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MET AT ST. THOMAS.

LONDON AND DISTRICT On Sabbath Observance. -Miss Wilson, of the city, is at Mount Elgin visiting the Misses Smith.

Bishop of Huron Conducts Confirma-

Association expect to have their annual Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, pastor of the New St. James' Presbyterian selling it at four cents a loaf for a two-pound loaf, thought they will not excursion to St. Louis this year. The excursion will leave London about bath observance, said that people could they will continue to do this is, hownot make the observance of the Sabtending the wedding of his sister, Edith bath hinge upon a set of rules, but that Jean, the groom being Mr. Colin C. it must be learned that a fair interpreit must be learned that a fair interpretation of the moral law made the spirit of the law more important than sacrifice. Next Sunday Mr. MacGil-The death occurred this morning of Mrs. Isabella McDonald Munro, of 59 Ridout street south, mother of Mr. Church, Rev. Mr. Wylie taking his pul-

The members of the choir of the 81st year. Deceased was a member of Egerton Street Baptist Mission met on Mr. James G. Ross, of Bothwell, will ganist, Miss Ethel Groom, with a beautiful mahogany music cabinet. Rev. A. succeed Mr. A. E. Berube, of St. Wickham, the pastor, spoke very high-Thomas, who has been appointed to fill ly of the services Miss Groom had renthe vacancy caused by the promotion dered the mission, after which the presentation was made by Superintendent of Express Agent Sharp to Toronto. Mr. Berube will take charge of the Fuller. Miss Groom feelingly replied. and the evening was profitably spent Dominion Express office here in a few The members of St. Vincent de Paul Society received Holy Communion in a body at St. Peter's Cathedral Sunday At the annual meeting of the County morning. Mass was celebrated by Bishop McEvay, and Rev. Father Ayl- Speaks of Canada's Greatness and Black Chapter of the Royal Black ward, the rector, preached an eloquent Knights of Ireland, the following offi- sermon. Father Aylward also ancers were elected: Perceptor, S. K. nounced that in three weeks a mission Johnson, St. Thomas: deputy perceptor, S. K. Joseph Murray, London; will be conducted by Rev. Fathers chaplain, S. K. Bredison, London; sectoral and Devilin, S. J., and Devilin, S. J., of

chaplain, S. K. Brodison, London; sec-montreal, both of whom are well retary, S. K. Fraser, St. Thomas; known in London. The mission will Church, West London, preached last evening at the Church of St. John the Educational sermons were preached

At St. Thomas on Friday evening Rev. R. D. Hammen was anniversary the Western Ontario Association of sermons.

sity held their annual meeting and banquet. There were about forty present, among others the following Londoners: Dr. Hodge, Dr. Ferguson, Thomas Alexander, H. G. Hopkirk, P. O. inspector; Rev. J. G. Stuart, Rev. In the convention of the following Londoners: Dr. Hodge, Dr. Ferguson, Thomas Alexander, H. G. Hopkirk, P. O. inspector; Rev. J. G. Stuart, Rev. In the convention of the further with the convention of the following and the convention of the convention of the convention of the convention of the further with the convention of th James Rollins and Prof. James Burgess, of the Western University. Rev. Rev. S. J. Allin, pastor of the HamilJ. G. Stuart was elected president, Mr. ton Road Methodist Church, preached

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conducting confirmation this week in Haysville, Wilmot, New Hamburg, Galt, Preston, and Hespeler, accom-panied by Rev. Rural Dean Ridley, of falt, Yesterday they were at Berlin an

Waterloo.
Rev. Canon Dann, rector, will conduct Lenten services at St. Paul's Cathedral on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, this week, at 4:30 o'clock. At says: "A. C. Wood and wife, 14 Bloswill preach, and on Sunday the pulpit som street, gave a whist party in honor will be occupied by Rev. Dr. Macklin, of Mrs. Wood's niece, Miss Anna Sel- professor of Trinity College, Toronto. kirk, of London, Ont., Canada, who was occupied yesterday by Rev. W. has been in Worcester visiting with A. J. Martin, of Brantford. On both relatives since the marriage of her occasions he was heard by a large concousin, Miss Ruth S. Wood, to James gregation. Rev. Mr. Martin is one of E. Mitchell, three months ago, and the leading Presbyterian preachers who will return this week to her home west of Toronto, and yesterday he made guests were entertained with a most favorable impressions with the vocal and piano solos by Miss Flora St. Andrew's congregation.

home had been decorated for the party, the parlor being done in yellow and WHAT WILL BE THE NEXT?

to drape the dining-room. Thirty guests were present, most of them members of the Modoc Club, and their Price of Bread Likely To Be Ad vanced by the Bakers.

