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the mineral bath house yesterday.

Geo. Whelen, of Brantford, was

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Maple City visitor yesterday.

preciated by the I. O. O. F.

Joseph Vincent, the youthful peg-leg

tramp, gathered in by the police on

Wednesday, has been taken in charge

by Inspector Saunders, of the Chil-dren's Aid Society. After a marked

change had been effected in his ap-

pearance, he was sent to school yes-

terday, apparently well satisfied with

The building lots offered for sale on

William street and Dufferin Avenue,

near the Park St. Methodist Church,

by D. McLachlan, are among the most most desirable locations in the city to-

day. Dufferin avenue has very little traffic on it, and is therefore one of

the cleanest and healthiest streets in

the city. It is also very convenient to

church, school and market, and is

about midway between the G. T. R. and C. P. R. stations. There are still

ARE PROSPERING

William St. Baptist Church is

Progressing - Splendid

Showing for Past Year.

The annual meeting of the William

St. Baptist church was held Wedness

day night when a large gathering of the members assembled to consider the

reports of the last year's work. The

membership roll showed an increase of

86, of which number 51 had been bap-

tised. The report also showed that

during the past three years \$2,500

above the regular expenses of the church had been raised and that this

had all come as ordinary offerings from the people. On the church mort-

gage \$1,000 had been paid off, and all floating debt. A balance still remains

in the treasury of \$256. The officers

of the church remain the same with

the exception that David Moore is appointed church clerk in the place

of W. G. Merritt. A strong commit-tee composed of the church trustees, was appointed to look into church improvements. The congregation in-

tend to spend \$1,000 in this work.

NOTICE.

If you have a house, a lot, a store or a farm for sale or rent, you will

consult your best interests by listing

same, and leaving particulars with us. We are almost daily renting or selling

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### TO-NIGHT.

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Rehearsal of Opera "Little Tycoon," Mrs. Cooper's studio, 8 o'clock.

Rehearsal of opera "Said Pasha," Conservatory of Music, 7.30 o'clock.

The B. Y. P. U. of C. E. will meet at 8 o'clock.

Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Maccabees' Hall, 8 o'clock

The C. E. of St. Andrew's Church Victoria Ave. Methodist Church Ep-

worth League, 8 o'clock. A. O. U. W., in their Hall over Publie Library, 8 o'clock.

"B" Company drill, at drill hall, 8

VonGunten spent yesterday shooting.

W. H. Bensen is in the field for trustee in No. 2 Ward. Girls wanted at once, to work in

bindery. Apply Planet office. Peter Rutherford is sinking fast and is not expected to last over to-Mrs. Connor, who has been visiting her mother, has returned to her home

in St. Thomas. The Ireland arrived in port yesterday afternoon with a cargo of stone for J. & J. Oldershaw.

The reserve seat sale for "A Brace of Partridges" at the Grand Mon-day next opened to-day.

King Buffalo is a high class cigar, that is sold for five cents at all leading cigar stores and by druggists. The ladies of Christ Church Guild will hold a sale of cooking on Tuesday

and Wednesday next, in the store next to Hall's Cafe. 2d The Ladies' Assisting Society of the Public General Hospital will meet Monday afternoon at 3.30 at the residence of Mrs. James Taylor, River-

When you ask for a five cent cigar you want the best. Try our "King Buffalo" and you will smoke

John Dean and Nathan Zebbs, two colored men, were summoned to ap-pear at the police court this morning, on the charge of fighting. Zebbs did not appear and the case was laid over till Monday.

### Theatrical \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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A laughling treat is in store for Chatham audiences on Monday, Nov. 25th, when Mr. H. Reeves-Smith brings his celebrated London and New York success to the Grand Opera

It is sometimes a wonderful convenience to own a relative who is so like one that even one's parents cannot tell which is which. At least Mr. Alfred Partridge found it so when flying from a writserver and arriving in a hungry and penniless plight at a country inn, where his cousin Arthur-his double-is staying and courting the inn-keeper's daugh-ter. He eats Arthur's breakfast, John Lee, M. P. P., of Highgate, was in the city yesterday. kisses Arthur's girl, gets ducked by Arthur's rustic rival, and is carried off to town by Arthur's parents, who Camilla Urso, at I. O. O. F. Auditorfondly believe they are saving their son from a designing country girl. Park Bros. raised the smokestack at Arrived in town, Alfred has to interview the American heiress, whom House cooking for sale at the Rum-Arthur is supposed to be engaged to. By the terms of her father's will she Girls wanted at once, to work in must marry a Wallerton Partridge or lose her fortune. The situation is somewhat difficult for Alfred, who is expected to make love to a girl whose name he does not even know, much less the fact that the girl be-R. J. Shillington, of London, was Leves him to be her fiancee. Grad-About 18 cars of sugar beets went ually, however, the situation dawns upon him and a very desirable situathrough on the G. T. R. to Lansing, tion, that of the henress' future hus-The Chatham Manufacturing Co. band, would seem to him to be. Just, works, which have been shut down for the past week, will resume operahowever, as he is in the act of signing his cousin's name to the marriage settlement, a letter arrives from the The music furnished at the I. O. O. real Arthur announcing his final de-F. At Home on Wednesday evening, by Lorriman's orchestra, was much aptermination to wed none but the innkeeper's daughter. The imposter takes flight, with the heiress, the writ-server, and Arthur's parents The Basket Assembly given in the close on his heels, at the country inn, Oddfellows Auditorium last evening where his unsuspected presence keeps everybody in a whirl of bewilder-ment to the very fall of the curtain. by Court McGregor was very largely attended. Lorriman's orchestra furnished excellent music and all report having had a very enjoyable time.

