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on must have something new for Easter if nothing more than a handkerchief. We have a very pretty selection of plain hem stitched and embroidered hdkfs. To-night we make a special offer of pretty white lawn embroidered hdkfs. worth 7c, 9c

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### Trudell & Tobey The 2

### The Colonials Making One at Wepener -- Boers Lose Heavily.

London, April 13.-The war office has The brunt of the fighting, as also of the eceived the following dispatch from Gen.

Bloemfontein, April 13, 1.30 p. m.-The enemy's movements south have been Wepener is still surrounded, but the little garrison is holding out well. Troops are being moved to their as-

climate perfection."

force has been surrounded by some thou sands of Boers, with eight guns, two "pompom" and two Maxims, since Monday morning. They have gallantly withstood a heavy attack on Monday and again a night attack on Tuesday; and on Thursday there was a continuous shell and rifle fire. "We are confident of being able to repulse any attack. Food is plentiful. Our

oss, has been born by Cape mounted rifle-BOERS LOSE BEAVILY.

"The health of the troops is good and the said here they are turning northward.
The third division commanded by Maj.-Gen. Chermside arrived at Reddersburg from Bethany without any incident worth recording. The Boers have been located south of the Wepener and Smithfield districts.

Col. Dalgety, who is in command of the colonial force surrounded at Wapener, is holding our gamely. Exciting developments are probable in the near future. The censorship is particularly strict.

It is reported that the Boers lost heavily in the recent fighting at Wepener. There is much weeping among the women, and an urgent message for assistance has been sent to the Rouxville commando. There is fight-

# Bloemfontein. April 13.—Accounts received here of the fighting of the troops under Col. Dalgety, Wepener, show the Boers attacked them vigorously but were repulsed with great loss. The Boers subsequently relinquished the attack and it is

### Canadians and Most of the Australians in it.

London, April 14.-A new division, onsisting of two brigades, has been ermed under Gen. Ian Hamilton.

Gen. Hutton's brigade is composed of Canadians, New Zealanders and all the Australians except the cavalry. His staff officers: Col. Martye, chief; Lord Rosmead, aide-de-camp; Cols. Hood, of Victoria, and Bridges, of New South Wales, and Maj. Cartwright, of Canada, assistant adjutant-generals. four corps

mounted infantry under Cols. Ander-son, Delisle, Pilcher and Henry. The first corps consists of the 1st battalion Canadians, under Col. Lissard, and the 2nd battalion Canadians, under Col. Herchmer. Strathcona's Horse, un-der Lieut.-Col. Steele, and the Victorians, under Col. Price, are in the fourth corps, The second and third corps are com-

posed of Australians. Each corps has a battalion of imperial mounted infantry attached. The Canadian and New South Wales batteries, and a number of Vickers-Maxims will also join the division. Gen. Ridley's brigade com-prises all the South African troops. Lord Roberts' preparation for the advance is retarded by the scarcity of rolling stock, but the whole length of he railway is strongly held and the Boers have not yet made any attempt on the British communications

ADOPT NEW TACTICS. The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Morning Post, telegraphing Thurs-day, says: "The enemy have evident-

ly determined to adopt entirely new tactics. Two columns are known to be moving to the south of Bloemfontein. They are relying on Cape carts for transports, and are carrying scarcely any forage, and have sufficient food to meet the immediate requirements of the convoy with ox transport following at a secure dis-tance. The Boer columns are thus enabled to move almost as quickly as

Boers to the south of De Wet's Dorp. The force extends from that point to Odenduhl. The burghers who had returned to their farms are rejoining

"Lord Roberts has appointed the Duke of Marlborough to be assistant military secretary at headquarters."

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, in a despatch dated Friday, describing Lord Rob-erts' and the troops' attendance at Good Friday services, says: "But the troops are murching forward as well as to services."

THEY ARE ALL RIGHT.

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily Mail, telegraphing Thurs-day, says: "There is nothing what-ever to cause uneasiness. It will presently be seen that the Boers are just where we want them. In word, we are all right."

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Times, telegraphing Friday, says:
"Everything is going satisfactorily.
Owing to the enemy's enterprise a
necessity has arisen for a movement in the southeastern division; and, for strategic reasons, troop trains have monopolized the railway for a short period; but the Boer raids are only what was anticipated as a result of the halt in our main advance.
"We in Bloemfontein are full

great admiration of the calm front with which headquarters has received these incidents,
"Half of the object of the enemy
has failed since Lord Roberts has re-

fused to be drawn into complications, but has fostered the enemy's enter-prise, making dispositions to check-mate it, almost without Bloemfontein being aware that movements of the being aware that movements of the

troops have occurred."

The Times says, editorially, this morning:—"In both the Free State and Natal matters appear to be pro-gressing as we expected and desired. Our well-wishers in America, who are Our well-wishers in America, who are evidently nervous as to the possible effects of a check in our advance, on the opinion of the electorate, need not, we trust, make themselves uncomfortable. We are told that there will be no Boer party in the United States if Lord Roberts wins a decisive victory before the Republican convention in June. We cannot, of course, promise to oblige our friends by simplifying their politics for them by that date, but we shall do our best, although some Americans indulge their sporting instincts by sympathizing with the weaker side in a fashion we did not practice during their contest with practice during their contest with

The War Office has called out the reserve companies of several infantry battalions, which will be sent to South

battalions, which will be sent to South Africa forthwith.

The Boer peace envoys have documents, the Rome correspondent of the Daily News says, showing that argent advances to the Transvaal to wage war were originally made by Germany. This correspondent also asserts that Count von Buelow, the German Foreign Minister, who was said to have gone on a visit to a sick brother, really went to Milan for the express purpose of conferring with the delegates.

Dublin, April 14.—The Queen took her favorate morning drive yesterday in the private grounds of the vice-regal lodge, after which she attended services in the royal chapel, where a large congregation assembled. The Primate of Ireland preached. In the course of the sermon her referred to the Irish soldiers and the Queen. During the afternoon Her Majesty nook a drive in the country.

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GOT RID OF BER THIRD. Buffalo, New York, April 14 .- Jus-Buffalo, New York, April 14.—Jus-tice Lambert handed down a decision, divorcing Olive A. Sternaman from her third husband, Frank G. Creutz-berg, of Ganner avenue. Mrs. Sterna-man was convioted of poisoning Geo. Sternaman, her second husband, but on a new trial she was acquitted by a jury in Canada. The divorce was granted on the ground that Creutz-being has another wife living.

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### COLBORNE ST

Tar Macadam Will in All Likelfshood be Tried First.

Ex-Mayor Manson Campbell Favors it-What Ald. Marshall Says.

It is quite probable that tar Macadam will be used for the new pavement on Col-borne street. The Pianet called attention recently to the fact that this class of pavement was being used in Hamilton, with

great success.
"I am not able to say what we will do,"
said Ex-Mayor Campbell to The Planet.
"The board of works have the matter in "The board of works have the matter in hand and you will have to find out from them. I think they intend to put down Macadam pavement similar to that on Wellington street. The only fault it has, I learn, is that the stone loosens and comes up with the mud. The tar Macadam is laid just the same way I understand. On y tar is used in the top dressing to pack the stone tighter. Probably the defect in the wellington street pavement would be overcome in this way. However, I know very
little about it. I have often seen the
Hamilton pavement but never took any
particular notice of it. It certainly must
be good. Forty teams pass over it to one
that will pass over the Colborne street
Macadam so that what serves Hamilton will
much better serve here.

Macadam so that what serves Hamilton will much better serve here.

Ald. Marshall, a member of the board of works, said: "We have decided to put down Macadam pavement similar to the Wellington street work. We intend, however, to fully look into the tar payement and see what it is like. The tar is used in the top dressing so that we can have plenty of time to fully inquire into the merits of its use. It will cost 35 or 40 cents a square yard more but even then it wouldn't cost as much as the Wellington street pavement which came to about twice as much as there was any need for."

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DAILY AND WEEKLY Chatham. Ont.

TO-MORROW WILL BE EASTER SUNDAY BY ACT OF THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT.

There has been some discussion as to whether Easter Sunday falls on the right day this year, April 15th. The prayer book of the Church of England declares that Easter Sunday is the Sunday following the first full moon after March 21, and that if the full moon is on a Sunday, then Easter Day is the Sunday following. As the first full moon after Murch 21st is a little after one o'clock on Sunday morning, April 15th, in Great Britain the matter came up in the house of commons on a request to the Attorney-General to introduce a bill making April 15th Baster Day in law as well as by the calendar, so as to prevent doubt in regard to bills falling due on a date dependent on the date of Easter. The reply was that the law already made provision by declaring that Easter shall be observed according to the statutory tables and rules, one of which provides that the paschal full moon in 1900 shall be held to fall on April 14th. The same thing occurred in 1818 and 1845 when a fictitious full moon was also recognized. Canadians on consulting their calendars will find the full moon set down for a few minutes past 8 o'clock on the 14th, but it is then after one o'clock of the morning of the 15th in England.

WILL MR. PARDO PLEASE READ THIS.

That staunch Liberal paper the Windsor Record, has this to say about M. P. P.'s who have no independence, pulls the string. Mr. Pardo should ponder over it as it comes from a paper that has hitherto been very friendly to him:

By a strict party vote, the agreement between the Ontario government and the Spanish River Pulp Company passed the legislature by a majority of seven. It was evident that only loyalty to party enabled the government to put the agreement through. So-called loyalty to party is responsible for a great deal of bad legislations We know of no better system of parliamentary government than that by pacty, but when party is pushed to the extent of converting men into mere registering machines government by party is abused.

