

Births, Marriages, Deaths
Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser.

DIED.
MARSHALL—In this city, on March 12, 1899, at his late residence, 230 Central avenue, George Marshall, son, in his 74th year.

Amusements and Lectures
GRAND OPERA HOUSE
Tuesday, March 14, MR. ROLAND REED, accompanied by Miss Isadore Rush, in a farcical play, "His Father's Boy," by Sydney Rosenfeld.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE
TODAY
Al. G. Field's Minstrels
PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.

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The greatest living pianist.
The one great musical event of the season. Prices—50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50. Seats now on sale.

St. Patrick's Concert,
March 17, 1899.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE. Musical, entertaining, Irish music, Irish songs, Irish wit.

OPEN TONIGHT AND GOOD SKATING—
The Princess.
JUBILEE RINK—OPEN TONIGHT—ICE splendid condition. Band tomorrow night.

GRAND CONCERT AT CHALMERS' Church, Waterloo and Grey, Tuesday (tomorrow) evening, at 8 p.m. Sharp, by the choir, assisted by best city talent.

AUDITORIUM—THURSDAY, 16TH INST., the Ariel Ladies Quartet—Last number of the Popular Concert Course. Plan opens Tuesday, 14th inst., at 9 a.m. Secure seats early.

OCEAN RATES—I AM ALWAYS SUPPLIED with the latest rate circulars in regard to steamship fares to the Allan, Beaver, Cunard, American, Anchor or Red Star Lines.

SONG OR SPEECH—WEAK, DEFECTIVE or ugly voices improved in power and quality in ten lessons or money refunded. Voices tried free, Wednesday, Herbert Conroy, Vocal Science System, Studio, Somerset Hall, 240 Dundas.

MASTERS AND MISSES' SPECIAL CLOSING reception term opens at Palace Dancing Academy, Saturday afternoon, March 13. Special rates for balance of season to former pupils. Dayton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING—COME and learn the new dances, the Boston Schottische and the Society Cakewalk. The same careful attention given to teaching the waltz and two-step. Lessons any hour. H. B. Millard, teacher of dancing, 345 Princess avenue.

Meetings.
School of Art & Design
Classes commencing March 6, 1899, in the Public Library. Evening classes, from 7.30 to 9.30.

Domestics Wanted.
WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—IMMEDIATELY. Apply 492 Princess avenue.
WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—Apply Mrs. S. R. Manness, 74 Waterloo street.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—Must be able to do plain cooking. Wages \$12 per month. No washing or ironing. Apply Mrs. Holmes, 70 Wesley Barracks, 9c.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—Good cook. No washing. References required. Apply Mrs. George T. Brown, 608 Queen's avenue.
WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—at once. No washing or ironing. Apply 202 Central avenue.
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WANTED—GOOD FIRST-CLASS BLACKSMITH for general repairing. Steady job. Apply R. Walker, Odell.
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WANTED—GOOD STRONG LAUNDRY girl, or one willing to learn laundry work. Apply 540 Elizabeth street.
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Agents Wanted.
WANTED SALES LADIES AND CANNASERS—\$4.50 to start. Apply afterwards, 731 York street.
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WANTED—SALESMAN FOR CITY. APPLY 258 Dundas street.

Situations Wanted
WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED lady stenographer and bookkeeper. First-class references. Address Box 157 Advertiser.
ENGLISHMAN AND WIFE SEEK employment. Would like charge of farm, gentlemanly house and grounds or care of school, college or public institution. Man good practical farmer, wife good dairy woman and housekeeper. Best of references. E. W., 389 Oxford street, London.

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FOR SALE—FAMOUS ACTIVE MCCLARY Range. Apply Box 158, Advertiser.
EGGS HAVE COME DOWN, DOWN, DOWN, until we are now selling fresh eggs at 12c or two dozen for 25c. Butter remains firm or dearer, and we can now claim to be considerably cheaper than the market. Best 1-lb rolls, 18c and 20c; large rolls, 17c, 18c and 19c. Our tub butter at 15c lb. is a wonderful seller. Fauld's Provision Store, 8 Market Lane.
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\$15 BUYS A HUBBON BICYCLE—Enameling and bicycle repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.
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\$1.75 BUYS A STRONG, GOOD LOOKING go-cart at Keene Bros. Cash Barren Furniture Store, 127 King street. Baby carriages cheap.

