

## DISTRICT DOINGS.

### THAMESVILLE

May 28.—Miss Nellie Norton left yesterday to take a position in the hospital in St. Thomas.

Humbert Graves and wife spent Monday in St. Thomas.

F. C. Crawford, of London, was in town to-day.

F. Ogletree, of Dresden, was in town to-day looking after the interests of the Dresden Sugar Co.

Miss Millie Albertson spent Monday in Windsor.

The mass meeting held by the Liberals in the Ferguson Opera House last evening was well attended. The speakers were J. A. Walker, of Chatham, Dr. Samson, of Windsor, and James Brown.

Mrs. (Dr.) Stewart was in Chatham yesterday.

G. H. Campbell, of Woodstock, was in town to-day.

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### DRESDEN

May 29.—Miss March has returned from visiting friends in Detroit.

The Plymouth brethren held a meeting in Shaw's Hall yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. McDonald, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Draper, Victoria Ave., is quite ill.

Mrs. William Rudd, Sr., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. F. Craig, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McGloshon attended the funeral of Mrs. Jacob Colby, which took place at Chatham on Sunday afternoon.

Frank Sharpe visited his parents here on Sunday.

Miss Nora Smith is visiting with friends in Chatham.

Miss Maude Wilson left for her home in Florence on Sunday.

Mrs. Coe, who has been seriously ill from the effects of bursting a blood vessel, is much improved.

Mrs. J. Courtney has returned home after spending a few days with her son, Bert, in Walkerton.

Mr. Everett is erecting a frame residence on the lot adjoining L. Peters' residence.

Mrs. W. H. Hughes is visiting her sister, Mrs. Inella, Chatham.

A large number of visitors were in town yesterday and spent the day in looking over the sugar factory.

The late Robert McManis, of lot 22, Con. 6, Dawn, was buried here yesterday. Services were held in the Catholic Church and the choir from Wallaceburg attended. The deceased leaves a wife but no family.

Wm. Rudd has manufactured a fine new wagon for J. Wright.

A number of Dresdensites went to Mitchell's Bay yesterday.

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### TILBURY

May 27.—C. C. Kippen has returned from a trip to British Columbia.

Mrs. Leitch, of Dutton, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Lee, on Sunday and Monday.

Miss Cole, of West Lorne, has arrived here to take a position as trimmer in Miss Stinson's millinery establishment.

Mrs. Frank Bono has been visiting friends in Detroit the last few days.

Miss Ida Leitch, of Detroit, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. Lee, on Sunday.

Miss Beards, of the millinery department of the Big Store, spent Sunday and Monday in Windsor.

J. P. Guillot spent the holiday at his home in Windsor.

Miss Minnie Dwyer was in Detroit yesterday.

Mr. Lees, of the grocery department of the Big Store, spent Sunday and Monday at his home in Essex.

Burleigh Campbell, Roy Struthers and S. Crawford were in Windsor yesterday.

Miss Minnie Campbell has been visiting at her home in Brantford the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dwyer, who have been the guests of the latter's parents here, left on Saturday on a visit to St. Mary's.

F. M. Seart spent Sunday and Monday in Detroit.

Chas. Lickman, an aged resident of Tilbury West, died on Friday last and was buried yesterday in St. George's cemetery.

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## THE BALANCE OF HEALTH



Is often very much against the wife. Her strength is undermined, she loses flesh and her energy and courage slowly leak away from her. Gradually the comradeship of husband and wife is broken up. At first he takes his solitary pleasures reluctantly, but later he hardly seems to remember the old days over which his wife in her weakness mourns daily.

Women who find their health failing, and womanly ailments fastening on them, should promptly begin the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It corrects irregularity, dries the drains which weaken women, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong, sick women well. Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. All correspondence held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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### GLENWOOD

Mrs. W. Vipond is visiting her sister, Mrs. Brown, of Wheatley, this week.

W. C. Estabrook was in Chatham on Saturday.

Miss Clara Estabrook is the guest of her uncle, Chas. H. Marshall, Comber, this week.

Miss Hattie Lott visited friends in Ruthven this week.

Archie Gosnell, of Highgate, spent Monday at W. C. Estabrook's.

