## WESTERN ONTARIO NEWS

## MIDNIGHT FIRE ALARM

Boys Tied a String to Bell Beet Sugar Factory Debentures and Aroused Embro Citizens.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Embro, April 4.—Embro people were thrown into a great state of excitement when about 11 o'clock in the evening the school bell started to sound mills. Of this 5.40 mills go towards an alarm. The fire brigade turned out paying the debentures of the beet in record time, reaching the school in 5 minutes and 45 seconds. Despite their hurry, however, they could find no signs of any fire. Diligent search for some minutes failed to reveal any ing aid in securing a good boat to run blaze, and as the bell was still ring-ing, the town constable decided to

enter the building and investigate. He succeeded in making his way into the building by a window, and had the others who were present surround the building, so that no one could escape. He then proceeded to search The local the premises, but could find no one on the first floor of the building. He came to the conclusion that it must town hall Easter Monday evening. be the spirits that were ringing the bell. As a last resort he climbed to the bell, and was surprised to find a rope attached to the hammer, running to the outside. This solved the mystery. Some boys did the deed, and were enjoying the joke immensely. All efforts to locate the culprits have so far

#### CHURCH UNION

Owen Sound Presbytery Gave Proposal a Good Majority.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Owen Sound is all in except from one The totals are as follows: For union, 140 elders, 2,181 members, 267 adherents; against, 39 elders, 609 members, 152 adherents. Total for Little, of Strassburg. union, 2,790; against, 800.

at Chesley, has taken Mr. Riesberry's place as station agent. A. Campbell, of the Bank of Commerce staff, has been transferred to

St. Thomas. Harry Williams has gone to Palmerston, where he will take a position as fireman on the G. T. R.

DENFIELD.

Denfield, April 4.-Mr. Benjamin Matthews visited friends in Lucan re-

Mrs. W. Tedder an dson, Howard, were London visitors today.
Mr. Robert McBlain and Mr. Thos. Rosser made a business trip to Clandeboye recently. Mr. Bailey O'Neil has left for Saska-

Mrs. J. T. Shipley was a London vis-Mr. James Topping, of Ailsa Craig, was in the village recently.

MUIRKIRK.

Muirkirk, April 4.-Miss Edna ing done. Gillies has tendered her resignation as teacher in the Rodney public school. dren have returned to their home in

Miss Maud Gillies has returned from St. Joseph's Hospital, London. Miss Mary McKellar, who recently underwent an operation in St. Joseph's able to the travelling public. Hospital, is improving nicely Miss Francis Clark, of Clachan, is

spending a few weeks here. Mr. George Campbell and family have moved to Michigan, where he has purchased a farm in the vicinity

Mr. James Gillies has leased his farm here to Mr. A. McConnell for a term of years. Mr. Gillies has moved to his other farm at Highgate. Mr. Wm. Dismond has sold his 100-acre farm to Mr. E. Turner, for the sum of \$7,500, and intends leaving for Chicago.

Mr. E. Turner has sold his 50-acre farm on the Blind Line to Mr. N. Mc-Dougall for the sum of \$4,800.

THAMESFORD.

Thamesford, April 4. — Mr. B. B. Mc-Carty is loading his car today and leaves with his family for Lethbridge, where he farms extensively. Miss Patterson accompanies them in search of

Messrs. Tambling and Gidley, London, are now in business in the store lately owned by N. C. McCarty &

Harry Woodmen, the mail clerk, has moved into the cottage vacated by

Mr. James Clipperton, of Nissouri is retiring from the farm, and will occupy Mr. John Brock's residence. Mrs. Cawthorpe, sen., Mrs. Flath and son are visiting Mr. Boyd Cawthorpe, of Cedar Springs, Mich.

The last social hop of the season was held in the town hall last night, when a fair number of the elite of the neighborhod were present. All had a

Mr. James Wilkie, Mrs. Ernest Wilkie and daughter leave for Saskatoon on Monday after having spent the win-

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sandick and children, of Beachville, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. John Weir.

Sugar-making is now the work of the farmers, but not a very favorable season has been experienced so far. Rev. M. and Mrs. Murphy have left

for Dutton, their new field of labor.

