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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Miss Irene Love and Miss A. S. Stevenson returned today from a visit to friends in Guelph.

—The City Gas Company are installing a new gasometer at the corner of Horton and Ridout streets, and will build other extensive new works.

—Messrs. Chas. Stewart and T. H. Robinson, of this city, have been elected to the executive committee of the Seventh Day Adventists, in convention at Galt.

—Men worked all last night putting in a new switch at the street railway at the corner of Stanley street and the Wortley road. This was necessary, as they had to displace the tracks at present down.

—Evangelist T. L. Baicher, who has been in the York Street Mission for six years, was given a pleasant surprise after prayer meeting the other evening. A few members of the First Methodist Church dropped in to the mission hall and presented him with a purse, and undertook to supply his work during a brief holiday, the first in six years.

—Mr. J. W. Gustin, who successfully passed his third year examinations at the Western Medical College, left yesterday for Bay City, Mich., where he will assist his brother, Dr. S. E. Gustin. Mr. Gustin will return in the fall to take his final year in medicine, after which he will locate in Bay City. Mrs. Gustin and Miss Madeline Gustin will visit friends in Woodstock, Guelph and Toronto during the summer months.

FARMERS' EXCURSION.

Nearly 600 farmers from East Middlesex patronized the Farmers' Institute excursion to Guelph yesterday. They returned last night on a special train.

FAREWELL RECITAL.

Mr. W. H. Hewlett will give a farewell organ recital at the Dundas Center Church, at 4 o'clock next Saturday afternoon. Mr. Hewlett is preparing a programme of his most popular selections, and Miss Eva Robyn will contribute several vocal numbers.

AN ENJOYABLE CONCERT.

A large audience was present last night at the concert given at the Wellington Street Methodist Church. The concert was extremely enjoyable. The chorus was of about 40 voices, and the different numbers on the programme were given by Mrs. Stock, Miss Maud Fowler, Miss Violet Land, Mr. Cunningham and Mr. Garthwaite, Miss Edith Potts, Miss Nena Burke and Mr. Featherston.

FUND FOR MONUMENT.

Mrs. Douglas Young, president of the Daughters of the Empire, presided at a meeting of the monument committee, which was held yesterday afternoon at Nordheimer's Music Hall. Mrs. O'Grady was appointed convener of committee. Mrs. Charles Ingram, secretary. The following members were present: Mrs. Alfred Robinson, Mrs. De la Hooke, Mrs. Denton, Mrs. H. Dreaney, Mrs. Jack Carling, Mrs. Jeff Wood, Mrs. Mo-

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Burney, Mrs. Sharpe, Misses Yates, N. Burke, Priddy, Shaw-Wood, Mills and Graydon. Mrs. Young and Miss Graydon were appointed to look on the mayor for the purpose of making arrangements to amalgamate with the city council in re fund, which has already been started.

FIRST HUSSARS IN CAMP.

The First Hussars left yesterday for Niagara-on-the-Lake, where they will go into camp for ten days. The London squadrons, numbering 100 officers and men, with horses, went in a special train on the Grand Trunk at 1:00 p.m., and the Kingsville and Court-right squadrons followed on a special half an hour later. The latter squadron came from the frontiers to London on special trains during the morning.

TAKEN TO THE CENTRAL.

Provincial Bailiff English spent last night here and left this morning for Toronto in charge of seven prisoners, who will serve terms in the Central prison. Gordon Jewel, Thos. Green, John Hart and Sam Ellis, of Chatham, and Wm. Johnston, and R. Hunt, of Windsor, were all convicted of larceny. John McKenzie, of this city, will serve three months for malicious damage to property.

BUSY BEES' CONCERT.

The Busy Bees of the First Methodist Church held their annual entertainment last night in Wesley Hall, and the large audience of children, parents and friends present pronounced it a most enjoyable affair. A principal feature of the evening was the presentation of a beautiful window by Mr. H. E. St. George, in memory of his little son. Mr. Thomas McCormick, on behalf of the Sunday school trustees, accepted the window, which is to be placed in the infant class room. After the presentation of the window, the choir sang "Where is Heaven?" The entire scene of the program was presided over by children of the Orphan's Home. At the conclusion of the entertainment each child received a box of candy.

GO WAY BACK.

Or Feed So You Can Keep Up.

People must be well fed in this world if they are expected to do good work. A carpenter with poor tools must take less wages and handle the poor jobs. So in life, the person who is weak, badly nourished body must get out of the way for the strong ones.

A school teacher writes from Vermont. She had been compelled to take a little backwoods school for small wages because she had not the strength to conduct a better school. "Small appetite and poor digestion kept me weak. I had been compelled to rest at the noon hour and shut myself away from all company morning and night. In this way only could I work up to some in a year ago, when lady visiting here from California led me to share a dish of Grape-Nuts with her. During the winter I ate occasionally of the food, always with good results.

"Last July it was necessary for me to attend the summer school for teachers. Being poor in purse and sick body I could not pay the expense of boarding in a big place, so I rented a room and boarded myself. Grape-Nuts and cream tasted good and I lived almost exclusively on the food.

