PERJURY IN POLICE CASE

And Magistrate Will Try to Find Where It Is.

Detroit Man Caught Robbing St Lawrence Poor Box.

Fine of \$133 For Removing Destramed Goods.

"There seems to be a lot of perjury some place in this case, and I intend to take some time considering it before I give my decision," said Magistrate Jelfs at the Police Court this morning. when the taking of evidence for and against Lillie King on a charge of ob-taining money by false pretences from her aunt had been concluded. The defendant, her sister, father and mother, and also several boarders, live at 390 Hunter street west. According to the story told in court, three months ago King's sister, Mrs. Durward, of Lockport, New York, arrived in this city with her young daughter, and were taken in. Mrs. Durward got a job at the Hamilton Club. She had left some furniture, which was not paid for, at Lockport, and her son was working there, and he frequently wrote home for money. As Mrs. Durward could neither read nor write she got Miss King, the defendant, to write the letters for her. She said that Miss King wrote the letters and put the money in them and sent them away. She thought everything was going smoothly until her son arrived in the city a week or so ago and told her he had not received any money at all from her except \$10. As the \$15 had been sent after his ten, Mrs. Durward said she became suspicious, hence the prosecution. he prosecution.

Mrs. Lewis, also employed at the club, and she saw the defendant at the club

vas given to her. Once the defendant and said to her, "Come out and get arunk; I've got aunty's money." "You would not get drunk?" inquired Mrs. carpenter. "No, thank you," smiled the

Liewellyn Durward took the stand Llewellyn Durward took the stand and modestly admitted that he was a singer at the Orpheum in Lockport. He said that he had not written for any money after he got the \$10. "Is that the only time you tried to make a touch?" asked Ar. Corpenter. "What does that word touch mean?" asked the Magistrate, and Mr. Carpenter explained. "I don't like that kind of language, said His Worship. Mrs. King tien told her story. She said that she had received all the letters from Llewellyn and had read them to Mrs. Durward, who told her to answer them. Afward, who told her to answer them. Af-ter answering them, Mrs. Durward put the money in them herself, and mailed them, and they did not leave her hands after the money was put in by her. Her sister, mother and father and two boardsister, mother and father and two boarders corroborated this, and Mr. Carpenter said that in the face of such unanimous corroboration against the word of a womâir who could not read or write there seemed to be only one solution. The Magistrate then made known his intention to go over the verbatim report of the evidence and try to ferret out the perjury.

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Tim guilty, and I'll be tried right here, your Honor, 'said Roy Bennett, of Detroit, when he was charged with steading 15 cents from the poor box in St. Lawrence's Church this morning. Detective toulter said that he was called to the parsonage by Rev. Father Brady, where the prisoner was being held. He was canglt in the act of robbing the poor box by James Carry, the caretaker, who took charge of him, after a struggle, and held him till the detective arrived. He was brought into court as the proceedings were nearly finished, and entered the above plea. The police asked for and obtained a week's remand till they look up his past record.

Bernard Kennedy is a sadder and a wiser man that he was a sive days ago. He was charged with removing his goods fraudulently from his house after his landlord had placed a bailiff to let him have a chance to pay, and he had intended to pay, but he lost his job and was in the hole. The Magistrate fined him \$133, double the amount of money due, in default of which he will have to do 30 days. Kennedy agreed to a week; panyament scheme to get his money back, and the case stands at that.

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Another big fine was imposed in the case of Charlie Ming, who was charged with obtaining \$25, on a false cheque from Lee Guey. Gdeon Grant, of Toronto, stated to the court that his client had made restitution of the amount, and he thought it was a case for a fine. The Magistrate thought so too, and imposed a fine of \$50 and costs. The costs amounted to \$109.90, which made a total of \$159.90 for the Celestial to pay. He will have to do two months in the jail in default of the fine, but his friends are scurrying around to get the money together.

do.

I am compelled to ask strangers some assistance to give;
Please give something. Live and let live."

Please do the best you can..."

B. F. Cooley had a few dozen cards with the above lines printed on them when the police arrested him a few days agg for being a vag. He is the man who is alleged to have poured acid on his wrist to produce sores. Dr. Roberts examined him and pronounced him physically well. The Magistrate sent him to the jail for two months. A fine of \$10 was imposed as an auternative, but B. F. had no money and went down. He hails from Walkerville.

