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## TRIBUTE TO THE MAYOR

Council Pass Congratulatory Motions to His Worship Mayor McKeough and City Clerk Merritt

Wind up the Year's Business With Last Night's Session -Ald Martin Says McColg Sees a Storm

H's Worship Mayor W. E. Mc-Keough, who last year closed his two year's service as Chief Magistrate of the Maple City, was tendered a very



MAYOR W. E. McKEOUGH,

BUT HE DELIVERED THE GOODS

"Definitely and positively I will not be the candidate. I couldn't if I

"What use would it be to me to go down to the Legislature and sit in some back bench in opposition? And what use would it be to my constituents to have me there?"

"The whole thing is corrupt and rotten, and I believe they should be

"No; I tell you solemnly and honestly, I wouldn't be their candidate if I

"I think the Ross government is a goner. They've been there altogether too long and they've got too many heelers and hangers-on."

would and I wouldn't if I could."

could."-A. B. McCOIG, November, 19, 1904.

turned out."

Who Has Just Closed H's Two Years Service as Chief Magistrate of the Maple City.

All the members attended the final sitting of the City Council for 1904 and the session was a long and busy

one. Geo. Morrell was granted \$50 reduction on assessment through mistake of assessors.

Samuel Holmes was granted a reduction in assessment on dogs if assessors certificate is secured.

On motion of Ald, McCog the Bitulithic Co. were paid balance of account.

Dowsley Co. forwarded statement of

water rates.—Finance.
Chief of Police Holmes reported col-lection of \$250 poll tax.—Received. C. S. Hyman acknowledged receipt of petition for outlet to prevent flooding of river. He said it was not a matter of governmental appropriation

tion.

Ald. Marshall reported for Finance that they had settled the Turrill suit at \$60, contractors paying half; that the Chatham Navigation Co. be relieved of dock discharges for years 1903-4 (withdrawn and left for new Council); that \$54.65 be returned to

# TO THE UNSEEN

Robert Mercer, the Esteemed Governor of the Jail Passed Away Yesterday Afternoon

Long and Useful Life-Was for 30 Years a Valued Official-Sketch of a Good Life.

Robert Mercer passed away yesterlay afternoon at five minutes to three o'clock. His son Samuel and Mrs. John Waddell were at the bedside when the end came. He suffered from a paralytic stroke Friday night at Sam Perrin's rooms in the Victoria While chatting with some friends there he complained of friends there he complained at a numbness on his right side and said he believed he was suffering from a stroke of paralysis. Soon after he became unconscious and was removed to the Public General Hospital, where he lingered till yesterday, never re-gaining consciousness. Mr. Mercer gaining consciousness. Mr. Mercer was one of the best known and most highly respected residents of this city. He came here when be was seven years old and everybody in Chatham

years old and everyout in knew him.

Robert Mercer, who for thirty-two years was governor of Kent County jail and one of the most experienced officials in the County, was the descendant of one of the early families of this section of the Province.

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In 1833 the grandparents came to Canada and settled on a farm in Amherstburg. In 1835 the family moved to Windsor; there John, the father of the late Robert Mercer, was made postmaster, deputy collector of customs and deputy sheriff for Essex, Kent and Lambton, On the division of the counties he came to Chatham and in 1855 was appointed sheriff, an office which he held for more than forty years. nore than forty years.



THE LATE ROBT. MERCER

Poor Little George W. Ross never saw Santa Claus.

["I want to say by way of confession, that some of those who have been associated with the irregularities in the Sullivan—saw him once two morths ago at a distance. I was told co-sud-on list of the Liberals that have been removed the Social Characteristics, and I thind them."—How M. Ross is Napanee.

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ago to-day and William passed away a month ago.

James A. Mercer, of Ortonagon, Mich., and Mrs. Spatkhall, of Royalton, Minn., uncle and aunt respectively, are the only living near relatives besides his brother.

Robert Mercer, Jr., of Strathcona, is expected home to-morrow, when the funeral arrangements will be completed.

He was a member of the Royal Arcanum and the Woodmen of the World.

Old pipe or tea lead wanted at this office at once.

A. Boyle, of Clachan, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

It seems quite natural that the burglar should take things for granted.

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OUR ADVERTISEMENTS PAY.

### THE CHATHAM DAILY PLANET

BUSINESS OFFICE EDITORIAL

#### VALEDICTORY

Three gentlemen last evening bade at least a temporary farewell to municipal life. His wership Mayor McKeough leaves a splendid record. He has proved a capable altirman and a worthy chief magis trate, and the tributes paid him last night were well deserved. Ald. Mc-Coig has been an energetic and efficient chairman of the Board of Works. He, too, leaves a good record and a clean slate in this most exacting of civic bifices. Ald. McCoig's departure is especially unfortunate and sad, because he leaves a creditable five years municipal record and the probability of higher offices for a forlorn hope and a cause he has honestly and conscientiously condemned. Ald. Mounteer lays aside municipal aspirations for the time being on account of his health. He has established a reputation as a careful, thorough and able alderman The whole city suffers a loss in the retirement of these men.

#### THE SERIOUS SIDE OF IT

This is the 24th day since The Planet first published Ald. McCoig's honest and outspoken opinion of the Ross Government. And he has not yet denied it, But Ald. McCoig remains as the candidate of the Ross

In view of his having made this statement and consequently being unable to truthfully deny it over his own signature, would it not be well for Aid. McCog to follow the example of Mr. T. L. Pardo, who refused to remain a candidate of the Ross Government; of Mr. Lee, who refused to remain a candidate of the Ross Government; of Mr. Howat, who refused to remain a candidate of the Ross Government, and of Mr. Cochrane, who now refuses to remain a candidate of the Ross Government?

The people will expect nothing else than an explicit denial from Ald. McCog over his own signature; otherwise it would be impossible to believe that a Minister of the Government he declares to be "rotten" could come here to speak in his behalf,

#### LET US HEAR FROM MR. GRAHAM

It is amnounced that Hon. Mr. Graham, the man who was recently called upon to appear and give evidence in the Byron Lott bogus ballot box scandal, and who succeeded "Hon." Mr. Stratton in the Ross Cabinet, will speak in Chatham to-morrow night.

This is good news for there are some things the people of Kent would like to hear Mr. Graham explain. Lest that gentleman may overlook them The Planet will specifically draw them to his attention. They are matters for which the Government is specifically and directly responsibleand cannot be blamed on the heelers and hangers-on that Ald. McCoig

The people of Kent would like to hear from Mr. Graham, 1. Why the constituency of North Renfrew was disfranchised for over a year and a haif; by what roght such an outrage was perpetrated by his Government and upon what grounds.

2. Why the session of the Legislature was suddenly called to head off the election trials of men of his party, every one of whom have since been unseated for corrupt practices. 3. Why the House was suddenly dissolved and a telegraphic message

sent to the Court to atay the election trial of Hon. Mr. McKay, one of the new cabinet ministers, against whom charges of corruption were be-

These are three things for which the Government, and not its emissaries, was directly and personally responsible. These questions are asked of Mr. Graham on behalf of the people of Kent.

And the people will wait with interest to hear WHAT ANSWER OR DEFENCE MR. GRAHAM WILL MAKE ON BEHALF OF HIS GOV-

Let as many as possible attend the meeting and note his answer to these simple and straight-forward questions. They are matters the people have a right to know. Watch him seek to avoid them.

### Local Briefs \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Gota stamping is quickly done at The Planet Bindery. Mr. and Mrs. R. Brisco and son Clarence returned to Napanee Tues-day, after spending Christmas with Fred H. Brisco.

Miss Mabel Wemp, of Toledo, is spending the Christmas holidays with friends at her former home

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Richardson, of Sarnia, who have been spending Christmas in the city, returned home Monday night.

Parties having accommodation for boarders, ladies or gentlemen, should leave their names and addresses at the Business College.

Miss Agatha Bennett has returned to Detroit, after spending Christ-mas with her sister, Mrs. Harry Andrews,

The names on ballots will appear alphabetically. This will bring Mr. W. H. Westman's name at the bottom, Mark one for him.

Ex-Ald. John Waddell and family spent Christmas at Port Lambton, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Waddell.

Miss Mary Bodkin, who has been spending a few weeks with friends here, has returned to her home in Florence,

The death occurred Tuesday, at he General Hospital, of Miss Velvetthe dearn occurred luesday, at the General Hospital, of Miss Velvet-ta Vincent, at the untimely age of 18 years and six months. The re-mains were taken to Wallaceburg, yesterday morning, where her par-ents reside.

Having purchased the shoe stock of the late G. J. Peace at a rate on the dollar, we will be able after to-day to give excellent varues in all kinds of high-class footwear. Wm. Somerville & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Humphrey have returned from Brigden, where they have been spending Christmas. Mrs. Humphrey has been spending the past two months in Brigden.

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Mrs. Martha Fenton passed away on Tuesday at the residence of her son, E. S. Fenton, Laeroix St. Deceased was 58 years of age, a native of Stoney Creek, and leaves a grown up family. Her husband lied some years ago. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, to Louisville Cemetery, Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, pastor of the Park St. Methodist Church, of which deceased was a member, officiating.

Visit Wm. Somerville & Son's Shot

Special prices on all Fur Coats, for th balance of the season, at Pat-terson's Hardware, first Hardware east of the Market. Two dining room girls wanted as once. Apply at Merrill House.

Mrs. Flater and daughter Mar-ijorie have returned to Petrolea, af-ter spending a very pleasant Christ-mas vacation in the city.

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When you want an artistic design, or visit Victoria Ave. Green Houses, Phone 181, tf
Miss Sylva Post, of the Western lege, of Oxford, Ohio, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Post, at the

MAHOGANY WOOD.

The Way It Came to Be Used In the Making of Furniture.

Chippendale owes his reputation to the fact that he published a book of designs with over 200 copperplate engravings, so that today any one who engravings, so that today any one who wishes may get them and reproduce them exactly or with such changes and improvements as suit his fancy. That they are capable of improvement Chippendale himself was the first to declare. Chippendale was one of the first makers of mahogany furnities. first makers of mahogany furniture. Before his time this precious wood was valued only for the medicinal qualities

it was supposed to possess.

The idea of making farniture of ma hegany wood appears to have been the result of chance. A certain physician in London had a great many mahogany planks, and, wanting a candle box, he sent for a cabinetmaker and instructed him to use the manogany for the renim to use the manogany for the required article of furniture. The man objected that the wood was too hard for his tools, and the doctor told him to get harder tools. The man did so, and when the doctor saw the box he was amazed at its beauty. Patients and friends talked about it, and at last the Duchess of Buckingham came to see it. She was enraptured and persuaded the doctor to give her wood for a similar box. As a result mahogany got to be the fashion.

Even for deaf people it is not neces sary to have a loud calling card,

A CREAMY FOOD

Scott's Emulsion is cod liver oil prepared as a foodnot a food like bread or meat, but more like cream; in fact, it is the cream of cod liver oil. At the same time it is a blood-maker, a nerve tonic and a flesh-builder. But principally it is food for tired and weak digestions, for all who are fat-starved and thin. It is pleasant to take: children like it and ask for more.

We'll send you a sample, free SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Terento, Out.