There is no doubt that the government found itself in a tight place in this pulp matter, and, as we have said, loyalty to party alone enabled it to pull the agreement through, but not until after the Premier had admitted the necessity of investigat-

This province has a valuable asset in its pulp wood and one that is rapidly growing in value. The government should ascertain the extent of our resources, and then, instead of making private agreements with companies, proceed in an intelligent and business way to dispose of our woods. Premier Ross in his amendment admits this. The amendment begins by saying; "This House, believing that, untillus the result of further experience in the sale and disposition of pulpwood, it is found practicable to establish general regulations on the subject, the control of the amount of dues, which may be charged, including the power to increase the same from time to time," and so on,

There was no pressing necessity, so fair as we can see, of pushing this Spanish River agreement through, and everything set out in the amendment should have been done before any more pulpwood concessions were

HOW CANADIAN CONSUMERS SUF-

In the debate on the tariff at Ottawa Mr. Moore compared the prices of goods to consumers, pointing out that whereas twenty-five pounds of sugar could a few years ago be purchased for a dollar, only twenty pounds can now be had for a dollar. He and a long list of articles used by farmers on which prices had been advanced from ten to fifty per cent. An exception was the article of scythes, in regard to which he made the interesting statement that the Dunn Edge Tool Company, of Maine, which had always supplied a large number of scythes, were paid by the Canadian manufacturers \$20,000 cash to give up the Canadian market. After that bargain the price was advanced in Canadia exactly 75 per cent. Dealing with the coal oil question, Mr. Moore gave the history of the Standard Oil Company, and showed how that monopoly had got possession of the whole Canadian industry and controlled transportation. He estimated that it costs some two millions of dollars a year to keep this combine in operation, this sum being taken out of the pockets of the Canadian people, many of them poor,, and put straight into the pockets of the monopolists of the United States. This was our tribute to a country which turns back every laboring man who seeks employment across the border; "To Do Ill Costs More Than To Do Well."

This might properly read, "It costs more to BE ill than to BE well." The source of all health is rich, strong blood. It is to the body what the mighty streams are to the earth. If the blood is pure, the body thrives; if the blood is weak or impoverished, then every pulse-beat carries weakness instead of

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Mr. Moore was pleased when he could join with politicians opposite, and was therefore glad to quote speeches by Sir Louis Davies and other ministers, who, when in Opposition, demanded free oil and cheaper oil. He called upon them now to put their principles in practice and strike at the high prices of the combine by putting coal oil on the free list.

With times as prosperous as they re, why is the population of Kent declining as the county returns show?

The property owners on King street have no kick coming about the broken stone for filling in. The city at large is paying for it

Who would have thought that in the year of real civilization 1900 Chatham's leading business street would have to be repaired with broken stone?

By all means abolish hansard if it will have any effect in curtailing the speeches of the parliamentary windbags who tell the country the same thing a dozen times over.

Richard the Third offered a whole kingdom for one horse, while the most two republics if he is furnished with

A woman has made application at Osgoode Hall to have her marriage set aside on the ground that her husband was a lunatic when she married him. Old bachelors will now have a chance to rise and remark that if lunacy during the matrimonial ceremony is to be taken as sufficient cause for divorce there are a whole lot of people of their acquaintance who could

We are pleased to see that our esteemed contemporary, Mr. James Mc.
Intyre, of Ingersoll has sent a book
of his poems to Lord Wolseley, commander-in-chief of the British forces.

-Woodstock Express. He should have sent them to Lord Roberts to use on the Boers. There is nothing in the Geneva Convention to precent it. When the powers decided to lessen the horrors of war they were unaware Mr. McIntyre was going to

Dr. R. W. Bruce Smith, of the Hamilton Asylum stuff, formerly of Sparta, read a very interesting paper at the Hamilton Scientific Association's meeting on the Relation of Religion, to Insanity. He pointed out two things of importance in connection with his paper, that the gospel of the lowly Nazarene never disturbed a person's mind, and that there must be physical defect before insanity show-

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It seems that the recent coal fam-ine in Russia was largely due to the action of coal combines. There are no combines there now. The Russian government attended to them just as soon as it found out the cause of the

Here and there are other men again, taller and sturdier that our infantry line - grim, solid men, straight as poplars. There is a maple leaf upon their shoulder-

the cable, shows that he lacks neither courage nor energy, even if his mouth and his pen do work over-time and without a safety gauge.

HOW HE GOT A PAPER.

A farmer stepped into a printing office and said to the editor: "I'd like to take your paper but I'm too poor.' "Go home," said the editor, "pick out a hen, and call her mine, sell or save the eggs from her for me, and if she wants to set let her, and next fall bring her and the produce of that hen. I'll send the paper." When fall came he found he was paying the price of two papers. After that he was never too poor to take a paper.

THE WAY IT IS PUT IN QUEBEC. Mr. Monet, M. P.

The Globe, La Patrie, and other papers had condemned the participation of Canada in foreign wars. Sir Charles Tupper had started this agitation for the sending of Canadian troops. The Premier in his memorial interview had taken a perfectly constitutional view of the question, but later became scared by the agitation aroused by Tupper, Clarke Wallace, Bergeron, and the other Conservative leaders, and the English members of the cabinet had forced Sir Wilfrid to consent to the sending of a contingent.

REPREHENSUBLE NONSENSE.

New York Mail and Express. This scheme to get all the school children of the city to sign a monster petition to the president beseeching him to intervene in the South Affrican war is reprehensible nonsense. Few of the children know or care what the war is all about, and to ask them to sign a petition as has been proposed would be exactly like urging them to invite the government to make an insufferable fool of itself by meddling

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#### LITERARY NOTES.

WEEDS OF ONTARIO. "The Weeds of Ontario" is the title of very interesting little pamphlet of 80 pages by Professor F. C. Harrison, B. S. A., and published by the Ontario Department of Agriculture. A copy of it in every farmer's hands would probably result in a better knowledge of the farm pests, and how to exterminate them.

Preparations for a Bath.

Billy Darch, the traveling man, tells of a hotel experience in the interior of Arkansas that is looked upon by his friends with suspicion. He had arrived at a small settlement, and at once repaired to the Eagle House, which was situated on the outskirts of the town on the bank of a small

After a dinner of side meats and corn bread Billy lighted a cigar, and the proprietor said:-'Stranger, is thar anything we 'uns kindo foh you all?"

Thinking to confound his host, Darch answered:-"Well, yes; come to think of it, I'd like to have a bath."

The proprietor let his feet drop from the railing upon which he had holsted them, disappeared in the house, and returned in a moment with a huge tin cup full of soft so u, a rough towel and a pick and shovel, which he offered Darch.

"What's the pick and shovel for?" asked Darch. "Wal, stranger." 'nswered the land-lord. "th' watch's ow, and yo al 'll hev to dam up th' creek."—Cincinnati

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division.

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be a chump, but he has lots of grit,
and if there were more officers with
his dish in the British army the Boers
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instead of rouming the country and
builting British outposts. Sum's
plucky seizure of a pont, as told by
the cable, shows that he lacks neither

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## Township Councils.

HARWICH COUNCIL.

The municipal council of Harwich met on Monday, April 9th, for general

Members present: Jonathan McCully, reeve; Peter Morrison, Chas. Bucnanan, Jas, McCormick, Rienard Young, councillors.

Communications were received and read as tallows.

read as follows:
Wilson, Keir & Pike, re notice to
school sections, also with account

W. D. Samson, re the opening of 4t Hunter Bridge & Boiler Co., re pridge at McGeachy's. Albert Cable, in regard to getting a

Orillia Institute about the receiving of an imbecile into the Institute.

The reeve made a tengthy, report of business transacted by nim during to the interview. the interim relating to the interview with Cable. Also with Dr. Baker re his claim for further compensation for medical attendance on Badgley, as for medical attendance on Badgiey, as he had done as much on the case as Br. Fleming, each having attended to one of the injured limbs, and should receive same fee therefor; also in re-gard to the Hunter Bridge & Boiler

W. G. McGeorge reported the McGeächy bridge completed and satisfactory, the only change from contract being that 11-2 inch pipe was used for railing instead of 2 inch.
C. Buchanan reported on Lake Shore road as being in a very dangerous

road as being in a very dangerous condition and recommended the coun-cil to take some steps to close said road, and he had in the meantime thought best to close it until something was done in the matter. Report

An application was received from Hooper King, asking for a tile drain loan of \$100 under Tile, Stone and

loan of \$100 under Tile, Stone and Timber Drainage Act.

D. Johnson, owner lot 26, 2 E.C.R., Jos. Reigling, owner of lot 27, con 2, E.C.R., and A. T. McKellar, owner of nor, lot 6, in con. 5, R. T., petitioned to nave their eaid lands transferred from S. S. No. 2, to that of S. S. No. 15.

Moved by McCormick and Buchanan that the petition of D. Johnson, J. Reigling, and A. T. McKellar be eftertained, and the clerk notify the parties interested, as per by-law, that it will

tained, and the clerk notify the parties interested, as per by-law, that it will be taken up at the next meeting of the council.—Carried.—A petition was also received from Jas. Liddy, owner of part lot 14, con. 12, L. E., and Albert Emory, owner of part lot 13 con. 12, L. E., asking to have their lands transferred from S. S. No. 8, to S. No. 15

S. No. 8, to S. S. No. 15;
Moved by Young and McCormick, that the petition of Jas. Liddy and A. Emery, be not entertained, as these lands do not touch the boundaries of S. S. No. 15, and the school of No. 8 is S. S. No. 15, and the school of No. 8 is closer than that of No. 15.—Carried.

E. Vester and five others petitioned the council to have the lands of E. and H. Bicum, lot 8, con. 1, E. C. R., and those of James H. Hughson, e qr and those of James H. Hughson, e qr lot 8, con. 1, W. C. R., transferred from S. S. No. 5, Blenheim and Harwich, un-ited to S. S. No. 5 1-2, Harwich. Moved by Young and Buchanan, that D. A. Hutchison be appointed ar-bitrator by this council to arbitrate in conceptor, with request of certain

bitrator by this council to arbitrate in connection with request of certain ratepayers to sever their connection with the Blenheim section and join with section 51-2.—Carried.

Moved by McCormick and Buchanan that the services of W. G. McGeorge be obtained to locate and survey the new proposed cut-off on McGregor's Creek, and that the clerk be authorized to obtain a copy of the new Munied to obtain a copy of the new Muni-Manual for the office .- Carried. Moved by Buchanan and Morri Moved by Buchanan and Morrison, that A. D. Peck, having requested time to consider and get advice from his friends concerning the giving of a lien on his property to the township, he having had the sum of \$185 in aid from this township funds. said property having had the sum of \$180 in aid from this township funds, said property being valued at \$1,000, and that having refused to give said lien in lieu of assistance already granted and to be granted from time to time as needed hereafter, resolved that this council under the circumstances, do not ed hereafter, resolved that this council, under the circumstances, do not feel it to be their duty, in the interests of the township, to make any further grants to Mr. Peck.—Carried. James McCormick refunded \$3 of the \$5 placed in his hands at last meeting (conditionally) to give to Mr. Peck, having paid him \$2 of said amount. Said refund and action of the commissioner was accepted on motion of Morrison and Buchanan.

Moved by Young and Morrison,

Moved by Young and Morrison, that C. Buchanan be a committee to argange with Snobelin, Green and others to construct a ditch from the Gore Line to the Lake, and report to

this council.-Carried.

