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THE STAGE

'All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players.'

++++++++++++++++ ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:-Weary Willie Walker — Monday April 18th.

Resurrection-Tuesday, April 14th. Y. M. L. S. Minstrels - Tuesday April 21.

Other People's Money — Monday, May 18th. Friday, April 24.—Athletic Bunga

low Benefit, comprising the presenta-tion by the Macaulay Club of the Trial Scene from "Merchant of Ven-ice," and excellent musical and liter-

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

WEARY WILLIE WALKER. That's the name of the new musica farce comedy which come to the Grand Opera House to-night.

This is a play of the up-to-date fashion, and from all accounts is designed to be one of the crowning laugh-inciters of the year. It has a variety of characters, some of which are new to the comedy field. The fun is said to be fast and furious, the lines are bright swartling and hubbling are bright, sparkling and bubbling over with genuine humor, and the peo-ple who help to make the skit a suc-cess number some of the most talent-ed people of the comedy stage. The style of entertainment offered by Weary Willie Walker has no rival in farce comedy.

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There is no deep thinking plot, no special reason for the things said and done in Weary Willie Walker, but it funny, and fun is what the public demands, and it always pleases.

Of Weary Willie Walker the St. Joseph, Mo., Gazette says: "There was a packed house and a demonstrative audience at the Lyceum last evening to witness the opening performance of the new musical farce, Weary Willie Walker. There is just emough plot to the piece to thread a

enough plot to the piece to thread a string of catchy nonsense. The prin-cipal parts were sustained by Rube Welch and Kittie Francis. Mr. Welch makes the most of his opportunities and does not overdo the part.

Miss Francis is very clever and shines
especially in her Irish delineations.

The skit is full of good music and specialties and there is a well balanced

TOLSTOL ON FORTUNES.

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In Tolstol's great work, "Resurrecton" will be seen in this city at the rand on Tuesday evening. April 14 he great writer and thinker expressible in the great writer and the most common ay—or by avarice, or by some hinge their by violence—the most common ay—or by avarice, or by some hinge their by violence—the most common ay—or by avarice, or by some hinge flainy, or by chronic swinding, as in ase of trade. The better a man is he more sure he is of retaining and incassing his fortune. The common anse of the people says,—By honest bor one cannot acquire stone palessiand 'By labor one becomes not rich man, but a cripple.' So it was ancient times, and so it is, even one so, when the distribution of these has been accomplished in the lost inequitable manner. Even if a sallow that, in a primitive societa temperate and industrious man il acquire more than one who is inmperate and lazy, that is not the

case in our present society. The workman who plows another man's land, who buys the indispensible necessaries of life at the price demanded of him, and who labors with instruments not his own, can never acquire wealth, however temperate and industrious he may be. On the other hand, the most profligate and idle man, who creeps into the good places of the government or of, wealthy peo-

man, who creeps into the good places of the government or of wealthy people, or who becomes a haurer, or a factory owner, or a banker, or a wine merchant, or the owner of a wine merchant, or the owner of a course a fortune, as we see in thousands of cases."

No work of recent years has so stirred the literary and reading world as his latest piece, "Resurrection."

The original American production is dramatized from the original Russian manuscript, by Mr. Chas. W. Chase.

SUFFERED FOR THREE YEARS.

HEADACHES AND RUSHING OF BLOOD TO THE HEAD.

APPETITE WAS GONE.

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BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS CURED

MPS. WALTER MANTHORNE. BROOKLYN, N.S.

She says : "I suffered for three years with terrible headaches and rushing of blood to my head. I lost my appetite and became very this and weak. I tried many different remedies and consulted doctors, but all in vain until I started to use Burdock Blood Bitters. Thad not taken more than two bottles when I began to feel better, my appetite improved wonderfully and I increased rapidly in weight. I took as can be, for which I owe my thanks to Burdock Blood Bitters. I can recommend it to all those suffering as I did."

