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[Special to The Advertiser.] Chatham, Deb. 6.-The sixth annual exnibition of the Ontario Corn Growers' Association closed its doors tonight at 8 o'clock. Officials and members are declaring tonight that it was the most successful of any exhibitions yet held by the association association.
In the final lecture of the meeting, which In the final lecture of the meeting, which was given this afternoon, Professor Mc-Cready, of Guelph, made a particularly strong appeal for the teaching of agriculture in the schools.

He showed that the department of edu-

cation had been doing a great deal along this line, but said that the thing to do now was to arouse the interest of the make a demand on the case. He said that more comprehensive course. He said that the western counties were making more headway in the matter than were any other counties in the province, and he complimented the people of Essex and Kent and adjoining counties for their activity in the matter.

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He told at some length of the plans followed to give teachers the kind of training that will fit them to teach agriculture in the schools. He also advocated consolidated schools, and gave illustra-

tions of the success of such schools in

IT WAS NO FAKE SNIDER License Inspector Claims He Was Atending to His Duties.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Toronto, Feb. 6.—Light is gradually appearing in connection with the presence of Provincial License Inspector Snider during the Canada temperance act campaigns in Huron and Welland Counties last week. It was no "fake" Snider, as has been suggested. Hon. W. J. Hanna, speaking to The Advertiser today, said: "Mr. Snider was in Welland before the date of the election, as he himself says, but without instructions from myself or now was to arouse the interest of the people in the question and have them make a demand on the department for a more comprehensive course. He said that the western counties were making more

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES

The Quebec Storm Centre



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LITTLE GIRL DEAD TEAM AND DRIVER FATHER BADLY INJURED WENT THROUGH ICE

From Being Drowned-\$300 Horse Dead.

[Special to The Advertiser.] number of icecutters saved Mr. Por- who gave birth to a child the previous ter's life. One of his horses valued evening. at \$300, died a few minutes after it

had been gotten out, from the effects of the immersion in the icy water. The other horse was badly cut. Mr. Thompson was just starting away with a load of ice when the ac-

cident happened. DR. PRESTON FOR CABINET

Eastern Ontario Member To Be Minister Without Portfolio.

[Special to The Advertiser.] [Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Feb. 6. — The announcement is expected shortly that Dr. R. G. Preston, Conservative whip in the Legislature, will be taken into the Cabinet as Minister without portfolio. Outside of Sir James Whitney, Eastern Ontario at the present time has no representative in the Cabinet, and while Dr. Preston's elevation has been practically assured for some time. The Advertiser understands that the appointment is shortly to be made.

made.
Additional color is given to this in view of the fact that Geo. H. Gooderham, M. P. P., for South Toronto, was unable to become a candidate for mayor at the recent municipal election. Mr. Gooderham during the past sessions has been acting-whip on occasions, and his friends in the party would rather see him active in Queen's Park than in the city hall at Toronto.

Mell, W. Brownlee, and Gus Ferguson.
The fioral offer beautiful.
Interment was material.

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Lobo, Feb. 6.—Mr. loner, of London, visi

TOWN HALL FOR HENSALL

Site Bequeathed by Late George McEwen-New Village Officials. Hensall, Feb. 6.—R. Douglas Neelands, assistant claims adjuster, New York Central offices, Detroit, is home for holi-

Quarterly communion services were held in the Methodist Church last Sunday.

The late George McEwen bequeathed a fine building lot to the corporation to be used as a site for the erection of a town

hall.

Fred Smallacombe, having resigned the treausrership of the corporation, the council, at a recent meeting, appointed Cornelius Cook treasurer. They also appointed George Follick fire chief.

A second pool and billiard room license has been issued for the village. W. Perkins, proprietor of the Commercial Hotel, will open a poolroom in connection with his hotel when the Scott act comes into operation.

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Henry D. Cook, barrister, Toronto, is spending a few days in town, combining business with pleasure.

W. R. Hodgins, who for many years conducted the Commercial Hotel here, then went to the West, is here visiting his old friends. He is looking hale and hearty for a man of 70.

The new pipe organ for Carmel Presbyterian Church is expected to arrive next week. The opening of the organ and anniversary of the church will take place on March 8.

James Bullard, assistant mail clerk on the G. T. R., is home for holidays.