Gore Line to the Lake, and the this council.—Carried.

Moved by Morrison and Buchanan, that the county treasurer be instructed to strike from his roll the arrears of \$29.97 from ne qr of lot 15 con. 4, W. C. R., Harwich, the same having been paid by the owner.—Carried.

Moved by Young and McCormick, that the Clerk notify Engineer Smith to inspect a tile drain on the River Road that has its outlet on property that is occupied by Jeremiah Lewis, it being out of repair, and that the engineer order the repair and charge to the several parties interested.—Carried.

That on complaint of Mr. McCoig

Oarried.
That on complaint of Mr. McCoig and others, of an overflow of water on the land east of the Communication Road, and north of the M. C. R., that Councillors Morrison and Buchanan be a committee to take such steps as they think best to remedy the matter.—Carried.

That the report of W. G. McGeorge on the Locke drain be referred back to to him, with instructions to state that he is merely cleaning out the Locke drain to its original dimensions, and if the report provides for more than that, then that he confines his work to cleaning out said drain to its original dimensions.—Carried.

Moved by Morrison and Buchanan, that the clerk write to the Crown Lands Department re B. F. Shrewsbury, as to whether it is for sale or not.—Carried.

That road divisions Nos. 106 and 118

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procure 12 posts and a rail to guard sidewalk near cemetery.—Carried.

Moved by Young and McCormick, that the Hunter Bridge & Boiler Co., who succeed the Hunter Bros., of Kincardine, be paid the sum of \$1,498.80, being the balance due them, less \$20.20 on account of difference in size of pipe used for railing, for erecting the iron bridge over the creek at McGeachy's, \$350 of this to be paid to the Bank of Montreal, Chatham, and the balance, less exchange, to be sent the balance, less exchange, to be sent to the Merchants Bank, Kincardine.—

to the Merchants Bank, Kincardine.—
Carried.

The following accounts were, on resolution, passed and ordered paid, and charged to their respective accounts, as hereunder given:

W. G. McGeorge, laying out and inspecting bridge, \$7.50.

S. Fields, temporary approach to bridge, \$1.

G. M. Baird, sundries, \$3.75.

G. M. Baird, postage and stationery, \$6.46.

ery, \$6.46. G. M. Baird, salary to April 1st. John Stinton, drain inspecting, 50 Angus Smith, survey Clunis ditch

and attending court of appeal, \$20.
D. Proctor, land for road, Con. 2,
E. C. R., \$13. E. C. R., \$13.

Registry Offfice, registering bylaws, \$6.80.

Caleb Lowes, shoveling snow and re-

Caleb Lowes, shoveling snow and repairing fence, \$4.

A. H. McLachlan, cutting thistles, chafge E. & H. R. lands, \$1.25.

Municipal World, stationery, 57c.

Newsome & Gilbert, do., \$4.

Jas. Leslie, salary to April 1st, \$50.

J. McCully, acct. salary, \$20.

P. Morrison, do., \$20.

C. Buchanan, do., \$20.

J. McCormick, do., \$20.

R. Young, do., \$20.

C. Huffman, acct. salary as assessor, \$30.

Addison Smith, assistance, \$3. H. Somerfield, replacing two cul-

J. Stinton, repairing culvert, \$1.10. Sid. Cooper, sewer pipe culvert,

\$4.50.

A. J. Campbell, shoveling snow, \$1.

J. F. Guild, spikes, 25c.

A. J. Campbell, sheep killed, \$6.

S. B. McCully, do., \$24.66.

Township Raleigh, refund one-half excess spent by them on W. T. L. over the amount spent by Harwich, \$31.58.

Com'r Ward 1, for levelling earth on road, \$10.

A by-law for governing work on the W. T. L. was read a third time and finally passed.

A by-law for tile drain loan of \$100 to H. King and for fixing the manner of notification of school sections re change of boundaries, were read, a first, second and third time and finally passed.

GEO. M. BAIRD,

FLORENCE.

Mrs. A. Bevensey, of Zone, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Roberts. B. J. Jerome visited Bothwell on

Sunday. Miss Hattie Stocking, of Zone, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. J. Jerome. W. P. Forshee was in Dresden last Saturday.

Ernest Webster has hired with Robt.
George for the summer.
Mr. Førshee has beinght a bread delivery wagon frome Rudd & Co., of Dresden.
Mrs. Arthur McCreery has returned home, after w week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frank A. Carey.
Miss Annie Daniels has returned from Windsor.
Mrs. H. Carey is slowly recovering.
Miss Jennie Sangster held her millinery opening April 9th to 12th. All linery opening April 9th to 12th.

Miss Jennie Sangster held her millinery opening April 9th to 12th. All the ladies of the town were very enthusiastic over the splendid array of tasteful trimming of the Easter and Summer hats. The show rooms were also decorated for the occasion.

At the Epworth League last Monday night a very interesting discussion and informal review was held on the "Sheldon Edition of the Topeka Capital," which was much enjoyed by everyone present.

John Wands, organizer for the Supreme Court of the I. O. F. of Western Ontario, is doing a successful business in that line in town this week.

#### A DRPETH.

Mrs. John Duck and her little grand-son, Johnnie Harding, have gone on a two weeks' visit to H. F. Duck and

wife, of Toronto.

Mrs. John Wilkinson and child, of Sarnia, are guests at the home of Mrs.

Henry Wilkinson.

J. D. Conway and family moved last week to the farm near Botany, which Mr. Conway recently purchased of Miles McDonald.

Mrs. George Pearce, Talbot St., has

Miles McDonald.

Mrs. George Pearce, Talbot St., has been suffering for the past two weeks from the effects of blood poisoning in the right hand.

The ninetieth anniversary of the birth of Colins Handy, Sr., West Talbot St., was celebrated on Friday evening; 6th inst., by a gathering of his children and grand-children at the old homestead. old homestead.

Edward Bury and wife, near the lake, have recovered from a severe at-

lake, have recovered from a betack of la grippe.

Virgil Springsteen, near Ridley, recently purchased fifty acres of the Sane farm, Talbot St., for the sum of \$2,200.

Miss Frances Smith, who was suffering from an attack of rheumatism for several days, was able to resume her duties in Ridgetown Public school last week.

Charles Geddis held an auction sale

last week.

Charles Geddis held an auction sale on Wednesday of last week, selling off his farm stock and implements, previous to leaving the farm which he has had rented for several years.

A concert will be held on Monday evening, 16th inst., under the auspices of the Methodist Subbath school. A dirst-class program is being prepared. Proceeds will be in aid of Subbath school funds.

OUVRY.

Dr. G. A. Elliott and wife, of Hot Springs, Ark., are visiting friends on the Lake Shore. They intend locating in Leamington. The fishermen are busy staking out

their pounds.
There are an unusual number of which
geese this spring taking their flight
from Lake Erie to Lake St. Clair.
Miss Sarah Goulet entertained a
number of her friends last Friday ev-



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#### HIGHGATE.

The roads in this vicinity are drying James Stoliker has sold out his harness making business to John Mc-Gregor, late of Ridgetown.

Born, on Tuesday, 3rd inst., to the wife of J. B. Lee, a daughter.

Miss Lillie Clark returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with friends in Onery.

from a two weeks visit with a courty.

The Sulvation Army gave a magic lantern exhibition in the town hall last night.

The Young Ladies' Mandolin Ciub, of Chatham, have been engaged for the concert to be given by the young people of the English Church on the evening of Friday, April 20th.

Miss Florence Scott is visiting at Clanwood.

#### MULL

A. McCorvie, Sr., of this place, is very ill.
C. Titus is erecting a new house on his place. George Collison has the contract. Miss K. McCorvie, of Chatham, is

visiting at home.

J. McCorvie spent Sunday at his home, 10th Con.

D. Kennedy, of Highgate, was in town on Monday.

Duncan McVicar has hired out to Jos. Baird for the summer.
C. Whittington has hired out to J.
D. McCoig for the summer.
The arms of the summer.

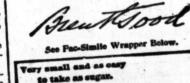
The stave mill is running now.
R. E. Piper, of Merlin, is piling staves for Mr. Watson. N. Watson shipped a carload of ma-ple axles to Chatham this week. Jas. Richmond, of Chatham, was in town this week.

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John Doyle, Lansdowne avenue, was removed to St Joseph's this morning.

Mrs. Alfred Dennison, Toronto, will spend the Easter holidays in this city.

County Councillor Stewart, of Chatham township, has been quite seriously ill, but is

George Burt has secured a good situation in the drug store of Dr. Smith, London, and left Friday to undertake his new duties.

one for this city, one car steel plates, three of coal and two of fish plates. Twelve hours

They are J. H. Osterhout, George Cornish and Thomas Cornish. W. J. Knox, brother

of A. A. Knox, is also a member of the

WENT TO THE EAU.

About 50 persons took in the excursion to the Eau yesterday. In the party were a number of members of the Peat Fuel Co. who went down to inspect the site of the

proposed plant. Both going and returning the train left sharp on time. Gen. Agent Tillson was on board looking after the wel

fare of the excursionists. The trees set out last fall on the railroad property are budding out-nicely and the Eau generally

Arrangements have been completed

A VERY FINE CONCERT.

The concert by the Scalchi Company on Thursday evening, drew a very select if not a very large audience, who were thoroughly delighted with

the presentation. Madame Scalchi has a most powerful voice. Madame de

Pasquali has a wonderfully sweet and

ever heard in the city. Altogether the

local musicians came to the conclusion they had enjoyed a real treat. Manager McVean has brought a better

class of attractions here this season than Chatham ever had before and the

citizens ought to show their apprecia-tion of the fact by crowding the Opera House at his benefit next Tuesday ev-

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On Good Friday eight tons of rain to the

Fred. Jarvis, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. Wm. McKeough.

Chas. Cherry, King street east, is the father of a new baby boy. Andrew Neal, of Harwich, is recovering

from the effects of the operation on his Miss Daniels, daughter of Jos. Daniels of Dover, was taken to St. Joseph's Hos-

pital yesterday. Mrs. (Dr.) Frazer and son Archie, of Til-bury, are visiting at the residence of Hugh Macaulay, Raleigh St.

The Little Minister, which will be presented at the Grand on Tuesday night, needs no puffing. It is well known as one of the best attractions

The remains of little May Reid were interred in Maple Leaf Cemetery yesterday. The funeral took place from Jahnke & Sons, undertaking establishment. The Rev. Dr. Hannon conducted the obsequies.