#### HORSEPOWER

When steam engines were employed to drive mills, pumps and other machinery which had been previously by horses, it was natural to at tempt to express the work done by them in terms of the working power

James Watt was the first to define the unit of horsepower, which by ex-periment he found to be 33,000 foot pounds a minute. In other words, a one horsepower engine would raise 33,000 pounds one foot every minute, and so on proportionally to the number of "horsepowers" indicated by the en-

He arrived at this conclusion by oberving the work done by heavy dray horses in breweries working eight hours daily and found that a horse going at the rate of two miles and a half an hour could raise a weight of 150 ids by a repe led over a pulley, which is equal to 33,000 pounds raised one foot in one minute.

Watt, for the credit of his engines, selected horses of more than average

#### A CIVIL WAR CAPTAIN

TALKS TO THE POINT.

"Until about two years ago I had had piles for about thirty years, at times bleeding and very painful. I got a fifty cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure at the drug store, and used it and was entirely cured; got another box in case I needed it, and as the piles did not return in six months I gave the remedy to a friend of mine who wanted the doctor to operate to cure him. My friend said he-would use the "pyramid" but he knew they would do him no good, but they cured him of piles of twenty-five years standing. I am free from piles today, and have been since using Pyramid Pile Cure. I was Captain in the Civil War." James Adams, Soldiers Home, Cal.

The majority of people labor under the impression that an operation is necessary in severe cases of piles, or hemorrhoids, and are very skeptical regarding the remedical virtues of any medicinal compound. Testimeny like he above should certainly have a tendency to dispel this impression, although it is odd that such a fallacy should prevail, and still more edd that so many people should think an operation effects a permanent cure, whereas the contrary is more often "Until about two years ago I ha

operation effects a permanent cure, whereas the contrary is more often

the case.

We advise all sufferers from this painful complaint to buy a fifty cent package of Pyramid Pile Cure at any drug store and try it to-night.

Those interested can not be too strongly urged to write Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., for their little book describing the causes and cure of Piles as it contains valuable in

of Piles, as it contains valuable information, and is sent free for the

He Lost His Dignity.

apous individual from the east, says a Texas newspaper, happened to be traveling in western Texas and stopping at a hotel, when trouble started among some cowboys, who prepared to conduct the argument with revolv-

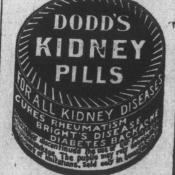
"Stranger," said a Texan to the poinpous man, "it would be a good idee fur you to lay down on the floor till this dispute is settled."

"It does not comport with the dig-nity of a Boston gentleman of my pro-fessions," said the pompous gentle-man, "to wallow in the dirt on the

"You may be right, stranger," answered the Texan as he prepared to recline, "but my opinion is that you had better lose yer dignity fur the time bein' than to have the daylights let into your system by a 44." He lost his dignity.

Progress is the real cure for over-estimate of ourselves,

High ideals don't amount to much nless we try t olive up to them.



ART TREASURE STOLEN. itish National Portrait Gallery Losse

One of the most valuable possessions of the National Portrait Galery has been stolen.

It is a miniature portrait in oils of Barron Thomas Directables. Baron Thomas Dimsdale, painted by Andrew Plimer, one of the most famous miniaturists of the late eightenth and early nineteenth centuries.

The theft took place on Wednesday, October 5th. At midday the miniature was in its late. october 5th. At midday the minia-ture was in its place; at three o'clock in the afternoon it had disappeared. It is believed that the thief was either a private collector or some one who had a prearranged market in view, and was thoroughly conversant with the value and history of the lortrait.

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The frame of the miniature was screwed to the wall in four places. Three screws were extracted, and the other, which was covered by the bracket of a picture above, was torn out. The Screen Room, where it hung, is sub-divided, and visitors are not frequent at the time of day chosen by the thief.

The police have issued a description of the miniature, which is 1½ in. by 1½ in., and is in a gill frame about 6 in. by 8 in., marked "N. P. G. Cox," and has on the back a small square yellow label inscribed, "National Portrait Gallery, Register No. 600."

In addition to the description the police notice reproduces the minia-ture in half-tone in a very successful

manner.

A description is also given of a may who was noticed in the National Portrait Gallery before the theft was discovered. He was about twenty-eight years old, was 5 ft. 5 in. in height, had dark hair and a slight dark moustache, and was dressed in a dark grey jacket, dark trousers and a hard black feit hat.

Baron Dimsdale was an ancestor of Sir Joseph Dimsdale, who was Lord

Sir Joseph Dimsdale, who was Lord Mayor in the Coronation year, and whose wife presented the miniature whose wife presented the to the National Gallery.

The barony was given by the Empress Catherine of Russia as a reward for a successful inoculation of herself and her son against small-

#### A Canadian's Pride.

Mr. H. G. Tyrrell, engineer, author and journalist, formerly of Toronto, and now chief engineer of the Brackett Bridge Company, of Cincinnati, recently gave an address on Canadian education in Cincinnati, which he concluded thus: "The Canadian educational system is one of the newes in existence. In its make-up it has taken the best features from the schools of many lands. It has borrowed from the various countries of Europe, from Great Britain, the Mother Country, and from various States of the American Union. For it Canadian educators claim that it is the most effective system in existence. At the World's Fair in Chicago in 1894, and later at St. Louis, it has received the world's very highest commendation.

"The results of the system are best

shown by the lives of its graduates, for not only do men of Canadian education mould the thought and control the destiny of their own nation, but here also in the United States. trol the destiny of their own nation, but here also in the United States we see them in the front rank of leadership. Canadian money and institutions are annually educating a large number of its best and brightest people, who, failing to find a sphere at home for the employment of their energies, seek a home, as we ourselves have done, in the United States. Were all these people to expend their energies in their own country, what an impetus it would give try, what an impetus it would give to the Dominion, to its industries and institutions!"

In France there is a peculiar sig-afficance in the ways in which the ring is held at the precise moment of the utterance of the fatal words of the marriage vow. If the bridegro slips the ring at once over the sec-ond joint it is a sign that he gives of the sovereignty of his own house, but if as he repeats the words he merely holds it over the end of the fuger, but does not let it slip down till afterward, it declares that he in-tends to remain master and protec-

Abread the absence or presence of the wedding ring is much more no-ticed than in England. In Norway it is considered dishonorable for a man not to bear the sign that he is married. In modern Greece the husband wears a gold circlet, the wife a sil-ver, a reminiscence of the ancient sun and moon worship, which still pievaits in India.—London Madame.

How to Find Out by the Footstep. Quick steps, says Health, are indi-Quick steps, says Health, are indi-cative of energy and agitation. Tip-tice walking symbolizes surprise, cur-iosity, discretion or mystery. Turn-in toes are often found with pre-occupied, absent-minded persons. The miser's walk is represented as stoop-ing and noiseless, with short, nervmiser's walk is represented as stooping and noiseless, with short, nervous, anxious steps. Slow steps, long or short, suggest a gentle or reflective state of mind. When a revenue ful purpose is hidden under a feigned smile the step will be slinking and noiseless. The proud step is slow and measured, the toes are conspicuously turned out, the legs straightened. If the direction of the step wavers, and follows every changing impulse of the mind, it inevitably betrays uncertainty, hesitation and indecision.

Plague of Rats in Berlin.

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The extraordinary number of rats which have shown themselves lately in the Berlin suburb of Grunewald has proved such a nuisance to the inhabitants that the municipal authorities are offering 10 piennigs for every rat's tail delivered, says The London Standard. In this connection it is interesting to note that the vigorous action of the Danish Society For the Extermination of Rats in Copenhagen is considered by Prussian medical authorities of such importance for the prevention of the spread of infectious diseases that the establishment of an international league for the extermination of rats is under consideration.

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The Busy Cash Store

The Northway Co., Lt'd.

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32 only, ladies' tailored skirts, in fine cheviots, homespuns, tweeds frieze and box cloths, made up in lat est styles, prettily trimmed, assorted lengths, regular \$4.50 to \$6.00 each; clearing Friday at

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in long, wide sweep, in plain and curl furs, fich linings, fegular \$10 to \$12 each; clearing Friday at BLANKETS AT \$2.75 A PAIR-Heavy, full wool, double bed size,

pure white, soft, fleecy finish, a go \$3.75 blanket; special the pair

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- Packages Butter Scotch, 5c each.
- Chocolate Chips, 10c each. " Marshmallows,
- Chocolate Burnt Almonds, [10c each. Bitter Sweets, 10c each.

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## <del>\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*</del> Get Your New Year's **Presents**

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Mr. Boulton is spending a few days at his home.

Mr. John Boulton, principal of the scale College, is visiting the latter's partents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shillington and systim at his home in Parkhill.

The Methodist Sunday school put on their annual Christmas entertainment in the Opera House to a full house. The concert was well enjoyed by those in attendance.

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# District Doings

WALLACEBURG

Dec. 28.—Mr. Geo. Nightingale, of Walkerville, spent Christmas at his home here,
Mr. James Somers, of Windsor, is the guest of his father, Capt. Somers.
Mr. Leo. Forbair, of Detroit, is visiting at his home.
Mr. Frank Presswell spent Christmas in Detroit.

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R. E. Wodehouse, of Toronto Medi-

Mr. Lemuel McDonald is spending has returned to spend her vacation. The band concert at the rink had to be postponed on account of the soft weather on Monday.

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Mr. Jim Sing spent Christmas in the Christmas holidays with relatives

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Miss Alma Young, of Rodney, is visiting her many young friends in

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#### BLENHEIM

Dec. 28.—Nominations took place on Monday for mayor and six councillors. The following were nominated for mayor: Messas, Bacon, Henry and Ferguson, For councillors: Messas. H. Drane, W. E. Biggar, Jas. Henker, C. Echlin, A. E. Young, H. L. Merritt, Dr. McTavish, A. Byram, T. B. Shillington, Wm. Henry, John

Windsor. Dr. Kennedy spent Christmas in

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THAMESVILLE

Dec. 28.—There promises to be an interesting contest in Tilbury East at the storning election for reeve. There was a large attendance at the nominations held Menday at Valetta, when ex-Reeve Hickey and Councillor Clark were nominated for reeve and both consented to run. For Councillors there will be a large field, the four old councillors and gave.

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THAMESVILLE

Dec. 20.—Miss Winnie Edwards and Bertha Cryderman, of Detroit, were home for Christmas.

Walter Higgins, of London, is visiting at home.

A large number attended the local option meeting in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Mr. Blatchford gave a very interesting address on temperance.

Sherman Everitt and wife, of Detroit, is spending a few days at home.

Miss Minnie Badder, of Wallaceburg, is visiting at Mr. W. Jackman's.

Arthur Lush, of Essex, is spending a few days at home.

The first ourling of the season, was done on Christmas day by some of our sportsmen.

Mr. C. W. Mayhew and wife, of Detroit, was home for Christmas.

Nomination' meeting was held on Monday evening, and the following were nominated:

For Reeve—J. Thompson, Wm. McKenzie and W. Smith.

For Councillors there will be a large field, the four old councillors and swill as the following when having been nominated.

The nominations Monday night in the village were largely attended, when Reeve Crawford was re-nominated, and with Mr. Weldon and W. A. Johnson as his opponents, although that the last named gentleman will not run. For Councillors, in addition to the old members, a large number were put up, while several nominations were made for reeve, owing to the retirement of Reeve Ouellette, the new nominated for reeve, owing to the retirement of Reeve Ouellette, the new nominated for reeve, owing to the retirement of Reeve Ouellette, the new nominated several nominations were made for run. For Councillors have a large field, the four old councillors and both consented to run.