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WANTED—SECOND-HAND GAS PIPING—2 or 2 1/2 inch. Apply Box 158, Advertiser.
HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE MEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

Houses, Etc., To Let.
TO LET—IMPROVED FIFTY ACRES—Frame buildings; orchard, etc.; near Dorchester. Apply Gibbons, Mulken & Harper, London, Ont.
TO LET—JOHN BIGGS, THE FURNITURE mover, 22 years with London Furniture Co., will do you a good job. Call phone 310.
TO LET—NO. 427 KING STREET—APPLY at 388 King street.

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THE HARDING HALL GIRLS' SCHOOL, LIMITED.
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WANTED—GENTLEMEN AND LADY boarders in private family. Excellent locality. Address, Box 153 Advertiser.
Real Estate.
FOR SALE—FINE FARM AND CITY properties cheap. Easy terms. Low interest. G. W. Francis, 90 Dundas street, London.
FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST CORNER lots in London; Princess and Colborne; heart of city; cheap. E. J. L., this office. 811c.
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The Ontario Mutual Life

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 1898, AND INCREASES OVER 1897
ASSETS \$4,136,129 48
RESERVE (4%) 3,838,814 94
SURPLUS (Govt. Standard) 440,000 00
INCOME 923,941 13
GAINS:
In Assets \$394,724 47
In Reserve 351,482 53
In Income 103,969 83
In Surplus 39,779 83
In Assurance 2,216,738 00
In New Business 551,100 00
C. E. GERMAN, Gen. Agent. 403 Richmond Street.

Miscellaneous.
VISIT MADAME LA ZELL, THE POPULAR palmist, Ladies 25c; gentlemen 50c. Room 6, London House.
DRESS SUITS TO RENT IN FIRST-CLASS condition. A. F. Sainsbury, 90 King street.
Lost and Found.
LOST—ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON LAST, in or near Dundas Center Church, a pair of gold-rimmed eyeglasses. Reward at 413 Richmond street.
Insurance.
A. N. UDY—GENERAL INSURANCE Agent, over C. P. R. ticket office. Telephone 735.
SMALLPOX—WHEREAS THE SMALLPOX is alarmingly prevalent in several of the adjoining States, and there is great danger that it will appear in Ontario, the Board of Health would direct the earnest attention of all heads of families to the immediate necessity of attending to the vaccination of their children. The Provincial Board of Health has made compulsory that all local Boards of Health have all persons vaccinated who have not been successfully vaccinated within the past seven years. This is sufficient warning to the general public to secure the conviction of any person who does not comply with the law. To make it convenient for every person concerned, the medical health officer will attend each school in the township of Westminster for the purpose of vaccination. Due notice will be given to all time. Township of Westminster, March 13, 1899. John S. Cousins, Reeve. b&w

DROWNED IN A FLOODED FIELD!
Sad Fate of a Young Man From Delaware. Named McPherson.
[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.]
Komoka, Ont., March 13.—Thinking to escape the dangerously flooded roadway, a young man named McPherson, belonging to Delaware, drove into the fields about a mile west of here yesterday afternoon, and attempted to urge his horse through the water at a seemingly safe point. The animal entered the stream, but backed out again. The young man was warned by an on-looker not to attempt the passage, but disregarding the warning and the animal's instinct, he applied the whip. The swift current upset the rig, and threw him into the water. Nothing could be done to save his life. The body has not yet been recovered.

THAT WREATH
Which Sir John Thompson's Colleagues Haven't Paid For.
[C. P. R. Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Ont., March 13.—A. H. Barrie, consul for Mrs. W. B. Davidson, of Montreal, writes to the press refuting statements made by the Citizen that the late W. B. Davidson, of Montreal, was guilty of extortion in demanding the price of the floral wreath supplied at Sir John Thompson's funeral by ministers who were his colleagues. After quoting from the evidence of Mr. Coste, chief engineer of public works, that Sir Mackenzie Bowell ordered the wreath for the ministers, Mr. Barrie quotes Sir Mackenzie Bowell as saying in his sworn statement the other day at Belleville as follows: "I don't hesitate to say that if I had the remotest idea that as members of the government, we were personally responsible for what was done, I would at once have tried to have it settled up. That paid whatever is proper."
Sir Mackenzie, however, denies that the ordering of the wreath was an act for which, individually and personally, the members of the cabinet were responsible.