The magnificent floral display being made by the Victoria Ave. Green-houses in the Oddfellows' block will be continued this evening until 11 o'clock. All kinds of Easter flowers,

James W. Lamb, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamb, passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning. The funeral will take place Sunday

Artist Sandy Fleming has painted a life-sized picture of the late Thos. Stone. The work is exceedingly well done and the likeness is striking. The picture will be hung in the office of

P. H. Kenny, clerk of the Westcott House, Dresden, has resigned his po-sition adn is spending Easter Holi-days with his father, before leaving for Straia, where he has secured a similar position in the Belchamber Ho-

The contract for the improvements to the Bungalow at Ericau, let to John Piggott & Sons, will be commenced on Tuesday. The improvements will in-clude an extension of 76 ft. with double storey verandah and some 36 bedrooms.

COULD NOT IDENTIFY HIM. Yesterday James Bettridge was tried before Judge Houston on the charge of the larceny of a scalakin sacque from the residence of S. J. Sutherland. The crown evidence could not, however, establish any identification of the ac-cused, who was dismissed. J. B. Rankin, Q. C., acted for the defence. ----

#### EASTER

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# BOERS BADLY OFF.

They Have Lost Many Hores as Well as the british London, April, 14.-Much has been

London, April, 14.—Much has been telegraphed about Gen. Roberts' heavy losses in horses and transport animals during the march across the country to Bloemfontein, but nothing has been said about similar losses on the Boer side. It is confidently asserted among military men here that there three horses for every Boer at the country the way whereas only the opening of the war, whereas only portion of their force can now be mounted at all.

The Dutch have also lost an im-

mease number of oxen, and are crip-pled in transport service. Their raid-ing operations have exhausted their

ing operations have exhausted their horses, whereas French's cavalry brigades will be fresh for service when marching orders are issued.

The only weak point in the British campaign is Mafeking Veterans here are anx. Dus about the fate of the garrison and are unable to perceive how Gen. Carrington can relieve it without a march of 500 miles, which will take a march of 500 miles, which will take up many weeks. The closest observ-ers are convinced that this attempt will be made, but are disposed to beexclusively on the northern frontier

of the Transvaal. left Friday to undertake his new duties.

Dr. Keiffer, of Los Angelos, Cal., who has been in Europe for some years is spending a few days with Dr. Garnet Holmes, in this city. Dr. Keiffer was a fellow student of his Chatham friend in Vienna and London.

The "Sheango" left Rondeau for Cleveladd at 11.10 last night and returned to-day with a fine cargo consisting of 16 cars of rails for the eastern extention of the L. E. & D. Ry., two cars of wire for Dresden and one for this city, one car steel plates, three There are no further details of Botha's reconnaissance of Clery's po-tion at Elandslaagte, which has dwindled into an outpost affair with artillery practice on both sides, The extent to which Gen. Buller's arm has been reduced by the with-drawal of troops under Gen. Hunter is not yet known, but the strength of his force is probably three times as great as Botha's, and it needs to be. since the Boers will be operating on the defensive under the most favor-Prominent in the picture of the executive of the inter-college debating union, which appears in to-day's Globe, are the faces of several graduates of the Chatham C. C. I.

able circumstances.
No further results of the change of Boer tactics in the Free States are re-Gen. Roberts holds the railported. way line in great strength from Nor-vals pont to Modder River, and is not diverted eastward or westward by Boer strategy. He is saving his hors-es for a march northward, and allows the raiders to hang on his eastern flank from Wepener and Smithfield to Thaba N'Chu and Winberg.

Wepener still remains in possession of the Colonial garrison, under Col. Dalgetty, and no additional advantage has been gained by the Dutch. They have taken seven guns and 1,000 prisoners during the fortnight, but other wise their counterstroke has failed, since Gen. Roberts forces are massed for the March to the Vaal river in overwhelming strength and cannot be diverted to the hills in the east. Gen Roberts' latest reports are cheerful the Boer movement having been checked and Wepener holding out well

#### CRICKET ASSOCIATION.

Arrangements have been completed for the appearance of the Eugene Page Concert Company, assisted by Mr. John Atkinson, the well-known baritone, who will appear in the Oddfellows' Auditorium on Wednesday evening next. Mr. Eugene Page has a national reputation and the other members of his quartette are musicians of the very highest order. The personnel will consist of W. Eugene Page, Mandolin; Miss Florence Phelps McCune, mandolin; Miss Emma McDonald, violincellist; and Sgnor Innocenzio Zito, harpist. The evening's entertainment promises to be a most enjoyable one. London, April 14.—The Western On tario Cricket Association was organized at n meeting of enthusiastic cricketers, held in the Tecumseh House here last night, and by it it is expected that a general revival of interest in the game will be created throughout the west this summer. The clubs of several of the cities and town are clubs of several of the cities and town are already in the association, and more will be in line before the season's play begins.

Last night's meeting was attended by Messrs. J. Nicholson, F. Macfie and G. W. Carver, of this city; C. Bluett, of Forest; W. B. Wells, of Chatham; H. R. Pousette, Sarnia; P. A. Errett, Brantford, and E. C.

Monteith, Aylmer. Mr. Wells was elected chairman, and Mr. Carver secretary.

The following officers were elected:—
Honorary President—R. Bayley, Q. C., clear soprano voice, while Signor de Pasquali is one of the finest tenors President-T. F. Pardee, M. P. P., Sar

Nice-President—Jeffery Hale, Brantford; S. J. Suther, and, Chatham; H. J. Petty-piece, M. P. P., Forest, and Mayor Davis, Windsor

Secretary-Treasurer-G. W. Carver, Lon-The executive committee comprises Messrs. Wells, Chatham; Errett, Brantford; Montieth, Aylmer, and L. H. Dampier, of

The executive were given until May 1 to draw up a schedule of home and home games. Rules and regulations were also

#### Park Street Methodist Church Ladles' Aid Society.

The annual meeting of the Ladies The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Park St. Methodist church, was held on Wednesday afternoon, April 11th, Mrs. Scane, president, in the chair. The year's report showed the society to be in a flourishing condition, having a membership of seventy. Death has visited its ranks and taken the oldest member, Mrs. Margouand. The observal and en-Mrs. Marquand. The cheerful and en-couraging presence of our dear sister the reports declared, will be greatly missed at our monthly meetings, and in the church, of which she had been an earnest and faithful member for so

many years.

It was moved, seconded, and carried unanimously that a hearty vote of thanks be tendered to the ladies and gentlemen, who so kindly assisted at

the annual concert. PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS Dear Sisters-We are to-day cele-

Dear Sisters—We are to-day cele-brating the 47th anniversary of our society, and in so doing we have great reason to thank our Heavenly Father for the way He has led us. The years have been years of great prosperity, both spiritually and fin-ancially. To-day, the beginning of the year in this society, will bring with it new opportunities for usefulness. To seize them and make the best of them is the wisdom that cometh, from abova. Let us use the opportunity for is the wisdom that cometh, from above. Let us use the opportunity for doing good and not live to ourselves, but to remember the sick and lonely bnes. The strangers in our midst, bid them a hearty welcome, and in every way try and lift the standard of holy living in our church. Death has entered our ranks this year, and removed one of our oldest and most active members, Mrs. Marquand. She has crossed the river to dwell forever with her Lord and Master. I hope her place will soon be filled by others willing to follow hen as she followed Christ. In the year 1893, six years ago, you elected me your president. During those years I have received nothing but kindness at your hands,

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for which I desire to thank you. No natter how much a president tries to matter how much a president tries to do her duty, she must have the help and co-speration of the members or she will fail: I can truly say you have always done your part cheerfully. During these six years we have raised \$2,346.24, which has been expended on our church and parsonage. We have paid \$600 on the church debt. Every one in the congregation, the pastors and their families, you and I, have been benefitted, and made comfortable by the expenditure of this money. let us pray and work on till the Mas-ter calleth us.

Rev. Dr. Hannon then took the

chair and proceeded with the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Pres.—Mrs. E. W. Scane, re-elected. First Vice-Pres.—Mrs. T. Snook. Second Vice-Pres,-Mrs. Morley, releated. Secretary .- Mrs. C. F. Chanter, re-

lected. Assist. Sec.-Mrs. A. Wemp. Treas.—Mrs. Oldershaw, re-elected. Church Com.—Mesdames Williams.

Barfoot and Hendershott.
Parsonage Com-Mesdames
Massey and Shaw.
Pianist-Mrs. W. J. Snell.

TREASURER'S REPORT. Receipts:-Monthly teas Membership fees Proceeds from Annual tea meet-

ing Concert: Other receipts, including balance 211.43 from last year \$433.72 Total Expenditures:-

Parsonage carpet and furniture \$ 89.28 Cleaning church Paid Trust Board on Church Tea meeting and other

on hand

CHICAGO MARKETS.

	Opn.	High	Low	Close.
Wheat-May July	661 671	66 g 66 g	66 678	66½ 67½
Corn—May July	38g 39g	398 408	$\frac{38\frac{1}{2}}{39\frac{1}{2}}$	39½ 40½
Oats-May July	24 h 24 h	241 241	$\frac{24}{23\frac{7}{8}}$	24 23 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub>
Pork-May. 12		12.92 13.12	12.90 12.80	12.87 13.05
Lard-May. 7	10	$\frac{7.30}{7.37}$	7.10 7.10	7.27 7.37
Ribs-May 7	.22	7:22 7.25	7.10 7.05	7.22 7.20

The C.W.A. annual meet will go to Ot tawa this year. The membership during year has fallen from 7977 to 4504. Percy Brown, of Toronto, was declared an amateur. A. W. Marsh, of Amherburg, was elected consul for Kent, Essex and

#### TENDERS WANTED.

For the removal of a frame school ouse from con. 8, lot 13, to corner of nouse from con. 8, lot 13, to corner-ior con. 10, hot 12, in the township of Dover, a distance of about one and a half miles. Tenders will be received up to Tuesday, 1st May, that should be

V. CARTIER, Treas. Big Point. Notice to Contractors.

Bulk and separate tenders will be received by the undersigned architects and by the proprietor, Dr. R. N. Fraser, M. D., Thamesville, up till 7 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, April 25th, inst., for concrete and masonry work, tinsmithing, painting, glazing, and slating work of a brick dwelling house to be erected at Thamesville. Tenders to be addressed: Tender; to Dr. R. N. Fraser, M. D., Thamesville, Ont.

