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Births, Marriages and Deaths
DIED.

OWAN—This morning, April 17th, Clara Ella, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Owan, aged 4 months and 22 days, of pneumonia. Funeral will take place from the family residence, King St. West, at 2.30, Wednesday, to Maple Leaf Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Rutledge will conduct the services.

PROBABILITIES.
Toronto, April 17-11 a.m.—South-westerly winds, fine and a little warmer. Wednesday, fine and comparatively warmer.

LOCAL

Miss Daisy Colville is spending her holidays in Dresden.

Will Marshall, of Lacroix street, spent Easter in Detroit.

Geo. Dyer, of Detroit, is visiting his parents in Chatham.

Mr. Harold McDonald rendered a fine solo at St. Joseph's Hall last evening.

Mr. H. Kimmitt, of St. Catharines, spent Easter with friends in Chatham.

Mrs. McGavin, of Detroit, is spending Easter with her mother in this city.

Arthur Cochran, of Brockport, N. Y., spent Easter with friends in Chatham.

Miss Edna Shepley, of Detroit, is spending her holidays with Chatham friends.

Frank Tahaney has returned to Pontiac, after a visit to Chatham friends.

Charlie Johns, of Lacroix street, has accepted a position in Montana. He leaves to-day.

Mr. Benne and family, of King street east, have removed to Detroit, where they will in future reside.

The annual meeting of the Chatham Cricket Club will be held in the parlors of Hotel Garner on Friday evening.

Owing to press of matter, the reports of the vestry meetings of Holy Trinity and Christ churches are unavoidably held over until to-morrow.

Thirty days' war at Baile's Studio. Slashing attack on prices. Get your photo taken while the cheap rates last.

Mr. Ernest W. Arnold, of Battle Creek, Mich., is in the city attending the funeral of his brother, Mr. Edmund Arnold, Park St.

Mr. A. A. Congrove, cashier and bookkeeper of the Chatham Gas Company, has left as bookkeeper for the Page Wire Fence Company, of Walkerville. He will be succeeded by Harry Stevens.

Henry Gerber received word this morning that his cousin, Mrs. Geo. Deshaw, Duart, had died suddenly. The deceased was 24 years of age, and was married in May last. She was a daughter of Frank Gerber, of Hawthorn.

The Young Peoples Society of William street Baptist church held a successful Easter meeting last evening, a large crowd being in attendance. Miss Flo Surby took the topic and the Misses Ruby Maggs and Eva Stanford favored the assembly with solos.



Nell McDonald has returned from a visit to friends in Flint.

P. H. O'Keefe spent Sunday with friends in Bothwell.

J. H. Harris, of Tara, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas Blackburn, of Windsor, is visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. Ed. Potter has returned from a two weeks' visit to friends in Detroit.

Mrs. W. N. Morley has returned from a visit to friends in Detroit and Windsor.

Mrs. Frank Phelps has returned from St. Thomas, where she was on a visit to friends.

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HOUSE NUMBERING

Work Will be Commenced Almost Immediately—Ald. Edmondson's Report

Chatham's streets will be numbered, and tenders for the numbering will be advertised for at once. This was the decision of the Council at their meeting last evening.

Ald. Edmondson, who has had this question under consideration for some time, brought in a report, recommending that the city adopt a standard number, to be paid for out of the general tax. They can be procured for about \$35 per thousand. The city will pay for putting them up. Anyone wishing to purchase a special number may do so, and they will be allowed, towards the purchase of such number, the amount of the cost of the standard number. It will cost about \$100 to put the signs up.

Ald. Edmondson's report was viewed very favorably by the aldermen, and was adopted unanimously.

Tenders will be advertised for at once, and the work of establishing numbered houses will be started almost immediately.

DEATH OF EX-CHATHAMITE

Word has been received by relatives in this city of the death of F. A. McDonald, at his home in Superior, Wis., on the 16th inst. The deceased was a well-known ex-Chathamite and was a brother of Mrs. J. M. Park, of this city.

The remains will be conveyed to this city for interment.

A HANDSOME GIFT

The ladies of the Assisting Society are every day meeting with splendid encouragement in their work for the Fair of All Nations. Mrs. W. E. Rispin is in receipt of another handsome monetary gift to aid in getting up the affair.