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A meeting in the interests of J. C. Clanoy will be held on Thursday night at the Union Hall in Quinn, and will be addressed by Messrs. J. C. Clanoy, H. S. Clements and W. Stanworth, all of Chatham.

TILBURY.

Dec. 28.—Workmen have installed the new telephone in the fire hall to connect with Mather's pump house, to be used in case of fire. Mr. and Mrs. H. Lewis are visit-

draught, just to cool off. This is the beginning of many a cough which ultimately involves the bronchial tract and the lungs.

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week with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Campbell. [1] [4] Mrs. Alex. Campbell. [1] A Christmas entertainment, under the auspices of the local Presbyterian Sunday school, will be held Friday

Sunday school, will be held Friday night.

The following candidates qualified last night for the village council and their names will appear on the ballot paper: Thos. Anderson, F. E. Nelles, George Chalmers, J. H. Magee, Chas. Clark and Antoine Daigneau.

The following will remain in the field for seats at Tilbury East council: P. W. Richards, Wm. C. Mogregor, H. Cowan, Wm. C. Doyle, J. A. Fletcher, Alex. Graham.

Reave Fox was re-elected Reeve of Romney Township by acclamation on Monday.

GUILDS,

Mr. John Purvis was on the petit jury in Chatham, lust week. Miss Bertha Serson, of Ridgetown, spent Saturday and Sunday in the village.

Ross Cumming is improving from

his recent illness.

Mrs. (Rev.) Russell, of Highgate, gave a talk to the ladies last Thursday afternoon, on Missions. She organized a ladies missionary society in this place, Mr. John Townserd is suffering

Mr. John Townserd is siffering from an attack of pneumonia.
Mr. and Mrs. Hastings, of Orford, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Richard Smith.
Mrs. John Thomas is better from her sickness.
Mrs. Peter Caughill and daughter, May, of Blenheim, spent Sunday with relatives here.

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Mr. Scullard, with kindest greetings of the season; the Ursuline ladies. The pressive of the Market.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Laird, of Detroit, spent Christmas in the city gates, and the ladies have shown their high appreciation of his attention in the representation of their church in the skindly way.

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Chas. A. Goodall, formerly of the News staff, but now of Pomercy, Ill., is spending a week in the city.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Laird, of Detroit, spent Christmas in the city guests of Chas. Rutley, King St.

Richard Eberts, the popular bookkeeper at the Garner House, has returned from a short trip to Toronto.

Fax Foy, of Detroit, was here for

Christmas Miss Carrie Wanless spent Christ-

Henry Irving, of Blenheim, spent Tuesday in the city. Del. Beeman spent Christmas at his home in Essex.

Miss Nellie Watlin spent Christma at her home in Blenheim John Bennett, Detroit, was ple City visitor Monday.

Miss Mabel Wemp, of Toledo, here for the Christmas holidays. Alvin Ladonceur spent Christma at his home in Belle River. Frank Mead, of Kent Bridge, w visitor in the city Tuesday.

R. M. Thompson, of Blenheim, visitor in the city Tuesday. W. McK. Messer spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Essex. Mrs. Burnie, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. J. L. Simpson, Head street.

C. J. McCrow, of Clinton, is spending a few days with friends here. J. A. Smith has returned from spending Christmas at Petrolea, Alfred Granger, of Clinton, is vis-ting John Cartier, Joseph street, J. W. Plewes and family are spending Christmas holidays in Lendon.

Ed Primeau was assessed \$6 with an option of ewent days for being drunk. Heary Stokes and E. E. Dodson, of Wallaceburg, were in the city Tues-

James Ronson has returned from Christmas visit to Blenheim and

Miss Daisy McDonald, a graduate nerse, of Toronto, is visiting friends in the city. G. W. Beemer has returned from spending Christmas at his home in Tilsonburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marshall, Elizabeth street, spent Christmas in Wallaceburg. Miss Lily Blackburn, of Windsor, s the guest of Miss Dottie Smith,

Raleigh street. , Miss Gertie Redman, of Detroit spent Christmas the guest of Miss Annie Tschirhart.

Ralph Laing has returned to Pontiac after a pleasant visit with friends in the city. Miss Tena Everatt returned Tuesday evening, after spending her Christmas in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Perry, of Sarnia, are spending the Christmas holidays in the Maple City.

The thermometer dropped 40 degrees between Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning.
W. A. Brake, F. J. Egan and J. Thompson, of Leamington, were visitors in the city Tuesday. E. L. Williams, manager of the Standard Bank, Blenheim, was a Ma-ple City visitor on Tuesday.

Miss Nettie Leak has returned from spending the holidays with friends in Detroit and Windsor. Mrs. Pegg and Mrs. Green, of Cam-den, are spending a few days with Mrs. Green, North Chatham. Miss Ida McKerrall, of Grace Hospital, Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Tilt, Wellington St.

Earl Sheldrick, who has been visit-ing his parents over Christmas, re-turned to Pittsburg, Pa., yesterday. John McDougall, of Wallaceburg, spent yesterday in town. Mr. Mc-Dougall is a license commissioner. Mrs. Evans and son Milton, of Blen-heim, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Loney, Lansdowne avenue. Miss W. Moore, of Detroit, spent Christmas in the city the quest of Mrs. John Harper, Richmond street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wardle, of Blen-heim, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fielder, Emma street. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bllis, of Port Rowan, spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Polle, Head

Mr. and Mrs. David Martin, bl Thamesville, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. E. Fielder, Head

The firemen were very fortunate this year. They received four boxes of cigars, a basket of apples and a jack knife apiece.

George Elliott, who has been spending Christmas at Blenheim, passed through the city Tuesday en route for his home in Detroit.

The Ladies Auxiliary in connection with the building fund of the B. M. church are holding a bazzar all this week in the ball adjoining the

Dr. A. W. Thornton left Monday evening for Louisville, Kentucky, where he will attend a Dental con-vention. Walter Jeffs, of Dresden, a student of the Toronto Dental College, will look after his practice until he returns. The doctor will return on Saturday.

turn on Saturday.

James Harper, of Detroit, who has been spending Christmas at his home on Richmond street, left yesterday for San Francisco. "Jimmy," as he is better known among his friends, is an old Chatham boy and has been working for the Aeme Lead Works, of Detroit, He will open up a new branch in San Francisco.

# James Brady spent Christmas at his home in Essex.

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HAD BLOOD POISON 12 YEARS

James Fleming spent Christmas in

Roy Robertson spent Monday and Tuesday in Detroit. Miss Eastlake, of Detroit, was In the city for Christmas.

Miss Hazel Payne returned Monday night from a visit to Detroit. D. A. Leitch, of Ridgetown, spent yesterday in the Maple City. R. P. Wright, of Dresden, was a Maple City visitor on Tuesday.

Dan Robertson, of VonGunten Bros', was indisposed yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wilson and Mrs. Wm. Atwell, of Brandon, Man, were guests at the Garner House Tuesday.

George Elliott, who has been spend-Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Smith and fam-

ily, of Detroit, are visiting S. S. Kolfage, city. Mrs. Walter Somerville, of Harland Park, Ill., is here visiting her mother. Miss Pearl Rutley, of Toronto, is visiting Miss Frankie Kemp, at the

Sanitarium. The firemen wish to thank Mrs. W. R. Landon for a donation of books and pictures. Will Carswell, formerly of Chat-ham, but now of Detroit, is spending

Christmas here.

J. S. Black, of the Manson Campbell Co., has returned from spending Christmas in Toronto.

Miss Ida Brown, of Ridgetown, is spending a few days here the guest of Miss Marion Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Merritt and Miss Flora Merritt, of London, are visiting Wm. Bennett. Head St.

# Foronto. E. J. Cooper, Detroit, was in the city on Tuesday. Roy Robertson spent Monday and BHODY & BATES Confectioners

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PROBABILITIES.

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#### <del>\*</del>\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Local Briefs \*\*\*\*\*\*

H. N. Brown, of the steamer C. W. Watson, is spending the winter with his brother, R. J. Brown, West St. There will be a full rally of Mr. Clancy's workers in the young men's club rooms to-morrow evening. All are invited to be present.

Mrs. Fred Earl and Mrs. Frank Tickner, of Pontiac, and Mrs. James Carrath, of Detroit, are spending the holidays with Mrs. George Clements, West St.

The Industrial Committee are busy sending out circulars re the Defiance Iron Works By-law. The ratepayers are requested to look out for them. Rev. A. H. MacGillivray will give special address to the young people of the city at the Gospel Temperance meeting next Sunday afternoon. Mr. Harry Horstead will sing a solo, and a good time is expected.

The first annual report from the Public Schools of East Kent received by the Inspector, is that of No. 1, Harwich. Promptness in official matters like this is very much appreciated by the inspector. ciated by the inspector.

The Board of License Commissioners met yesterday to consider the application for a transfer of the license of the Park House from T. McQueen to Bruce Tyrrell. The application was opposed by the creditors. The Board adjourned without coming to a decision.

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The thermometer fell 39 degrees in six hours, Tuesday. In 12 hours it fell much more.

Vincent Palmer, who has been spending Christmas here, returned yesterday to Amherstburg. James Clark, of Croton, was fined \$100 and costs to-day on the charge of selling liquor without a license. Frank Fobert was committed for trial to-day on the charge of steal-ing 75 cents from Patrick Decour-

The committee for the young bachelor's dance held on the 22nd of this month will give another dance to-morrow night in the Auditorium. As previously announced those who received cards for the first dance are extended an invitation to be present.

Mrs. Albert La Prise was arraigned in the County Court yesterday charged with stealing a fur ruff from Velgie Benoit. The parties five in Dover and Henry Dagneau was present as interpreter. Mrs. La Prise was remanded for trial and released on \$100 bail furnished by Mr. Dagneau, H. D. Smith appeared for the Crown. Crown.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\* WORLD OF SPORT \* }\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

#### OURLING

A very interesting game of curling was played at the rink yesterday afternoon and evening. It was a contest between three rinks from Thamesville and three from Chatham. The local rinks were victorious. There was a large crowd of spectators present to witness this the first match of the year.

The following were the scores:

Rink No. 1.

Rink No. 1. Chatham—Jas. Fleming, J. G. Kerr, W. E. Merritt, H. N. Gillies, skip—15. Thamesville—F. Thompson, E. S. Hubbell, G. Higgins, J. Davis, skip—

Rink No. 3. Chatham—A. H. VonGunten, R. A. Harrington, W. E. Rispin, Dr. R. V. Bray, skip—13.
Thamesville—C. Dulong, G. Sims, D. Sherman, J. Hardy, skip—8.
Majority for Chatham—6.



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Special To The Planet.

Ridgetown, Dec. 29.-The announcement yesterday that John Cochrane had withdrawn his name from the Ross candidacy in East Kent created considerable interest and much satisfaction among the men of both parties. Many Liberals and Independents in this town who felt themselves morally pledged to the support of Mr. Bowyer were outspeken in their commendation of Mr. Oochrane's course in withdrawing.