THE GROWING TIME
Business Prospects All Over the Dominion Are Bright.
Toronto, March 12.—Bradstreet's weekly review of Canadian trade says in part: There has been quite a marked improvement in business at Montreal this week. The general condition of trade is healthy, and payments throughout the country are reported by the wholesale people to be much better than this time last year. Wholesale trade at Winnipeg the past week or ten days has been retarded somewhat by cold weather, but retailers are more inclined to stock up. The arrival of settlers is having a good influence on business, and the outlook is bright. Business prospects in the Pacific province were never so encouraging as they are now. The past ten days has been the busiest in the wholesale trade at Toronto since the first of the year. Country remittances are good, and failures are few.

The Queen in France

Meets With a Most Enthusiastic Reception.
Deaths by the Queensland Hurricane Total 250.
Evidence That the Toulon Magazine Explosion Was No Accident—Severe Conflicts Between Turkish Troops and Tribesmen—Britain and Germany.
Boulogne-sur-Mer, March 13.—Immense crowds awaited the arrival in the harbor of the special steamer bearing the Queen, while the town and all the vessels in the port were decorated with bunting, and the route was lined with troops. A brilliant gathering of military and naval officers boarded the steamer, and were introduced to the Queen, who, speaking in French, cordially thanked them for the welcome extended to her. Several superb baskets of flowers and a number of engravings, representing the last visit of her Majesty to Boulogne in 1853, were presented to the royal visitor. As the Queen's special train drew out of the station an artillery salute was fired.

At daylight today Brigadier-General L. Loyd, Watson's divisional brigade, consisting of the Twentieth United States Infantry, the Twenty-Second Infantry, eight companies of the Washington Volunteers, seven companies of the Oregon Volunteers, three troops of the Fourth United States Cavalry and a mounted battery of the Sixth Artillery was drawn up on a ridge behind San Pedro Macati, a mile south of the town. The advance was sounded at 6:30 a.m., the cavalry leading the column at a smart trot, across the open to the right, eventually reaching a clump commanding the rear of Guadalupe. Supported by the Oregon's advance opened a heavy fire on the rebels.

THE RESPONSE WAS FEEBLE
and desultory, apparently coming from a handful of men in every covert. While the right column was swinging advanced, pouring volleys in the bushes. A small body of rebels made a determined stand at Guadalupe Church, but the enemy was unable to withstand the assault. At 7:30 a river gunboat started towards Pasig. The rebels were first encountered by this vessel in the angle near Guadalupe. Steaming slowly the gunboat poured

from her Gatling guns into the brush. For all of an hour the whirring of the rapid-fire guns alternated with the booming of the heavier pieces on board. In the meanwhile, Scott's battery ashore was shelling the trenches, and driving the enemy back. The artillery then advanced to the ridge of bamboo and drove a few of the enemy's sharpshooters away with volleys from their carbines. The artillery then advanced and met with little opposition.

IN THE MEANTIME the infantry had been sent forward in extended order. The Washington regiment resting on the bank of the river, each regiment deploying on reaching its station and furnishing its own supports. The entire column then wheeled towards the river, driving the enemy towards his supports, and then advanced on Guadalupe. The artillery moved to a ridge, commanding Pasig and Parterros.

ON THE RUN.
By this time the enemy was in full flight along a line over a mile long, and the firing was discontinued temporarily in order to give the troops a rest before making the attack on Pasig. The enemy's loss was believed to be severe, but only eight Americans were wounded. At this stage of the engagement it was raining heavily.

A RUMOR.
London, March 13.—It was reported from Manila that Gen. Otis has ordered discontinuance of the negotiations between Spanish General Flores and Aguinaldo for release of Spanish prisoners on payment of a heavy indemnity. Such payment would strengthen the Filipino cause by replenishing the insurgent treasury.

5,731 DEAD SOLDIERS.
Washington, March 13.—Adjutant-General Corbin has issued a statement giving the number of deaths of soldiers enlisted for the Spanish war, and the causes thereof, from May last, 1898, to Feb. 28, 1899. It shows: Killed in action, 229; died of wounds, 125; died of disease, 5,277; total, 5,731.