Raise in the Flour Charges Is Given

Following the increase in the price never rallied. Mr. Currie was born in of wheat, a rise in the price of bread Ayrshire, Scotland, and came to Galt is predicted within the next couple Harry Ranahan North Range of the accepted the foremanship of the naccepted the foremanship of the Ontario Car Works. He returned afterwards to Hamilton. He was married in quently, it was to be expected that the Hamilton in 1863 to Mary Campbell, price of the loaf would be six cents who died in London in 1877, leaving shortly. Flour was quoted at \$3 45 to four sons-Charles, general manager \$3 50 a barrel in October. Now it is and second vice-president of the Northern Ohio Traction Company, of Akron, Ohio; James, secretary and treasurer Woods milling companies are quoting of the Eastern Ohio Traction Company, of Cleveland; Robert C., at Seattle, Washington, and William, an em-

flour at \$5 20 per barrel. Six cents for a pound and a half loaf is at the rate of exactly four cents a pound, which, for a two-pound loai, pany. Mr. Currie was married in 1881 means eight cents. This, it is said, is the highest price asked for bread since 1878, when two-pound loaves sold for take place tomorrow afternoon from ten cents, and flour brought \$6 a barrel, the residence of Mr. James Currie, At the time of the Crimean war bread sold for eight cents for a two-pound ducted by Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64, loaf, flour being worth \$8 a barrel.

A. F. and A. M., of which Mr. Currie

Labor was very cheap then, however, else the price of bread would have

SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

It is said that the two-pound load has practically been done away with in London, and that the bakers have reduced the weight instead of raising Rev. A. J. MacGillivray Preaches law states that all bread under two pounds must be labeled, but the people apparently have not noticed the change or the reduction in weight. It is also said that several of th local bakers would gladly sell out if they could find a purchaser, as they are afraid that the price of flour will

go up, instead of down, and they fear a crash will result. Nevertheless, some bakers are making bread and Church, preaching yesterday upon Sab- deliver it at that price. How long ever, an uncertain matter. Mr. H. Hall, of Nelson, B. C., is in

WESTERN RANCHER HERE. the citly. He owns a large ranch in livray, as interim moderator, will administer communion at St. Andrew's laround Fort McLeod," says Mr. Hall, a galaxy of stars. The plan for the vailing conditions being very good at

STREET CAR WAS ON FIRE CLEARING-OUT SALE OF

Bucket Brigade Was Formed to Extinguish the Flames.

Difficulty Experienced In Keeping Tracks Open-Cars In Drydock.

The cold rain of Sunday made things miserable for the London Street Railway Company. The water early in the day began to flood the tracks, and ice formed rapidly on the rails. Consequently at 3 o'clock in the afternoon the company ordered out four cars to keep the lines open. This proved a

very diffcult job, however, as during the afternoon and night the fuses in no less than seven cars were burned out. On Richmond street north No. 60 caught fire, and the crew and people who happened to be on the street at the time had to borrow pails from the nearby residences, and throw water on

Supt. Break said this morning that the damage was slight. The company had cars running of all lines this morning, but owing to the number burned out on Sunday being still in drydock, the service was ncomplete. As the day wore on, re pairs were made to the cars as rapidly as possible, and the service was in

LARGE ATTENDANCE ASSURED

Sale of Tickets for St. Andrew' Society Concert Indicates Big Audience.