John Cobb was charged with being a vag by Constable Steward, as he has applied too often of late for lodgings. The city arranged to take care of him.

Jane Benner, 241 King William street, laid for the Magistrate at the foot of the Police Court stairs. "I was drunk, your Worship, and they pinched me. This is the first spree for a long time, and will you let me got?" was the jumble she had ready for him. "Well, you haven't been here very often of late, so go home," said His Worship. "May the good Lord save you, for you are a good man," said Jane, as she made for the deskman, who had \$5 of her money up as security that she would show up this morning. Jane got her five, and went out the door with a smile. "I've never met so much kindness before," vaid she. William McGrogan, 419 MacNab



"An Hour With Wagner," as played by Mr. W. H. Hewlett, on Saturday af ternoon, at his 33rd twilight recital, proved very enjoyable, indeed. The music was taken from different of the great composer's works, and as interpreted by Mr. Hewlett, left nothing to be desired. The assisting artist was Mrs. H. W. Parker, of Toronto, a soprano of ability. She sang two of Wagner's arias, with feeling and expression.

The programme was: Grand March—From Tannhauser. Prelude-To Parsifal.

Aria-Elizabeth's Prayer Tannhauser Mrs. H. W. Parker. Mrs. H. W. Parker. Waldweben—From Siegfried. Funeral March—The Death of Siegfried. Song-Dreams. Mrs. H. W. Parker.

Overture—To Tannhause

Haydn's Passion Music.

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The choir of Centenary Church will give a presentation of Haydn's famous Passion Music (the seven last words of our Lord, set to music by the great master) on Good Friday evening. This great work, consisting of seven adagios, is recognized as one of the most beautiful works devoted to this sacred subject. The admission for this recital has been placed at the popular price of 25 cents, and a large audience may confidently be looked for.

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An attractive vaudeville programme will be seen at the Savoy this week, where Okito, the original Chinese mystery, is billed as the headliner. This is said to be ore of the most novel and pleasing features in vaudeville. Okito is entirely different from all other magicians. Much of the business he introduces is entirely original and it is all pleasing. A good singing number may always be relied upon to please, and this week another of vaudeville's best singwhere Okito, the original Chinese mystery, is billed as the headdiner. This is said to be ore of the most novel and pleasing features in vaudeville. Okito is entirely different from all other magicals. Much of the business he introduced is entirely different from all other magicals. Much of the business he introduces is entirely original and it is all pleasing. A good singing number may always be relied upon to please, and this week another of vaudeville's best sing organizations, the Apollo Quartette, will be introduced. A pleasing repertoire of popular numbers is promised. The comedy feature of the bill will be the clever sketch presented by the larger circuits in the States this year. It is said to be screamingly funny and to have a lively finish. H. V. Fitzgert ald who is credited with being one of the cleverest protean artists on the stage, will be seen in his new sketch, and to have a lively finish. H. V. Fitzgert ald who is credited with being one of the cleverest protean artists on the stage, will be seen in his new sketch, and the harderers. Mr. Fitzgerald will be favorably remembered by those who saw him here last season. As a lightning change artist he has few superiors. A laughable skit by Teed and Lazell; Final and Ford, eccentric dancers; William F. Denny, black-faced comedian, and the kinetograph will please a bill that certainly ought to please.

The Mild Rose, is a well handled comedy in the actors make merry every second that they are of the elarger circuits in the States this year. The Lost Pocketbook," in which he impersonates half a dozen widely different or the stage, will be seen in his new sketch, and the stage, will be seen in his new sketch, and the stage, will be seen in his new sketch, and the stage will be featured to be staged to the stage. The beautiful that they are of the distance of the many distance of the late of the feature of the bill will be feature in the stage will know an all the feature of the bill will be feature in the stage will be feature in the stage will be featu

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for being drunk. Jessie Garlow, Cale-donia, a big Indian, was allowed to go.

ANNA GOULD.

Helie Regarded as Mutiny.

New York, April 6 .- The fluctuating

John street north, were each fined for being drunk. Jessie Garlow, Ca

took occasion to say of these two splendid players, "The English they speak is that which was taken away in the Mayflower and which they now give back to

us in its original purity."

The dramatic treat of the season is assured when Miss Marlowe appears at the Grand as Rosalined to-morrow night. Mr. Leslie Harris.