Considerable annoyance was manifested among the Rossite workers that the information had leaked out. It was hoped that Mr. Cochtane's resignation might have been kept quiet and the meeting might have secured its withdrawal without publicity, and there is some unpleasantness felt among the members of the executive who are inclined to blame each the

other for revealing its existence. The secretary of the executive spent esterday in Wallaceburg whither it is thought he went to secure the good offices of D. A. Gordon, M. P., their extremities.

Mr. Cochrane met the executive at their meeting this morning. He said he had no desire to enter the contest and had only accepted when they f guratively went down on their knees to him. He felt that the bat-

tle was a hard if not a hopeles one and it was altogether against inclinations to enter the arena at all.

At the time he had reluctantly accepted certain promises were made to him, and additional guarantees were made privately at the convention. These related it is understood to money matters and special workers. These promises and assurances Mr. Cochrane felt had not been carried out, and for that reason and the fact that he did not desire to be their candidate anyway, he had decided to resign and let them name a successor at their earliest opportunity.

The members of the executive pleaded hard this morning and with some success. The visit to Wallaceburg enabled the secretary to promise further special considerations. On the

ther special considerations. On the conditions named Mr. Cochrane was finally prevailed upon to allow his tesignation to stand until hethought over the new propositions and the practical evidences furnished by the executive of their ability and willingness to fulfil them.

What the ultimate decision will be is hard to say. As one member of the executive expressed it, "If that resignation is not definitely withdrawn and we age thus able to deny it, we might as well throw it all up as a forlorn hope. It all comes of getting men who are neither anxious nor willing in the first place."

## ROUSING RALLY AT LOUISVILLE

Big Gathering of Electors Applaud James Clancy, the People's Candidate.

Addresses by the Standard-Bearer and Ward Stanworth-Some Pertinent Points

A rousing rally was held last night at Louisville last night in the interests of James Cancy, the people's candidate in West Kent. Despite the inclemency of the weather a large crowd turned out, and they listened with careful attention and were generous in their applause. C. W. Haviland was chosen chairman, and in an appropriate speech introduced Mr. Clancy, who received a magnificent reception. rousing rally was held last night

reception.

Mr. Clancy spoke at considerable length, and the frequent outbursts of appliance left, no houte that his auditors were with him. He dwelt on the Ross Stratton-Sullivan-McKay combination, showing conclusively that tors were with him. He dwelt on the Ross-Stratton-Sullivan-McKay combination, showing conclusively that Messrs. Graham and McKay, who had supported Ross throughout the Gamey transaction and the shady Conmee-Bowman deal, and the disfranchisement of North Reafrew, were no better than the ministers whom itoss professed to have turned out. Special attention was directed to the West Elgin frauds, the timely burning of the ballots when the court was sitting on the prosecution of Cahill. He also drew attention to the fact that at Mr. McKay's election Trial, when damaging disclosures were being made, a special telegraph message was sent from the Clerk of the House to judges and counsel, telling of the dissolution of parliament, which ended the trial and sayed Mr. McKay from the publication of the damaging truth.

Mr. Clancy dwelt on the progress.

Rink No. 1.

Chatham—Jas. Fleming, J. G. Kerr, W. E. Merritt, H. N. Gillies, skip—15.
Thamesville—F. Thompson, E. S. Hubbell, G. Higgins, J. Davis, skip—11.

Rink No. 2.

Chatham—John McCorvie, W. Gordón, J. B. Rankin, Rev. A. H. Mac-Gillivray, skip—14.

Thamesville—C. VanValkenburg, H. Obray, N. K. Cornwall, J. Stewart, skip—17.

Rink No. 2.

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Jean address amid loud and prolonged papplause.

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The meeting closed with cheers for the King, Mr. Whitney and the candidate, and from the enthusiasm evinced there is no doubt that Louis.

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ville will do even fletter for Mr. Clancy than its old-time big major-

Japanese Have Mounted Big Guns On 203-Metre Hill.

Che Foo, Dec. 29.—The persistent rumor which has been in circulation for the past two weeks that several torpedo boat destroyers had-escaped from Port Arthur and succeeded in reaching Vladivostock, is denied by the efficers of the British steamer Ellmay, which arrived here from Vladivostock vesferday. These officers say that the cruisers Rossia and Gromboi are in good shape.

Russ General Killed.

Russ General Killed. Tokio, Dec. 29.—Trustworthy advices from Port Arthur confirm the report that Gen. Kondrachenko has been killed and that Gen. Stoessel has been injured by falling from his horse. Gen. Smilnoff is also reported wounded.

Tokio, Dec. 29.—The navy department publishes a list of nine officers and 65 men who were killed while on special duty.

The army department publishes a list of 23 officers killed and 56 wounded, presumably at Port Arthur.

Food Prices Are High.

Tokio, Dec. 29.—Reports from Port Tokio, Dec. 29.—Reports from Port Arthur say the garrison is confident in the belief that relief will arrive before March 1. Despite its heavy losses Nov. 26 and subsequently the garrison is said to be cheerful and resolved to continue the struggle as long as a single soldier remains. The army claims to have sufficient provisions to last until February. The navy possesses about one month's stores. The price of food in the beleaguered fortress is high. Beef

# SEE PORT ARTHUR FALL

No Truth in Story That Russian Torpode Beat Bestreyers Escaped and Landed in Vladivesteck-Gen, Kendrachenke Meets Death in the Fortress, and Gen. Stoessel Has Been Injured Sy Failing Frem Bis Horse,

Che Foo, Dec. 29.—It is reported here that the Japanese in front of Port Arthur have mounted two 28-centimetre guns on 203-Metre Hill. No Terpedoes Escaped,

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SKATING RINK

A number of the non.-coms. of the Regiment met last night at the shed to decide on different matters pertaining to the skating rink. A delegation from the hockey cluo will meet with the non-coms. on Friday night next at the drill shed to make arrangements for privileges of practise and games.

A caretaker has been engaged and work on the rink is being pushed ahead, It is altogether likely that the rink will be opened on January.

The price of season tickets was placed at \$2.00 for outsiders and \$1.00 for members of the Reg.ment. Saturdays will be set aside for the children, who will be charged 10c. Our regular dress goods news is frequently punctuated with timely offerings, at special prices. This week for in-

Asether Fire Victim.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—Another victim has been added to the list of the dead as a result of the fire in Perrault lane on Christmas morning, in the death of Ida St. George, who was taken from the building so badly burned that there was no hope for her recovery. The victim was 19 years of age. Another Fire Victim.

He Played With a Revelver. Toronte, Dec. 29.—John Farmer, aged 15, was brought to the General Hospital from Claremont yesterday. While toying with a revolver, he got a bullet in the right thigh.

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Solid hardwood, golden oak finish Sideboards, thoroughly well made, top 20"x44", one long drawer and two short ones, neatly carved and fitted with 14x24 inch mirror, \$10

Sideboard, surface quarter cut oak finish, same size as above, two drawers and two large cupboards under, \$9



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. TU-NIGHT.

Concert in Holy Trinity Church a

Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED. MERCER-On Wednesday, Dec. 28th, Robert Mercer, aged 61 years, one month.

Funeral notice later.

FENTON-On Tuesday, December the 27th, 1904, Mrs. Martha Fenton; aged 58 years and 4 months.

Funeral will take place from her late residence, Lacroix St., on Friday, December 30th, at 2.30 p. m., to Louisville Cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances will please account the introduction accept this intimation

## THE LOCAL BUDGE

Earl Davis spent Christmas in Dres-

Percy Kemp, of New York, enen E. E. Boulton, of Drenden, was in

own Tuesday. he city Tuesday,

Will Smith spent Christmas at his ome near Stratford. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Trudell spent Monday in Wallaceburg. Mr. Campbell, of Mitchell's Bay, spent Monday in the city.

Percy Bedford, of Walkervi'le, pent Christmas in the city. Dr. Duff, of Petrolea, spent Christ mas with Fred. Somerville, city. Horace Davis has returned from pending Christmas at Mitchell. Levere Smith, of Detroit, spent Christmas with Mrs. Wm. Needham. Miss Alice Neilson spent Monday and Tuesday in Kent Bridge and Thamesville.

Ed. Crotty, of Toronto, spent Christ-nas with his sister, Mrs. Downey,

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Smoke Quail on Toast cigar, 5c; Dr. M. Ryan, an old Chatham boy now of Bay City, is visiting here. L. R. Miller, of Florence, spent yes terday in town.

Miss M. Paulucci of South Bend Ind., is spending Christmas holidays in the city. Alex. Clark is home from the Law

School, Toronto, He spent Christmas at McKay's Corners. The A. O. U. W. elect their officers Friday evening, Dec. 30th. Installation Friday evening, Jan. 6.

W. J. Radley and family, of Detroit, spent Christmas the guests of Mrs. S. D. Radley, Richmond street. Dr. and Mrs. McDonald, Grand Rapids, spent Christmas the guests of Mrs. W. Somerville, city.

Being a candidate for the Council, I ask your vote and influence. Jas. A. King, hardware merchant. Anson Tschirhart, of Detroit, left for home at noon Tuesday after spending a couple of days with Frank Tschirhart.

Mrs. J. Tsehighart left for Detroit Tuesday evening after spending Christmas with Mrs. Frank Tschir-

hart, city. Remember the Christmas Enter-tainment in Christ Church Sunday School Hall to-morrow night. Splen-did moving pictures, drills, cantata, etc., at 8 o'clock. Admission fifteen cents.

The many friends of Miss Annie Stover, formerly of this city, who has been taking a course in nursing at Chicago, join in welcoming her home for Christmas. Miss Stover will spend her vacation in Blenheim, where her father has latterly resided.

Miss Ruby Maggs, Joseph St., en-tertained her Sunday School class Tuesday evening. A very pleasant evening was spent in games, music, etc., after which refreshments were served. Miss Maggs presented each of her 25 scholars with heautiful presents before leaving for home.

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Thomas Day, of Chicago, spent yes John Gott has returned from visit with friends and relatives Amherstburg.

Miss Daisy McDonald, nurse, of the Children's Hospital, Toronto, is spend-ing a week's vacation here. A. H. Patterson is offering first-cless hard, dry cordwood at reduced prices. Call at Patterson's Hard-

ware.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stroog, who have been residing in the Western States, are spending the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Brown, Adelaide St. Mr. adn Mrs. Strong will leave shortly for California to reside.

#### \*\*\*\* SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE

\$\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* When you've had enough, quit. It's a vise man that anows when

It's a wanted. Don't Forget to Register if you're not on the voters' list.

Wonder if Archie yet reads the

Well, I told you P. H. Bowyer would be elected by acclamation.

Ross conventions in East Kent are becoming as plentiful as strawberries n. June. I have reliable information that Mr. Parrott will be the candidate in East Kent,

Apparently, nobody wants the name of running under the Ross colors in East Kent.

Say, these newspaper fellows are and medicine to go up against, aren't

I don't blame the Ross men of East Kent for being afraid to go up against P. H. Bowyer.

They seem to be able to Latch those candidates in East Kent, but they can't keep them caught. Le Pague's Liquid Glue is a goo

ticker. Perhaps they could find ome use for it in East Kent. Remember that \$30,000 spent in this city will help some. Vote for the Defiance By-law and you'd help

me, too. When it comes to knifing its friends, the Banner's a good sticker. How would it do for use in the adjoining constituency.

The B. Mistake must knife some-body, and when they can't find any opponents, they keep in practice on their friends.