CONCERT

On Tuesday evening, 21st inst., the congregation of the French Methodist church will give a musical concert under the direction of Mrs. S. C. Walker, and the literary part of the program will be highly interesting. Several well known musicians will take part and the concert promises to be one of the most interesting anniversary entertainments that has been given in the church for years. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

Remember the auction sale of household furniture at Mr. Weat's, Harvey street, on April 14th. See advertisement.

Men are creatures of habit even in the small things of dife.

Wanted, at once, two boys to work in trimming shop. Apply Wm. Gray tf

PROBABLE SURPLUS.

Dominion Finances Indicate Great

Ottawa, April 13.-It would not be urprising if the close of the present inancial year witnessed a surplus of \$12,000,000 or \$14,000,000 in the Government Treasury. For the nine months up to March 31 the ordinary revenue exceeded the ordinary expenditures by \$14,029,156, and over all expenditures combined the excess of revenue amounted to \$10,055,068. As compared with the same nine months of 1902 there has been a gain of \$5,245,423 in the revenue and a reduction of \$3063,363 in the capital expenditure, while, the ordinary expenditure has only increased by \$753,056, showing a total improvement in the national finances of \$9,454,836. Taking the average of the past nine months and applying it to the remaining three months of the present fiscal year it would give a total revenue for the year of \$62,000,000. Adopting the same procedure in regard to the ordinary and capital expenditure the total disbursements would on June 30 stand at about \$47,000,000. There are several payments each fiscal year, of which return is not made until long after June 30. As a counterbalance to this, however, there may be a larger reduction of capital expenditure than has been allowed for. So that on the whole the surplus will not be far off the amount stated above.

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THE WALKERVILE STRIKE.

George J. Kennedy Acquitted Shooting Michael Sullivan.

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Detroit, April 13.—George J. Kennedy, the shipping clerk of the Walkerville Bridge Company, who was brutally assaulted while trying to profect the non-union employees of the company, who had been set upon by sympathizers of the strikers at the foot of Joseph Campeau avenue, on Thursday night, and who shot Michael Sullivan to save himself from being killed, has been set free by Justice Whelan. It was clearly a case of justifiable shooting, said the Justice, after hearing the evidence of a number of eyewitnesses of the riot. Vice-President Thorpe and a number of officials of the company and persons who happened to be on the spot when Kennedy was struck down testified as to the reputation of Kennedy, saying that he was a quiet, inoffensive man, and always attended strictly to his own business. Several people who saw the trouble swore that Kennedy did not shoot until it was evident that he had to in order to save himself from being killed. The rioters beat him most unmercifully, they said. Kennedy explained that he sympathized with the non-union men and had volunteered to try to protect them from the hands of the strikers.

THE MARKET REPORTS.

Wheat is Lower-The Live Stock Trade-Latest Quotations Saturday, April 11.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market. Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

Crowds attended at the St. Lawrence Market to-day, and buying in all lines was heavy. Receipts on the street were fairly liberal, the total amount of grain on the market amounting to 1,200 bushels.

Wheat-Two hundred bushels of white sold firmer at 710 to 720 per bushel, 200 of red sold at 710, and 200 of goose at 600.

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Begg-Thère were plenty offering, and prices were steady at 12c to 14c per dozen for new laid.

Hay-About 20 loads were on the market, and prices are steady. No. 1 timothy is quoted at 51 so. 1s per ton, and mixed or clover at 5 to 3.

Straw-There was none offering. Quotae; took are unchanged at 55 to 15 per ton. East Buffalo Cattle Market.