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Remember that the subscribers to the Leslie Harris entertainment can reserve their seats at Nordheimer's next Friday, April 10th. Plan to the general public opens on Saturday, April 11th.

Mr. Harris is one of the best entertainers ever brought to Hamilton.

"The Tattooed Man."

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A delight to local theatregoers is promised when Frank Daniels, the ever popular comedian, comes to the Grand on Friday night with his inimitable fun, and new opera, "The Tattooed Man."

The music comes from the tuneful master mind of Victor Herbert, and the composer of "The Red Mill" and "M'lle Modiste," is said to have provided another source of delight in his new work. Good songs and protty dances are said to be not the least feature of the attraction, among the former "Omar Khayam," and "Take Things Easy," sung by Mr. Daniels and "Nobody Loves Me," are said to be worthy successors to those that have been made such popular successes by him in the past.

In the supporting cast are Wm. Dec.

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In the supporting cast are Wm. Danforth, Gilbert Clayton, George O'Donnell, Harry Creston Clark, Nace Bonville, Harold Russell, Julit Brewer, Louise Sylvester, Norma Kopp, Montacuse Melhmen, and a chorus of sixty of which the feminine contingent is said to be of the famous Frank Daniels' standard of pulchritude.

At Bennett's Theatre.

realizes non realizes non above in its perfection it is others.

Viola Allen is blessed with a voice of much charm, and Blanche Walsh once possessed a note of singular sweetness; and so one might go on through a long list.

That amount of singular sweetness; one Sturday afternoon and evening, in a new play of picturesque Switzerland. "Metz in the Alps." This new ulay of Wilson's is from the pen of Sidney R. Ellis.

Ellis.
Fair-sized audiences enjoyed the sen-sational English drama, "Raffles," at the Grand on Saturday afternoon and evening. The play was presented by capable people, Mr. Miller Kent being in the title role.

blank verse, and with the poet, one says:
"Her voice is ever gentle, soft and low—an excellent thing in woman."
It was a very graceful Englishman play, "Mary's Lamb."

street north, said that on Saturday night he saw a crowd in front of the Volunteer Hotel. "I went over to the crowd and the constable said, You are OUT OF WORK. crowd and the constance said, 1 ou are from Toronto and you are raising H-, and he arrested me. That's all I know." He would not take the stand and swear to this, so was fined \$5. James Vandusen, 18toney Creek; Geo. 200,000 Philadelphia Unemployed Asked For Help.

Philadelphia, April 6 .- The City Coun cil will be asked this week to appropriate not less than \$50,000 to relieve the distress among the unemployed and their families, according to action taken yesterday at a meeting of the unemploy-ed. A committee was appointed to ge before the Council's finance committee and impress that body with the fact that more than 200,000 persons are out Public Appearance With Prince

of work.

Mayor Reyburn has issued a call for a meeting of the citizens' permanent re lief committee to morrow to consider re lieving the distress.

REAR END CRASH.

New York, April 6.—One man was seriously hurt and traffic was blocked for nearly an hour to-day as a result of a rear-end collision between two empty express trains on the elevated extension of the subway at 174th street and Boston road, in the Bronx. John Lippincott, the motorman of the second train, was crushed when the trains crashed. He was taken to a hospital.

MINERAL PRODUCTION.

(From our own Correspondent.)
Ottawa, Ont., April 6.—The Trade
Commissioner at St. John's, Newfound-land, reports that the mineral produc-tion of the island for 1907 was 81,332, 219, compared with \$1,462,344, a de-crease of \$130,125. The principal pro-duction is iron ore. duction is iron ore.

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\$3.25 Swiss curtains at only \$2.08 pair to-morrow

"HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE"

\$5.00 Swiss curtains at only \$3.58 pair to-morrow

Remarkable Pre-Easter sale of carpets

A N immense carpet sale started to-day. Thousands of yards of new English carpets are out on sale at absolute reductions from regular Right House good value prices. Such a sale coming at the very commencement of needtime is indeed extraordinary, and every person with a floor to cover should take advantage of these marvellous bargains while the assortments are at their freshest, fullest and best.

The sale started this morning and includes the choicest productions of the world's best makers-carpets, that at our regular prices, are unequalled in quality, richness of coloring, beauty of design and good value. Now is the time to supply every carpet need for a year ahead. your order in to-morrow or early this week and count these splendid savings as your own. Just read the saving story.