The B. Mistake says that there was great enthusiasm at the Ross meeting at Pain Court Tuesday night last. You probably notice that I quote the originator of the story.

1 told the unfortunate layers in East Kent once before I'd give them their choice among E. E. Parrott, J. G. Kerr and J. W. Humphrey. And the offer is still open. Every merchant should support the

I told the unfortunate Rossites

Defiance By-law because,—
It will bring 50 men here.
They will be paid wages.
They must live.

They will spend their money.

A pretty incident happened at the A pretty incident happened at the home of G. W. Cowan, the prospective mayor, on Christmas Eve. Mr. Cowan had some campaign cards printed and took some home for his little daughter to play with. The four-year-old girl was very much impressed with the picture of her father. A few minutes after, the little pressed with the picture of her father. A few vinutes after, the little one was missing. She was discovered in the sitting room putting one of her father's pictures on the mantelpiece. When asked what she was doing she said,—"Oh, I was just putting papa's picture where Santa Claus could see it and vote for papa."

A sad-eyed scientist, who has read

And keep them a while at home, Who knows but some daft lunatic May some day call them a poem.

The Chicago & North Western Ry, bas issued a new publication entitled "California." It contains a beautiful colored map of the state, a list of hotels at California tourist resorts with their capacity and rates; and a most interesting series of pictures showing California's resources and attractions. The prospective visitor and settler should be in possession of a copy of this profusely illustrated folder. Sent to any address on receipt of two cents in stamps. Low rates from all points. B. H. Rennett, 2 East King St., Toronto, Out.

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20 Doz, Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, seamless and stainless, 20c value, 15c a pair or 2 for 25c.

Still there's more to follow

# William Gordon

### ..MUSICAL..

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This work was put on entirely by home talent last evening, and the chorus was composed almost entirely by the First Church choir, assisted by a few picked from the other

choirs of the city. Owing to the inclement weather there was not as large an audience as there otherwise would have been, but those who were there were thoroughly attentive and appreciative. Owing to illness Mrs. Cooper was not able to sing the splendid soprano solo which she rendered so beautifully at

the last production.

Mrs. Milton Bogart again scored a success in the contralto solos. Mrs. Bogart's splendid Sontralto voice is especially adapted for this kind of

Claire Monteith, basso, son of Col and Mrs. Monteith, of this city, sang the bass soles. Mr. Monteith has just returned from New York, where he has been studying and everyone was anxious to hear him again. He sang beautifully and his voice shows marked improvement since he last sang in the Maple City. He was ever a deservedly popular singer and great things are predicted for him in his musical career. It is with pleasure that Chathamites will learn that he intends to remain in the Maple City.

The tenor solos last evening were sung by B. W. Angus, solo tenor of

Christ Church. The chorus Singing was good. The feet harmony, and the production as a whole was a meritorious one and well up to the high standard which Mr. Arthur has established since com-ing to the Maple City. Too much cannot be said of Mr. Arthur, the

#### CARD OF THANKS

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO FOUR. Ladies and Gentlemen:

A sad-eyed scientist, who has read some lame and limping verses in the organette, hands me the following, to be read to "Loony" in a voice full of pity, or sung to him to the appropriate air of "Two Little Boys".— I have read through your verses, Loony— I confess they are rather lame— Yet some day, my popgun poet. They may win you a deathless fame. If you only will patch and mend them.

And keep them a while at home, Who knows but some daft lunatic May some day call them a poem. the nominations I also return

Wishing you all the compliments of the season. Your obedient servant, A. E. LENFESTEY. Chatham, Dec. 29th. 1964.



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#### THE MARKETS.

Theat Futures Rally At Chicago-Liverpool Clesed-Live Stook Markets -The Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 27.
There was no session of the Liverpool
Grain Exchange to-day:
At Chicago May wheat closed 2½c higher than Friday, May corn %c higher and
May oats ½c lower.

FOREIGN MARKETS. TOREIGN MARKETS.

London, Dec. 27.—Close—Corn—Spot quotations, American mixed, 22s, new. Wheat
—Ou passage, buyers indifferent operators.
Corn—On passage, firm but not active.
Paris—Close—Wheat—Tone quiet; December, 23f 60c; March and June, 24f 80c.
Flour—Tone quiet; December, 30f 85c; March and June, 32f 20c. TORONTO ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

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LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Liverpool, Dec. 27.-Hollday in grain market.

Bacon—Clear bellies, easy, 44s.
Cheese—American finest white and colored, strong, 51s; September, 53s.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Dec. 27.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 63%; street price, extra creamery, common to 27½; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 20; western factory, common to extra, 20; western factory, common to catra, 20; western factory, common to choice, 13c to 17c; western imitation creamery, common to choice, 16c to 21c.

Cheese—Quiet; receipts, 3338; state full cream, colored and white, small, fancy, 12c; do., fane, 11½c; do., fair to good, 10c to 10½c; do., possible, 10c; do., fair to good, 10c to 10½c; do., possible, 10c; do., fair to good, 10c; 10c; do., fair to good, 20c; do., fair, do, fair, fai NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

#### CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged-U.S. Cattle Mar London, Dec. 27.—Live cattle are quoted 10c to 15c per lb.; refrigerator beef at 13c to 103c per lb.; sheep at 12c to 13c

TORONTO LIVE STOCK. title, 35 nogs, or such that calves.
Prices were much the same as our last plotations in all the different classes.
Deliveries of hogs were light, with prices life at \$4.75 for selects and \$4.50 for lights and \$4.50 for lights.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET. East Buffalo, Dec. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; steady; prime steers, \$5.50 to \$5.75; shipping, \$4.75 to \$4.85; butchers, \$5.50 to \$4.10; bulls and stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.10; bulls and stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.
Veals—Receipts, 125 head; slow; 50c lower; \$4.50 to \$8.50.
Hogs—Receipts, \$500 head; slow; steer

er; \$4.50 to \$8.50.

Hogs—Recelpts, \$5.00 head; slow; steady; heavy, \$4.75 to \$4.80; mixed, \$4.75; yorkers, \$4.50 to \$4.70; pdgs, \$4.40 to \$4.50; roughs, \$3.90 to \$4.50; stags, \$3 to \$3.25; Sheep and lambs—Recelpts, 6000 head; sheep, steady; lambs, slow; so lower; native lambs, \$5 to \$5.50; yearlings, \$6 to \$6.50; wheners, \$5 to \$5.50; yearlings, \$6 to \$6.50; wheners, \$5 to \$5.50; ewes, \$4.75 to \$5.5; sheep, mixed, \$2 to \$2.75.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK. New York Live STOCK.

New York, Dec. 27.—Beeves—Recelpts, 840; mainly for slaughterers; no trading in live cartie; feeling firm; exports to-day, 840 eattle, 1290 sheep and 5300 quarters of beef; to-morrow, 5200 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 50; quiet; veals, \$5 to \$8.87\(\frac{1}{2}\); barnyard calves, \$3; yearlings, \$2.50.

\$2.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2388; sheep, steady; lambs, slow and weak; sheep, \$3.50 to \$5; lambs, \$6.50 to \$7.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 4356; nominally steady; good to prime state hogs. \$5.35;

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Ottawa, Dec. 28.-The first death in Earl Grey's retinue occurred yes-terday, when Ernest Fela, chief groom of the bed-chamber, died of pneumonia. He came out on the Bavarian about three weeks ago and was 28 years of age. It is said that like many other Englishmen when first coming to Canada, he despised an overcoat, and went, skating on a cold day insufficiently protected. He caught a severe cold from which pneumonia developed. He will be buried in Beechwood Cemetery in the Pideau. Hell splet

#### Rideau Hall plot. Atlas Liner Ashore,

Kingston, Jamaica, Dec. 28.—The German third-class cruiser Bremen, which returned here from Port au Prince, Hayti, reports that the Atlas Liue steamer Valencia, from New York, Dec. 15, for Inagua, Cape Hayting, in the control of th tien, is ashore in a bad position at that place, and that she is likely to be a total wreck. The vessel is lying on her side in the mud and her decks are being washed by the sea. It is likely that the wrecking steamer Premier will go to the Valencia's as-sistance.

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—The new Gover-nor-General and his family had an nor-General and his family had an exciting time last evening, when fire broke out in the chapel at Rideau Hall. The body of the chief groom of the bed-chamber was placed in the chapel. In some way a blaze caught between the floors. The city brigade was called out, but the fire was extinguished with very slight loss.

The Pope and the Indians. London, Dec. 28.—At the audience which the Bishop of New Westminster (B.C.) had with the Pope Monday, His Holiness made many enquiries regarding the bishop's diocese. The Pope was greatly interested to learn that it contained 10,000 In-

dian Catholics, and sent them

#### A NEW DEPARTURE

A New, Effectual, and Convenient Cure For Catarrh.

Of catarrh remedies there is no end

Of catarrh remedies there is no end, but of catarrh cures, there has always been a great scarcity. There are many remedies to relieve, but very few that really cure.

The old practice of snuffing salt water through the nose would often relieve, and the washes, downes, towders and inhalers in common use are very little, if any better than the old fashioned salt water douche.

The use of inhalers and the application of salves, washes and powders

cation of salves, washes and powders to the nose and throat to cure ca-tarrh is no more reasonable than to rub the back to cure kidney disease. Catarrh is just as much a blood disease as kidney trouble or rheuma-tism and it can not be cured by local treatment any more than they

can be.

To cure catarrh whether in the head, throat or stomach an internal antiseptic treatment is necessary to drive the catarrhal poison out of the blood and the system, and the new catarrh cure is designed on this plan, and the remarkable success of Stuart's Catarrh tablets is because being used internally, it drives out the catarrhal infection through action upon stomach, liver

through action upon stomach, liver and bowels. Wm. Zimmerman, of St. Joseph, rewin Zimmerman, or strong with catarrh which is of value to millions of catarrh sufferers everywhere. He which is of value to millions of catarrh sufferers everywhere. He says: "I neglected a slight nasal catarrh until it gradually extended to my throat and bronchial tubes and finally even my stomach and liver became effected, but as I was able to keep up and do a day's work I let it run along until my hearing began to fail me, and then I realized that I must get rid of the catarrh or lose my nosition as I was clork and lose my position as I was clerk and my hearing was absolutely neces-

my hearing was absolutely necessary.

Some of my friends recommended an inhaler, another a catarrh salve but they were 20 good in my case, nor was anything else until I heard of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and bought a package at my drug store. They benefitted me from the start, and in less than four months I was wompletely cured of catarrh, although I had suffered nearly all my life from it.

"They are pleasant to take and

"They are pleasant to take and so much more convenient to use than other catarrh remedies that I

## SYMPATHY WITH FRENCH

Roman Catholic Bishops and Archbi Send Letter to Paris.

Montreal, Dec. 28.—All the Roman Catholic bishops and archbishops of Canada, from Halifax to Vancouver, have forwarded a letter to Cardinal Richard of Paris, expressing the deep sympathy of the Canadian church with the bishops, clergy and faithful of France in these days of trial and persecution. Their lordships claim that war has been declared against Christ.

The letter was probably agreed up. on at the recent gathering of pre-lates at Three Rivers. The episcopal letter refers to the painful effect created in the bishops' minds at each new attempt of the French Government on the rights of the church.

