given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid.
Rev. M. P. Talling presided. The 'contributors to a really excellent programme were: Piano solo, Miss Currie; song, Mrs. Phillips, Miss Mulligan and Miss Mutch, all encored; readings, Miss Cannell, Mr. Davis and Mr. Webster. Mr. Charles Wheeler was the accompanist. Refreshments were served during the evening.

In the London Free Press of Tuesday appears a biased report of the Conservative nomination for South Middlesex, headed as follows:

ALEXANDER GRAY, OF LOBO.

THE CONSERVATIVES SELECT HIM AS THEIR

From a correspondent of the Strathroy Age
(Lib.)

The Advertiser has the authority of the Age for stating that no such report has appeared in its columns.

Mr. John Mackenzie, laborer, lives on Cathcart street, South London. He has a 15-year-old son and a Winchester rifle. The former took the ramrod and endeav-

Ready to Buy St. Thomas Out.

It Was Loaded.

Annie Pixley Injured.

The Police Court.

The Safe-Blowers.

Queen City.

ments faultlessly.

Water Commissioners.

the water, and to cover that the chairman moved a resolution to the effect that after April 15 the sub-tenant must pay the regular rate. Engineer Moore was authority for the statement that nearly 1,000,000 gallons of water was running to waste somewhere about the city. The in-

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THE WEATHER FORECAST. North to Northwest Winds, with Fair and Colder Weather.

and Colder Weather.

Toronto, March 14.—The depression central over Lake Michigan last night is now central over Ottawa and is decreasing in energy. It is causing a light snow full, with lower temperatures to-night, over Ontario. Lower pressure, with slight temperature changes, prevail in Eastern Canada, and light snow or sleet is falling in Quebec Province. In the Northwest the high pressure still prevails, with temperature near zero. There is a tendency in Alberta for rising temperatures.

zero. There is a tendency in Alberta for rising temperatures.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Victoria, 40°—52°; Edmonton, 4 below—18°; Calgary, 8° below—14°; Battleford, 20° below—2°; Qu'Appelle, 32° below—zero: Winnipeg, 18° below—2°; Port Arthur, 6° below—2°; Toronto, 23°—41°; Kingston, 22°—36°; Montreal, 24°—36°; Quebec, 22°—28°; Halifax, 34°—40°.

TORONDO, March 15—1 a. m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Lakes—North to northwest winds; fair and decidedly colder.

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Sad Results of an Early Fire in Chicago.

Chicago, March 15.—A few minutes after 2 o'clock this morning fire started in Stephen Carter's picture frame factory at 124 and 126 May street. The building was a brick etucuture 150 by 125 feet and five stories in height. It was well stocked with pictures and material. A short time after the fire started the top of the south wall tell on, the roof of Stephen Carter's residence at 128 May street, adjoining the factory. The building collapsed, burying five persons. The dead are supposed to be: S. J. Chartier, uncle of Stephen Carter, and Lillie Chartier, 12 years old. The injured are: Mrs. Etienna Chartier, wife of S. J. Chartier; Rose Chartier, 10 years old; Stephen Carter, J. E. Cock, driver of engine No. 3; Patrick O'Connor, pipeman, with engine company, No. 7. Loss, \$60,000; insured. Sad Results of an Early Fire in Chicago

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REV. ANNA SHAW. Rev. Anna Shaw, who will speak at the Talbot Street Baptist Church to-morrow night, is one of the most attractive orators that has visited this city. Her addresses whether on temperance or on other topics are always intensely interesting, and wherever she goes she is greeted by wherever she goes she is greeted by crowded audiences. London will be no exception to the rule. The church should be crowded, for a treat of no ordinary character awaits those who attend.

TABLECT THURSES

## LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

-Mr. R. S. Murray is seriously ill at his residence.

-Fireman Andrew McMurchy, of No. 1 fire hall, is off duty through illness. -There will be no eclipse of the moon this year, 1893, neither was there in 1882, 1868

-Evangelist Leyden lectures again this afternoon and evening in the Grand Opera House. The Police Court.

Mrs. Mary \$A. Scofield was charged at this morning's Police Court with keeping a disorderly house on York street east. Her two daughters, aged 15 and 14 years, and a son aged 10, were charged with being inmates and John Mulholland with being a frequenter. [Mrs. Mulholland, the complainant, swore that Mrs. Scofield had done her best to steal her (Mrs. Mulholland's) husband's love and affection. The evidence was weak and the magistrate dismissed the case. Three drunks were discharged and one fined \$2 or ten days.

The Safe-Blowers. —Mr. George Johnson, of this city, has gone on a visit to his old home in Ennis-killen, Ireland.

—Oak Hall wants every boy in London to call at their store and leave their name and address.