In Dread of Croup

The inexperienced mother is always in dread of croup. There is seldom any warning until the child metallic cough and gasps frantically

There is no time to send for a doctor, no time to go to the drug store, even; relief must be obtained once. If you are not so fortunate as to have Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine in the house. cause the child to vomit with a spoon-

ful of warm lard or by tickling the throat with the finger. Then get Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine so as to prevent the more serious attack which usually comes the second night, This treatment is wonderfully effective for croup, bronchitis and colds in the throat or chest. Mothers who make weeks with their parents. a practice of always keeping it in the

in case of emergency.

### WIARTON'S TAX RATE TURNED OUT A JOKE FIXED AT THIRTY MILLS

Takes Nearly One-Sixth of Whole Amount.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wiarton, April 4 .- The council here struck the rate for the year at 30 sugar factory.

ing aid in securing a good boat to run between the two places.

Ewart McEwan, Fred McVannel and Bert Fielding are home from the business college in Owen Sound for over

The local firemen have issued invitations for a ball to be given in the

Mr. Gideon Kastner is in Toronto Rev. John Ferguson left today for Montreal. Mrs. A. Logan will entertain the

oung people on Friday evening in onor of her neice, Miss Hall, of L'Orignal. Postmaster Walmsley has sold his

ouse to Mr. Sydney Glazier. Mr. W. J. Taylor, of Knox College, passed through Wiarton yesterday on his way to Mar, where he will preach

Mr. A. R. Thomson, clerk in Wm. Symons & Sons', intends leaving soon Wiarton, April 4.—The vote on for Moose Jaw. He was presented with church union for the Presbytery of an address and suitcase at the last for Moose Jaw. He was presented with meeting of the A. Y. P. A., of which he has been president for some time. The engagement is announced Miss A. Ashley, of Wiarton, and Mr.

#### Mr. Smith, who has been relieving LITTLE DURHAM GIRL IN CRITICAL CONDITION

Daughter of John Bartman Underwent

a Very Serious Operation. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Durham, April 4.-The six-year-old laughter of John Bartman, of Allan Park, was operated on here yesterday or a decaying bone in her limb. The doctors removed part of it, and express their opinion that the whole limb will have to be amputated. At present the child is in a very critical conition, and may not survive. -

Spring in this part of the country is n almost unknown quantity yet While there have been a few apparently heavy thaws, there is much snow, both in the fields, and on the highways. The roads, however, are almost impassable, the warm spells naving cut them up so that driving is scarcely safe. This time last year the farmers had considerable spring plow-

The Middaugh House here was sold eacher in the Rodney public school.
Mrs. Archibald Campbell and chil-George Ryan, to John C. Nichol, a local tailor. Mr. Nichol purposes fitting Caradoc after spending a few weeks the hotel up and running a first-class accommodation has for the past four years been very inadequate, the re-

### ELECTED OFFICERS

Their Annual Meeting. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Forest, April 4.-At the annua eeting of the members of Forest Ex-

elsior Band, the following officers vere elected: Honorary president, R. Karr; president, E. Gage; manager, W Hamilton; secretary, A. O. Smith; treasurer, W. Hamilton; bandmaster Geo, E. McIntosh; property man, Alf. Lapham; executive, M. Rumford, Alf. Lapham, F. Freele, J. P. McKindsey, J.

Miss Lena McAlpine, teacher in New iskeard, is home on a month's leave absence on account of ill-health Mrs. T. C. McIntyre and Miss Jessie teele spent the past week in Toronto. eamington, to spend the Easter holi-

Mrs. (Dr.) H. N. McCordie has reurned from an extended visit with her ster, Mrs. A. Kelly, Sarnia. Mrs. F. W. Shaw is visiting her moher. Mrs. Morris, in Sarnia.

Mrs. John McKay, London, visited er son, Howard McKay, here recently Miss Margaret Moag, of Smith's Falls, spent a few days with Dr. and Mrs.' C. A. Patterson. Wm, Campbell has returned from an

xtended visit with his brother, Dr. J B. Campbell, of Stanwood. Mrs. D. Brand and daughter, Mrs Wm. Deu, and two children, left yesterday for Brooks, Alberta, to visit the former's daughter, Mrs. McMillan. They will also visit Norman and Miss The Junior

Ruby Brand at Calgary. Alf. Mahler, of Ailsa Craig, moved his week into the residence property ne recently bought from Joe Fulcher, on Main street.