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East Buffalo, April 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 75 head; 17m. Veals—Receipts, 89 head; 250 lower; tops, 17.25 to \$1.50; common to good, \$5.50 to \$7.15. Hogs—Receipts, 5.90 head; slow, 10c to 15c lower; heavy, \$7.30 to \$7.75; mixed, \$7.45 to \$7.25; roughts, \$7.35 to \$7.45; plgs, \$7.15 to \$7.25; roughts, \$5.50 to \$7.20; stags, \$5.50 to \$7.25; roughts, \$5.50 to \$7.25; roughts, \$7.50 to \$7.75; culls to good, \$4.50 to \$7.50; western lambs, \$7.60 to \$7.50; culls to \$6.50; sheep, top mixed, \$6.25 to \$6.50; eulis to good, \$3.25 to \$3.15.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April II.—Cattle-Receipts, 200; nominal; good to prime steers, 35.10 to \$5.40; poor to medium, 44 to 44.50; stockers and feeders, 35 to \$6.50; canners, \$1.75 to \$4.65; heifers, \$2.50 to \$5; canners, \$1.75 to \$4.65; heifers, \$2.50 to \$5; canners, \$1.75 to \$4.65; heifers, \$2.50 to \$5; canners, \$1.75 to \$4.65; heifers, \$2.50 to \$5.50; canners, \$1.75 to \$4.60; calves, \$3.65; Texas-fed steers, \$4.60 to \$5.50; heige-Receipts to day, 7,600; to-morrow 25,000 head; left over, \$5.00; steedy mixed and butchers', \$7.15 to \$7.60; good to choice heavy, \$7.40 to \$7.50; rough heavy, \$7.15 to \$7.55; light, \$5.80 to \$7.15; bulk of sales, \$7.15; to \$7.35. Sheep-Receipts, \$00; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$5.00 to \$3.50; fair to choice mixed, \$4 to \$5.50; native lambs, \$4.50 to \$7.55.

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"Not withstanding these unimpeachable facts, there are thousands of people in Ontario to-day suffering from The Planet Office, where all the fash in anything they see advertised." This to overcome the produce of this class of people that I also the could will be promptly supplied to make anety remedies without benefit that they have the distribution of this cure. I want the public to rake merty physician should be a standard to seep; it drives it from the spread to seep; it drives it from the spread to sleep; it drives it from the

Easter Essentials.

The overcoat of course is wanted, the suit is needed, hat a question of must, necktie imperative, and perhaps you fear it will cost a little more than you feel you can spare—that's where we come in to help you out; you dislike make-shifts, and want those things that will carry you well through the season as well as over the day, and naturally you will turn to us.

These things that we offer you are known by us and all our clothing is made in our own factory—that when reasoned out stands for the trinity of price, style and

Easter Hats Easter Shirts Easter Gloves Easter Collars Easter Ties Easter Handkerchiefs

The newness of Easter and of Spring pervades the store. Come in and enjoy the new things.

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Nothing so pretty and so much appreciated as a pretty piece of Fine Chine New goods just arrived for the holidays. Fancy Plates of all sizes, 10c. to \$1.00. Fine Cups and Saucers in many new Shades and Patterns-10c. to \$3.00.

Berry Bowls, newest colorings and decorations, from 20c. to \$3.00. FANCY PARLOR LAMPS. A new lot-\$1.00, \$2.25, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

GRAY'S BAZAAR AND CHINA HALL ***********

DRESDEN

April 11.—Services are being held every evening, except Saturday, at eight o'clock in the English Church. On Good Friday two services will be held, one at ten a. m. the other at ight p. m. Miss Jean Tallach has returned to

Ridgetown after visiting Dresden friends. The Misses Jessie and Helen Mc-Vean are spending the Easter holi-days with relatives in Sparta. J. W. Browett was in Chatham on

Monday.

Mrs. John H. MoVean and daughter Beele, are visiting in Brantford.

J. W. Grece has received from his brother at Detroit a tire-setting machine which he has now on sale. Mr. Grece is agent for this valuable machine in Dresden, Chatham, and vicinity.

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Barney Weldon, of Chatham, spent yesterday in Dresden.

Miss Reba Tassie, of Toronto, is here spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tassie, North Dresden.

Miss Phyllis Waddell is the guest of her aunt, Miss Kate McCrae, of Wallaceburg.

Miss Nora Smith is confined to the house through illness.

