

DISTRICT DOINGS.

RICHARDSON.

The Chatham Oil Co. have their mammoth oil tank in place at the Sid-ing.

The Lake Erie Railway are putting in a switch at Richardson.

J. Howard, Gravel Road, met with a painful accident while splitting wood, almost severing his foot.

James Gray and his sister, Miss Susan, of Bridge End, leave this week for Greensboro, North Carolina, to reside.

Frank Fields has secured a position in Detroit, with a shipbuilding company.

GLENWOOD.

Leo Barker, of Chatham, is visiting at Herbert Brown's this week.

Mrs. A. Gilbert and Mrs. Jas. Wade returned last Wednesday from a visit with the latter's relatives in Petrolia.

Herbert Brown is visiting friends and relatives in Detroit this week.

A number of young people from here attended the anniversary services in the Baptist Church, Coatsworth.

Jas. Kennedy and daughter Lillie, of Ridgetown, were in the village for a few days last week.

P. J. McGee made a business trip to Detroit last Wednesday.

NORTHWOOD.

There are good prospects for oil in the well being put down on John Brown's farm.

P. D. Campbell has put in a large stock of logs in his yards here this winter.

Sam. Filby, who had his hand taken off in a husker some time ago will soon be around again.

Chas. McKenzie, of Huffman's Corners, occupied the pulpit in the Methodist Church Sunday evening.

A number of people drove over from Bethel last Wednesday to take charge of the Epworth League, but the weather was so stormy none of the Northwood League put in an appearance.

MITCHELL'S BAY.

The muddy roads has stopped the ice hawling from the Bay the last two weeks, also the Foresters from making their calls at the Bay.

Mr. John Courtney, of Cleveland, is visiting James Murphy.

Owing to the storm on Sunday there was no services at St. Stephen's church.

On Monday last A. H. Patterson and C. A. Gore, of Chatham, were at the Bay on business.

Mr. Dunford, of Guelph, and Mr. Graham, of Chatham, were through this locality looking after the National Cream Separators for the company.

The Perch fishing is not very good at present owing to the late warm weather, causing the water in the Bay to become muddy.

NO. 1, HARWICH.

The debate in No. 1, Harwich, Monday night proved very interesting. The subject was "Resolved that we derive more benefit from men's successes than their failures." It was decided in favor of the affirmative.

The Farmers Institute meetings are being held in the Patron's Hall, Bridge End, this afternoon and evening.

The farmers of Kent are awakening to the fact that the cholera is more serious problem to deal with than they anticipated. A monster meeting of those interested is being arranged for in S. S. No. 1, Harwich, on Monday next to discuss and devise ways and means for stamping out the disease, the same to be forwarded to the Dominion Government through our member, Mr. Geo. Stephens.

TURNERVILLE.

John Barker has rented Herb. Knight's farm for a term of years.

Mr. Robertson, of the 5th concession, has rented a farm from G. Stuart, lying in the 7th concession.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. George Smith has taken a relapse and is not quite so well.

The Turnerville mill is doing a rushing business chipping and cutting fence slats.

George Steward has bought Aaron Lane's farm of 50 acres for the sum of \$3,100.

Anniversary services of the Lindsay Road church will be held on Sunday and Monday, February 15th and 16th. A good program is being provided for Monday night. Rev. Stephen Bond, of Dresden, will preach on Sunday.

RODNEY.

Miss Clara Brown has been visiting in Detroit for the past ten days.

Daniel McIntyre, Lake Shore, has been on the sick list for the past three weeks, but is now improving.

Mrs. A. Wholen has been under the doctor's care for the past month.

A. D. McGuigan has sold over two thousand dollars worth of short horn thoroughbred cattle during the past month.

The young people are arranging for a big ball for the opening of the McCallum Hall in about two weeks.

W. Tolmie, reeve, is attending the Port Huron races this week with his trotter.

Miss Wiggins, lecturer for the W. C. T. U., will be in the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown have returned from London.

Joseph Wiley, assessor, has commenced his duties as Township assessor.

The Farmers' Institute held a meeting here on Thursday which was fairly well attended.

D. Johnston, teacher, Morpeth, was married to Miss Cady at the residence of W. Avery, on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Markle spent a few days this week visiting friends in Windsor.

M. Barnes, of Campbell's mills, St. Thomas, spent Sunday at his home here.

Gilbert Romsey, young son of Ed. Romsey, Talbot street, is taking les-



Frequent Throbbing Headache.

There's many a cause for headache. Men are not often troubled by headaches. When they are it is generally due to biliousness or indigestion. But women have headaches which seem peculiar to their sex, frequent nervous throbbing headaches. Does it not seem as if such headaches peculiar to women must be at once related to womanly disease? Women who suffer with diseases peculiar to the sex do not realize the drain of vital strength and nerve force they undergo as a consequence of disease. It is this which causes the familiar headaches of sick women.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets clear the complexion and sweeten the breath.