## HEAVY HEADACHE FOR FOUR YEARS

But Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Cured It-They are Known by their Works

"By their works ye shall know them," and if you know Dodd's Dys-pepsia Tablets by their works you must admit they are the greatest comfort producers of the present age. Here is some of their work. Mrs. A. Waddell of 34 Simcoe street, Hamil-

ton, says:

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eat a bite.

Thousands of other Canadians relate similar experiences. In fact every-body who has used Dodd's Dyspensia Tablets tells the same story—Indigestion and Dyspepsia cannot live in the same body with them.

#### LIVING SILVER. The Process by Which Mercury Is

Extracted From Cinnabar The chief scource of mercury is its native sulphide, cinnabar. The most important mines of this mineral in Europe are those of Almaden, in Spain, and Idria, in Illyria; in America, those of New Almaden, in California.

The silvery metal is obtained by roasting the ores in specially constructed open furnaces, where, by the ac-tion of atmospheric air alone, the sulphur is converted into sulphurous acid and passes on with the volatilized mercury into condensers. These are usually masonry chambers, with water cooled pipes, from which the fumes pass on through earthenware pipes and finally through others of wood and glass.

Most of the yield is liquid mercury, combined with soot, which is removed by agitating the mixture in receptacles of perforated iron, when the mercury falls through. The quicksilver is final ly purified by straining through dense linen and is then sent out into com merce in leather bags or wrought fron bottles fitted with screw plurs, each holding ab about seventy-five pounds

### RUSKIN AND HIS SERVANTS.

Attitude Was Characterized by Simplicity, Goodness and Sympathy.

An intimate friend of Ruskin re lates an incident illustrating that simplicity, gentleness and sympathy were characteristics of his relations with the servants of his household. "I was dining with Mr. Ruskin one evening when during the meal, as we were enjoying a rhubarb tart, I happened to say that it was the first I had tasted that season and remarked how delicious it was. Mr. Ruskin manifested delight at my appreciation of his rhubarb, and, ringing to one of the servants, he said, 'Pleatell Jackson I want him.' Wh Jackson came into the room his master said, I am very pleased to tell you, Jackson, that your first pulling of rhubarb is quite a success, and my friend her success,

licious.'
"When we had finished dining a servant brought lighted candles into the room, which was almost dark, the windows being shaded by the dense, overhanging trees, although the sun had not yet gone down. Af-ter placing the candles she was about to leave the room when she suddenly stopped and said, 'Please, sir, there's a beautiful sunset sky just now over the Old Man.' Ruskin rose from his chair. He returned soon. 'Yes,' he said to me, 'it is worth seeing. Come.' And he led the way upstairs to his bedroom.

and my friend here says that It is de-

"It was a glorious sight. The sun was sinking behind the Coniston Old Man mountain, and the mist and rip-ples on the lake were tinged with a crimson flush. We sat in the window recess without speaking a word till the sun went down behind the moun-

#### Mixed Up the Two Websters.

During Daniel Webster's visit to England he was taken one day to see Lord Brougham. That eminent jur-ist, however, received him with such coolness that Mr. Webster was glad to get away and took his leave at the first opportunity. The friend saw him to his rooms and then returned to Lord Brougham and in some anger said:

"My lord, how could you have be have with such unseemly rudeness and discourtesy to so great a lawyer and statesman? It was insulting to him and has filled me with mortification."
"Why, what on earth have I done

and whom have I been rude to?" asked his lordship.
"To Daniel Webster of the Senate of the United States."

"Great Jupiter, what w blunder!" exclaimed Lord Brougham, realizing the mistake he had made. "I thought it was that fellow Webster who made a dictionary and nearly ruined the English language."

Then, it is said, the great Chan-cellor so ght out Mr. Webster, ex-plained and excused his conduct, which the latter generously accepted.

Against Street Advertising There are organized and growing campaigns in England and Germany against the use of streets and other public places for advertisements. Societies have been formed in both countries to prosecute offenders, and in addition there are associations of people who have pladed themself. people who have pledged themselv not to patronize in any way any one who advertises on billboards where these signs, disfigure the view. In Germany the efforts of the objectors have been successful in getting a law on the statute books which covers all cases of vulgar and objectionable sign advertising. It is directed against "gross nuisances," and it has had the gratifying result of stopping the defacing of scenery and the flaunting of huge posters in hand-some streets.

Uses for Sawdust and Slabs Nothing about a sawmill goes to waste these days, and the economic features are being constantly emphasized. Ten years ago the sawmill owners would pile their sawdust until they had a large heap, and then they would burn it, getting no return whatever. The most of them now have Dutch ovens for drying the dust, and they burn it in their en-

now have Dutch ovens for drying the dust, and they burn it in their engines, making the refuse pay for the operation. Still others have established paper mills and use the sawdust for making paper. In the olden days great logs were taken and squared, and the slabs were thrown away. Now a very thin slice is taken off. Then a board is sawed and edged, and in that way hardly a perceptible fraction is lost with the bark, and even the bark has its uses.

Radium and Perpetual Metion. Sir William Ramsey illustrated at a recent scientific gathering in Lona recent scientific gathering in London the nearest approach yet to perpetual motion. By means of an exceedingly small quantity of radium salt a fine piece of gold leaf or feather is electrified. It bends away from a piece of metal until it touches the side of the vessel and loses its electrical charge. Then it comings had and is again electrified. oses its electrical charge. Then in prings back and is again electrified springs back and is again electrified, the process being repeated any number of times, practically like the swinging of a pendulum. A clock of this kind is conceivable, and as it would persist as long as the radium retained its power we might have a timepiece going for 2,000 years without being wound up.

Success in Old Age.

Sir Walter Scott began to write his celebrated novels at 40. Milton began "Paradise Lost" at 50. When "East Lynne" appeared its author, Mrs. Henry Wood, was 45. Cromwell was 41 when he began his public career. The year of the Hegira was the fifty-third of Mohammed, and Marlborough reached his independent command at the same age. In spirctual examples Abraham was 75 when itual examples Abraham was 75 when called of Charan, and Moses was 80 when he stood before Pharaoh as the champion of Israel.

The Prophets Differ. The muskrat predicts a mild winter, the goose bone an extremely cold one. Between the two we may expect the usual "all kinds of" wenter. IT REALLY COSTS LESS

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Internally All Right. untry sexton in England of ciated at a funeral clad in a red waist-coat. At the conclusion of the obse-quies the vicar gently remonstrated with the old gravedigger, saying: "Rob-ert, you should not wear a red waistcoat at a funeral. You hurt the feelings of the mourners." Robert replied, placing his hand on his breast, "Well, what does it matter, sir, so long as the heart is black's

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Mr. Gladstone Failed to Tip. Mr. Gladstone's hatred of tipping writes a correspondent, was not only shown in his avoidance of the cus

tom whenever possible, but also in the smallness of the gift when he found custom too strong for him. At a private hotel in Brighton where Mr. Gladstone had stayed for the week end one of the disjunction the week end one of the dining-room the week end one of the dining-room waiters who had served Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone gives as one of his reasons for voting against Liberal candi-dates at local elections the fact that "Gladstone only gave me a shilling." For this "insult" the Liberal party lost one vote.—London Chronicle.

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BALANCING RESULTS

LAW OF CONSEQUENCES AND THE PROBLEMS OF LIFE.

Soed or Evil In Things Is Discovered by Observations of Consequences, Morals Are Determined by the Con-sequences of Human Actions.

A reaction is the consequence of an ection; an effect is the consequence of a cause; a result is the cons an antecedent. It is evident that the words reaction, effect, result and con sequence express different manifesta-tions of one law, usually called the aw of causation, though it would be, believe, more correctly named the

we of consequences.

We shall understand more clearly the interactions in human affairs when we recognize that the meaning of the words reaction, effect and result is included in the word consequence. We may doubt the importance of reaction in our affairs, but we shall not doubt the importance of consequences.

We are compelled to give considers tion to consequences in the most trivial affairs. One has consequences in view when he strikes a match, sets a pot to boil, plants a seed, pulls a weed, aharpens a pencil, mends a fence. Shall langer of rain against the anneyance of the umbrella and decide accordingly. Shall I change my coat? Take anothe eup of coffee? Walk or ride? Each on will be decided in accordance with my estimate of the balance of re sults. In considering possible advantages er disadvantages, gains or losses we are balancing consequences, en-deavoring to anticipate and weigh the sesults of our actions.

Regret is usually a reminder of a neglect or misjudgment of conse-quences, while repentance and reformation indicate a waking up concerning consequences. Our interest, curiosity, anxieties, fears, hopes and ambitions are concentrated upon consequences We seek advice when we are doubtful about consequences. Precepts and examples elucidate consequences. We work and rest, eat and drink, scheme and plan, spend and save, for conse

quences. The lesson of consequences which the individual often learns slowly and imperfectly the sound business organizutions acquire quickly and enforce by discipline. The salesmen in a suc eessful store are characterized by tidiness, promptness and a desire to please the employees of the important railroads are not even permitted to answer insult with insult. The industry that is intelligently managed will avoid misrepresentation and decep-tion, knowing that a reputation for truth and fairness is vital to continu ous success. The shrewdest maxims of trade are built upon the observation

of consequences.

That mind is the strongest which her the clearest judgment of consequences. The fools are those who know little about consequences. The child must be guarded because it is ignorant of consequences. What we know of nareotics, stimulants, antidotes, hygiene, surgery, chemistry, agriculture, me chanics, commerce, culture, we know through the observation of consequences. The best razor, plow, saniary system, plan of social betterment is that which produces the best results. Knowledge, learning and experience deal wholly with cause and conse-quence. The science of astronomy seeks to comprehend the heavenly bodles and their influences upon each other. The science of chemistry explains the consequences of chemical action.

The science of political economy aims to distinguish and mark the good and exil results of different systems of land tenure, taxation, trade and finance. and maneuvers will inflict the greatest injury upon the enemy with a min-imum of expenditure. The science of language deals with the utility words, pronunciation and forms of expression. And so on through the whole of human experience knowledge seeks to distinguish that which has the best

when we lie; because truth is essential to understanding; because we despise lying in others; because lying leads to confusion, uncertainty, chaos, enmity and to other evil consequences. And so also we have formed a judgment of loyalty and treachery, cruelty and kindness, virtue and vice, by their con-

Our laws, customs and command-ments would not prove to us that truth is better than lying if our own experience did not confirm it. The Decalogue is effective only so far as nature cor

Our common conceptions of morality are the results of the observation of human actions and their consequences -of cause and effect, of action and reaction. We know that certain actions are right and others wrong, as we know that bread is good and straw bad for food; that light clothing is more useful in summer than in win-ter; that clearliness is better than filthiness; that the way-to walk is for-ward, not backward; that mirth is

pleasanter than grief. As the value of a machine or implement is shown in its working and the value of a tree by its fruit, so the merit or demerit of food, drink, medicine, acts and thoughts is determined by their results, reactions or effects—by their consequences,—From "Balance: The Pandamental Verity," by Orlande Rheumatism Cured other, send direct to us. \$1.00 per bottle.

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results, from that which has inferior or evil results.

Our ideas of right and wrong are due to the nature of the responses to human actions. How do we know that truth is better than falsehood? Because we are better pleased with ourselves when we speak truthfully than when we his heaven truth the seconds.