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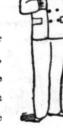
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WILLIAM ST. BAPTIST.

Pastor—Rev. J. J. Ross. Musical Director—Mrs. Alice James Organiste—Miss Ada Howe.

Morning Service. Duett, Love Divine—S:heneker. Anthem, The Risen Lord—Hawley. Solo, The Holy City (by special re-Offertory-Organ solo.

Evening Service. Duett, Heavenly Guidance-Shep-Anthem, Renew Thy Spirit-Root. Solo, Fear Not, Ye Seek Jesus

ST. JOSEPH'S.

Clergy-Rev. Father Francis Solanus, Rev. Father de Paul and Rev. Father Hermon.

Musical Director and Organiste Miss Nellie Rhody.

Morning Service. Millard's Bb Mass.
Offertory, Regina Coeli-Choir.
Veni Creator, Millard - Soloists,
Misses Smith. Dillon and McDonald,
and Messrs. Wilson and Rhody. Evening Service.

Musical Vespers-Est. Vocal Solo, Hosanna, Granier-Mr Rhody. Grand Chorus, Regina Coeli, Lam billotte-Choir. Magnificat, Mozart-Chair.

Biss Solo, O, Salutaris, Wiegand-fr. W. Wilson. Trio, Tantum Ergo, Berge — Miss Smith, Messrs. Wilson and Rhody. Closing Hymn-Holy God, we Praise Thy Name.

ST. ANDREW'S.

Pastor—Rev. Dr. J. R. Battisby. Musical Director—S H. Marshall. Organiste—Mrs. S. B. Marshall.

Morning Service. Organ, Adeste Fideles, Budley Buck Anthem, Easter—Choir. Christ is Risen—Sole, Quartette and

Chorus. Evening Service. Organ, Abide with Me, Ashford.
Anthem, The Son of Man GlorifiedSolo, Duet, Quartette and Chorus. Duet-Emanuel.

PARK ST. METHODIST.

Pastor-Rev. Dr. Hannon. Musical Director—Miss Elda Idle. Organiste—Miss Lillian Pratt.

Morning Service. Anthem, Hosanna, Granier — Elda idle and Choir. Latties' Quartette, I'm a Pilgrim — Misses Idle, Weese, Callie Idle and

Merrians.
Solo (by special request), The Holy City, Adams—Miss Elda Idle. Evening Service. Anthem, This is the Day, Cooke

Choir.
Solo, The Resurrection, Shelly-Miss
Callie Idle.
Ladies' Quartette, Oh Lord, be Merceful-Misses Idle, Weese, Callie Idle, and Merriam.

Crossing the Bar, Woodward-Choir.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Rector-Rev. Rural Dean McCosh. Musical Director and Organist-E. J.

Morning Service.

Welcome, Easter Morning—Danks.
Christ Our Passoyer—Schieling. Te Deum-Hopkins.

Jubilate—Tallis.
Jubila

Gloria Tibi-Paxton.

Laus Tibi-Tallis.

Offertory Solo, Hosanna in Elcesis,
Quentin-Miss Ida Colles.

Presentation-Whitney. Evening Service.

Proper Psalms--113, 114, 118. Proper Psaims-113, 114, 118.
Magnificat - Woodward.
Nunc Dimittis - Woodward.
Anthem Hearken Unto Me, Ye ihat
Know Righteousness - Foster.
Bolo, I Know that My Redeemer Liveth, Handel - Miss Emma Burke, London, Ont.

Vesper Song.—Vincent.

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Tallis' full choral service will be sung, the Proper Psalms for the day being sung antiphonally by the adult choir and choir of boys.

HOLY TRINITY.

Rector-Rev. R. A. S'ms. Musical Director-Harry Horstead. Organist-Frank Phelps.

Morning Service. Opening Hymn - Welcome, Happy forning. Easter Anthem, Christ our Passover

Easter Anthem, Christ our Passover
H. P. Danks.
Glorin—King Hall.
Te Deum Laudamus—Bruce Steane.
Jubilate—John Goss.
Anthem, Alteluia, Now is Christ Risen—T. Adams.
Kyrie Eleison—F. G. Plummer.
Glorin—B. Sours.
Hymn—Jesus Christ is Risen.
Offertory, Let Your Light so Shine,
Give Alms of the Goods—H. P. Danks.
Hymn—According to Thy Gracious
Word.
Evening Service.

Evening Service. Opening Hymn-Alleluia, the Strife is O'er. ete -Tallis

Magnificat—King Hall.
Nunc Dimittis—Klitz,
Anthem, Christ the Lord is Risen Today—Rev. E. V. Hall.
Hymn—Jesus Rises.
Offertory, Hallelujah! Christ is Risen—Finlay Lyon.
Hymn—The Day of Resurrection.
Vesser Hymn

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Pastor-Rev. F. H. Larkin B. A. Musical Director-Mrs. John Coop

Organist-Wm. H. Bracking Morning Service.

Morning Sarvice.

Anthem. He is Risen. S. mper—Choir.
Offertory, Organ Vountary, The
Palms, Faure—Wm. H. Brackin.
Vocal Silo, Callest Thou Thus, O
Master, Meitske—Mrs. John Cooper.
Quartette—Sindows of Eventide,
Shelley—Mrs. John Cooper, Miss Ada
Ross, H. W. Anderson and W. H.
Brackin.

· Evening Service. Anthem. King of Kings—Choir, with solo by Miss Maud Oliver.
Offertory, Violin solo, Largo, Hande!—Henry McCaw.
Vocal Solo, Come to the Land of Rest, Greeley—Miss Ada Ross.
Quartette (unaccompanied), One Sweetly Solema Thought, Ambrose—Mrs. John Cooper, Miss Clara Blight, Miss Lily Simpson and Miss Ada Ross.

VICTORIA AVE. METHODIST.

Pastor-Rev. H. W. Looke, Musical Director-J. W. Humphrey Organiste-Miss Louise Hillman.

Morning Service. Anthem-Bright Easter Morn, E. L. Ashford-Choir, with soprano solo by Miss Jackson.
Offertory, Gaim on the Morn, A.
Beirly-Choir.

Evening Service. Anthem, Christ Our Passover, M. L. Offertory, Quartette, Come Unto Me, Phippen-Misses L. and M. Jackson, Messrs. J. W. Eumphrey and C. Tilt. McPhail-Choir.

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J. F. Morley, Waterloo, spent Good Friday in the city, F. S. Jarvis, manger Merchants' Bank, Galt, is in the city.

D. McLachlan left for Detroit morning on a business trip. Miss Abram and Miss Longwell are spending the day in Detroit.

Chas. McKenzie, of Thamesville, spent Good Friday in the city. Miss Emma Robert is spending few days with friends in Detroit. Mrs. R. M. McVean and Miss Sharpe

Mrs. Woodlock, Grey street, left to-day to visit friends in Wgandotte, Mich. Miss Nellie Young left to day, for Amherstburg to spend the Easter

Mrs. R. E. Smith, of Detroit, is spending Easter holidays with her

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shaw and spn Roy, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDonald. See Mrs. Charles Macdonald's advertisement in another column. ntire contents of the house will be

sold and no reserve. James Coate, of Kingsville, is spend-ing v. few days with his brother, P. S. Coate, minnager of the Chatham Gas

Miss Effic (Lafferty, B. A., of the Wallaceburg school teaching staff, is spending the holidays with her parents.

Two burber chairs and a marble top wash stand, with two bowls for sale cheap. Address, Box 338, Chatham, P.

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Mandenter.
Amother factory has been added to Walkerville's industries. The Walkerville Matchi Coa Limited, have erected an extensive plant and are now ready for business.

N. H. Stevens is in Detroit to-day on

Miss Ruby Ayers, of Wallaceburg, is pending her Easter holidays with friends

spending her teaster nondays with his city.

Edward Michelin, of Montreal, who las been visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Wu. Primeau, for the past week, returned home

Mr. and Mrs. John Grandbois, and Master Derry, of North Chatham, will spend their Easter holidays in Detroit with friends and relatives.

The new pips organ in the Victoria Ave. Methodist church, will be opened on Thursday April 26th, by a recital given by Mr. W. H. Hewlett, London, assisted by local talent. Remember Money to Lend on Mortgages. Far-

Money to Lend on Mortgagest.—Farmers and others wanting to borrow money on mortgages at best rates and save expenses and time, and secure other advantages, should apply personally to the Chatham Loan & Sivings Company.

The regular monthly meeting of the Brooke Circle will be held at the residence of Mrs. Davis, Victoria Ave., on Tuesday next, April 17, at 3.30 p.m. Members and friends are invited to be present.

Azaleas, Easter Lillies, Spiraeas, Dycletras, Cinerarias, Cala Lillies, Hyacinths, Palms, Ferns, Roses, Carnations, Tulips, Daffodils, etc., in great quantities and good condition at the Victoria Ave. Green Houses. to be present.

Miss Agnie Brown, Waterloo, arrived in the city Thursday evening with her mother, Mrs. P. Brown, who has been visiting in that city for the past three months in search of better health, and is much improved. While Mrs. James Roason was attending the concert given Thursday evening, by the Il O. F., in their hall

over the public librars, someone took a pocket-book from her coat pocket. It had Mrs. Ronson's maiden name on Housekeepers will find many useful

nticles at the sale at Mrs. Charles Macdonald's, on Stanley avenue. Nothing sold privately. Everything kept and will be sold by audition on Thursday next. A. I. McCall, the druggist and optician, has a unique Easter window. The window show's the Eau in minia-

ture, with three little ducks, just hatched, the sole denizens of the place. The conceit is both unique and pleas-The Trusts and Guarantee Company, The Trusts and Gurantee Company.
Limited, 14 King street, west, Toonto, have been appointed administrators of the estate of the late John
Brickley, of Nelson, Ont., who died in
April, 1888. The estate now consists

April, 1888. The estate now consists of realty and personalty valued at about \$12,000. W. B Wells returned from London this morning. He attended the meet-ing in London last evening held for the purpose of forming a western cricket association. Mr. Wells reports that the meeting accomplished its object and a great deal of enthusiasm was shown by all present.