EMBRO. Embro, April 4. - Mr. John Fair-

Beachville. Mr. G. A. Velie, who has been spending the past three months at the Com-mercial Hotel, returned to Winnipeg vesterday. Miss A. Sutherland was a recent

ruest of Rayside friends. Miss Carrie Munro spent a couple days with friends in London re-

The Woman's Institute held its monthly meeting this afternoon, and was well attended. Miss Jessie Muterer of Rayside,

visitor with her uncle and aunt, awakens at midnight with the hard. Mr. W. H. and Miss Sutherland Mr. James Forman and Miss Phipps have left for Ingersoll Mr. Dan Millie ,of Woodstock, is in the village on business.

LONDESBORO.

Londesboro, April 4 .- A. T. Cooper vill address the Sunday school at their nniversary services Sunday morning or sleep, to take Vinol, our delicious Special music will be supplied. In the evening the pastor, Rev. J. H. Osterhout, will deliver an Easter

Rev. W. T. and Mrs. Pearcy, accompanied by the latter's sister, Miss and it will build you up. Take it Reche, have left for Port Colborne and on our guaranty of satisfaction and

house find that they can depend on it pulpits of Burns and Knox Churches

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\$16.50 Extra quality British worsted in fine twill, newest 3-button coat styles. Peg top or regular pants. Vest with silk edging. Sizes

silk edging. Peg top or regular pants. A young men's style. Sizes 33 to 40.

\$20 A magnificent cloth from mills of Sir Titus Salts, tailored in 3-button coat with bluff edge lapels. Peg top or regular trousers.

THE NEW BROWN AND TAN SUITS-WE'VE GOT ALL THE NEW SHADES, \$10.00 TO \$25. Browns and tans are having the big call, and with the wonderful new shades it's hardly to be wondered at. You'll find here a satisfactory selection at whatever price you want to pay, and you'll be surprised at the

cleverness of the styles and the quality of the tailoring, even at the lower prices. EXTRA STRONG VALUES AT \$10, \$15, \$18, \$20.

\$12.75 FOR SPRING COATS WORTH \$15 TO \$16.50.

Last week's offering went so well we made special efforts to get these here for the holiday trade. There's the new brown twill effects, medium grays in twills and neat patterns, and black silk-faced cheviots. Coats that you'll see in all the windows at \$15.00 to \$16.50. Just 32 for this week's selling. If you can use the saving

HAVE YOU BEEN TO THE BIG SALE OF BOYS' SUITS? Scores of customers bought two and three Suits this week, for values like these were never offered before

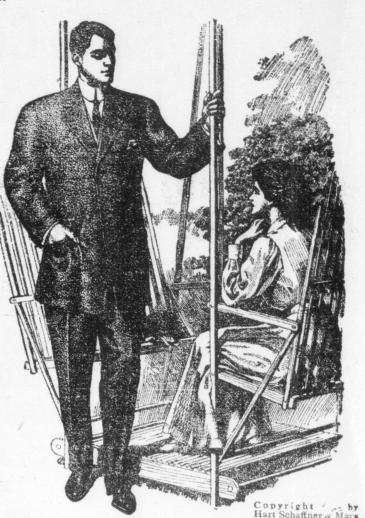
at the beginning of a season. The famous Lion Brand Suits, the best made in Canada, with double elbows in the sleeves, hand-padded shoulders and hair cloth fronts in coats, double seats and knees and silesia linings in the trousers. Practically all are the new long double-breasted coat style, with bloomer pants worthy of the name. The sizes are from 28 to 34. The guaranteed values are \$6 and \$6.50 Suits......\$3.95 | \$7.50 and \$8 Suits......\$4.95 | \$8.50 to \$10 Suits......\$5.95

in, at...... \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.95, \$8.50 HOLIDAY FURNISHING SPECIALS.