-Mr. James K. Wright, of the G. T. R. station ticket office, has been promoted to a position as day clerk. -"At two of her meetings between 6,000 and 7,000 persons were present."—[Toronto Globe on Rev. Anna Shaw."]

Globe on Rev. Anna Shaw.?

—Mr. E. E. Anderson, of Toronto, will succeed Mr. J. K. Wright as night agent at the G. T. R. station ticket offices.

—P. C. Abram, who has driven the patrol wagon for some time, has resigned, and will remove to the Pacific coast in a

It is probable that the banquet to commemorate the opening of the new C. P. R. station in this city will be held about

The Safe-Blowers.

The audacious couple who cracked the safe at Hamilton's brewery yesterday are still at large. It is believed that they departed on a G. T. R. train, several of which leave the city between 4 and 6 a.m. Two men were seen running in that direction on Talbot street just after the occurrence. The police have discovered that several of the tools they used—a brace, a chisel and a file—were stolen from a black-smith shop in London West. They evidently carried their own bit. It is believed they are the same tramp burglars who have been blowing safes in Petrolea, Alvinston and other places lately. The manner in which they shattered Mr. Hamilton's iron box was decidedly unprofessional. It was his collecting day and he had a large amount of money in his possession. The manuaders were doubtless aware of this and shadowed him, but fortunately he earried his cash home instead of depositing it in the safe.

Presentation to Former Londoners. -Mr. Stanley Barnard, formerly with Thornton & Douglas, Stratford, will man-age a large Dundas street drygoods house in this city.

-Mr. D. McQuarrie, of R. J. Hunter's, Toronto, has arrived in London to take charge of the men's furnishing department of Burns', the clothier.

At the meeting of the Grand Black Chapter of Ontario on Tuesday at Orange-ville H. E. Bates, of this city, was elected a member of the grand committee.

-Among those to take part in St. Patrick's concert here will be Mrs. Celeste V. Keltie. No doubt her many friends will be pleased of a chance to hear her again.

-Work has been commenced on the \$3,500 addition to the Grigg House. St. Luney is contractor for the brickwork and Tambling & Jones for the carpentering.

-The special meetings in the First Congregational Church are being well attended and much interest is manifested. They will be continued every night this week.

-Evangelist Leyden, of Boston, Mass, spoke to a large crowd of men only in the Grand Opera House last night. His topic was, "The Priest in the Confessional Box."

-Mr. George Burrell, with H. R. Abbott, leaves to-day for Detroit to take acourse in Land's (post-graduate) School of Dentistry. He will also look into the workings of the Detroit Free Library.

-Miss Mary McLsauchlin will take a millinery situation in London at the opening of the spring season. Misses Rilla and Florence Hunter are vieiting relatives in London.—[Brussels Post.

-The Young Liberal Club will hold their general club meeting to-night at 8 o'clock. —Among those to take part in St. Pat-rick's concert here will be Mrs. Celeste V. Keltie. No doubt her many friends will be pleased of a chance to hear her again.

in London.—[Brussels Post.

—The Young Liberal Club will hold their general club meeting to-night at 8 o'clock, when important matters will come up for discussion. Hon. D. C. Fraser, M. P. for Guysboro, N. S., the eloquent free trade orator, is expected to speak. Every member is asked to be present.

—The city engineer has reported to the control of the city engineer has reported.

ber is asked to be present.

—The city engineer has reported to the board of works that the Wellington street sewer between Princess and Dufferin avenues was laid in a careless and unworkmanlike manner. It will have to be re-laid. Proper supervision at time of construction would have prevented this.

Albert E. Faster, who is now search.

—Albert E. Foster, who is now serving a three years' term in the Kentucky State Prison for bigamy, was first married in this city to a Delaware woman. D. B. S. Crothers, of St. Thomas, will take proceedings to have this marriage annulled on the ground that it was not legally performed.

E. Wilkins, formerly a student with J. ground that it was not legally performed.

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H. Tennent, V.S., this city, read an interesting essay on "Epizootic Cellulitis" at a special meeting of the Ontario Veterinary Medical Association the other evening.

Mr. Wilkins enumerated the characteristic features between this disease and influenza.

It received due consideration and was warmly discussed.

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warmly discussed.

—George Crispio, the jewelry thief, was
sentenced in July, 1890, to three years'
imprisonment at Detroit for house-breaking. There he went under the assume
amme of King. He was released six
months before the expiration of his term,
and returned to this city, where he resumed his thievery, which started here in

1888.

The opera of "Galatea," will be presented at the Grand Opera House by the Boston Ideals next Saturday evening. Incz Macusker, the prima-donna of the Ideals, is not only a magnificent singer, but is of the most beautiful women on the stage. The play is well-known to all, but set to music it will be somewhat of a novelty.