Madame Shotwell Piper, who will appear at the St. Andrew's Society concert on Thursday night, is a gifted and beautiful young dramatic soprano, who has scored a series of notable successes in her appearances on the concert stage. In one criticism the following the followi cert stage. In one criticism the following very complimentary references to her were made: Madame Shotwell Piper, who made so favorable an impression on Monday night when she sang Massener's aria, "Le Cid," was heard at the matinee in Weber's fully appreciate the honor and respon-"Oberon" aria, which she rendered so sibility of a membership in our nation brilliantly that the audience was quite al parliament. To be proffered a seat carried away with her voice and in the national councils of the great brilliantly that the audience was quite



MADAME SHOTWELL PIPER.

charming personality. Her voice is a high, dramatic soprano, and was finely adapted to the intricacies of the Weber masterpiece. Particularly in her upper register are her tones remarkable for their sweetness and flexibility, and throughout her solo she was heard with no common enjoyment. Besides possessing a voice which, already decidedly unusual, contains promise of greater things, Madame Shotwell Piper is strikingly handsome and has a vivacity and winsomeness of manner ite. With Madame Piper, Mrs. Helen Wyrick Shafor, elocutionist; Cyr'l Dwight-Edwards, baritone; George Neil, tenor; MacKenzie Murdock, the great Scottish violinist, and Mr. Harold concert for the general public opens tomorrow. The sale of tickets indicates

Friday evening and presented their or MR. J. M. McEVOY CHOSEN BY LIBERALS OF EAST MIDDLESEX

the Importance Attached to Its Government.

Last Saturday afternoon the convensociation, which was adjourned from Rev. G. B. Sage, of St. George's the previous week in order to hear but who was unable to be present at an equally large attendance of deleriding as on the previous Saturday,

Six prominent Liberals were placed in nomination, three of whom allowed | all right. Those who were nominated were J. M. Notice.

Thomas Alexander secretary-treasurer, and at the Centennial in the presence of the pr

stated that if he did not get the convention he would assist the candidate just as much, and would not be the the Premier and the King. less energetic, than if he got it him-

in which he stated that if the conven-

Mr. McEvoy said that many leading come a candidate. It was not altopointed out that any man might well dian Parliament. It had been represented to him that if he put his efassured them that they would win all right. If they wanted him, they could take him; if they didn't, it would be the brethren of the Foresters and the

their names to go to the convention | The ballot resulted in Mr. McEvoy's McEvoy, John Gilson, J. H. Elliot, J. this was seconded by Mr. Elliott, and

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gal, Holland, Belgium, Greece, Montenegro, Servia, Bulgaria and Turkey—that would be a distinction, such an

honor, and such a responsibility, as has never fallen to the lot of any one

"What opportunities and responsibil

ities this would involve!" said Mr. McEvoy. "But what shall we say of

the opportunities and the responsibili-

ties of the man who takes his part in

the Canadian Parliament? Here is a country in her ultimate possibilities,

greater and grander than all these European states combined. Have you

thought of that? We have been too

modest in our estimate of our own ter-

will follow me I will spread out the great European countries within the

confines of our own Dominion. In do-

which are situated Belfast in Ireland,

Manchester in England, and Berlin, the capital of the great German Empire. How big is France? You can put her

all in that part of British Columbia ly-ing farther south than Manchester in

England. How big is Portugal, with

Roumania and Servia added? You can put them all in Alberta, and be far-

ther south than Berlin, in Germany.

How big is Italy combined with Mon-

big is Spain, with Turkey? Not as large

still have New Brunswick, Nova Sco-

tia and Prince Edward Island, and we

are told that one railway across this

territory is enough!" Mr. McEvoy ask-

ed them to think what an enormous

thing it was-the government of such

a country, and of the world's work that

had been done by those European countries, which did not make up in

In conclusion, he was glad that Liberalism was not choosing a man for

in life. In regard to the latter matter,

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then drew attention to the task of one elected to the Canadian Parliament, the task of governing such a country. He was profoundly impressed with the belief that we do not properly appreciate the greatness of the country of our birth or adoption, and therefore do not Ironing Boards, each \$1.00 Washing Machines \$4.00 to \$6.00 French republic, to be asked to help frame her laws and guide her national destinies, would be a proud distinc-Step Ladders 75c to \$1.00 tion; if, in addition, one were asked to Carpet Sweepers \$2.00 to \$4.50 assist in the development and safe-guarding of Italy, to have a part in the Food Choppers 75c to \$2.00 rejuvenating of the moribund kingdom of Spain, to be asked to help Germany Clothes Dryers 50c to \$1.00 to reach her destiny, to be invited to help Austria to solve her economic and The Purdom-Gillespie political difficulties, to have pressed upon one the task of taking his turn at the wheel of state that guides each of the minor European states, Portu-