Some particularly clever new browns in tweeds and worsteds in New York bloomer styles, 29 to 33, just

New Easter Colored Shirts at........\$1 to \$1.50 | New York Soft Hats, rough finish......\$2.00 New Lounge Collar Shirts, just in......\$1.25 New wide brim low crown Stiff Hats......\$2.00

New Bordered End New York Neckwear.....50¢ Boys' snappy New Felt Hats.....75¢ and \$1.00 W. G. R. Close-Fitting Collars, "Derby"...2 for 25¢ Boys' Lounge Collar Soft Shirts at...............75¢



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cided upon for harbor improvement by ingly attired in a gown of white silk the chief engineer of the Dominion, as trimmed with silk insertion and silver it is absolutely different from what fringe and carried a bouquet of white was urged by the deputation which carnations and maidenhair ferns. She visited Ottawa, recently Those who lentered the parlor leaning went to Ottawa urged particularly that of her father. the harbor be made a refuge for boats, Forest Excelsion Band Members Held is also claimed that none of the larger the groomsman, a beautiful white silk day for vessels in distress.

FOREST MEETING

Mr. W. J. Wright Was Honored By Members of Literary Club.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Forest, April 4.—The final meeting the "Around the Table Club" eld at the home of the president. Mrs. Miss De Cow, teacher in the high R. J. Parker. After the usual study chool, left today for her home in of Shakespeare's "As You Like It." a Shakespeare's "As You Like It," a serious flood have passed. easant feature was introduced, when Mr. W. J. Wright, the efficient leader of the club, was made the recipient of a handsome fountain pen. The diningcoom was converted into • veritable Forest of Arden," and lunch was served at an immense round table. During the evening Mrs. Walters sang 'As You Like It."

At a meeting of the Forest Boy were appointed Scouts' Council, Reg. F. Scott, J. A. Edgar, A. Mrs. Will Denning has returned from St. Thomas, and with her daughter, Williams, E. A. Rawlings, J. F. Brush, Geo. E. Clarke, R. B. Crosbie, Dr. F. A. Walters, G. E. McIntosh, H. The Junior Scouts organized a baseball club Wednesday evening, with

Will Ross as manager, and Alex. Frame as captain.

BIRKETT FOR SENATE.

Ottawa, April 4.-A petition is in circulation in Ottawa, asking that airn visited recently with friends in Thomas Birkett, ex-M. P., be elevated o the senate. It will be presented to the Premier on his return from his southern visit.

Jersey Man's Story

There is a rugged, robust, New Jery man, George W. Thompson, name, living in Manasquan, who has an interesting life-story to relate. 'About two years ago," he said (in

a recent letter) "my health broke day to Errol Cemetery, and the serdown and I felt fagged out all the vices will be conducted by Rev. Mr. time, having very little strength and Gunn, of Wyoming. being nervous, with poor appetite. 'I think Vinol is the best spring medicine on the market today. since taking it I can say that I feel like a new man. I have regained my strength, eat well, sleep like a log." Right now is the time for you, if you are weak and rundown, can't eat

cod liver and iron remedy.

No matter whether you are a old person or young and sickly, if you are not as strong and vigorous as you ought to be, Vinol is for you. Toronto, where they will spend a few if it disappoints you we will give weeks with their parents. Rev. J. H. Osterhout will occupy the new strength begin taking Vinol now. ERSMAN---READING

Were Wed at Bride's Home,

Harriston, April 4.—A very pretty vedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Reading, Minto, yesterday afternoon at i [Special to The Advertiser.]

Kincardine, April 4.—Considerable indignation is felt here at the plan deforty guests. The bride was charm-

She was attended by her sister, Miss and that something be done to try and Bertha Reading, who was dressed in prevent the heavy loss of life that oc- white silk, and carried a bouquet of curs along the northern shores. It was geraniums and ferns. The groom was hoped that a breakwater would be supported by Mr. Fred Newman, cousplaced north of the present pier, as in of the bride. After the congratulahis would give protection from the tions the couple were conducted to the erce gales. Local people contend dining-room, where a dainty wedding that to project the north pier one hun- supper was served. The groom's gift dred yards further into the lake is on- to the bride was a pair of gold cuff ly a put off and may save some money links, set with emeralds; to the brideswithout lessening the danger. It maid, a gold ring, set with opals; to vessels would dare try to get into the tie. The bride's travelling costume present harbor, and that the port was amethyst Venetian cloth, with hat should be made accessible night and to match. The evening was spent in day for vessels in distress, day for vessels in distress, Ersman proceeded to their home, near Pike Lake.