WOMEN READY TO FIGHT.
Tacoma, Wash., March 13.—Oriental papers brought by the steamship Victoria contain the following extract from the Republica Filipino, the insurgent paper: "A splendid demonstration was made by Cavite women, without distinction of class or age. They unflinchingly requested, with enthusiasm, to be permitted to take the place of men if the men perish in the struggle against the independence of the Philippines. They say that irrespective of the weakness of their sex, the love of their country will make them strong and will animate to keen combat against the Americans."

ESSEX TOBACCO GROWERS.
Amherstburg, Ont., March 13.—A meeting of tobacco growers of South Essex was held here Saturday afternoon to receive the report of F. N. Wigle, who has just returned from Europe as a delegate from the Tobacco Growers' Association, to look up a market for the native leaf. Mr. Wigle recommended that a guarantee fund be subscribed to pay the expenses of representatives of English firms to this country. One hundred and fifty dollars was subscribed. The meeting pledged the tobacco growers to provide suitable buildings for a warehouse and stripping factory for the English tobacco firms, should they decide to locate one of their factories at Amherstburg. Petitions to the Dominion Government were largely signed, asking that the customs and inland re-

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POPE'S DAYS NUMBERED

Not Expected to Live Beyond Easter Owing to a Cancer.

The Hurricane's Death Roll Increasing—411 Persons Were Drowned—Three Schooners and 80 Luggers Lost.

Rome, March 13.—Although the pope is alleged to be so far on the road to recovery that no more bulletins are issued concerning his health, it is learned from a prelate high in office at the Vatican that the utmost anxiety continues to prevail among the papal entourage concerning the condition of the aged pontiff. It now turns out that the growth, or tumor, removed from the pope's hip, was of a cancerous character, and many people, especially those in a position to know the true facts of the case, look upon the amazing vitality displayed by the pope since his last illness as the final flicker of the candle. The pope's physician, who until the operation lived in the city, has not left the Vatican since the day it took place.

It is asserted that the pope sustained a shock by the operation from which he is unable to recover, and his moments of vitality and cheerfulness are followed invariably by the most intense depression, the latter becoming more and more acute as time goes by.

TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE.
Brisbane, Queensland, March 13.—A search steamer, which has just returned here from Cooktown on the Endeavour River, this colony, reports that three schooners and eighty luggers were lost, and that 400 colored persons and 11 whites were drowned during the recent hurricane that swept the northeast coast of Queensland.

DOG AS A BEAST OF BURDEN.
London, March 13.—The practice of making the dog a beast of burden is nowhere so common as in Belgium, and gross cruelty results. The council at Antwerp has adopted resolutions which make curious reading. No dog under one year or twenty inches shoulder height may be used for draft purposes. The weight of the cart and contents must be adjusted to the strength of the animal. No adult, except a cripple, may be drawn by dogs.

AGAINST DEPARTMENT STORES.
Berlin, March 13.—The government has undertaken a remarkable experiment in taxation in a bill compelling the large shops to contribute a larger proportion than the small ones to Germany's revenue. The bill provides that three factors are to determine the taxation—the number of branches, the number of employes and the amount of rent. It divides the branches into five groups—food and drugs, clothing, furniture, glass and jewelry. Establishments trading in two or more of these groups, and employing more than 25 persons, come under the new law. Those engaged in two groups pay 10 per cent of their profits in taxation; three, 15 per cent; four, 20 per cent; five, 25 per cent. Shops engaged in three groups, and employing 25 persons, pay an annual tax of 20 marks (\$5) for each one of the 25, and 10 marks for each additional employe. Stores with branch establishments will be treated as if all were under the same roof. Co-operative stores will not be taxed under the new law.

WITH AN UMBRELLA.
Detroit, March 13.—A well-dressed woman boarded the 10:15 Woodward car, watched the door closely, and nervously handled an umbrella. As a gentleman and lady entered, a dark frown passed over the features of the one with the umbrella. She sprang at the man, grabbed him by the lapel of his stylish overcoat and pounded him over the head, exclaiming: "Wretch! Take that and that!" The stylish man's silk hat was smashed, and he left the car with his companion. The assailant would not give her name, but said that the man was her husband, and the woman no relation of his.

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