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of Railway Trainmen The pallbearers were six in number, two representing the A. O. F., Brothers Cambridge and Palmer; two from the W. O. W., Brothers Saunders and O. H. Ryder; and Brakeman Hill's two mates on the train on which he was working at the time of his death, Messrs. Adam Johnston and Conductor ritory and our own resources. If you Woodruff. The sad cortege included a large number of vehicles, and only the state of the weather prevented brethren of the orders marching. At the

north than the line of latitude upon which are situated Relfact in Ireland Rev. Canon Smith. A BRAKEMAN KILLED

in Double-Header Freight Plunges Into Caboose at Port Lambton.

Chatham, Ont., Feb. 22.-Port Lamb tenegro? Not as big as Saskatchewan, of the Pere Marquette, was the scene south of the Belfast line. How big is of a fatal collision at 5:15 yesterday Turkey with Bulgaria? Not as big as morning, in which Brakeman Frank Assiniboia, How big is Belgium, with Hutchinson was instantly killed.

Holland and Switzerland and Greece?

A double-header freight was compared to the standard of the standa A double-header freight was coming You can spread them all out and down from Sarnia, and pitched into the stretch them all upon the prairies of caboose of a freight standing on the Manitoba. How big is Germany and main line. There is a very sharp curve Denmark combined? They have room at this point. Brakeman Hutchinson and to spare in Ontario. How big is was sitting in the caboose. The leader Austria-Hungary? Not large enough to engine was badly wrecked, but the cover that part of Ungava and Kee- second engine escaped serious damage wating, lying farther south in Canada the Belfast line in Ireland. How jumping.

as Quebec along by enough territory of Fireman Robert Hutchinson, who to make Switzerland and Belgium.
What is there left of Europe? And we freight trains in the Chatham yards last December. He was a young man, and his home was in Walkervile.

NAKED IN THE SNOT

Insane Man Badly Frozen at Fredericton-Will Lose His Feet.

his creed, his nationality or his calling of New Brunswick, and until recently he spoke of something he had not menengaged in private teaching here, was going to stand, but his only desire was that the Liberal standard should be out of 100 men there. Again thanking lately, and left his home at 4 o'clock the convention, he retired, and the yesterday morning. After a search of stated that if he did not get the conmeeting closed at once with loud cheers two hours the fire department was called for the candidate, for Hon.Mr. Hyman, to the hospital. His feet will have to be amputated to save his life.

FREIGHT IS MOVING.

Toronto, Feb. 22.-With the Arctic weather gone railroad officials are freight. During the last 24 hours the G. T. R. and C. P. R. have moved 1,400 cars of reight, a few going into One of the saddest funerals that has districts that have not seen a freight taken place in London in some time car for ten weeks. 'If we have a was witnessed yesterday afternoon. It mild Sunday," said one of the officials, was that of the late Robert Hill, the I don't think anyone will object brakeman who was killed on the C. P. working on this Sunday, when it is R. at Drumbo. He was well-known in the interest of humanity." All the towns in the northern districts are now and was a very popular young man, open, and it is expected there will be

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Nomination Made Unanimous at heartily applauded. He stated that it heartily applauded. He stated that it was not a personal wish that he was a lawyer, he also had controlled and was still controlling and directing and was still controlling and directing to his legs frozen from the knees down. He had been showing symptoms of insanity

tion of the East Middlesex Liberal As- tion thought he was the man who could

from Mr. Robert Sutherland, whose Liberals in the riding had, during the name was mentioned as a candidate, past few months, urged him to beat the First Methodist Church yester- that time, was resumed. There was day by Rev. Dr. Daniel, of Goderich. an equally large ettendance of delay gates and interested Liberals from the be proud to be a member of the Cana-Alumini graduates of Queen's Univer- The quarterly meeting of the Huron and the convention showed the greatest forts into the campaign as a candidate unanimity. Mr. John M. McEvoy, of the Liberals could carry East Middle- and the number who gathered to pay a large shipment of stock into Tothis city, was nominated as the Lib. sex. If the convention was satisfied, he their last respects was very large, ronto by Monday.

favor. Mr. Sutherland moved that the nomination be made unanimous, and

Mr. J. H. Elliott made a brief speech.