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### TO-NIGHT.

Macaulay Club, Oddfellows' Hall,  
at 8.15 o'clock.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

J. S. Hickey, of Merlin, was a city  
visitor yesterday.

J. W. Smith, of Stewart, was in  
the city yesterday.

A. McDowell, of Blenheim, was in  
the city yesterday.

Mayor Ribble, of Dresden, is in the  
city today on business.

J. E. Killen, of Windsor, was a number  
of his friends to a Valentine  
party at the home of Mrs. Arch.  
Wemp, Wellington street, last evening.

Mrs. R. A. Chrysler and daughters,  
who have been very ill, are improving.

The Misses Kennedy, of Wallaceburg,  
spent yesterday with friends in this  
city.

T. L. Pardo, M. P. P., was in the  
city yesterday and left this morning  
for Toronto.

Miss Annie Wrigley has returned  
after spending a week with friends in  
Highgate and Ridgeway.

Correction—W. McGeorge, Form 2P,  
C. C. I., ranks ninth, obtaining 60 per  
cent, at the last bi-monthly examina-  
tions.

The Parisian Laundry has today re-  
duced its prices to meet competition,  
and is advertising its new scale of  
rates in this issue.

Mrs. Andrew McPhillips and son  
Harry and wife, of Jackson, Mich., are  
the guests of S. Bullis, Park Avenue.  
They came to the city to attend the  
funeral of the late Chief Young.

"We were very much pleased with  
the design you sent. It was beautiful  
and appropriate." The Victoria  
Ave. Greenhouses receive such words  
of commendation every day. Tele-  
phone No. 181.

The annual Valentine tea of the  
teachers of the Central school was  
held last evening, after which, on the  
invitation of Manager Briscoe, of the  
Grand Opera House, the teachers at-  
tended the LaDell Concert.

Wm. Bartlett, formerly baggage-  
man at the C. P. R. station in this  
city, and his wife and family, were  
in the city yesterday attending the  
funeral of the late Mrs. Patterson,  
Indian Creek road, who is Mrs. Bart-  
lett's mother.

At a meeting of the directors of the  
West Kent Agricultural Society yes-  
terday the protest against the horse  
of Mr. Tolmie was thrown out, the  
protestants getting back their protest  
fees. The date for the fall fair was  
set for October 7, 8 and 9.

A number of the young friends of  
of Wm. Verdel, of Walkerville, who  
is visiting his parents on Park Ave-  
nue west, took advantage of the oc-  
casion to give him a surprise party  
last evening. All report having had  
a delightful time.

J. Watson was in the city yesterday  
on business.

L. Haselgrove, of London, was in  
the city yesterday.

H. Lumley, of Ridgeway, was in  
the city yesterday.

T. F. Hinnegan, of Wallaceburg,  
was in the city yesterday.

Jno. Walters, of Ridgeway, was a  
Maple City visitor yesterday.

Thomas Syer, of Thamesville, was a  
Maple City visitor yesterday.

W. Owen, of Ridgeway, spent yes-  
terday with friends in the city.

Jas. Houston, of Dresden, is in the  
city today renewing acquaintances.

John Baker and wife, of Detroit,  
spent yesterday with friends in this  
city.

The La Dell Concert Co. were guests  
at the Garner during their stay in  
the city.

O'Keefe & Drew report the supply  
of dressed hogs as good and the prices  
stationary.

J. W. Wells and G. H. McIntosh,  
Dresden, were Maple City visitors  
yesterday.

Mrs. Jas. Hendershot, of Blenheim,  
is spending a few days with relatives  
in this city.

V. Campbell, of Tilbury, was in  
the city yesterday renewing old ac-  
quaintances.

Alex. McDonald, of Dover, sold seven  
pieces of oak to an old country firm  
yesterday for \$420.

Frank Rabbitt and wife, of Wal-  
laceburg, paid a flying visit to friends  
in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Jos. Bartlett, of Walkerville,  
was in the city yesterday attend-  
ing the funeral of Mrs. Patterson.

Miss Marie McKellar, bookkeeper at  
the Ark, leaves on Monday for a  
week's visit at her home at Poplar  
Hill.