Sydenham River Is Going Down Rapidly and Danger Is Past.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Napier, April 4.—The Sydenham is going down rapidly, and all fears of a the roads at present are in a bad condition, and as soon as the frost comes out of the ground, unless a heavy rain Impassable, owing to the heaviness of the clay.

Indications of plenty of work for spring are to be seen everywhere. "It Was a Lover and His Lass," from Dunlop's yard is full of logs, which will keep the sawmill busy for many weeks. There is a large quantity of outs four patrols were selected. The basswood ready to be manufactured into cheese boxes.

Mrs. Will Denning has returned from Elva, has left for Komoka to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. McLachian. Arthur Grimes is on the sick list with measles. Only a few scattered

cases remain. Ernest McDonald is home from Chatham for the Easter vacation, but has been spending a large portion of it in bed owing to an attack of measles.

CAMLACHIE DEATH

Hilda Schram Had Been III at Her Home for Some Time.

Mrs. A. J. Schram, died at her parents' home yesterday after an illness exvived by two sisters, Mrs. William Ironsides, of Moose Jaw, Sask., whowas telegraphed for and is coming home, and Mrs. McNeil. The funeral will be held on Satur-

WILL EXTEND LINES

Important Additions to Rural System of North Brooke Are Planned. [Special to The Advertiser.]

North Brooke, April 4 .- It is stated on excellent authority that the rural telephone line will, by the end of the summer, be in good working order on the Ninth and Tenth concessions. The line is completed from Alvinston to the corner of the Eighteenth sideroad, and the Ninth concession, and the poles are laid to Angus Graham's farm, about two miles from Napier. It is the purpose of the company

AGAINST HARBOR PLAN Popular Young Residents of Minto [Special to The Advertiser.]

FLOOD IS OVER

[Special to The Advertiser.]
nlachie, April 4. Schram, aged 15, daughter of Mr. and tending over some time. She is sur-

DO SORE CORNS Anderson & Nelles, druggists, also to extend its line to Napier to con-W. T. Strong, druggist, London, Ont. nect with the Caradoc, Ekfrid and the forever, Price, 24c, Sold by druggists.

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Manganese and Iron. When a cold or cough "hangs on", particularly with a child or growing boy or girl, don't take chances. Start right in with a bottle of Na-Dru-Co Tasteless Cod Liver Oil Compound—it will quickly build up the strength to throw off the cough or cold.

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Morgan lines. This will be a great convenience to those in the village for when this is completed Napier will have direct connection with Kerwood and Strathroy on the north, and northeast; Appin and Melbourne on the east; Glencoe on the south, and Alvinston on the west.

With the splendid rural mail delivery system at present in existence on the concessions, the Brooke farmer will be in a splendid position to cope with the man in the city, who sits at the table with his phone on it. Mrs. A. Smith is still at the home of her mother, Mrs. Hugh Leitch, on the Tenth, but in the near future intends moving with the family to Sar-

pointed manager of a creamery, with offices in Port Huron as well. Mr. Wesley Doan has bought the farm in Brooke owned by Howard Mc-

nia, where Mr. Smith has been ap-

Measles continue to spread in this district. Mr. Brown's family on the Tenth is the latest addition to the number of those afflicted. Mr. John Kerr, who has been confined to the house for a number of years, was taken very seriously !!! recently, but at present he is some-

what improved. WED AT INGERSOLL

Miss Clara Strowbridge Becomes Wife of Young Toronto Man.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, April 4.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon, a pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Strowbridge, Wellington street, when their youngest daughter, Clara Edna, was united in marriage to Francis Charles Schofield, of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. B. Christie, and was witnessed by the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. The bride was given away by her father, while Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus was being played by Miss Lela Kerr. The bride, who was unattended, looked charming in a gown of all-over embroidery and carrying a bouquet of bridal roses and lilies of the valley. The groom's gift to the bride was a set of Persian lamb furs, and to the planist a pearl ring. Mr. and Mrs. Schofield left for Toronto, the bride travelling in a tailored sult of blue, with black hat.

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