John Caister is spending Easter in Detroit and Windsor.

Addition built

Monday, where he will spend a few days.

Miss Margaret Cameron is spending Easter at her home in Blenheim.

Mr. and Mrs. George Caister, who have been visiting here, left for their home in Windsor Thursday evening.

"Joker" John Lee, M. P. P. for East Kent, was in town on Thursday. We make a toolal Massons attended a banquet at Comber Last evening tendered by Comber Lodge.

Mrs. Joseph McAlpine, of St. Thomas, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson.

Wm. Boyd, homor graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College, is this week the guest of his brother, Dr. Boyd.

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Andrew Carscallen and wife, of Wallaceburg, were in town yesterday attending the funeral of their nephew, Charles Thornton.

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Mrs. H. E. Kimmerly is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter. Chatham. Mr. Kimmerly spent Good Friday in the Maple City. Miss Kathleen McVean, of Toronto, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oegoode McVean.
Willie McCall is spending the Easter holidays with relatives in Brussells.
Mr. Munn is visiting friends in Detroit.

ing a bonus to the Blenheim can-ning factory will mean that, we shall not have that industry to enliven our

town.
Mr. E. J. Spackman, of Exeter,
Grand Patriarch I. O. O. F., will visit
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Grand Patriarch I. O. O. F., will visit Point Anx Pins Encampment this evening.

Mr. John Mulholland launched his gasoline launch last Wednesday.

Mr. George Miller has resigned his position with the Canadian Bank of Commerce. His place as teller is taken by Mr. H. J. Neat.

Mrs. G. J. Gibb is spending Easter with relatives in Toronto.

On Wednesday last, April 8th, at the Baptist parsonage, Mr. Owen Pardo was married to Miss Emma Ronson, of Cedar Springs.

Mr. Viyian left to-day to spend Easter at Mt. Clemens.

Mr. M. Shurk received from the Gore Mustual Insurance Co. a cheque for \$200 this week in settlement for the two horses that were killed by lightning recently.

Mr. Peter Haggart purchased the thoroughbred French stallion, French Castor.

Mr. Otis Nichol, of Rodney, spent a few days in town this week.

Mrs. Jean Blewett is spending Easter with Mrs. W. D. Samson.

Miss Addie West, of Chatham, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hamilton Waddell.

G. A. Miller leaves for Toronto on Monday, where he will spend a few John Lee, M. P. P. for East Kent,

former's sister, Mrs. Calvin Pettit, of Quinn.
Miss Bell Wilson and Miss Brackie spent yesterday in Detroit.
Mr. and Mrs. Chris Leibbridge were in Dover on Wednesday last attending the wedding of the former's cousin, Stanley Leibbridge, of Chatham, to Maggie L., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willmore, of Dover.
The Holy Communion will be administered in St. Andrew's Episcopal church to-morrow morning.

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Wm. Henderson, of Assinibola, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Henderson, Tilbury North.

Miss Gertie Stevenson and her guest, Mrs. J. McGregor, spent yesterday in Detroit.

Mrs. Coutts left yesterday on a visit to Mt. Clemens.

April 10.—Rev. T. E. and Mrs. Higley, of Chatham, spent Thursday and
friday with Mrs. Wm. Beestom.
Orlo Jacklin spent Good Friday in
Detroit.

A. G. Shillington left yesterday to
spend the Easter holidays with friends
in Parkhill.

Roy Clements is spending the holidays in London.

The Rev. R. McCosh, of Chatham,
preached the weekly Lenten service
last evening from the Seventh saying on the cross—Luke xxiii, 46.

The defeat of the by-law for grant
Nota.

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"IT'S GOOD TEA."

This is what the proprietor of Red
Rose Tea claims for it. Some say the
claim is too modest, but you may notice that a grocer is very often askd, "Have you any good tea;" The
word "good" in this sense is probably
intended to mean "best." So perhaps
Red Rose Tea is The Best Tea.