"Gradually to my surprise, toward the close of the second week, the sort of mental haze that had been about me for a long time broke away, and I grasped the thought presented with a clearness I had not known for a long time.

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Loss of Appetite is commonly gradual; one dish after another is set aside till few remain. These are not eaten with much relish, and are often so light as not to afford much nourishment.

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HAS REACHED PERFECTION

Mr. T. McHattie Speaks of the Modern Locomotive.

Vocation of Engineer Is Less Arduous Than Formerly.

T. McHattie, master mechanic of the Grand Trunk at Montreal, and formerly of this city, has contributed an instructive and thoughtful article on modern locomotive management to the Railway Shipping World. The article deals mainly with the achievements of the last twelve years in locomotive development. Mr. McHattie's observation of recent experiments has led him to the conclusion that the limit has now been reached in regard to size for practical purposes, except possibly for some special service, says the Buffalo Courier. While considerable changes have been made in regard to increasing the sizes and types of the modern locomotives very little improvement has been made in the locomotive itself, as practically the same methods are now followed as was the experience many years ago. Many different types have been brought out; compounding has been developed to a considerable extent, and some other special features have been adopted; but, without taking into consideration the increased sizes, very little change has been made during the last half century. The steam driving gear has remained in about the same form, at all events with American locomotive practices.

While the locomotives thirty years ago did not have any special equipment, the introduction of the Westinghouse atmospheric brake for railway train service about that period was made absolutely necessary by the accelerated speed of passenger trains, and the frequent accidents resulting attributed to not being able to stop in time, demonstrating that some system of power brakes was badly needed, which would bring the speed of the trains under the immediate control of the engineers.

This brought out the air brake, it being the first of the special appliances which have during recent years come so generally into use, and attached to the locomotives. Although accelerated speed and long trains are now the common practice on all our great railway systems, in the Westinghouse and freight train service, the modern type of locomotives with ample steam producing qualities, and the universal application of the air brake equipment render the vocation of the locomotive engineer as is very evident by the degree of regularity with which trains are handled from day to day on all the railway systems.

The fact that the locomotives have become larger and of a great amount of additional appliances have been added to the same, the conditions prevailing during recent years in the vocation of the locomotive engineer, and in other respects the engineer of the modern locomotive has the advantage, as the machinery and parts of the early locomotive were, on account of weakness, susceptible of constant trouble and risk to the engineers.

ALTERATIONS AT HOSPITAL.

Will Fit Up Third Floor and Gain More Space.

Bylaws Being Revised—Staff Appointments Postponed.

The board of trustees of Victoria Hospital met in regular session yesterday afternoon. Although the meeting was a rather lengthy one, little business of public interest was transacted. A large portion of the time was taken up with the consideration of the proposed changes in the bylaws governing the board and the hospital. The appointing of the hospital staff was left over till the next meeting. Tenders were awarded for the fitting up of the top floor of the paying patients pavilion. The members present were: Chairman McCormick, the mayor, Trustees Waterman and McLeod, and Dr. C. T. Campbell.

New tenders were received for the fitting up of the top flat of the paying patients pavilion. The figures were found to be about \$1,000 lower than the lowest tender, and his may those of the tenders first submitted. The decrease was made possible by alterations in the plans, the alterations including the lowering of the ceilings from fourteen to eleven feet, and dispensing with the elevator shaft.

The lowest tenders were: Heating, London Heating and Ventilating Co., \$765; wiring and fixtures, London Electric Co., painting, G. C. July, \$129; plumbing, Wm. Smith Plumbing and Heating Co., \$441; plastering, Stratford & Bowden, \$509; carpentering, brickwork and cement, Jones Bros., \$1,073. The total of the lowest tenders which were accepted is \$3,067. The new rooms may be used temporarily as a nurse's home. In the work to be done, all material must be taken in through the windows so as not to unnecessarily disturb the patients.

Supt. Heard's fortnightly report showed: Patients admitted, 17 males, 21 females; total, 38. Discharged, 14 males, 20 females; total, 34. There were five deaths and one birth. The number of patients under treatment is 37 males, 37 females, and 10 children—a total of 84. The report was adopted.

A petition signed by 200 citizens was presented, praying that in the appointment of house surgeons preference be given to residents of the city and county. The petition was laid over.

The proposed changes in the bylaws were discussed at length. Dr. Campbell and Lady Superintendent Miss Mayon will report to the board on the best form of clinical records to adopt.

THE CHURCH AND MISSION WORK

Bishop of Huron Speaks in an Optimistic Tone.

THE PROBLEM BEING SOLVED

Finances of the Diocese Are in a Healthy Condition—Other Business of Synod.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the synod in Cronyn Hall yesterday afternoon. The Bishop of Huron occupied the chair and with him on the platform were Archdeacons March and Davis and Chancellor Cronyn. Rev. Canon Richardson and Mr. Edwin Paul were reappointed honorary clerical and honorary lay secretaries respectively. Mr. Geo. F. Jewell, F. C. A., was reappointed auditor for the ensuing year, and Mr. A. Becker was newly appointed at a salary of \$100.

THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

The event of the afternoon was the bishop's address. Bishop Baldwin is one of the truly sincere men of his time, and whatever he has to say commands the respect and attention of his hearers. His message is simple and direct, but so was that of the Author of our Christian religion. The address, which was somewhat lengthy, covered a number of phases of the work of the diocese. He also referred in fitting terms to the proclamation of peace which might be taken as a token that God had something higher and nobler in store for the great British empire. The glad tidings of the close of the dreadful war came like sunlight upon the gloom of England.

Tender references were made to the demise of the Venerable Archdeacon Mulholland, of Owen Sound; Rev. Jas. Carrie, of Goddards; Rev. F. W. Bannister, of Ridgeway, and Rev. C. C. Johnston, of Toronto. He was pleased to notice that the great missionary problem of the church was being solved slowly, but with starting earnestness. The church was casting off its criminal supineness. At the beginning of last century no bishop even would entertain favorably the idea of a person going abroad as a missionary. Such an idea could not be suggested without provoking ridicule, so averse were the men of the times to missionary work. One hundred years have been productive of a wonderful change. The church has awakened from the torpor and apathy of the past and there is now a deep-seated and growing conviction that the missionary work of the church is its most important work. The cause of foreign missions was, continued the speaker, the cause of the Lord Jesus Christ himself. No man could love the Lord God, and his neighbor as himself, and not be a missionary. Our great need was for a keener spiritual conception of our Lord's spiritual command. The bishop dwelt upon the faithful discharge of Christianity in the far east. In the Holy City Jerusalem, where Christianity had its birth the bells ring out that Allah is the one God, and Mohammed is his prophet. While the Christian Church slept, Mohammed had taken the field and sown it with tares. It had been estimated that the world contained a population of over one billion five hundred thousand souls. Of this number \$7,000,000 were heathen and 173,000,000 Mohammedans. The Mohammedans were the most active and formidable opponents of Christianity.

Reference was also made to the material advantages possessed by the church today compared with that of a few years ago in the shape of railways, postal, cable and telegraphic systems. The printing press was now the wonder of the world. The Bible had been translated into 406 languages and dialects. The finances of the diocese were in a favorable condition, for which there was abundant cause for thankfulness to God. In 1899 the total funds raised by this diocese amounted to \$205,575; in 1900 to \$225,172; in 1901 to \$241,492; in 1902 to \$255,247. It was realized, which amount alone showed an increase of \$13,755.00 over that of the previous year.

The address contained near its conclusion the following timely reference to Mr. McWhinney, who for the past twelve years held the position of secretary-treasurer of the diocese: "You will all agree to hear that the esteemed secretary-treasurer of the diocese, Mr. John Mercer McWhinney, is about to retire. The kindness and sympathy of his nature, the energy and ability displayed by him in the discharge of his official duties, together with the extraordinary ability and consummate skill evinced by him in the management of the various trusts committed to his care, will long endear him to the members of this vast and growing diocese. Most earnestly do we wish him every blessing in his new sphere of duties, and that wherever he may be, he may be true and loving and those he has left behind."

Mr. Matthew Wilson, K.C., of Chatham, gave notice that he would move for the merging of the D. and F. Missionary society.

EVENING SESSION.

The synod met again this evening, when the proceedings took on the nature of a discussion of various points in connection with reports and recommendations. Rev. Mr. Roy was reappointed missionary agent, and furthermore \$100 was placed at his disposal for the consumption of his holidays. This was done in recognition of the zeal and ability he had displayed in the discharge of his duties.

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DISTRICT DRUGGISTS' UNION AN AFFLICTION TO MANY WOMEN.

Association Formed for Mutual Interests.

Helpful Meeting Followed by Trip to Springbank.

The District Association of Druggists, representing the trade in Middlesex and Elgin, district No. 11, was formed yesterday afternoon in this city, at a meeting held at the Y. M. C. A. building. Mr. J. F. Roberts, of Parkhill, presided, and Mr. N. I. McDermid, of this city, acted as secretary.

During the afternoon interesting papers were read by Prof. F. T. Harrison, Mr. J. G. Shuff and Mr. C. McCullum, all of this city, and the discussion that followed was participated in by Messrs. J. A. Cairncross, London; W. B. Graham, Ridgeway; J. S. Armstrong, Paris; W. O. Foster, St. Thomas; E. C. Harvey, St. Thomas; J. J. Luckham, Glenora; W. H. Stepler and T. B. Welch, of Strathroy.

Many suggestions and inquiries were made during the afternoon, and in various ways the meeting was helpful. Next year's meeting will be held at St. Thomas.

The following officers were elected: Honorary president, Mr. J. F. Roberts, Parkhill; president, Mr. C. McCullum, London; vice-president, Mr. E. C. Harvey, St. Thomas; secretary-treasurer, Mr. N. I. McDermid, London; executive, Messrs. J. A. Cairncross, D. W. Sutherland, J. G. Shuff and John Caldwell, London; W. H. Stepler, Strathroy; J. L. Luckham, Glenora, and W. O. Foster, St. Thomas.

The visiting druggists were entertained by the Londoners by a ride to Springbank, where luncheon was served.

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