Letter from Mr. John Stephenson, of Duluth, is which Mr. Stephenson enclosed a cheque for \$25.00 to help the good work along.

HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE

Quite a happy departure from the usual class of show is "Leslie's High Class Vaudeville," which is playing Chatham the first three nights of this week.

The first performance was given last night to a most appreciative audience, who evidenced great delight at the entertaining exhibition which was served up.

First on the program came the Imperial Japanese Troupe, who cordially gave a wondrous performance.

Captain Webb's performing seals and sea lions and Cordona's lions are two complete and interesting animal shows of a kind that always appeals to the audience, and they must be seen to be believed.

There will be a performance at 8 this evening and a concluding one to-morrow night.

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THAT NEW HOSPITAL

City Council Have Secured Option on New Site

EYESORE TO THE PUBLIC

Last night witnessed another very late performance on the part of the City Council. The members evidently prefer the cushioned chairs of the Council Chambers to their downy beds at home. The importance of matters brought up at last night's meeting did not in any way give excuse for the length of time taken up in their consideration. At half past eleven, after several futile efforts to hurry the meeting to a close, Mayor Marshall gave all such ideas up, and in despair left the other members to cope with the situation as suited their own sweet wills. He called Ald. Austin to the chair. Midnight saw the doughty remaining nine still at it, and a couple of weary reporters still tracing black seraws over their diminished pads. For the amount of business done, the meeting was one of the longest and the most uneventful in the history of the Council. There wasn't even a bit of sensation to break the monotony of irksome debate.

Under the head of new business, Ald. Scullard reported that the Medical Health Board had an option on quite a desirable site for the proposed isolation hospital. The property consisted of seven acres, on which there were situated a good house and barn. The price asked was \$2,750. Ald. Scullard said that as it was quite probable that the civic rate would be very high this year and he did not think it advisable that this amount should be taken from the general fund, but thought it would be advisable to issue debentures to cover the purchase. He moved, seconded by Ald. Stone, that the matter be referred to the Finance committee with power—Carried.

The location of the property was not stated.

John Walker, K. C., on behalf of the Chatham Bowling Association, asked the permission of the Council to erect a wire fence around the club's green on Tecumseh Park. He said that the club was willing to build the fence at their own expense, and that their reason for making the request was that people walking over the grounds almost destroyed them for bowling purposes. As the local bowlers were expecting a visit from an English team during the coming summer, they were particularly anxious to have the grounds kept in good shape.

Ald. Massey, seconded by Ald. Benson, moved that the request be granted.

Ald. Stone and Potter opposed such action on the ground that it was an unfair discrimination against the public, to fence off a portion of a public park for any party of individuals. It would be depriving the working people of what was their right, and the Council had no right to take any such action.

Ald. Edmondson was of the belief that the Council had not the legal power to fence off any portion of the Park, but he was of the opinion that when the citizens understood that the club were anxious to keep the grounds in shape for the visit of the English bowling team that they would not object. Ald. Scullard also opposed the granting of the privilege on the grounds that it was a discrimination against some of the citizens.

The motion to grant the request carried on a vote of five to three.

OTHER MATTERS.
Ald. Stone drew attention to the fact that the banks of the Thames along Tecumseh Park had been made eyesore of by piles of sand which were left there after the work of the Council should take action to prevent the piling of sand along the river banks on the Park.

Ald. Scullard moved, seconded by Ald. Stone, that the Council should pay the cost of the payment of the debentures in connection with the loan to the C. W. & L. E., be extended for three months from April 22nd as at present specified.—Carried.

SMALL-POX IN ST. THOMAS

D. E. Purcell, Michigan Central brakeman, No. 81 Manitoba street, was removed to the isolation hospital on Thursday evening, suffering from an attack of small-pox. The case is said to be a mild one, and every possible precaution has been taken in order to prevent the disease spreading.

Mr. Purcell, it is believed, caught the disease from C. D. Archer, M. C. R. operator at Fargo, who was taken ill with the disease about three weeks ago.—St. Thomas Times.