FLORENCE.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, of Napiakwa, Man., are visiting his sister, Mrs. W. A. Gordon.

Miss Mary Wilson is confined to the house with a burnt ankle.

A special business meeting of the Dawn and Euphemia Agricultural Society was held last week, and the different officers and directors were appointed for 1903.

Misses Vic. and Grace McKenney spent a few days with friends in town last week. They left on Monday for London.

Quarterly services in the Methodist Church on the 1st inst. were largely attended. Rev. Mr. Farmer, Wisconsin, preached a very interesting and edifying sermon.

Miss Barbara Carey, of Detroit, is spending a month with her sister, Mrs. James A. McCreary.

A heavy fall of snow on Sunday. We hope it remains with us.

Mrs. Kerby, who has been visiting Mrs. (Rev.) Jones for several weeks, has returned to her home in Chatham.

Editor Jerome, of the Quill, is repairing the interior of his house.

Rev. Mr. Souther, of the Baptist congregation, is holding special services at Thorncliffe.

Miss Sangster is slowly recovering from a severe attack of la grippe.

A DAILY NUISANCE.

A Simple Remedy Which Will Interest Catarrh Sufferers

In its earlier stages catarrh is more of a nuisance than a menace to the general health, but sooner or later, the disease extends to the throat, bronchial tubes and even to the stomach and intestines.

Catarrh is essentially a disease of the mucous membrane, the local symptom being a profuse discharge of mucus, stoppage of the nostrils, irritation in throat, causing coughing, sneezing, gagging and frequent clearings of the throat and head.

The usual treatment by local douches, snuffs, salves, etc., often give temporary relief, but anything like a cure can only be obtained by a treatment which removes the catarrhal taint from the blood and the disintegrates the inflammation from the mucous surfaces.

A new remedy which meets these requirements and which so far has been remarkably successful in curing catarrh is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

These tablets act upon the blood and mucous membranes only. They can hardly be called a secret patent medicine as they are composed of such valuable remedies as Blood root, Hydrastin, Red gum and similar cleansing antiseptics, which cure by eliminating from the blood and mucous surfaces the catarrhal poison.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are large, pleasant tasting lozengers taken in small quantities, allowing them to dissolve slowly in the mouth, in this way they reach the throat, fauces and the entire alimentary canal.

If desired, they may also be dissolved in water and used as a douche, in addition to the internal use, but it is not at all necessary to use a douche; a few of them dissolved in the mouth daily will be sufficient. However, when there is much stoppage of the nose, a douche made from these tablets will give immediate relief, but the regular daily use internally of these tablets will cure the whole catarrhal trouble without resorting to the inconvenience of a douche.

Dr. Bement states "that the internal treatment of catarrh is rapidly taking the place of the old plan of douching and local application and further says that probably the best and certainly the safest remedy at present on the market is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, as no secret is made of their composition and all the really efficient remedies for catarrh are contained in this tablet."

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WABASH.

Mrs. Truesdale has returned home from visiting her sister in London.

Archibald Forbes has the stone all drawn for his new house.

Mrs. Fred Kelley had a carpet-lag bee on Thursday afternoon, and in the evening gave a party.

A number of friends from here attended the funeral of the late Mrs. W. Marsh, of Dawn Mills, on Saturday.

John Neely is not much better.

Hunter Burgess is helping Ernest Truesdale cut wood.

Russel Kelley was in our neighborhood last week.

The death occurred on Thursday evening of William Jacques, Sr., an old resident of this place. The deceased was in his seventies and leaves a widow and a grown-up family to mourn his loss. The funeral took place on Saturday at one o'clock, from the family residence, where the service was conducted by the Methodist minister of Thamesville, after which the remains were interred in the May-hew Cemetery, near Thamesville.

CON. 8, RALEIGH.

The League Concert which was advertised for Feb. 4th was postponed until Thursday, Feb. 12th, on account of the bad condition of the roads. The small crowd which collected at the church was not disappointed, for the Leaguers furnished them excellent entertainment. Music was furnished by the Wesleyan Quartette and by Mr. Hise, while the album proved to be well acted. The sport of the evening, however, was the spelling contest, when Mrs. Jas. Lowrie and S. Aldis chose nine stalwart followers, the latter being the winner. Next Thursday's program will be still better.

Miss Irwin, of Minneapolis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Storr.

Miss Edna Campbell, of Blenheim, is the guest of Miss Pearl Lowrie.

Mr. McVean is visiting on the 9th concession.

Mr. McGaffey has rented H. Aldis' house and will move here shortly.

The oil excitement, which was so high last week, has cooled down considerably. No new strikes have been made lately, although all are anxiously awaiting the results of the drilling done by the Baker Company on the Edwards farm.

NORTHWOOD.

Rev. J. H. Osterhout has gone to Toronto, where he will finish a course in the university, which he started some time ago.