\$1.35 Brussels carpets 97c^{1/2}

Hardwearing English Brussels Carpets that are guaranteed to give the best of satisfaction. They are unequalled in wearing ability, richness of coloring and beauty of designs.

Four good patterns in beautiful rich green, fawn and blue grounds, in pretty floral, rosebud and small patterns, suitable for any room. Our regular \$1.35 quality. Pre-Easter sale price, while they last, 97 1/2 c

80c tapestry carpet 68c

Five good patterns to select from-conventional floral Persian and small designs on crimson, green and fawn grounds. A splendid wearing quality that will give every satisfaction, our regular 80c quality. Pre-Easter sale price 68c.

\$1.65 Pile carpets at \$1.29

Exquisite Wiltons and Axminsters in superio. English qualities that are obtainable only at this store in Hamilton.

Included are Wiltons in small self-colored patterns in green or crimson, fawn ground Persian Axminsters, crimson Axminsters in scroll designs, Axminsters Persian designs and Indian blue colorings, self-blue Axminsters with beautiful illuminated borders, our regular \$1.65 quality. Pre-Easter sale price \$1.29.

\$1.45 velvet carpets 97^{1/2}c

Rich, soft colored Velvet Carpets that are delight to the eye and that give long good wear. Elegant Persian patterns in beautiful green, crimson and fawn colored grounds, our regular \$1.45 quality. Pre-Easter sale price 971/2c.

\$2.50 new cable net curtains at \$1.37

THOMAS C. WATKINS HAMILTON ONTARIO

\$1.25 Nottingham lace curtains at \$1.00

esteemed resident of this city, passed way at her home, 18 Murray street.

Mrs. Eliza McGwin was buried yeseast, at an early hour yesterday morning. Mrs. McCarthy had been troubled
ing. Mrs. McCarthy had been troubled away at her home, 18 Murray street but her last illness had been of only one week's duration, with pneumonia. Decased was a native of Ireland, was 65 many beautiful flowers sent.

The function of the Carro years, coming here direct from the old years, coming here direct from the old land, when a young woman. She is survived by five sons and two daughters. The sons are Messrs. M. J., and T. J., of Detroit, Charles and John of this city, and P. J., of Niagara Falls, and the daughters, Mary and B. McCarthy, at home. The funeral will take place on Tuesday morning at 8.30 to St. Mary's Cathedral, thence to holy sepulche Cometers.

At the mature age of 75 years, Eliza-McDowell died on Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Cromer, 173 Catherine street north. A funeral service was held at Mrs. Cromer's home this morning at 7.30 and the body was then taken to Tilsonburg, via G. T. R., where interment took place this afternoon. Deceased had resided in this city about four years, coming here from Tilsonburg. One daughter survives, Mrs. J. W. Cromer, of this city.

After an illness of several months duration, Mrs. Calvin C. Fisher died on Saturday evening, somewhat unexpected. It, of heart trouble, at the age of 50 fyears. Deceased leaves a husband and one son Everett, of the hook and ladder company of the city fire department, and one daughter, at home. A funeral and one daughter, at home. A funeral one son Everett, of the nook and tadder company of the city fire department,
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evening, the body will be taken for interment to St. Annes, Ont., by the 9
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Rev. Mr. Vollick officiated at the funeral of Maggie Crosthwaite which took place at Bartonville this afternoon. The pall-bearers were T. H. Carscallen, Adam Condy, C. Gage. Wm. Calden, Frank Gage and Ed. Gage.

Gilbert J. Cole, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cole, died at his parents' residence, 140 Simcoc street east, this morning at the age of 17 months. The funeral will be held to-morrow at 2.30 from the parents' residence.

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Five hundred men and 600 horses will be placed at work on the G. T. P. at Prince Rupert.

In spite of the inclement weather unday night, after a lingering illness. She was born in Ireland 78 years ago and came to Canada when three years old. She is survived by two sons and three daughters, Rev. J. E. Hunter, It was a street and three daughters, Rev. J. E. Hunter, It was a street and three daughters, Rev. J. E. Hunter, It was a street and three daughters, Rev. J. E. Hunter, It was a street and three daughters, Rev. J. E. Hunter, It was a street and three daughters, Rev. J. E. Hunter, It was a street and three daughters, Rev. J. E. Hunter, It was a street and three daughters, Rev. J. E. Hunter, It was a street and three daughters ago and came to Canada when three years old.