"Mistress Nell" was the attraction at the Grand Opera House last night. The play is founded on historical facts and deals with the friendship of King Charles for Nell Gwynn. Miss Agnes Ardeck as Nell Gwynn was a whole play in herself. She showed at her best when masquerading as an Irish Boy at the ball of the Duchess of Miss Nell was certainpleasing and had she the support she deserves, the play would rank amongst the best. The attendance was not all that could be desired. The next attraction at the Grand will be "A Brace of Partridges," Monday evening, Nov. 25th.

### AN UNCANNY IMPULSE. The Strange Desire Many Persons Feel to Court Death.

Much has been written concerning the almost uncontrollable impulse to jump off which many persons experience standing on a high place. Akin to this impulse is that which seems absolutely to force people to touch a dangerous object. In many cigar stores there are little automatic cutters provided for taking the tip off of the cigar by simply pressing the end into a small round opening about the size of the end of one's finger. It is surprising how many men will poke their fingers deliberately into these cutters, although they are perfectly aware that they will have a piece of the flesh nipped off. Any cigar man who has one of these cutters on his case will tell you stories of such people that will surprise you. There seems to be a strong tendency in the human race to "monkey with the buzz-

A phase of this subconscious idiosyncrasy-as it might be called for want of a better name—has been developed by the use of electricity as a mechanical force Many people have a desire which they hardly can control to touch electric machinery or wires, even when they know that the wires are charged with a deadly current and that to touch the machine means instant death.

An electrical engineer in speaking of this strange impulse says: "I have known instances where electricians actually had to turn and run from a machine to prevent giving way to this peculiar influence. Not long ago a man who was employed to sit and watch the switchboard in one of the London dynamo shops fell a victim to the influence. As he felt the desire growing stronger he moved his chair back from the board. Instead of getting used to the work, he became more afraid of it. Each day the desire to walk up and touch one of those switchboards grew stronger. At the end of two weeks the young man resigned his place. He could not stand the strain. It required all his will power to restrain him while on duty, and at night his nervous system was so upset that he could not sleep. He realized that to touch any one of the switches before him meant instant death, and his only safety lay in getting

away from the board altogether. "I have no doubt that many deaths from electric shock are brought about in this way. In an idle moment a person will catch sight of a switch, a wire or some other heavily charged bit of apparatus, and a strange desire to touch it will come over him. In a moment of weakness he gives way to it and the result is instant death. We frequently read of accidental deaths from electric shock when there is no apparent reason why the victim should have touched a live wire. I believe that such cases are at-tributable directly to this influence."

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A French writer, Henri Coupon, says that, notwithstanding the fact of their simplicity, the songs of birds cannot be imitated with musical instruments because of the impossibility of reproducing their peculiar timbre. The notes of birds, while corresponding with our musical scale, also include vibrations occupying the intervals between our notes. The duration of birds' songs is usually very short, two or three seconds for thrushes and chaffinches, four or five seconds for blackbirds, but from two to five minutes for the lark.

A Salmon's Leap. One of the directors of the Norwegian fisheries has been endeavoring to discover the height a salmon will leap when clearing a waterfall which obstructs its passage up stream. Masts were placed below the fall to insure accurate measurements. It is stated that a fish can leap to the height of twenty feet. When a fish failed to clear the fall at one bound, it remained in the falling water and then, with a rapid twist of the body, gave a spring and was successful.

About the Limit. "Bilkius, what is the most mortifying thing you can conceive of?"

Bilkins-I guess it's when a woman's sons having grown over the head of their father, who is of small stature, the thrifty mother has the outgrown clothes of her sons revamped for the old gentleman's use.

Civil Service Examiner-What do you know about Budapest? Applicant For Position on Police Force-Budapest is the name of a cattle disease. It is usually fatall

His First Impression

Her Age. Judge-How old are you, madam? Witness (hesitatingly)-I am-that Judge-Out with it! The longer you

wait the older you will grow. Two of a Kind. Guest-What a splendid dinner! I don't often get as good a meal as this.

Little Willie (son of the host)

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