For Christmas and New Year's W. E. Rispin, General Ticket Agent, advises the following arrangements, tickets issued at single fare Dec. 24, 25 and 26 good to return 27th, and on Dec. 31, Jan. 1 and 2 good to return Jan. 31, Jan. 1 and 2 good to return Jan. 4 also Your obd't servant. 2, all good to return Jan. 4, also special rates for vacation to non-resident students and teachers. For furher information call at the of-fice of W. E. Rispin, 115 King street.

> A Curious Legend. Easby abbey, the ruins of which lie tance from Richmond, in Yorkshire, England, is the home of a curious egend, says Photography. One of the

main walls of the building is cracked and toppling, but has not yet fallen to he ground. Nor do the natives expect to do so, at least not until it receives the impulse which it is said to await when it does fall, will bury in its ruins a newly married couple, and as the tale is well known the chance of a honeyoning pair resting beneath its shade

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To the Electors of the City of Chatham LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,respectfully offer myself as candidate for the Office of Ladies and Gentlemen-Mayor of the city for 1905. I respectfully sollcit your vote and influence in my behalf as an aspirant to the aldermanic board, for the enfluence. If elected I shall suing year.
give the interests of the city my best services, as I have always endeavored to do in the past.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am yours obediently,

GEO. W. COWAN

For Alderman

TO THE ELECTORS OF CHATHAM LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,-Having been requested by a number of citizens to offer myself for Alderman for the coming year, I have decided to do so, and hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

I do not intend to make any personal canvas as I believe the electors should be left free from personal solicitation to vote for the men whom they believe will serve the city most efficiently.

Wishing you all the compliments of the season I remain respectfully yours,

CHAS. AUSTIN

Your Vote and Influence for Alderman. J. W. AITKEN.

TO THE ELECTORS.

Ladies and Gentlemen-I am a candidate for the council of 1905, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

J. T. O'KEEFE,

D. T. O'KEEFE,

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ELECTORS, CITY OF CHATHAM Ladies and Gentlemen-

I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for Alderman for 1905, Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR J. DUNN. TO THE ELECTORS OF CHATHAM.

Ladies and Gentlemen: For the seventh term I respect-fully solicit your vote and influence for alderman for 1905. I have no promises to make but that of "duty."
Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year, I am,
Yours faithfully,
W. S. MARSHALL.

TO THE ELECTORS

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The science of government would determine what political system is best for a people. The science of war seeks to know what arms, equipments, forces

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am again asking your support and influence for election as Countied for Alderman, I cannot make coillor for 1905. As my actions in the a personal canvass, to know what arms, equipments, forces every means to keep down the tax-ation of the city, if elected every ef-fort will be made next year to practise the strictest economy in the ex penditure of public funds

H. W. WESTMAN. TO THE ELECTORS.

able consideration.

Your obd't servant.

L. E. TILLSON.

TO THE CITY ELECTORS,

Ladies and Gentlemen: As one of the candidates for the of-As one of the candidates for the office of Alderman, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have served two years in the City Council and ten years on the High School Board. In the past I have endeavored to act in the best interests of the whole people irrespective of all other considerations, and if elected I intend to act on this principle in the future. the future.

with good will to all, I remain,
faithfully yours,
EDWIN BELL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF CHATHAM.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Having been requested by a large number of ratepayers to offer myself as a candidate for a seat in the City Council Chamber, and having yesterday been nominated for that office, I have consented to allow my name to stand. I therefore respectfully ask for your vote and influence. If elected I promise to discharge the duties of the office faithfully and honestly and to the best of my ability.

Wishing you the compliments of the season,

Yours truly,

J. G. KERR,

To the Electors of Ward 5:

Ladies and Gentlemen.—On the solicitation of a number of friends, I have decided to become a candidate for School Trustee is your ward, and, as such, I shall much appreciate the honor of your vote and influence.

Wishing you all the compliments of the season, I am.

Your obedient servant,

W. C. McARTHUE,

TO THE ELECTORS Ladies and Gentlemen

I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for Alderman for 1905.

JOHN L. AINSWORTH TO THE ELECTURS.

J. W. McLAREN.

TO THE ELECTORS.

Ladies and Gentlemen: For three years I have had your confidence and I trust that my actions at the Council Board will warrant a genewal of that confidence by giving me your vote for a seat at the Council Board for next year. If elected I will serve you to the best of my ability

of my ability.

Wishing you a Happy New Year. JOHN N. EDMONDSON.

TO THE ELECTORS. Ladies and Gentlemen I am a candidate for the office of Mayor of the city of Chatham for the year 1905, and respectfully ask for your vote and influence.

If elected I shall endeavor faithfully to discharge the duties of the high office and shall place my time, energies and best judgment unreservent.

energies and best judgment unreservelly at the service of the city.

Thanking you for the support you have so kindly given me in the past and wishing you a Happy New Year,

I am,
Yours faithfully,
THOMAS SCULLARD.

.TO THE ELECTORS Ladies and Gentlemen:

At the request of a number of citizens I have consented to be a candidate for the position of Alderman for date for the position of Alderman for the ensuing year and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. I have been a member of your Council for three years, the last two of which I was Chairman of the Industrial committee, and I hope that my ac-tions at the Board will command your support If elected I will your support. If elected I will endeavor to fill the position to the best of my ability.

Yours respectfully, WALTER T. PIGGOTT.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Having been nominated for the office of Alderman and being requested by a large number of ratepayers to allow my name to stand, I maye consented and shall be grateful to you for your vote and support for that position. I had the honor of serving you for two years, viz., 1901-1902, and during that time I endeavored to work for the best interests of the city. If again intrusted with your confidence I shall devote my best efforts and energy for good municipal government and the people's welfare.

Your obedient servant,

Your obedient servant, WILLIAM POTTER.

Citizens of Chatham

Personally I desired no municipal Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am a candidate for the Council of 1905 and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. I have been in business in the city of Chatham for seventeen years, and if elected will use my best efforts to advance the interests of our good city.

JAMES A. KING, Hardware Merchant.

TO THE ELECTORS,
Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am again asking your support and influence for election as Council two years, I fought out some stiff fights in the city's interests, and whipped every time; and moreover, I kept the faith with my supporters. The railways and the boodlers are still in the fand, and some more scraps will have to be fought out and I want to butt in. I thank all those who have hitherto given me their confidence. I am in the

GEO. G. MARTIN.

Dec. 23, 1904, FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE To the Electors of Ward No. 2,
Having been solicited by a large
number of my friends to allow my
name to stand for Trustee, I have
decided to do so. I have been a
resident of the city for the past 22
vears. am a rateaver in the ward. years, am a ratepayer in the ward, and have four Children attendand have four children attending the city schools. I have always taken a great interest in the public schools, and if elected I shall do all in my power to serve your interests. I would appreciate your votes and influence,

J. W. WEBB, Merchant Tailor

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE. To the Electors of Ward No. 2: Ladies and Gentlemen,—I beg to of-fer myself again as a candidate for School Trustee for Ward No. 2, for

Soliciting your vote and influence. Yours truly, R. M. PAXTON.

TO THE ELECTORS WARD NO. 5.

Ladies and Gentlemen: I am a candidate for School Trustee in your Ward for the ensuing year and respectfully solicit your support and influence. I have been a resident of the Ward for over twelve years, and having children attending the Public School have constant interest in their waffers.

ELECTORS OF NO. 1 WARD. Ladies and Gentlemen

I am a candidate for School Trustee for Ward No. 1 at the coming elections and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

W. M. DRADER.

VOTE FOR

DR D. E. RUSSELL DENTIST

For School Trustee, Ward No. 11 "THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE."

HARWICH REEVESHIP

Ladies and Gentlemen: Your vote and influence respectfuly solicited to secure my re-election of the office of reeve, for the year

CHAS. BUCHANAN.

ELECTORS OF HARWICH.

Ladies and Gentlemen: Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am a candidate for the positions of County Councillor for Harwich and Blenheim for the ensuing year and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. Wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year, I am,

Yours truly,

JOHN VESTER.

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but it seems to be one of the neces-

drawn toward each other.

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The Urban Store.

Whitney Declared That Barring Mr. Ross R. B. Gamey Is the Intellectual

Barrie, Dec. 29.—Mr. Whitney, in his speech here last night, paid a tribute to R. R. Gamey. He declared that the Man from Manitoulin was an able man. He named over the members of the Ontario Government, and said, "harring Mr. Ross, there is not one of them mentally superior to R. R. Gamey."

Mr. Whitney, spoke in the interests of A. B. Thompson, Conservative candidate. Centre Simcoe is one of the constituencies which the Conservatives hope to redeem, and the political atmosphere is already waxingwarm, especially in the county town.

A Blinding Blizzard.

A blinding blizzard, one of the worst ever known in Barrie, was blowing, but the meeting was well attended, and the audience most enthusiastic.

Mr. Davidson carried the constituency for the Liberals at the last election by a majority of 49. C. E. Hewson is the present Liberal candidate.

Mr. Thompson, who was loudly applauded, in rising, thanked the audience for the reception. He said he was once more a supplicant for their votes, and trusted he had not shown himself tinworthy of confidence. Discussing the questions of the day, he said that provincial affairs limited the party to but a few planks, which were largely matters of finance and education, and gave very little room for a difference of opinion. One question which would have to be decided in this election would be the moral welfare of the Province of Ontario. The Ross government has degraded and debauched the province by its political crimes, and should be defeated.

Mr. Whitney made a few promises, but his deeds proved him to be a man of ability and honesty.

J. S. Duff reviewed the difficulties which have beset the Reform party in the last two years, which has forced Mr. Ross to his present appeal to the country. He thought the Gamey exposures, if they had done nothing more than expose the scandal in the crown lands department, had been of great service in showing the corruption of the province, and the result of this investigation was the cause, and only cause, of the resignations of Hon. Messrs. Stratton and Davis. The Simcor representatives, Messrs, Davidson and Tudhope, lost their greatest opportunity in not speaking out against their party when these exposures were made. If the Conservative leaders did what Ross and his party had done, the Conservatives would be the first to turn their leaders out.

Greeted With Enthusiasm.

J. P. Whitney, introduced as the coming premier, was greeted with great enthusiasm, the audience standing and waving Union Jacks. Across the front of The Globe to-day were the words, "Remember Ross." Some of the followers of

fter conviction.

He had been charged with votin He had been charged with voting against the appointment of a minister of agriculture, but this charge was false, as there was a minister of agriculture before Mr. Ross became premier. He voted against separating the offices of minister of works and agriculture, as at that time there was no need for increasing the number of portfolios.

portfolios.

Mr. Ross told the electors at Nana-Rival sketch artists seldom feel the face of McNish's confession, drawn toward each other.

Rival sketch artists seldom feel the face of McNish's confession, drawn by Mr. Aylesworth, in which he ackby Mr. Aylesworth, in which he ack-nowledged that the ballots had been Interfered with and thrown away. Then there was the declaration of 80 Con-servatives that they had voted for the Conservative candidate, and only 42 ballots were returned as so marked. It was difficult to deal with statements made in such a contemptible way.

It is Trust Funds.

made in such a contemptible way.

It is Trust Funds.

Mr. Ross laid claim to having meney in the bank. Perhaps he had; but people often have money in the bank, and it is no proof of wealth. It might be trust funds. Political purity can only come by the party system, for without party leaders there can be no responsibility, but when one party became corrupt, it is the duty of the adherents of that party to give the opposition a chance to rule until their party has been in opposition long enough to purity it, or until the party in office has not done its duty according to the opinion of the electorate.

