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DRESDEN.

Oct. 3.-Harry Smith, of Toronto, is home visiting his parents.

Miss Ethel McClinton, of Chatham, is the guest of Mrs. Jas. Kimmerly. The Camden-Dresden fair is a great success. Fine weather, large crowds and excellent entries making it one of the best

At high noon to-morrow Walter Willson, druggist, and Miss Clementine, second daughter of J. W. Sharp, will be united in Council met last evening with Mayor

Cragg in the chair and all councillors present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. Board of works report on street improvements. Report adopted. Finance committe report was adopted and accounts ordered paid. W.B. McGeorge,

Henson drain as to cost and construction. Total cost to be \$553, Dresden's portion of the cost to be \$85.10, balance to be paid by the townships of Chatham and Camden. The president of the public library asked for a grant of \$20 from the council. After some discussion the matter was laid over for two markers. Council adjourned. weeks. Council adjourned.

Her Heart like a Polluted **Spring**. — Mrs. James Srigley, Pelee Island, Ont., says: "I was for five years afflicted with dyspepsia, constipation, heart Island, Ont., says: "I was for nive years afflicted with dyspepsia, constipation, heart disease and nervous prostration. I cured the heart trouble with Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, and the other ailments vanished like mist. Had relief in half an hour after the first dose."—27

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Well-Managed Institution Which is Doing a Grand Work.

The ladies of the Home for the Friendless which owing to their devoted self-denial and zeal, has now successfully celebrated its 19th anniversary, met Monday afternoon in the council chamber, a tone of sadness permeating the assembly, owing to the hopeless illness of their deservedly respected treasurer, Mrs. Garner.

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There were present:—Mrs. Ferguson, V. P.; Miss Regan, recording secretary; Mrs. R. Fleming, Mrs. MacDonald, Mrs. Tissiman, Mrs. Tyhurst, Mrs. Eberts, Mrs. Snook, Mrs. Brady, Mrs. Gardiner, Mrs. Arthur Richardson, Mrs. Taff, Mrs. Laird, Mrs. O'Neil, Miss McColl, Mrs. Marx, with Revs. Dr. Battisby, Hannon and Sims and reporters. Mrs. Ferguson in the chair, Rev. Mr. Hannon opened with a beautiful prayer for the officers, inmatee, matron and all who aided in the comfort of the needy all who sided in the comfort of the needy children of the Lord.

TREASURER'S REPORT. The treasurer's report of receipts and expenditures from October 1st, 1899, to Sept. 30th, 1900, was as follows:—

Receipts. - Balance in hand, 1st Oct. 1899, \$315.42, received from Government of On-tario, \$319.90; from city of Chatham \$2,000; from inmates themselves, \$100; income from property belonging to Home, Sherwood bequest, \$40.77; subscription, donation, etc., \$11.25; total \$2,787.84.

Expenditure.—Butchers' meat, \$146.51; Expenditure.—Butchers' meat, \$146.51; butter, \$37; flour, bread, meal, etc., \$56; milk, \$37; 15; water supply \$18.25; potates and vegetables, \$3.80; groceries, etc., \$156.65; advertising, printing, etc., \$10.62; soap, mops, etc., \$3; clothing, etc., \$32.55; fuel, \$743.06, medicine and physicians' salary, \$104.13; salary and wages, \$219.16; outdoor relief, etc., \$612.60, cash balance in hand, \$542.36; total \$2,787.84.

SECRETARY'S REPORT. In the year 1881 a number of ladies and gentlemen conceived the idea of establishing in the town of Chatham, a society for benevolent purpose, their object being the care of the helpless, aged and friendless

poor of the town. To-day is the 19th annual meeting and during all these years, the ladies have cheerfully given their time and ability to further this good work, always relying on the City Fathers for help in time of need.

The house is an up-to-date institu-

tion, with modern improvements, 13 inmates at present residing at the Home, of whom 9 are women, 4 men; 28 admitted during the year and remained for periods varying from one day to several months, nine of whom were there previously to last year, one aged lady paying board. The outside poor have also received their share of

nished to 145 families, 460 persons in all; white 80, colored 83; Protestants 124, Roman Catholics 18. The wood alone was quite an item.

In the neighborhood of 650 loads were distributed. The sick have also been amply cared for; 7 patients sent to Public General Hospital, 2 to St. Joseph's Hospital; 9 burials paid for; other afflicted ones helped; 1 deaf and dumb pupil at Belleville, 1 young Brantford Institute, 7 persons received railroad passes.

Miss Green, the matron, has been conducting the house for four years and possesses excellent qualities for managing an institution of that kind. Thanks are due to Mr. J. L. Scott, who so kindly donated the ice bill, fully receipted.