Mr. R. Victor Carter, masical director, Krause Conservatory of Music, has been in correspondence the past few months with the leading musicians of Canada, such as Wirt. F. R. Torrington, Dr. Elward Fisher, Mr. A. S. Wogt, Mr. A. O. Forsytihe, Mr. J. D. A. Tripp and Mr. Wellsman, of Toronto, with a view of engaging some exceptionally talented executive and practical massicians to represent the Conservatory faculty for season of 1900-1901, commencing Sept. 14th, 1900. He has received a large number of aprector, Krause Conservatory of Music, He has received a large number of ap-plications from some of the foremest gest lemen teachers of Canada, who gentlemen teachers of Canada, who are desirius of entering the Krause Conservatory of Music, as members of the faculty. A number of changes will be made in the present faculty.

EASTER FESTIVAL The following is the program which will be given at the Ursuline Academy on Monday, the first evening of the Easter Festival, April 16.

Chorus "Welcome." Instrumental Duet—Suite de Danser, X. Scharwenka—Misses Marcutette and Mc-

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Vocal solo—Miss Dunlep.
Recitation—Viss G. M. Swan.
Cantata — Smiles and tears of by-gen

Intermission, 20 minutes.

II Part. Instrumental duo Caprice—1st piano, Miss Sullivan, 2nd piano, Miss Edmond-Semi chorus Softly sweet the song

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Washington, April 8.-From an old ime battle scene Dr. Talmage in this discourse makes some starting suggestions as to the best styles Christian work and points out the reason of so many pious tailures; text, Joshua viii, 7, Then shall ye rise up from the ambush and seize

one Sabbath evening, with my family around me, we were talking over the scene of the text. In the wide open eyes and the quick interrogations and the blanched cheeks I realized what a thriding drama it was. There is the old city, shorter by name than any other city in the ages, spelled with two letters, A. I. Joshua and his men want to take it. How to do it is the question. On a former occasion, in a straightforward, face to face fight, they had been defeated, but now they are going to take it by ambuscade. General Joshua has two divisions in his army. The one division the battle worn commander will lead himself, the other division he sends off to encamp in an ambush on the west side of the city of Ai. No torches, no lanterns, no sound of heavy bat-talions, but 30,000 swarthy warriors moving in silence, speaking only in a whisper; no clicking of swords against shields, lest the watchman of Ai discover it and the stratagem be a failure. If the roistering soldier in the Israelitish army forgets himself, all along the line the word is "Hush!" Joshua takes the other division,

the one with which he is to march, and puts it on the north side of the city of Ai and then spends the night in reconnoitering in the valley. There he stands in the night and says to himself: "Yonder is the division in ambush on the west side of Ai. Here is the division I have under my especial command on the north side of Ai. There is the old city slumber ing in its sin. To-morrow will be the battle." Look! The morning already begins to tip the hills. The military officers of Ai look out in the morning very early, and, while they do not see the division in ambush, they behold the other divisions of Joshua, and the cry "To arms! To rings through all the streets of the old town, and every sword, whether hacked and bent or newly welded, is brought out, and all the inhabitants of the city of Ai pour through the gates, an infuriated torrent, and their cry is, "Come, we'll make quick work with Joshua and

his troops!" No sooner had these people of Ai ome out against the troops of Joshua than Joshua gave such a com-mand as he seldom gave - Fall Why, they could not believe their own cars! Is Joshua's courage failing him? The retreat is beaten, and the Israelites are flying, ets and canteens o Bull Run defeat. And you ought to hear the soldiers of Ai cheer and And you ought to But they huzza too soon. The men lying in ambush are straining their vision to get some signal from Joshua that they may know what time to drop upon the city. Joshua takes his burnished spear, glittering in the sun like a shaft of doom, and points it toward the city, and when the men up yonder in the ambush see it with hawklike swoop they drop upon Ai and without stroke of sword or stab of spear take the city and put it to the torch.

So much for the division that was How about the divisin ambush ion under Joshua's command? No sooner does Joshua stop in the flight than all his men stop with nim, and as he wheels they wheel, for in a voice of thunder he cried "Halt!" one strong arm driving back a tor-rent of flying troops. And then, as he points his spear through the gol-den light toward that fated city, his troops know that they are to start for it. What a scene it was when the division in ambush which had taken the city marched down against the men of Ai on the one side, and the troops under Joshua doubled up their enemies from the other side and the men of Ai were caught between these two hurricanes of Israelitish courage, thrust before and be-hind, stabbed in breast and back, ground between the upper and the nether millstones of God's indigna-Woe to the city of Ai! Cheer

for Israel! Lesson the first: There is such a thing as victorious retreat. Joshua's falling back was the first chapter in his successful besiegement. And there are times in your life when the best thing you can do is to run You were once the victim of strong drink. The demijohn and the decanter were your foes. They came down upon you with greater fury than the men of Ai upon the men of Joshua. Your only safety is to get away from them. Run for your life! Fal back! Fall back from the drinking Fall back from the wine Your flight is your advance

party! Your night is your advance, your retreat is your victory.

Here is a converted infidel. He is so strong now in his faith in the gospel he says he can read anything. What are you reading? Bölingbroke? Andrew Jackson Davis' tracts? Tyndall's Glasgow university address? Drop them and runsity address? Drop them and run. You will be an infidel before you die You will be an infidel before you die if you don't quit that. These men of Ai will be too much for you. Turn your back on the rank and file of unbelief. Fly before they cut you with their swords and transfix you with their javelins.

So, also, there is victorious retreat in the religious world. Thousands of times the kingdom of Christ has

of the Scotch Covenanters gave a deeper dye to the heather of the highlands, when the Yaudois of France chose extermination rather than make an uncarristian surrender, when on St. Hartholomew's day streets of Paris, crying "kill! Bloodletting is good in August! Kill! Death to the Huguenous! Kill!" when Lady Jane orey's head rolled from the executioner's block, when Kill 1 Calvin was imprisoned in the castle, when John Knox used for the truth, when John Bunyan may rotting in Bedford jail, saying, "If God will help me and my paysical life contingrows on my eyesrows rather than give up my faith," the days of retreat for the church were days of

victory.

But there is a more marked illustration of victorious retreat in the life of our Joshua, the Jesus of the ages. First failing back from an appalling depth, falling from celestial hills to terrestrial valleys, from throne to manger; yet that did not seem to sumee him as a retreat. Falling back still farther from Bethlehem to Nazareth, from Nazareth to Jerusalem, back from Jerusalem to Golgotha, back from Golgotha to the mausoleum in the rock, back down over the precipices of perdition un-til he walked amid the caverns of the eternal captives and drank of the wine of the wrath of Almighty God, amid the Ahabs, and the Jezebels, and the Belshazzars. Oh, men of the pulpit and men of the pew, Christ's descent from heaven to earth does not measure half the distance! was from glory to perdition. He descended into hell. All the records of earthly retreat are as nothing compared with this falling back.

But let not the powers of dark

ness rejoice quite so soon. Do you hear that disturbance in the tomb of Arimathea? I hear the sheet rending! What means that stone hurled down the side of the hill? Who is this coming out? Push him back! The dead must not stalk in this open sunlight. Oh, it is our Joshua. Let him come out. He comes forth and starts for the city. He takes the spear of the Roman guard and points that way. Church militant marches up on one side, and the church triumphant marches down on the other side. And the powers of darkness being caught between these ranks of celestial and terrestrial valor, nothing is left of them save just enough to il-lustrate the direful overthrow of hell and our Joshua's eternal victory. On his head be all the crowns. In his hands be all the scepters. feet be all the human hearts; and

here, Lord, is one of them. Lesson the second: The triumph of the wicked is short. Did you ever see an army in a panic? There is nothing so uncontrollable. If you stood at Long bridge, Washington during the opening of our sad civil war, you would know what it is to see an army run. And when those men of Ai looked out and saw those men of Joshua in a stampede they expected easy work. But their exhilaration was brief, for the tide of battle turned, and these quondam conquerors left their miserable carcasses in the wilderness of Bethaven. So it always is. The triumph of the wicked is short. You make \$20,000 at the gaming table. Do you expect to You will die in the poorkeep it? house. You made a fortune by in-iquitous traffic. Do you expect to seep it? Your money will scatter, or it will stay long enough to curse your children after you are dead. Call over the roll of bad men prospered and see how short was prosperity. For awhile, the men of Ai, they went from conquest to conquest, but after awhile disaster rolled back upon them, and they were divided into three parts. Misfortune took their property. grave took their body and the lost vorld took their soul. Lesson the third How much may

be accomplished by lying in ambush for opportunities. Are you hypercritical of Joshua's maneuver? you say that it was cheating for him to take that city by ambuscade? I answer, if the war was right, then Joshua was right in his stratagem He violated no flag of truce. He broke no treaty, but by a lawful ambuscade captured the city of Ai. Oh, that we all knew how to lie in ambush for opportunities to serve God. The best of our opportunities do not lie on the surface, but are secreted. By tact, by stratagem, by Christian ambuscade, you may take almost any castle of sin for Christ. Come up toward men with a regular besiege ment of argument and you will defeated, but just wait until the door of their hearts is set ajar, or they are off their guard, or their severe caution is away from home, and then drop in on them from a Christian ambuscade;

Oh, make a flank movement! Steal a march on the devil! Cheat that man into heaven! A \$5 treatise that will stand all the laws of homiletic may fail to do that which a penny tract' of Christian entreaty may ac complish. Oh, for more Christians in ambuscade not lying in idleness but waiting for a quick spring, waiting until just the right time comes Do not rub a man's disposition the wrong way; do not take the impera tive mood when the subjunctive moo will do just as well; do not talk in perfervid style to a phlegmatic nor try to tickle a torrid temperament with an icicle. You can take any man for Christ if you know how

get at him Lesson the fourth: The importance of taking good aim. There is Joshua, but how are those people in amua, but how are those people in ambush up yonder to know when they are to drop on the city, and how are these men around Joshua to know when they are to stop their flight and advance? There must be some them to the careal to stop the company to the careal to the c signal—a signal to stop the one diision and to start the other. Joshua, vision and to start the other. Joshua. with a spear on which were ordinarily hung the colors of battle, points towards the city. He stands in such a conspicuous position, and there is so much of the morning light dripping from that spear tip, that all around the horizon they see it. It ping from that spear tip, that around the horizon they see it was as much as to say: the city. Take it!"

ounts to nothing simply because we do not take good aim. Nobody knows and we do not know ourselves which point we want to take when we ought to make up our minds what God will have us do and point our spear in that direction and then hurl our body, mind, soul, time, eternity at that one target. In our pul pits and pews and Sunday school and prayer meetings we want to ge a reputation for saying pretty things and so we point our spear towards the flowers, or we want a reputation for saying subline things, and we point our spear towards the stars. or we want to get a reputation for historical knowledge, and we point our spear towards the past, or we want to get a reputation for great liberality, so we swing our spear all around, while there is the old world, proud, rebellious and armed against all righteousness, and instead of running any farther away from its pur-suit we ought to turn around, plant our foot in the strength of the eternal God, lift the old cross and point it in the direction of the world's con quest till, the redeemed of earth, marching up from one side and the glorified of heaven marching down from the other side, the last battlement of sin is compelled to swing out the streamers of Emanuel. O church of God, take aim and con-

I have heard it said, "Look out for a man who has only one idea; he is irresistible." I say look out for the man who has one idea, and that a determination for soul saving. I be lieve God would strike me dead if I dared to point the spear in any other direction. Oh, for some of the courage and enthusiasm of Joshua! He flung two armies from the tip of that spear. It is sinful for us to rest uness it is to get stronger muscle and fresher brain and purer heart for God's work. I feel on my head the hands of Christ in a new ordination. Do you not feel the same omnipotent ssure? There is a work for all of us. Oh, that we might stand up side by side and point the spear towards the city! It ought to be taken. It will be taken.

