't dare take a naval paper for years afterwards, knowing that the old hankering would come back. When at last I did—for I've a son at sea, also a com-

of Tive a son at sea, also a commander now—I found that the British navy was a new creation altogether.

Back to the Navy Again.

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"The old Hannibal there for instance," pointing to a pieture, "was one of the pioneers of the transition stage from sail to steam. I was thirteen when I looked out of her port-holes in the Crimea. Our speed in those days depended on auxiliary engines. Nine knots was our limit. Modern warships double that and more. Yes, the Hannibal was the first ship I was ever on, and a beauty she was, too."

"What was your last ship, captain?"

"Here she is." pointing out a picture of a white-bearded green sea, a dark sky and a climbing ship with two carwas sails and a third one of spray, his own painting. "The Royal Aifred."

There we were; sir, off the Bermudas in a hurricane, foretopsail gone, maintopsail followed her, oh! that's the place where a man sees life and knows what men are men."

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The Real Thing.

Capt. Law's enthusiasm was not reminiscence. It was the real thing. Painting after painting he pointed out, all from his own brush, some in the Mediterranean, others in various parts of the Atlantic, both far south and north. Most of them showed a green fury of a sea, with a ship struggling through the spray, broadside or beam end, but always natural, so the captain insisted.

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"Why, my dear fellow," he said joyfully, "when you're at sea the ship is your house, your land, your wife-everything! Your study her moods and caprices as those of a beautiful woman—yes, sir. Now, you can understand why the change to a generation of secretaryship in Government House seemed a dull landsman's job to me."

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The captain expressed himself vigor-ously concerning the British navy, which, he declared, was one of the greatest peacemakers in the world to-dex.

day,
"But I hope to see the day when the
Colonies will help support the navy. It
must come. In a generation and a half
the population of the self-governing
Colonies will be equal to that of Great Colonies will be equal to that of Great Britain. The navy must be their protection. Take, for instance, Australia, which is an island continent. Suppose the present war ended; that Japan makes a pupil of China; the Chinese learn modern warfare; Australia and Canada exclude the Chinese by a heavy capitation tax; China retaliates; where is Australia's protection but in the British navy? And you may be sure that if a Japanese navy ever faces the British navy the great naval battles of history will seem like Sunday-school plenies in comparison."

Opposes Capital Punishment Opposes Capital Punishment.
Sheriff Mowat, who presided at the recent hanging of Martin the child murderer, said to a Telegram reporter:
"This is a barbarous business anyway, the taking of human life, and I am utterly opposed to it, but if it has to be done it should be inside the prison. Why should the condemned man have to walk in the freezing atmosphere of to-day for two hundred feet, forced to be more uncomfortable than is necessary. Executions should take place in the jail building. There is a nook on the first floor at the end of a corridor inside the walls which could be fitted up at little expense as a permanent

The Woman who Would And Grocer who wouldn't.

Every day from five to fifteen letters are received by The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co. from women living in the smaller towns throughout Canada, saying they have asked their grocer for Royal Household Flour but can't get it. One writes-"I told my grocer, Mr .---, that I would buy 'Royal Household' regularly if he would always keep it on hand, but he said he wouldn't take on another brand of flour until he was obliged to." Another says-"My grocer is an 'old fogie' and never gets the newest or the best things until the year after." A third says-"We haven't an enterprising grocer in our town and are obliged to send to-----for 'Royal Household' or take a poorer flour."

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District Doings

DOYLES,

We are glad that the snow is gone and the robins are back with us again

The Lark brothers spent last week breaking a team of fast drivers.

James Waddick spent Sunday the great of T. L. Burdees. guest of T. L. Burdges.

Joe Doyle has rented his farm and

Joe Doyle has rented his farm and intends going out West.

W. Towl is busily engaged moving his barn.

Mike Doyle worked last Thursday carving pork for J. Brady.

A. Ritchie has recovered from a severe kick from a horse.

C. Towl is repairing his house and is going into the tailoring business.

J. Carley has hired with C. Zimmer for the coming season.

Mike Masterson's wood bee was largely attended.

James Doyle intends putting in 15 acres of tobacco this season.

Walter Doyle spent Sunday the guest of S. Hitchcock.

The parlor social at Mr. Brown's on Tuesday evening was largely attended.

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PLOBENCE C. Coleman is suffering with ery-

Chas. Will inform a position in T. as D. grocery department, Ridgetown.

Maple Syrup is on the market this week.

Mrs. R. MoLeney and family purpose leaving next week to join Mr. MoLeney in Hamilton.

Miss Cora Lindsay is learning mil-

ior division of our public school has been confined to the house for a couple of weeks with a severe cold. The office of Dr. W. A. Kelly, which was partly destroyed by fire, is being rebuilt. is being rebuilt.

Mrs. W. Forshee and family have
moved into the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Edward Laird for the summer

months.

The Presbyterian social, held at the home of John Webster on the 22nd inst., was well patronized and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

W. P. Forshee is enlarging his business with a first-class stock of boots and shoes. Repairing in connection.

HOW IT SPREADS,

The first package of Dr. Leonhardt's Hem-Roid, the infallible Pile Cure, that was put out went to a small town in Nebraska.

It cured a case of Piles that was considered hopeless.

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The news spread and although this was only two years ago the demand prompted Dr. J. S. Leonbardt, of Lincoln, Neb., the discoverer, to prepare it for general use. Now it is being sent to all parts of the world.

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EAST BRANCH. Beautiful March weather!
The ice in the Sydenham took its departure like a lamb on Friday last.
Fred Seward is home from Tor-

Miss Cora Lindsay is learning millinery with Miss Sangster.

W. Mills has resigned his position with the R. Calderwood Co., and is now clerking at the Right House.

S. T. Corbett, brother of D. Corbett, and Chas. Logan, of Amherst, N. S., were guests of D. Corbett and family last week.

Miss Johnson, teacher of the jun-

R. Lynch, who has been spending the past month with his uncle, Chris-topher Lynch, and other friends, left last week for his home in Brandon, Rev. and Mrs. Armstrong, of Tup-perville, called on friends here last

La grippe has been quite preva-La grippe has been dute prevalent here.
Revival services are being held in the Methodist Church, Wallaceburg. A number from here attend.
Miss Mandy Little is stopping at R. Mickle's.
Peter Hocktwith has bought I

new driver.

The Sabbath school on the South side are thinging of purchasing an organ. Mrs. Hugh Allen and Master Ar-

Mrs. Hugh Allen and Master Arthur have returned home from a visit in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allen and family left last week for London, where they will reside.

Rev. R. J. Garbutt, of Wallaceburg, made a call up the Branch last week.

week.

Horses are in good demand this spring. D. Shaw disposed of a couple of his fancy colts last week.

J. Burns, of Tapperville, made a business trip through here last week.

J. McCarl, of Peterborough, expects to spend the summer at D. Mickle's.

The Boothe Bros. intend remodeling their dwelling house shortly. The Boothe Bros. intend remodeling theiri dwelling house shortly. Last fall they raised it up and pat in a brick foundation and basement. Murray McCreary, Jr., is sporting a swell span of colts this spring. Stanley Innes is recovering from a serious attack of la grippe.

Norris McCoy, of Wallaceburg, called up the Branch last week in the interests of the Wallaceburg Sugar Co.

Misses R. and B. Richardson are appointed missionary collectors on the North and South sides of the river.

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