In provincial politics there are not the great questions of policy to be found, as in the federal parliament. Party lines are not drawn so tightly. The policy regarding schools, forests, mining and affairs affecting the province, important as they are, are not onestions which allow of that differmining and affairs affecting the province, important as they are, are not questions which allow of that difference of opinion found in questions of national importance. In Great Britain, there is no permanancy to governments. The people elect a government to-day, and in the by-elections go against it until a fall. It is this continual change that accounts for the perennial purity of the politics of Great Britain.

The Conservative Policy.

Mr. Wbitney then briefly reviewed the Conservative policy, in which he enunciated a law reform which will simplify division court procedure, and allow but one appeal.

He proposed to make a department of mines, with a minister who should come from New-Ontario, and who will be competent to deal with the varied interests assigned to that department. He supported the building of the Temiskaming Railway, but the party was opposed to any more bonuses to railways. The Conservative Policy. vays. He believed the present disposition

peclally in regard to the pulpwood. The sale of timber limits by public advertising is all right.

He favored agricultural schools, not agricultural colleges. Agricultural schools are schools to be established in various parts of the province, which will ve opened in the winter months, so that interfering with the busy work of the farm. Lectures will be given by professors from the agricultural colleges. The money for their maintenance will come from the timber of the province.

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party not to allow Cap Sullivan to ex-ploit the timber limits of the province. Against Excessive Rates.

ninister of education.

All obstacles in the way of municipal ownership of franchises should be abolished. Sewerage, an important question in small towns, should be treated by the government with a sim-

roads.

Having briefily enunciated his policy, he said that the legislature would be better shut up and locked with a padlock for ten years than that it should be allowed to continue the appalling immorality that continues in the province.

Tribute to Mr. Gamey.

Speaking of Mr. Gamey he said: "Mr. amey is an able man." Then menioning the seven members of the Onario legislature, he said: "Barring Mr. toning the seven memoers of the Ontario legislature, he said: "Barring Mr.
Ross, there is not one of them mentally
superior to R. R. Gamey." The report
of the commission had said Gamey got
the money. Gamey got the petition
against him dismissed. Gamey got the
government patronage, and appointed
officials. Gamey's letter giving allegiance to the government did go to Mr.
Ross, but the evidence did not prove
that the money came from Stratton.
What good, he asked, was it, if the
commissioners found the first four
statements true, if there was no truth
in the fifth?

Mr. Whitney then spoke of the various occasions on which he had been
approached in reference to a coalition
government, but on this he would wait
until Mr. Ross delivered himself.
On Temperance Question.

Someone in the audience asked what

On Temperance Question.

Someone in the audience asked what about Ross and the temperance question? Mr. Whitney replied that he wis glad he had been reminded in reference to this matter. He had nothing to say about Mr. Ross on this question. He would leave him to the friends he had deceived with false pro mises for many years and would speak for Whitney. Prohibition, as the seople understood it, was an impossibility in this province. People might talk about it, but it couldn't be. He would be bold enough to be honest and honest enough to be bold. An enforcement of the existing law freed from partisan the existing law freed from partisal officialism would hardly be recognized As enforced to day, the liquor license act is used as a reward for party hacks and punishment for political oppon

ents.

He thanked the Simcoes for the me He thanked the Simcoes for the men they had sent to support him in the past and hoped that Centre Simcoe would again send him a supporter. He did not want to boast, "but there is not a locality in which gains are not being made." He was rather afraid to say it, as the party might be too confident, Conservatives must remember that an enemy opposes them that sleepeth not. That enemy is gnashing his teeth with iniquity. He has cast off all shame and will fight as he never fought before. Every constituency must fight as tho it feared the result. There would be no fear of the result. If the Conservatives came into power, then the people will be the judges, and he asked nothing more than that his party should be judged for its acts by the people.

# FOR A CLEAN CAMPAIGN

Peterboro, Dec. 29.-T. E. Bradarn, Conservative, and R. F. Mac burn, Conservative, and R. F. Mac-williams, Liberal, have signed an agreement to do everything in their power to prevent bribery and cor-ruption in the present campaign in

andidates in West Peterboro Come to An

West Peterbore. The candidates have also pledged emselves to use no influence to pro-ct any person or persons either giving or receiving a bribe, but to prosecute to the full limit of the law. They will neither give or lend any money during the campaign, and have further promised to indulge in no personalities, but to confine their discussions are the confine their discussion strictly to the issues of

the fray.

Hon. J. R. Stratton is not taking the fray.

Hon. J. R. Stratton is not taking an active part in the contest in West. Peterboro, but has taken charge of the organization for William Anderson, the Liberal candidate in the east riding. He is addressing meetings in his interest.

#### POLITICAL POINTERS

The East Elgin Liberal convention Wednesday, nominated J. C. Dance. The Premier has no meeting before the nomination at Mount Brydges on Wednesday next. Hon. Richard Har-court will speak at Calstorville on Friday.

At the East York Liberal conven-tion at Markham on Wednesday Mr. Annis' resignation was accepted and Annis resignation was accepted and the convention proceeded to ballot for a candidate. On the fourth bal-lot Walter Scott was chosen. Previncial Appointments. Toronto, Dec. 29.—Another quiet

day passed yesterday in Queen's Park. A Cabinet Council was held by the Premier and a few of the Ministers at 4 o'clock. Besides 'routine business the following appointments were made.

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Thomas Johnson, to be law stamp distributor, district of Muskoka.
Alex. L. Smith, to be police mag-

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Thomas H. Lloyd, to be police magistrate, Newmarket.

Miss Ida Morris, to be local registrar, clerk of the county court and registrar of surrogate for the County of Renfrew, pro tempore.

The establishment of a high school in the village of Rockland was also authorized.

Continued from Page One. able to complete as their appropria-tion ran out. These he advised the new Council to take up. Ald. McCog was glad to report that all work done had been of a permanent and substantial character. Ald. Edmondson reported for the

Ald. Edmondson reported for the Property committee the work of the year enumerating the improvements to electric lighting station in which a tribute was paid to Electrician Trott and other employes. Some new lights were recommended to the new Council. The fire protection had also been improved and the fire department were highly complimented. The present market building was condemned and support solicited for the by-law before the gatepayers.

Ald. McCoig moved that it was with pleasure that the Council learned that the Defiance Iron Works Co. would employ Canadian labor.—Carried.

A tender for \$246 for wind breaks on the bridges was received from W. M. Drader.

Ald. McCog moved that the contract be let and the work proceeded with. Ald. Edmondson seconded and Ald. Westman scale in support. Ald. Edmondson secondson Westman spoke in support. Ald. Westman spoke in supports. 'Ald. Martin raised a hearty laugh, by stating that it was evident that Ald. McCoig, Edmondson and Westman were anticipating a big storm or hurricane hitting them some fime

n January. The National Anthem was heartily ACCOUNTS PASSED,

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Isolation Hospital, \$22.50.
Mrs. A. Read, \$12.00.
Con. Shea, \$27.59.
R. S. Dunlop, \$20.00.
Wm. Rannie, \$27.85.
R. G. Fleming, \$12.95.
Wilson, Pike & Gundy, \$50.00.
Mrs. Geo. Toulouse, \$22.50.
A. H. Patterson, \$5.29-referred.
Planet, \$3.12-referred.
Robert Riddell, \$2.10-referred.
Chatham Gas Co., \$12.65-referred.
Robert Riddell, \$7.00.
Thos. Martin, \$492.30.

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S. Hadley Co., \$4.20.
Jas. A. King, \$2.50.
Ed. Spencer, \$5.04.
Pay sheets, Dec. 15, \$49.19.
Pay sheets, Dec. 30, \$23.06.
Alex. McDonald, \$1.50.
Planet, \$157.61—referred.
W. T. Piggott, \$2.50.
Bon Marche Grocery, \$4.07.
Fred. Wood, \$3.50—referred.
Geo. S. Hayward, \$4.24. Geo. S. H.; ward, 84.24.
H. W. Jacques, \$1.85.
Geo. Jamieson, 75c.
Jas. A. King, 90c.
G. T. Guttridge, \$1.25.
Canadian Rubber Co., \$42.50.
Geo. Jamieson, \$2.00.

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A. R. Crow, \$14.45.
W. C. Campbell, 75c.
Park Bros., \$1.30.
Green & Nagle, \$14.14.
W. H. Gonne, \$10.00.
Moses Jackson, \$25.00.
Backus & Dennis, \$5.33.
Idlewild Jotel, \$1.00.
A. Brown, 75c.
John Holmes, \$3.75.

#### SUNSHINE SOCIETY

Saturday morning the young ladics of the Intermediate Sunshine Society held a Christmas Tree in St. drew's S. S. Hall. Under the able direction of Mrs. Steinhoff, President rection of Mrs. Steinhoff, President of the Society, clothes, provisions and Christmas cheer were dispensed to many who needed them. From twenty-five to thirty were supplied. Mrs. Steinhoff was assisted by Miss Jean Angus, Secretary; Miss Irene Paterson, Treasurer, and Misses Rema. Calmie Merritt, Roslyn McLean, Lena McKie, Nellie Radley, Mary Wood, Beatrice and Ina Smith, Muriel, Hoig, Phyllis Richardson, Erva and Lily Thomson.

#### ABSENT FROM THE BODY PRESENT WITH THE LORD

There could be nothing more appropriate to the bleakness of the day, and the life and death experiences of the dear old mother who was laid to rest yesterday than these verses read at the funeral service of Mrs. Sarah Clements at the home of her son, 6th concession, Harwich:

Out of the shadow of sadness, Out of the shadow of sadness, Into the sunshine of gladness, Into the land of the blest, Out of the land of the dreary, Out of the world of the weary, Into the rapture of rest,

Out of to-day's sin and sorrow,
Into a blissful to-morrow,
Into a land without gloom,
Out of the land filled with sighing,
Land of the dead and the dying,
Into a land without tomb,

Tempest swept oft as the ocean, Dark with the wrecks driftin Into a land calm and quiet,

Never a storm cometh nigh it, Never a wreck on its shore Out of a land in whose bowers Perish and fade all the flowers Out of the land of decay Into the Eden where fairest, Of flowerets and sweetest and rares Never shall wither away.

Out of the land of the wailing, Thronged with the anguished and a ing, Out of the world of the sad Into the world that rejoices, World of bright visions and voices, Into the world of the glad,

Out of a life often lornful, Out of a life often lornful,
Out of a land often mournful,
Where in brief exile we rosm—
Into a joy land above us,
Where Father and Saviour shall love

Into our home sweet home.

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#### GOOD LECTURE

An unique and highly interesting ntertainment and lecture was given n Park street Method st church last evening by Mr. A. G. Boyajain, clever young Armenian. Despite the nunpleasant evening the nail was well filled and the audience were at times convulsed with laughter and throughout were held in closest attention. Mr. Boyajain escaped from Armenia after the third attempt when sixteen years of age and has been for four years a student at Albert College, Belleville, He intends to return to his own country as a medical missionary and a British subject. He sang in five different languages. He described the customs and manners of his native land and showed the marriage ceremonies among the Turka, Armenians and Bulgarians. The young man evidently comes of the aristocratic class and possesses a great fund of information concerning his Eastern country. elever young Armenian. Despite the

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