After securing a fine well for F. Denison, Thos. Tasker is now drilling at H. Lott's.

J. James, of Tilbury, photographed the school here on Wednesday.

### COMBER

Thomas Anderson was a Chatham visitor Friday.

Miss Lafferty spent Saturday with her parents in Chatham.

Premier Ross addressed a political meeting in Windsor on Friday evening, May 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Smith came down from their home on Manitoulin Island recently and have been visiting relatives in Tilbury and Comber.

Mrs. J. D. Ainslie arrived here from Detroit Friday. Mrs. Ainslie underwent an operation recently at Harper's Hospital, Detroit, and is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. F. F. Jones arrived home Saturday evening from several weeks visit with friends in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, of Tilbury, spent Sunday with friends in Comber.

The merchants of Comber closed their respective places of business on Monday, May 26th.

## BACKACHE

What it Means and How to Cure It Permanently.

A most common Complaint and One which is often Misalled—It has but One Cause and there is But One Cure.

Matane, Que., May 28.—(Special)—For a long time Mr. O. Dionne of this place suffered the most excruciating pains in the back and loins. Nothing that he could get seemed to do him any good, until he was led to use Dodd's Kidney Pills.

This remedy has completely restored Mr. Dionne to good health, and he has no longer the slightest symptom of pain in the back, or any other trouble.

It is a most remarkable cure, and one which has done much to confirm the already splendid reputation of Dodd's Kidney Pills in this neighborhood.

Backache is Kidney-ache. Pain in the Back is simply the Kidneys crying for help.

Pain in the Back should not be neglected, for if this cry for help from the Kidneys is not heeded, and something done to correct the trouble, Bright's Disease, Dropsy or Rheumatism is almost sure to follow. Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure Backache.

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Lame Back has often grown into Bright's Disease, the most serious form in which Kidney Trouble manifests itself.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured Bright's Disease after the most eminent physicians have given up.

They have cured, and are curing thousands of the most aggravated cases of Rheumatism, Diabetes and Dropsy.

But do not wait for any of these more serious forms.

If your Back aches, your Kidneys are diseased.

If your Kidneys are diseased Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure you.

Use them at once, and your Backache will quickly disappear.

## BOARD OF WORKS

A meeting of the Board of Works was held last evening with all members present.

Tenders for the sixth street pavement will be advertised for at the next meeting of the council.

The Water Commissioners have been notified to have their main put down on Sixth street.

The engineer said the fifty cars of gravel had been used on Thames and Park Sts., and those streets had been placed in good condition thereby.

The engineer was instructed to look into the condition of and repair Indian Creek Bridge.

## CHURCH PARADE

The Sons of England, about 60 strong, paraded to the Victoria Ave. Methodist church last Sunday evening, where Rev. T. T. George preached to them their annual sermon. Upon request, however, the preacher did not preach a special sermon, but gave his usual discourse.

He chose his text from Genesis 49, 3-4, "Reuben, thou art my first born, etc."

From this text he gave a very impressive sermon, at the conclusion of which he said:

"We have met this evening under the influence of a holiday season, commemorative of the birth of one who has passed away, our late beloved Queen. The Empire is called upon to commemorate the hour of the nation's greatest gift in a frail, yet mighty woman, excelling in dignity and power. She stood strongly and majestically, yet kindly and firmly in peace. She did not rule by harsh means, yet she stood firmly supported by right. We honor her because she was a queenly woman. We learn from the threads of her obligations into a gown of fidelity and wore it like a slave, until burdened with age, she laid down the scepter here to clasp another yonder. May we, too, learn to be men among men, true to our duties and our obligations."

Special music was rendered by the choir. Miss Blanche Baxter rendered a solo.

Upon the return of the order to the lodge room a vote of thanks was passed to Rev. Mr. George for his excellent sermon. Both coming from and going to church the parade was headed by the Regimental Band, 20 strong.

## THE MARKETS

The frost Tuesday night was very damaging to local gardeners. Some of the strawberry crops are almost entirely spoiled and large quantities of potatoes and other vegetables were frozen. The market yesterday was very small. Owing to the frost plants have taken a jump to 25c. The other prices remain about the same.