—A large audience assembled in the lecture hall of St. James' Presbyterian Church last evening to enjoy a concert

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The Police Court. McDERMID'S DRUG STORE, 174 Dundas Street, five doors

VANDERLIP. TAILOR,

east of Richmond.

202 DUNDAS STREET spectors reported that no waste of any account had come under their notice, but a special effort will be made to find it. The usual accounts were passed and the commissioners adjourned at 8:30.

LONDON, CANADA.

London and suburbs have a population of

35,000 persons.

London is situated in the garden of Canada, midway between the Niagara and the Detroit Rivers.

London is the center of nine different the control of the

lines of railway, giving easy access to the whole continent, and to the lakes and

London has direct connection with the three great Canadian lines of railway—the Grand Trunk, the Canadian Pacific, and the Michigan Central. London controls a line of railway from the city to Port Stanley, on Lake Erie. Each day more trains arrive at and depart from London than arrive at and depart from any other Canadian city in the

aume time.

London's public water supply is obtained
from never-tailing pure springs four miles
from the city. Their yield is practically
unlimited. London has the best drinking

water on the continent.

London is an excellent health resort, as it has a lower death rate than any city of its size on the continent, and it has magnificent white sulphur baths within its

London has I opera house and 4 public

halls.

London has 13 public schools (and a number are under contract), not including kindergartens; 3 R. C. separate schools, 2 ladies' olleges, and 1 collegiate institute.

London has I university and I medical School.

London has a Conservatory of Music and a School of Elecution.

a School of Elecution.

London has 2 public libraries.

London is an excellent center for manufacturing and commercial enterprises. There are already established wholesale houses for groceries, hardware, drygoods, small wares, boots and shoes, drugs, crockeryware, etc. There are one or more manufactories of furniture, engines, boilers, stoves, furnaces, iron and brass foundries, carriages, burial cashets, agricultural implements, stamped tinware, railway cars, oil refining, leather, barreis, machine tools, clothing, cigars, office and school oil renning, leather, barrels, machine tools, clothing, eigars, office and school furniture, biscuits and contectionery, mirrors and beveled plate-glass, corsets, furs, beer, washing compounds, acids, woodwork of every description, etc.

London has two daily newspapers (morning and evening editions).

London has two public parks.

Companions "At Home."

The hall of Court Brighton, South London, was filled comfortably last evening, when Forest Home Circle, A. O. F., had informed their friends they would be "At Home," and all spent a pleasant time. The chair was taken by C. C. H. D. Hodgins, who made several remarks appropriate to the occasion, and then called on Mr. W. Blaikie, Miss M. Davey, Mr. L. J. Hessel, Miss C. Packham, Mr. Smith and Mr. R. Kemp, who each contributed numbers that were listened to with pleasure. An enjoyable feature was the presentation by Comp. A. E. White, past district deputy, of two past chief companions' regalias to Comp. Mrs. Geo. Bonser and Comp. Miss Lizzie Dunn, two officers whose services have always been at the circle's command. Comp. Miss McPherson pinned on the regalias. The ladies during an interval in the programme provided refreshments, Miss Cora Packhamplayed the accompaniments faultlessly. London has two public parks. London has six banks and eight loan and investment associations.

London has six charitable institutions,

two hospitals and seven public buildings. London has a good street railway, which will be much extended during the year. London's rate of taxation is 18 mills, which includes all school rates, etc.

London's civic assets are \$2.547.798 34 is \$422,861 19. The total assessment is \$15,333,097.

London has 44 churches, almost every religious denomination of any importance being represented. being represented.

London has an excellent Entomological Society and exhibition, and some of the ablest entomologists to be found in Canada.

London has markets three times weekly, the best in the west. The great Western Fair is held for ten days in September.

Environ. Taxtifulars about the city may.

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# Water Commissioners. Chairman Jones, Commissioner Cowan, Engineer Moore, Secretary Ellwood, Inspector Plats and Inspector Plastow were present at last night's meeting of the water commissioners. Engineer Moore reported in favor of the Imperial Oil Company's tender for oil for engine and lighting purposes and the Vacuum Company's (Toronto) tender for oil for cylinder purposes. These tenders will be accepted. Jesse Cook, who received the tender for pipe-laying, has not yet presented his securities to carry out the contrast. If he does not come up by Saturday the next lowest tender will be accepted. John B. Smyth, 394 Waterloo street, applied for a reduction of water rate. He claimed that he had been charged for an extra room from April 1, 1889. The reduction will be allowed from Jan. 15 last. The commissioners ratified the resolution of the City Council, allowing the Globe Casket Company 3,000 gallons of water a day. It is said that part of the building is sub-let to a gum manufacturer who has the use of the water, and to cover that the chairman moved a resolution to the effect that after. April 15 the sub-tenant must

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