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THE HAND OF DEATH lins, D. Fletcher and A. Wilson. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

Laid on Two Respected Old Residents of Hamilton.

Mrs. Mary McCarthy, widow of the Mr. John McCarthy, and a highly esteemed resident of this city, passed

ng. Mrs. Meeting have been of only one bart late residence at the reach, with rheumatism for three or four years Davis officiated, and the pall-bearers were S. Dynes, H. Freed, A. Green, John Taffe, R. Taffe, R. Fletcher. There were

The funeral of Ethel Carroll was held yesterday from her grandparents' dence, 204 John street north. Rev. er Weidner conducted the services ohn street north. Rev. Fath conducted the services. P Rowan, D. Calvin, G. McCraig and T. Carroll acted as pall-bearers.

ONE WOMAN

And 30 Horses Burned in New York Tenement Fire.

New York, April 6. Fire in a four storey tenement house on Pearl street early this morning caused the probable loss of life of one life and the injury of several occupants.

The flames spread to a rear tenement and from both buildings firemen and policemen carried a number of persons who were overcome by smoke. Mrs. Hannah Hamlin, 30 years old, jumped from the fourth storey, fracturing her ankle and receiving other injuries. Michael Cunningham, aged 60, who slept

by the body will be taken for interment to St. Annes, Ont., by the 9 a. m. train to-morrow, via T., H. and B.

Frederick George, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chaplain, died at the age of seven months this morning at his parents' residence. 192 Canada street. The funeral will take place at 2.30 p. m., on Wednesday and will be private.

James Alexander, youngest son of John Cowan, died on Saturday morning at his late residence, 66 Picton street west. Deceased had been ill for several months. A funeral service was held today at 1 p. m., at his former residence and the body was taken to Grimsby for interment via H., G. & B.

F. W. Davies, the young Englishman who died so suddenly last Friday night was buried this afternoon in the St. George's Society plot in Hamilton Cemetery. The funeral was held from his late boarding house. 281 John street north. Rev. S. B. Russell conducted both services. Deceased was a native of Utoxeter, Staffordshire, England. The pallbearers were John Kempson, William Elliott, H. Sinkiss, Charles Vollett, J. Braham and J. Clayton.

MRS. HUNTER DEAD.

Mother of the Well Known Methodist Evangelist.

St. Thomas, April 6.-Mrs. Nancy Hunter, mother of Rev. J. E. Hunter, the evangelist, passed away on Sat-urday night, after a lingering illness.

EVERLASTINGS.

Y. M. C. A.

Although the attendance at the East Hamilton Y. M. C. A. Men's meeting yesterday afternoon was not as large usual, owing no doubt to inclement weather, those present were greatly helped by the earnest address given by Pastor Hugh McDiarmid, of Herkimer Baptor Hugh McDiarmid, of Herkimer Baptist. He spoke on "some everlastings" and amongst others referred to Everlasting Salvation, Isaiah, 45-17; Everlasting Life, John 3-16; Everlasting Light, Isaiah, 26-4; Everlasting Love, Jer. 31-3; Everlasting Loy, Isa., 35-10; Everlasting Light, Isa. 60-20; Everlasting God, Isa., 90-2.

Mr. McDiarmid urged the unsaved present to accept salvation through Jesus Christ, Mr. J. Stephen sang an appropriate Gospel Song. A number of requests for prayer were made in behalf of friends, many of whom are adicted to drink.

SAVES FATHER.

Aged Man In Life and Death Struggle With Negro.

Montgomery, Ala., April 6 .- With eliberate aim, Mrs. Tessie Jones early this morning shot and killed Nelson Groom, a negro who was in a life and death struggle with her father. At 3 o'clock this morning Mrs. Jones heard a noise outside the window of her room. She awoke her sister, who called their father while Mrs. Jones secured an old

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As the old man opened the blinds the negro grabbed him and tried to pull him from the window. He had the white man well outside when the woman ran to the window, rested her arm and pulled the trigger.

Twice the weapon snapped, but the third time it exploded, the ball burying itself in the skull of the negro. It is evident that the negro knew that only the young women and the old man were in the house, and he no doubt figured to get the old man out, knock him on the head and then have his own way with the women.

To where his mate sails 'round. Lo' which warm winds in battle blow, Fighting for mastery, Driving the shepherd flocks of snow Back to their sullen seas.