The following is the full price list:

### IN THE SHEDS.

Eggs, 12c. per doz.

Butter, 17c. to 20c. per lb.

Chickens, each, 30c. to 40c.

### VEGETABLES.

Rhubarb, 2 bunches for 5c.

Lettuce, per pound, 25c.

Green onions, 2 bunches for 5c.

Radishes, per bunch, 5c.

Sage, a bunch, 5c.

Apples, 40c. a peck.

Califlowers, 10c. a head.

Carrots, 15c. a peck.

Cabbage, 5c. to 15c. per head.

Potatoes, per bag, \$1.00.

Summer corn, 5c. a bunch.

Pumpkins, 10c. a dozen.

Tomato plants, per box, 25c.

Cabbage plants, per box, 25c.

### KENT BRIDGE

The foundation of Mr. Hubble's new brick block is already laid, and the work is progressing nicely.

Miss Hannah Hardy was a Chatham visitor this week.

Miss Lela Gregory pleasantly entertained a number of her friends, including loads from Thamesville and Chatham, on Friday evening.

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### CEDAR SPRINGS

Mrs. Jerry Best and daughters, of Blenheim, are visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Barclay, of Kent Bridge, are spending a few days at John Hamby's.

Miss Nellie Tiebhorne is very low with appendicitis. Dr. Langford is in attendance.

Miss Maud McDowell, of Grimsby, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. McDowell.

Geo. Beemer, wife and daughter, of Michigan, are paying their friends a visit here.

Our pastor, Rev. W. H. Shaw, of the Methodist Church, is attending the district meeting in Chatham to-day.

Miss McCracken, who formerly taught our school here, was paying the school a visit on Monday. All the scholars seemed glad to meet her.

### A Momentous Issue.

"What was that awful row at the club last night?"

"Dreadful, wasn't it? They were disputing as to whether yellow pinpangs rackets were better than wooden ones, and some of them kept right on fighting in the ambulance on their way to the hospital."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### A Sufferer.

"Yes, Piche broke down and had to go away for his health."

"What was the matter with him?"

"Every complaint known to man."

"How could that be?"

"He was a rental agent."—Indianapolis News.

### Proof Positive.

"Pretty? Oh, yes, rather; but she has no mind of her own."

"What makes you say that?"

"Why, just see how long she can keep a cook."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

## "The Question Is"

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## TELEGRAPH

William Smith, of Peterboro', was drowned.

President Loubet landed at Dunkirk on his return from Russia.

Hon. Clifford Sifton has purchased Mr. H. Corby's steam yacht Skylark.

Miss Sarah Grey, of South Norwiche, committed suicide by taking carbolic acid.

The Quebec newspaper L'Evenement has been purchased by Mr. S. Demers for \$19,850.

Eight inches of rain fell at Kings-ton, St. Vincent, between Saturday and Monday.

The Cardston, N. W. T., election, it is reported, is void, owing to high water and other difficulties.

Rev. E. W. Wood, Methodist missionary at Carstairs, N. W. T., was drowned in crossing a creek swollen by rain.

The Canadian Pacific announces a reduction of 50 cents a ton in the

WELLINGTON Lodge No. 45, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

J. S. BLACK, W. M.  
ALEX. GREGORY, Sec.

## ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN.

The election on Thursday, will bring as usual disappointments and sad hearts. Our initiation on Friday evening will be a source of pleasure and satisfaction to all who attend, as well as to the candidates who are joining us in our grand, benevolent work. Reader, have you given insurance careful consideration, if so, why not ask some "Workman" to bring your application before the lodge, and thus secure protection for your family.

Visiting brethren welcome.

W. G. ARNOLD, J. R. SNELL,  
Master Workman. Recorder.

## LEGAL

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Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 feet, good stable, \$1,100.00.

Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front, by 104 feet.

House, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208 feet, \$1,000.

Farm in Howard, 32 1-2 acres, house, stable and orchard, \$1,000.

Farm in Chatham Township, 110 acres. All cleared. Good houses, barn, stables and sheds, \$5,700.00. Will trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part payment.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 50 acres. All cleared. Good houses and barn, \$3,750.

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