It is comparatively easy to keep on

a parade amid a shower of bouquets and hand clappings and the whole street full of enthusiastic huzzas, but it is not so easy to stand up in the of battle, the face blackene with smoke, the uniform covered with the earth plowed up by whiz-zing bullets and bursting shells, half the regiment cut to pieces, and yet the commander crying 'Forward, march!" Then it requires old fash-ioned valor. My friends, the great trouble of the kingdom of God in this day is the cowards. They do splendidly on a parade day and at communion, when they have on their best clothes of Christian profession, but in the great battle of life, at the first sharpshooting of skepticism, they dodge, they fall back, they break ranks. We confront the enemy, we open the battle against fraud and, lo, we find on our side a great many people that do not try to pay their debts. And we open the battle against intemperance, and we find on our own side a great many peo-ple who drink too much. And we open the battle against profanity, and we find on our side a great many men who make hard speeches. And we open the battle against infidelity. and, lo, we find on our own side a great many men who are not quite sure about the book of Jonah. And while we ought to be massing our troops and bringing forth more the united courage of Austerlitz and Waterloo and Gettysburg we have to be spending our time in hunting up ambuscades. There are a great many in the Lord's army who would like to go out on a campaign with satin slippers and holding umbrellas over their heads to keep off the heavy dew having rations of canvasback and ducks and lemon custards. If they cannot have them, they want to go home. They think it is unhealthy

among so many bullets! I believe that the next year will be the most stupendous year that heaven ever saw. The nations are quaken ever saw. The nations are ing now with the coming of It will be a year of successes for the men of Joshua, but of doom for the men of Ai. You put your ear to the rail track, and you hear the train coming miles away. So I put my ear to the ground, and I hear the thundering on of the lightning train of God's mercies and judgments. The mercy of God is first to be tried upon this nation. It will be preached in the pulpits. Year of mercies and of judgments; year of invitation and of warning; year of jubilee and of Which side are you going to be on-with the men of Ai or the men of Joshua? Pass over this Sabbath Into the ranks of Israel. I would clap my hands at the joy of your coming. You will have a poor chance for this world and the world to come without Jesus. You cannot stand what is to come upon you and upon the world unless you have the pardon and the comfort and help of Christ. Come over! On this side are your happiness and safety; on the other side are disquietude and despair. Eternal defeat to the men of

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were traveliers.

"What is your line?" I asked one.

"This," he said, and threw down four cards. That is three card monte. Pick out the little woman (the Queen) and I'll give you \$50."

The first time, I failed. Then, when he wasn't looking I bent the corner a little. Next time I struck is right and surevenough he three me

it right and sure enough he threw me over \$50. Then I struck it again, but this time he only threw down \$30.

"Now, bet, he says.
"Why, says I, I have only 50
cents to pay for my supper when I get

That settled him, He reached over grabbed his \$80 and walked off. I didn't argue with him atout it, as he had a seven shooter sticking out of is pocket in plain sight. ANOTHER EXPERIENCE.

"Then, again when I got to Hot prings a fellow stepped up to me, Springs &

nd said : You're a Canadian, aren't you. "'Yes.' said I.

"From Chatham ?" 'Yes.' "'Know & Mr. Jones there?"

Why, his brother lives here; he

would like to see you.

"Where is he?' I asked.

"Just around the corner. "We went around and up a stairs,

and found ourselves in a big gambling Mr. Jones in? this fellow asked

ne of the operators. "'Just gone out a minute ago, but will soon be back,' was the reply. Then he proposed to wait and to took a hand at pass the tame, took a hand at the game. He couxed me to, too, but I decliped, and he just went on raking in the chips. Finally he bothered me so much I got up and walked out. As I

eached the door a policeman tapped me on the shoulder. What did that fellow that took 

for some time, and, I want him. Well, I told him what he said and did, and he promptly ran him in. I was summoned as a witness, and so were some others. When he came up next morning he was too drunk to try and was remanded for a day.

Next morning he was convicted on charges of soliciting for a gambling house, for gambling, and for drunken-

ness, and lines were imposed on him amounting to \$175 and loosts.

"I might tell you that in Hot Springs" no canvassing for business of any kind is permitted on the streets. The gam-bling halls are licensed, but, there is a heavy fine for inviting analysis to enheavy fine for inviting anybody to enter them. The same law applies to the stores. Why, I knew a case there where one man met another on the street and complained of illness.

"There is Doctor So-and-So across the street; go and get him to give you something, was the reply.
"The man went over, the doctor gave him a prescription and both the doctor and the man who sent the pa-tient across were fined \$50 apiece for anvassing on the public street.

ABOUT HOT SPRINGS. "Hot Springs," says Mr. Crow, "is a wonderful place. Some 72 of these springs come up out of the mountain, and some of them are hot enough to boil an egg. The water has wonderful curative powers both to bathe in and to drink. I have seen people come to Hot Springs so crippied up with rheu-matism you would think they were just ready for the grave. In a few days you would find them flying round at the public dances. The government controls all the springs, and the revenues derived are all used in developing and beautifying the city. developing and beautifying the city. Hot Springs has a permanent population of about 15,000 and a floating population of about 15,000 more. Board there runs from \$1 to \$50 a day. The two leading hotels have all winter about 600 guests each, and they charge from \$6 to \$50 a day. When Pullman was there while I was, his board bill ran up at the rate of \$1,000 week."

Little Rock, a neighboring city to Little Rock, a neighboring city to Hot Springs has about 30,000 inhabitants, Mr. Crow says. The State of Arkansas is very rich in mineral wealth but very backward in development. The people are not-as progressive as the Canadians. When they run to gotilities they go in to make money ment. The people was the Canadians. When they run to politics they go in to make money out of the state and do make it. If the scare was not rich in natural wealth it would have been ruined by them long ago. Their rural schools are very backward and their city ones too forward, for in the latter the children are crammed to the injury of their health. The timber resources of the state are vast, but require development. The cotton growing states of south this year, Mr. Crow says, will have over \$850,000,000 worth of cotton to sell,

ton to sell, Spring down there is long ahead of ours. Trees and shrubs were all in

bloom a month ago. JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Farmers have commenced their spring work.
Miss Grace Fields will spend Easter
week with the Misses Houston, Har-

There are daily shipments of fish Miss Hamilton is expected to spend Easter week with her parents here. Fred Williams, of River Road, Raleigh, is assisting F. C. Peck this week. Capt. Joyce made a trip to Chatham in his naptha launch last week.

The Methodist Church choir will give special music Easter Sunday.

Edward L. Smith is planting a

hedge of catalpa trees.

Peter Coutts intends going to Philadelphia for medical treatment.

Mrs. H. J. Cartier returned on Saturday from a few days' visit in Chatham.

W. Shaw and G. Monro were guests of C. Kontze on Sunday.
W. Rogers has the measles.
Examinations were held in our chool on Wednesday and Thursday.
W. Myers spent Tuesday in Chatham.
Mrs. Fields entertained a
her friends on Friday.

### After Doctors Failed.

HOW PERLEY MISNER, OF WEL LANDPORT, RECOVERED HEALTH.

He Suffered from Hip Joint Disease and Abscesses-His Friends Feared He Would Be a Permanent Invalid.

From The Journal, St. Catharines, Ont. From The Journal, St. Catharines, Ont.

A reporter of the St. Catharines
Journal visiting Wellandport not long
ago, heard of one of those remarkabel cures that have made Dr. Williams' Pink Pills famous as life savers
the world over. The case is that of
Perley Misner, son of Mr. Mathias
Misner, who had suffered from hip
joint disease and abscesses, and who
had been under the care of four doctors without beneficial results. Mr.
Misner gave the particulars of the
case as follows:—"In the spring of
1892 my son, Perley, who was then
in his thirteenth year, began to comcase as follows:—"In the spring of 1892 my son, Perley, who was then in his thirteenth year, began to complain of an aching in his hips, and later my attention was directed to a peculiar shamble in his gait. As the trouble gradually grew upon him I took him to a physician in Dunville, who examined him and said the trouble arose from a weakness of the who examined him and said the trouble arose from a weakness of the nerves of the hip. This doctor treated Perley for weeks, during which time a large abscess formed on his leg, and he was obliged to get about on crutches. As he continued to decline, I resolved to try another doctor, who diagnosed the case as hip joint disease. He treated Preley for six months. The lad slightly improved at first, but later was taken joint disease. He treated Preley for six months. The lad slightly improved at first, but later was taken worse again. He would startle in his sleep and was continually in distress as he could neither sit nor recline with ease, and was weak, faint and confused. During this time the abscess had broken and was discharging in three places, but would not heal. A third doctor advised a surgical operation, which he objected to, and a fourth medical man then took the case in hand. This doctor confined Perley to the bed, and besides giving medicine, he ordered a mechanical appliance wo which was attached a 15-pound weight, to be placed in a position by a pulley system so as to position by a pulley system so as to constantly draw downwards on the limb. This treatment was continued

limb. This treatment was continued six weeks, causing much pain, but nothing in the way of benefit was noticed. The abscess was dressed twice and thrice a day for months, and frequently, despite the aid of crutches, it was necessary for me to carry him in my arms from the house to the vehicle when taking him out. In October of 1893, I decided, other treatments having failed, to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I told the doctor of this decision, and he said that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills would quite likely be of much benefit. After using likely be of much benefit. After using four boxes I could see some improvement. After this Perley continued the use of the pills for several months with constant improvement and new vigor, and after taking about 18 boxes the abscess was nicely healed, the crutches were dispensed with, and he was able to work and could walk for miles. I attribute the good walk for miles the which my son enjoys to-day to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills'. This medicine achieved such a marvellous success in my son's case as

vellous success in my son's case as
to set the whole community talking
about it. I consider no pen expressive enough to do Dr. Williams' Pink
Pills' justice, as I believe my son
would still be a hopeless invalid but
for this medicine." or this medicine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure by go ing to the root of the disease. They renew and build up the blood, and renew and build up the blood, and strengthen the nerves, thus driving disease from the system. If your dealer does not keep them, they will be sendt postpaid at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockwille, Oct.