Wm. H. Schutz, Health Inspector,  
Toledo, O., is in the city today. Mr.  
Schutz is looking for a few good  
driving horses.

Miss Emma Scott entertained a  
number of her friends to a Valentine  
party at the home of Mrs. Arch.  
Wemp, Wellington street, last evening.

W. W. Turner, of the firm of Turn-  
er & Platt, who was confined to his  
home through illness yesterday, is  
able to attend to his duties again to-  
day.

Miss McConnell resumed her duties  
at the Ark this morning after a pleas-  
ant three weeks' holiday with friends  
and relatives in Brantford and Ham-  
ilton.

Mr. Bignell, inspector for the Mer-  
canton Fire Insurance Co., was in  
the city yesterday and effected a satis-  
factory settlement with Harry Hall.  
Mr. Hall has not decided as yet whether  
he will start business again.

A very sad death occurred last evening  
when Mrs. James Clements, St.  
Clair street, was called to the great  
beyond. She had only been sick a  
few days and her death will come as a  
surprise to all. Besides her husband,  
she leaves a family of eight children  
to mourn her loss. The deceased was  
in her thirty-eighth year. Mr. Clemen-  
ts and his family have the un-  
divided sympathy of the whole com-  
munity in their bereavement. The  
funeral arrangements have not yet  
been completed.

A few active young men are requir-  
ed to fill vacancies in the 3rd Battal-  
ion, now serving at Halifax. The  
qualifications are: Age, between 18  
and 45 years; height, minimum five  
feet five inches; chest measurement,  
minimum, 34 inches; to pass medical  
examination, and must be unmar-  
ried. The pay will be at the rate of  
50c per diem for privates, 60c for cor-  
porals, and 75c for sergeants, free  
kits, quarters and medical attendance.  
A recruiting sergeant will be at the  
Rankin house, on the 21st and 22nd,  
of this month to enroll recruits. The  
term of enlistment is to be for one  
year.

### MARCONI'S RETURN.

London, Feb. 14.—Mr. Marconi will  
return to Canada in ten days to re-  
sume his wireless experiments across  
the Atlantic.

Micaard's Liniment is used by Physi-  
cians.

P. T. Barry, Fletcher, is in the city  
today.

Jos. Spencer, Church St., is suffering  
with a poisoned hand.

Wm. Gammage, of Harwich, has two  
well matched colts for sale, as adver-  
tised.

Wm. Link, who has been suffering  
for the past week with bronchitis, is  
able to be out to-day.

John Piggott & Sons expect, Monday  
or Tuesday, 5,000 cedar fence posts by  
rail to keep up their assortment.

Thos. Bard, who was sent from Wal-  
laceburg to the General Hospital, suf-  
fering with pneumonia, is improving  
nicely.

Robertson & McKie are converting  
the two flats over Anderson's grocery  
into a commodious dwelling for Mr.  
Houston.

Rev. R. B. Hamilton, of London,  
will preach the Sunday school an-  
niversary services in Park St. Metho-  
dist Church a week from Sunday.

## SUGAR BEETS

Meeting in the Interest of Their  
Growth in Kent This After-  
noon in Auditorium.

A very large number of the farmers  
of the community attended the meet-  
ing held in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium  
this afternoon, at which C. W. Pe-  
kowski, of Bay City, explained the  
process of growing sugar beets. Mr.  
Pewoski represents the Dresden fac-  
tory and is trying to induce the farm-  
ers of this vicinity to grow sugar  
beets for the Dresden factory.

The meeting was opened by Mr.  
Piggott, who made a short address,  
in which he said that he thought the  
people should take an interest in this  
industry, as it was without doubt  
more profitable than any other crop.

Mr. Pekowski was then introduced  
to the audience. He is a man who has  
made a study of the growing of  
sugar beets and is employed by the  
Bay City mill to look after the aver-  
age of the factories and was sent to  
Chatham by the capitalists, who are  
interested in the Dresden factory. He  
made a very instructive address,  
showing the progress of the beets  
from the time they were planted till  
they were taken to the factory. He  
also showed the cheapest way of rais-  
ing the beets.

The meeting is still in progress.

ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORK-  
MEN.