Report of Religious Committee:—Gentlemen who kindly held services at the Home during the year—Clergymen, Rev. Dr. McColl, 3 visits, substitutes 1. Rev. Dr. Hannon, 6 visits; Rev. J. J. Ross 2; Rev. F. H. Larkin, 3; Rev. Dr. Battibsy, 4; Rev. R. McCosh, 9; Salvation Army 9. Laymen, Messrs. Gardiner 1 visit, Sharp 6, Reeve 6, Thomson 8, Butler 2, Tickner 5, McConnell 5, Macaulay 9, Dr. Thornton, 1 song service.

On motion of Mrs. Snook, seconded

Thornton, 1 song service.
On motion of Mrs. Snook, seconded by Mrs. Fleming, all reports were dopted.

Nominations were then in order, and Dr. Battisby, who was invited to the chair, put it to vote whether the elecchair, put it to vote whether the elections should be open or by ballot. The latter having carried by show of hands, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Mrs. N. H. Stevens, unanimously as president, with Mrs. Ferguson, vice president; Miss Ryan, recording secretary; Mrs. Hugh McDonald, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Fleming, treasurer, in place of Mrs. Garner.

Advisory Committee — Mesdames Ryan, Ball, Rutherford, Scane, Arthur Richardson, C. J. O'Neill, with Rev. Dr. Battisby, J. A. Walker, Q. C., the Mayor and Charity Committee of the

Mayor and Charity Committee of the Council ex-officio, and Mr. M. Hous-

Religious Committee - Mesdames Ryan, Laird and Ball, Special committee to be appointed by president.

On motion of Mrs. Fleming, seconded by Mrs. Ferguson, J. A. Walker's name was added to advisory committee.

A motion by Mrs. Gardiner, seconded by Mrs. A. Richardson, carried, exed by Mrs. A. Richardson, carried, ex-pressing the society's deep sense of the loss which they suffered in being de-prived of Mrs. Garner's services and their sorrow for her sufferings. Rev. Dr. Battisby spoke with much feeling of Mrs. Garner's afflicted state. To her business capacity and continued interest the society had been deeply indebted more aspecially in

deeply indebted, more especially in its early and struggling stage. He, as her pastor, knew with what un-tiring energy she had devoted herself to this noble cause. Now her work was done and her earthly race all ended. With reference generally to the work of the Home, the speaker counselled patience in dealing with the inmates, who, though kindly treated, must be unhappy, waiting as they were for death, and made peevish

through infirmities.

After a few words from W. E. Hamilton, one of the original promoters of the Home, the meeting closed with prayer by the chairman.



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The Brantford Courier, Wednesday, Sept. 19, 1900, says concerning next Fri-day's attraction at the Grand:—"A large and well-satisfied audience witnessed the production in the opera house last night of "The Prisoner of Zenda." The pay is very cleverly adapted from the popular novel of that name and it contains a notable mixture of comedy and pathos. The stage setting for the prologue was exceedingly pretty and the handsome attires of the period of 1733 the handsome attires of the period of 1733 was very rich and appropriate. In the play Mr. Elmer Buffman took the dual role of Rudolph, King of Ruritaua, and Rudolph Rassendyll, a young Englishman, who assumed the role of monarch under most exciting circumstance. He did splendid work, both as the dissolute sovereign and the devil-may-care Englishman ready for any emergency, and he was time and time again loudly applanded. His comedy and tragedy loudly applauded. His comedy and tragedy touches were alike excellent. Miss Alice Taylor made a winsome Princess Flavia. She is the possessor of a charming stage presence. Miss Du Bois had the role of presence. Miss Du Bois had the role of Antionette De Mauban, and she filled the part excellently. As the King's cousin with many devious plots, Mr. Wm. Clifford was capital, and Wm. Colvin, W. D. Collins and other members of the company demonstrated that their parts had been placed in capable hands. The stage setting and costuming were excellent throughout. The play will be presented again to night and there should be a crewded house, for it is a good piece pre-

ented by very capable people." COWSLIP FARM.

No merrier comedy drama has ever been presented to the fun loving public than Cowslip Farm, which will be given at the Grand next Thursday evening. Pathos and merriment are so closely wovem in the plot of Cow-slip Farm, that the audience is consup rarm, that the audience is continually transported from tears to sunshine. The events of Cowslip Farm centre around Melinda Jane Boggs, from Juniperville, Vermont, a spinster of very uncertain age, and Trix, a young girl of twelve years, who as a waif, was picked up by a wealthy New York family. The astonishment of Aunt Melinda when suddenly transported from her village home to the grandeur of a New York mansion is only completely by the York mansion is only equalled by the wonderment of Trix when she first sees Aunt Melinda, Trix, with her city knowledge, cannot imagine how anyone can be so green. Aunt Melinda's peace of mind goes when she comes in contact with Trix, who misses no opportunity to torment the old lady, and keep her in a constant state of worriment. Melinda Jane Boggs, in the capable hands of Edward

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