The box social given by the Methodist Church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Boyle was a grand success. The congregation and friends presented Mr. and Mrs. Boyle with a handsome couch at the same time.

The ladies of this place organized a Ladies' Aid Society last Thursday afternoon.

The Methodists of this place intend to remodel their church in the spring. A building committee has been appointed and they will meet some time this week and decide what improvements they will put on the church.

The C. H. & C., of this place, held their oyster supper on Friday evening last. An enjoyable evening was spent.

PRAIRIE SIDING.

Master Roy Crow is seriously ill.

Miss Nancy King, who has been ill in St. Joseph's Hospital with diphtheria, has returned home.

Geo. Thomas has opened a ferry road across the river.

To the wife of M. St. Peter, a son.

Miss Fanny St. Peter is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Morrow, of Stoney Point.

Miss Annie Baby was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Thomas, last week.

The young people of this vicinity wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson for the pleasant time spent at a party given by them last week.

Chas. McPherson, who has been sick for some time, is improving rapidly.

Quite a number from here attended a party given at E. S. A. Johns, 3rd Con., Raleigh.

Mrs. F. Sterling was called to Chatham yesterday owing to the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Robt. Johnson.

Miss Mary Bruette is visiting in Chatham.

Louis Springer, of Chatham, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Corn is still coming in at the Siding.

MORPETH.

John Jitchin is recovering from a slight illness. If Mr. Jitchin lives until the 17th of March he will be 93 years of age, and the oldest man in Howard.

Mrs. Miles McDonald has returned from Tilsonburg, after spending a week there.

Mrs. D. R. Watson is seriously ill from the effects of inflammation of the lungs.

Rev. Mr. Sutcliffe has received a unanimous invitation from the Methodist Church Board to remain with them another year.

Mrs. Ed. Lampman, of Chatham, is on a visit to her grand-daughters, the Misses Gaff, Talbot St.

Wm. Call, west of the village, who was seriously ill for some time, is reported much better at present.

Joseph Bloomfield, near the Eau, recently purchased the Higgs farm, Lake Shore, for the sum of \$4,000.

Miss Dora Walters, Talbot St., has been on a visit to Mrs. W. J. Moffat, of Tilbury.

Rev. Mr. Kellington preached anniversary services at the Methodist Church, Sunday. The ladies of the church will serve an anniversary tea this Wednesday evening.

Mrs. John Brown, of Scotland, is still lying dangerously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Quackenbush, of Blenheim.

The many friends of Dr. Charles Armstrong, of Kankakee, learn with sorrow of the death of the doctor's five-year-old son.

Mrs. George Gaff, Talbot St., has returned home from Chatham, where she has spent the past month for the benefit of her health.

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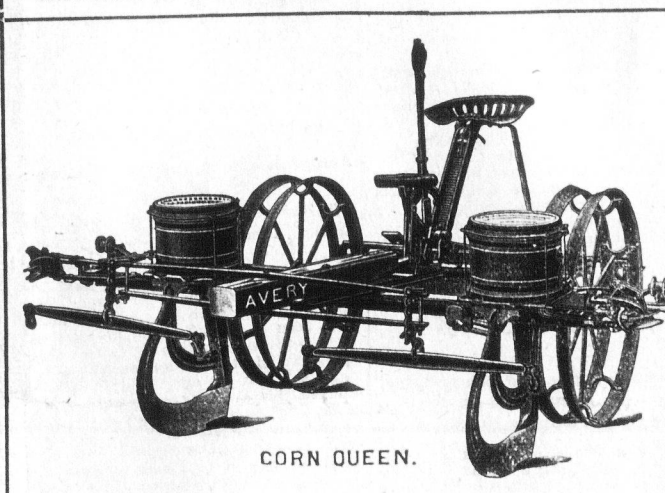
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Pa—I might after you were properly thrashed, and that's what will happen to you if you don't stop asking questions.

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*3.32 p.m.Express....1.05 a.m.	
*Daily.	

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1.45 p.m.Accommodation....2.30 p.m.	
2.23 p.m.Buffalo, New York and Toronto Express	
8.32 a.m.Express....8.15 a.m.	
	12.42 p.m.
	Buffalo, Toronto and North Bay.
5.08 p.m.**Eastern Flyer, for Montreal and Muskoka.	
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3—1.07 p.m.4—11.00 p.m.	
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Rodney.....			
West Lorne.....			
Dutton.....			
St. Thomas.....			
London.....			
Leamington.....7.48 a	4.15 p		
Kingsville.....			
Walkerville.....			
Dresden.....9.55 a	11.08 a	5.45 p	
Windsor.....			

Arrive at Chatham—From Blenheim, Ridgetown, Rodney, West Lorne, Dutton, St. Thomas, London, 9.55 a. From Leamington, Kingsville, Walkerville, 11.08 a, 8.20 p. From Dresden, Walkerville, 9.55 a, 7.05 p.

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