ACLOSE CALL

On Monday morning two young men, Jas. Ashton and Ivan Wickens, started down the river in a duck boat to spend the day fishing. When almost opposite the sugar factory, they, by some means capsized the boat and were for some time immersed in the water. Min in the glass factory and residents along the river heard the cries. Two men from the box house at the glass factory, obtained a boat and went to their assistance. Wickens could swim and was in no immediate danger, but Ashton was unable to swim and had sunk below the surface the second time before his rescue. Neither of the young men wish to repeat their experience.—Wal-laceburg Herald.

Charlie Goodland, of the Pere Marquette freight offices, is in Detroit on business.

AN OLD RESIDENT

The Late Edmund Arnold Passes Away at his Home on Park Street

The late Edmund Arnold, who passed away at his residence, Park street, on Sunday morning last, was an old and respected resident of Louisville and was widely known as an honest and upright member of the community.

He was born on his father's farm, 4th concession, Chatham Tp., on the 17th of October, 1845, and his whole life, with the exception of the last four years, was spent on the old homestead. His father, Solomon Arnold, was a popular and worthy pioneer, who established the farm in Louisville when that part of the country was in a wild and unsettled state, and the sterling qualities of this God-fearing man were plainly reproduced in his son.

The deceased was married in November, 1870, to Georgiana Grieve, and during their married life six children were born to them, all of whom are living at the present time. They are Frank Arnold, of St. Thomas, the only one of the family who is married, and Edmund, Mary, Grace, Elsie and Ada, who are all at home with their mother. The deceased had been in a very weak state of health for a long time, and from the beginning of January had been unable to leave his bed. He bore his great sufferings with resignation and fortitude, and passed away calmly in the early morning of the Easter Sabbath.

He was an active worker in the Louisville Baptist Church, and although he was not prominent in public affairs, he was esteemed by all as a straightforward, Christian man. In living a retired and quiet life he was yet ever thoughtful of his fellow-creatures and devoted his time to noble and charitable acts.

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SAD BEREAVEMENT

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Cowan, King Street West, passed away this morning, after a short illness from pneumonia. The affliction to Mr. and Mrs. Cowan is particularly sad, when it is recalled that this is the second little one they have lost in a comparatively short space of time. The little daughter was only four months old, but she was long enough here to be dearly loved by her parents, who have the sincere sympathy of the entire community in their sad hour of bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS

I desire to return my sincere thanks to the members of Court McGregor, I. O. F., and to the Companion Court, for their many acts of kindness and attention during the illness of my late wife, and for their kindly expression of sympathy. I have also to thank the order for the very prompt payment of the amount of insurance held by Mrs. Glover.

Very sincerely,
THOS. GLOVER.

Men in real life regard it as silly to use language which novelists so often bring into play.

In some of the Swiss valleys the inhabitants are all afflicted with goitre or "thick neck." Instead of regarding this as a deformity they seem to think it a natural feature of physical development, and tourists passing through the valleys are sometimes jeered at by the goitrous inhabitants, because they are without this offensive swelling. Thus a form of disease may become so common that it is regarded as a natural and necessary condition of life. It is so, to a large extent, with what are called diseases of women. Every woman suffers more or less from irregularity, ulceration, debilitating drains, or female weakness, and this suffering is so common and so universal that many women accept it as a condition natural and necessary to their sex. But it is a condition as unnatural as it is unnecessary. The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription strengthens the delicate womanly organs and regulates the womanly functions, so that woman is practically delivered from the pain and misery which eat up ten years of her life—between the ages of fifteen and forty-five. "Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong and sick women well.

Mrs. and Miss Webster, of McKenough avenue, are visiting in Thamesville.

Marshall Taylor leaves to-day for Saskatoon, Sas., where he has accepted a position.

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A few of them—

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Anderson's real Scotch Plaid Dress Gingham, dark ground work with bright color over plaids, guaranteed fast colors, 25c yard.

Dotted Swiss Muslins, special for this week, assorted sized spots and small figures, very special values, specially priced 10c, 12½c yard.

Mercerised Mulls, for cool and fancy gowns, cream ground with embroidered colored spots, in green, helio, brown, sky, cardinal and black, washable goods, per yard 30c.

New India Linens for children's wash dresses, ladies' waists, etc., special values 12½c, 15c, 20c to 40c yard.

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