The delegates to the Grand Lodge  
from St. Clair District, No. 1, A. O.  
U. W., met last night in the local  
lodge room in order to exchange views  
as to the proposed amendments to the  
constitution. The delegates present  
were—Bros. Wm. Dresden, F.  
Hinnegan, Wallaceburg; Gardiner,  
Valetta; Clark, Blenheim; J. R. Owen,  
Ridgeway; T. Syer, Thamesville;  
Wilkinson, Morpeth; Gregg, Chatham.  
All the delegates made speeches as  
did also N. H. Stevens, Chas. Kelly  
and Mr. Walker.

The Grand Lodge convenes at Tor-  
onto on Wednesday, Feb. 19 at 9 a.  
m. Westland Gregg will represent  
the local lodge. Grand Guide Chas.  
Kelly leaves for Toronto on Monday  
for Grand Lodge.

After regular session was over the  
meeting was thrown open to the dele-  
gates. All the delegates gave excel-  
lent addresses during the evening, af-  
ter which refreshments were served  
by the committee.

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### JAIL FOR DIRECTORS.

Berlin, Feb. 14.—Five directors of  
Treibergerbreckung Company, whose  
affairs were connected with the fail-  
ure of the Leipzig bank, were sen-  
tenced by the Criminal Court to-day.

One was sent to prison for seven  
months and fined 10,000 marks. An-  
other received a five-months' sen-  
tence, another six months, and two  
three months. All of these being fin-  
ed 5,000 marks also.

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## SPEECH AND SONG

They Graced the 20th Annual  
Dinner of the Macaulay  
Club Last Night.

The 20th annual dinner of the Ma-  
caulay Club was held last night at the  
Hotel Garner. It was well attended  
and proved a most enjoyable affair.

Following the toast of the King,  
Wm. H. Brackin sang the magnificent  
solo, "His Majesty." This patriotic  
musical masterpiece is from the pen  
of Mrs. Robinson, Sydney, Australia,  
and was sung last evening for the  
first time here. Mr. Brackin was ob-  
liged to respond to two enthusiastic  
endorsements.

The toast list was as follows:—  
The King—Song, "His Majesty," W.  
H. Brackin.

Canada and the Empire—Edwin Bell,  
J. G. Kerr, S. B. Arnold.

The Club—Dr. Holmes, Fred. Stone,  
J. M. Pike.

City and County—Jno. Piggott, S.  
T. Martin, W. D. Sheldon, N. H. Ste-  
vens, County Commissioner, Ross.

Song—W. H. Brackin.

Letters—Thomas Scullard, Wilson  
Taylor.

Learned Professions—W. G. Rich-  
ards, E. Jewett, R. L. Brackin, Dr.  
W. R. Hall.

Athletic Sports—C. E. Beston, F.  
D. Laurie.

The Ladies—H. Pritchard.

President J. S. Lane occupied the  
chair, with Wm. Mowbray in the vice  
chair.

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## TILBURY

Feb. 15.—The final game in the  
county tournament has been played  
and Captain Dr. Ferguson's rink won  
out by a score of 32 points on the  
total games played. An oyster sup-  
per was held last night as a result  
of the contest.

Mrs. Jacobs is visiting her parents  
in Sombra.

Village council yesterday purchas-  
ed a new road-grader from Sawyer  
& Kelton, not of Hamilton, for the sum  
of \$200, with the old grader.

Mrs. Scarf spent to-day in Chat-  
ham.

Misses Beatrice and Gertrude Baker,  
of Dresden, are visiting their grand-  
parents, Captain and Mrs. Edgecombe.

The Misses Peltier are visiting  
friends in Windsor.

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pain, wound, or disease, in fact for  
everything, and the doctors and men  
simply swear by it."

73 Theobald's Road, London, W. C.  
I had a most irritating rash on my  
body and could get no rest, but after  
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it was completely cured.

Kate Searle.

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Wheat—

May... 78 78 78 78  
July... 78 78 78 78

Corn—

May... 62 62 62 62  
July... 61 61 61 61

Oats—

May... 43 43 43 43  
July... 37 37 37 37

Pork—

May... 15 15 15 15  
July... 16 16 16 16

Lard—

May... 9 9 9 9  
July... 9 9 9 9

Ribs—

May... 8 8 8 8  
July... 8 8 8 8

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