James Sparks is spending a few days with his parents prior to returning to Wallaceburg.

Teeswater Man Had Close Call Result of Gasoline Explosion Which Caused Burning of Manitoba Farm House.

[Canadian Press.] Hamiota, Man., Feb. 7.—Samuel Kirk Teeswater, Feb. 7.—Wilfrid Thompson and his fine team of draught horses suddently went through the ice daughter Violet, aged six, killed, when on the Maitland River late Friday af-ternoon and had the closest kind of was destroyed by fire following a gasoof a call from being drowned.

Only the timely assistance of a at the time attending another daughter line explosion. The mother was away

HAS DAUGHTER HERE

Funeral of Mrs. Thomas Hayes Was Held to Arva Cemetery.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Birr, Feb. 6.—The funeral of Mrs.
Hayes, of the fifteenth concession, held from her late residence Thursday afternoon, was very largely attended. Mrs. Hayes had been ill for some time and death was unexpected. She is survived by six daughters and two sons: Mrs. Myers, of Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. W. Scott, London; Mrs.

K. Jones, of Granton; Mrs. Wilks, Hamilton; Mrs. MacDonald, Granton, and Miss Jane at home, and two sons, John and Russell, both at home. The fueral services were conducted by Rev. Mark Turnbull, of Ilderton.

The pallbearers were John D. Shoebottom, Artiemus O'Neil, J. Brummell, W. Brownlee, Thomas Morgan The floral offerings were very

Interment was made in Arva Cem-

LOBO.

Lobo, Feb. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. N. Challoner, of London, visited at the former's home last week.

Mrs. John Sinclair entertained a number of her friends on Monday evening last. A very enjoyable time was spent.

Messrs. D. McIntyre, G. Forbes and C. Caverhill spent the week-end in London

don.

The Masonic Lodge here held their annual banquet on Thursday evening.

La grippe is quite prevalent around the village.

The annual banquet and "at home" of Doric Lodge. A. F. and A. M., Lobo, was held on Thursday evening, the occasion being the visit of District Deputy W. Bro. Robertson, of Dutton. The lodgeroom was filled to capacity, there being many visiting brethren from Henderson, Strathrov. Dutton. St. John's and other city roy, Dutton, St. John's and other city lodges. Rt. Wor. Bro. Roberts exempli-fied the work of the different degrees of masonry in an able manner, when the brethren adjourned to the banquet hall, where the ladies had prepared an excellent spread of the greatest variety of good things to eat. Toasts to the King, grand all sizes, all prices, the ladies, etc., were responded to by Rt. Wor. Bro. Roberts, D. D., Bros. Wilson, Somerville, McGill, of London; Bros. J. Ferguson and D. Steels, of Sastatohewan, and also heathern of Decides. katchewan, and also brethren of Doric. The parting song, "Should Auld Acquaintance Be Forgot," was sung with great spirit, when all the city visitors gave many expressions of appreciation, good fellowship and esteem of the Doric lodge and ladies.
The Ladies' Aid of Ivan Presbyterian Church are giving an oyster supper and concert on Thursday evening. An excellent program will be provided and bivalves

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nipeg 1:30 p. m., arriving Toronto 9 a. m., has been temporarily withdrawn. Train No. 27 has been resumed between Toronto and Sudbury, leaving Toronto 8:45 p. m. daily, arriving Sudbury 5:55 a. m. Train No. 28 has been resumed be-

tween Sudbury and Toronto, leaving Sudbury 10:45 p. m. daily, arriving Foronto & a. m. Standard sleeping-cars Toronto to

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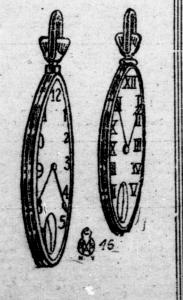
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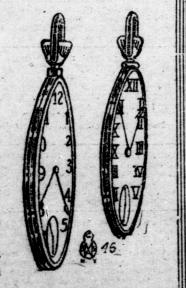
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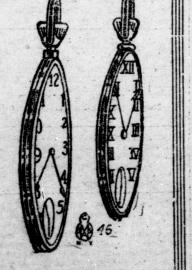
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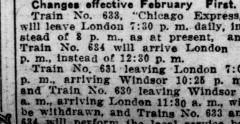
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