Below the yellow waters narrow, Meander on through leas.

Where pledding teams tickle blow, Fighting for mastery, Driving the shepherd flocks of snow Back to their sullen seas.

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To where his mate sails 'round.

A HIGHLAND PARADISE.

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Among the "Highlands of Ontario" there are several districts that appeal to the tourist and summer traveller, but the most popular and probably the most beautiful of these districts is the one known as the "Lake of Bays," a territory covering many hundred square miles of land and water scapes and where the influx of summer travellers is increasing every year. Many an enthusiast has named the Lake of Bays "Queen of Lakes." It is a place where the cool breezes blow, where groves of the cool breezes blow, where groves of spice balsam lift their graceful minarets against the sky; where there are no swamps; where bathing is safe and where the speckled trout, salmon trout and black bass are found, and where the deer abound.

This charming district is situated on
the line of the Grand Trunk Railway

the line of the Grand Trunk Railway System and is reached through Hustsville, 145 miles north of Toronto.

A new hotel with accommodation for 200 has been erected and is conceded to be the best of the summer hotels in the northern districts. A handsome book, descriptive of the territory and giving all information as to guides, rates, routes, etc., and full description of the new hotel can be had free on application to J. D. McDonald, D. P. A., Union Station, Toronto, Ont.

Glengarry Liberals nominated Mr. A. W. McDougald for the Legislature, and East Middlesex Liberals nominated Mr. John Gillson, of London township. Nova Scotia in June to prepare the elections. There is talk at Ott

COAL TROUBLE

Strong Address at the East End Convention Called for This Afternoon to Consider Matter.

> Indianapolis, Ind., April 6 .- Coal operors and representatives of the United States Mine Workers of America in the central competitive field, consisting of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana Western Pennsylvania. Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, will meet here this afternoon, to consider a proposition made by the miners' organization, through President Lewis, to issue a call for a joint wage convention to rehabitate the interstate agreement and if necessary to fix a date for the resumption of bituminous mines, pending the settlement of a wage scale.

"MID NATURE'S REALMS."

New buds, new life, and April showers, And nature's call for me, And nature's call for me, Where oczing sweets and noneyed flowers Woo, too, the busy bee.

O. fruitful fields! Loved happy hills! To thee, my fatherland, Fleeing from city worldly wills, I come to understand.

To breath thy breathe of life in store, To feel thy youth of spring. And learn thy truths from wistom's lore, As burst forth life in things.

Alone I muse—no rattling car, Confusions daily moil, Clatter of hoofs, babble of bars, Disturb my pleasing toil.

'Cept yonder black, wood-crafty chief Suspicious grown of me, Keeps loudly cawing warnings brief From top of old pine tree.

Gone are morning's flashing arrows, The sun proclaims the day, From you thorn-bush the song sparrow Pours forth a lover's lay.

Hugging a top-most twig, the squirrel Surveys his hunting grounds; In upper air the hawk on whirls, To where his mate sails 'round.

Nor paltry pay rewards the hand, Field's yield, at least, ten-fold: How cruel, O earth! the selfish ha Toiling ever for gold. O. miser wreck, at any oost, Come learn from nature's seer, Profits o'er balance money lost. Soul-treasures wait you here.

VICTORIA AVENUE LITERARY

The regular meeting of the Victoria. Avenue Literary Society was held on Friday evening in the Sunday school room. The principal part of the pro-gramme was a debate between the young men and the married men of the society. The debate: "Resolved, that men hav men and the Mesolved, that men have and always have had more influence than women." was won by the young men, who debated in the affirmative. The debaters were: Affirmative—Messrs, McCullough, Peebles and A. Newlands; negative—Messrs. Challen, Koeppe and Jones. Rev. C. J. Triggerson acted as judge. After the debate the programme consisted of piano solo, Miss Gleadow; judge. After the debate the programme consisted of piano solo. Miss Gleadow; recitation. Miss Hoover; solo, Mr. Ayleth; reading. Miss Hoover; speech. Mr. Stenabaugh. It was decided to hold the meetings on Thursday evening every week, in stead of every two weeks.

HINDU TEMPLE.

San Francisco, April 6.—The first Hindu temple in the western world, according to the San Francisco Vendanta society, was dedicated last night in the new building at the corner of Wenster and Filbert streets. The new edifice is modelled after the great Taj Mahal of India.