New single vest chains for men are very slender ones of gun metal or gold, in which brilliants to the number of three or four are set at regular dis

ville, Ont.

A grain of seed in the eye can cause A grain of seed in the eye can cause exercisating agony. A grain of pepper in place of the grain of sand intensifies the torment. The pain is not confined to the organs affected. The whole body feels the shock of that little irritating particle. It is so when there is any derangement or disorder of the delicate womanly organized. so when there is any derangement or disorder of the delicate womanly organs. The disorder may seem trivial but the whole body feels it. The nervous system is disordered. There are fretfulness, irritability, sullenness and depression of spirits. The general health of woman depends on the local health of the organs peculiarly feminine. Remove the drains, ulcerations, bearing down pains, and other afflictions of woman, and the whole body feels the benefit. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a Pierce's Favorite Prescription is for the diseases that un specific for the diseases that under-mine the strength of women. It is free from opium, cocaine and other narcotics, poisons which enter into many other preparations for woman's use. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

He will not always chide. How un-like are they to God who are always chiding and never cease!

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Man of Them.

F.el In Good Company With the Men of Paardeberg as They Term he Canadians

London, April 12.-The Daily Mail publishes this despatch from Julian Ralph, dated at Bloemfontein: Dr. A. Conun Doyle sends to yesterday's Friend a first impression of

the war: "It was only Gen. Smith-Dorrien's brigade," he writes, "but if it could have been passed just as it was down Piccadilly it would have driven Lon-

don crazy.
"I watched them, ragged-bearded, fierce-eyed infantry, struggling along under a cloud of dust. Who could have conceived, who had seen the prim soldier in the time of peace, that he could so quickly transform himself into this grim, vile barbarian? Bulldog faces, hawk faces, hungry wolf faces, every sort of face except a weak one. Here and there is a man smoking a p.pe. Here and there is a man who p.pe. Here and there swarthy faces, smiles, but most have swarthy faces, and lean a little forward, with eyes steadfast and features impassive, but

resolute.
'Here is a clump of Highlanders with workmanlike aprons in front, their keen faces burned black with their months on the veldt.

months on the veidt.

"Good old Gordons!" I cried as they passed me. A sergeant glanced at the dirty enthusiast in an undershirt.

"What cheer, matey? he cried, and
the men squared their shoulders and put a touch of ginger into their stride.

"But these men are warriors amid war. Their eyes are hard and quick. they have a gaunt, intent look, like that of men who live always under the shadow of danger.

"Here and there are other men again, taller and sturdier than our infantry line—grim, solid men, straight as poplars. There is a maple leaf upon their shoulder straps, and the British brigade is glad enough to have those maple leaves beside them, for the Canadians are the men Paardeberg."

Shows How a Nervy Husband has Deserted H s Wife.

Went After Coolly Telling His Wife Tout be Didu't Love Her Any More.

Detroit Tribune,

The separation of a man and his wife in Detroit recently, and his subsequent arrest for non-support has brought out a story that might form the 'motif' for a comic opera or farce comedy. The man was formerly a deputy county clerk, and has held other political offices, while the wife is a simple city woman whose unbounded love have caused her to suffer his perfect in allower to the fer his neglect in silence up to the

They have been married seven years but have neither chick n has, according to his wife, ever a lady-killer, and has kissed her lady friends and callers so much that she at last became so used to it that when he kissed a girl she took it as a matter of course, dismissing it with the thought, "Well, that is his way." Some months ago he came home from a trip-he is a travelling man

now. "Will," said Annie, "your last two letters seemed cold. "Oh, you noticed it, did you? I thought you would."

"Why, what do you mean, Will?"
"Well, Annie, I love another woman and I don't love you any more. Lam sorry, but can't help it. 'Say, Aanie," he said, interrupting an embarrassing pause in the conversation, fit is all right. You can get divorce and marry another fellow. I can marry another woman and then

you can come to see me and I can Ome to see you."
His next proposition was made after come to see you." the two had retired for the night.

"See here, Annie, I tell you what I'll do. tive me two months to think the matter over and if I find I don't

like the other woman best, I will return to you.' In the morning he asked his wife to pack his trunk. As he was about to to go away, sobbingly he asked:
"Say, Aunie, why don't you cry?"
"I do not see anything to cry for,

Will," and so they parted. Will," and so they parted.

The other woman lives in the northern part of the city, the wife on the wes side. She one day went to the other woman's house, and the other

woman came to the door.
"I want to see my husband," said
the wife, and the other woman went inside and the husband, who had been

lying on a lounge listening to the other woman reading, came to the door in his shirt sleeves.

"Why, Annie, what made you come up here?" he asked, in great surprise.

"I want you to get your coatl and "I want you to get your coall and hat and come along with me," she

answered. "Can she come with us '?' asked he meaning the other woman.
"Well, I guess not," replied th

wife.

They walked away and he then upbraided her for writing to his father who is a preacher of some reputation.

"And for doing this, now I won't return at the end of two months," said he. They purted, he to the other woman, and she to her home.

"We were schoolmates," she said to a firibune reporter, "and when we were married I was but 20 years old.

"We were schoolmates," she said to a firibune reporter, "and when we were married I was but 20 years old. When we broke up housekeeping and he went away I gave him nearly all the money we had realized on our fur-niture. While he was away I sent him niture. While he was away I sent him money, three different times, and afterward was told he was living with the other woman in another city. When he came home I gave him the last 'dollar I had to help him buy a suit of clothes. He told me that he was sorry he had fallen in love with amother woman, and never thought he could do such a thing, but he did love her, and had made up his mind that he could not be true to both of

### Cures But are Grim Fighters Every Weak Men Free

A most successful remedy has been found for sexual weakness, such as impotency, variocoele, shrunken organs, nervous debility, lost manhood, night emissions, premature discharge and all other results of self-abuse or excesses. It cures any case of the difficulty, never fails to restore the organs to full natural strength and vigor. The Doctor who made this wonderful discovery wants to let every man know about it. He will therefore send the receipt giving the various ingredients to be used so that all men at a trifling expense can cure themselves. He sends the receipt free, and all the reader need do is to send his name and address to L. W. Knapp, M. D., Hull Bldg., Detroit, Mich., requesting the free receipt as reported in this paper. It is a generous offer and all men ought to be glad to have such an opportunity. A most successful remedy has be found for sexual weakness, such such an opportunity.

When I asked him who the other us. When I asked him who the other girl was, he refused to tell me her name. No, I won't go back to him even if he does become convinced that he loves me best. We never quarrelled during our married life, not even when he went away. I can only have him arrested for non-support as the judge will not give me a warrant for anything more serious."

### APRIL SHOWERS.

Wash away the filth and waste that have accumulated during winter.

In like manner Hood's Sarsaparilla
expels from the blood impurities that have been deposited during the sea-son when there has been but little

son when there has been but little perspiration and perhaps constant confinement in impure and vitiated air. It is a boon to tired mothers, house keepers, teachers and others who spend their time indoors.

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It is the best medicine money can buy for all diseases caused by impure or impoverished blood. You should begin taking it to-day.

I'd love t osing of gentle spring If lays like these are pleasing, But my apologies I bring,
My voice will not do anything Except in couphs and sneezing.

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Killed Groces, Varcoe While Engag d in a Robbery.

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Toronto, April 14.-Harry Williams, who urdered Groce: J. E. Varcoe on Nov. 9th last while engaged in robbing his store, was hanged this morning. The drop fell at 8.02 o'clock. Radeliffe, the public executioner, officiated and everything passed off quietly. The execution was orginally set for Good Friday but the department of justice postponed it 24 hours owing to a question of its legality. When Withiams heard of the repreive he merely remarked, "That only means 24 hours longer."

means 24 hours longer."

The prisoner died without revealing his identity. He belongs to some good family in the province but persistently refused to disclose his real name. He said he had already brought enough trouble on his friends. Welliams kitling of Grocer Varcoe was not premeditated. was not premeditated.

was not premeditated.

He and a companion broke into Varce's place to rob it. Varcoe resisted, a struggle ensued and the grocer was fatally shot. Williams and his pal tried to escape. His pal was killed by a policeman. Williams was injured, jumped from a window and captured. An attempt was made to blame the shooting on the dead robber, but the jury found Williams guilty and he paid the penalty this morning. He manifested great indifference up to the last

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#### AUCTION SALE.

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Under instruction from Mrs. Charles Macdonald, I will sell without reserve at her residence, Stanley avenue, Chatham, on Thursday, April 19th, at 1 o'clock p.m. sharp, the entire contents of the house. Consisting in part of Brussels and Axminister carpets, curtains and draperies, sofas and couches, upholatered and rattan chairs, handsome marble clock cost \$50, brass piano lamp and shade, water colors and other pictures, oak and rose wood tables, oak and cherryl book cases, oak sideboard B. P. mirrors, solid walnut dining table, oak leather seated chairs, oak hall settee black walnut and other bed-room suites, B. P. mirrors, gasoliers and Globe's Happy Thought Range with hot water font and and warm closet, gas range with hot water attachment, glass and china wear, kitchen tables and utensils, lawn mower, garden nose and other useful articles.

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## TURRILLS SUNDAY SERVICES Dr. A. W. Thornton

First Presbyterian-11 a.m.; 7 p. Christ Fresbyterian—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Christ Church—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
St. Andrew's—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Holy Trinity—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
St. Joseph's, R. C.—8.30, 10.30, 7.30.
Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Park St. Methodist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Park St. Methodist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Saventh Day Adventists—3 and 7. Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.

Latter Day Saints—7 p.m.

Campbell A.M.E.—11 a.m.; 7.45 p.m.

First Beptist—11 a.m.; 7.30 p.m.

Unuren Notes

Rev. F. H. Larkin will conduct the services in the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow. Sermons appro-priate to Easter will be preached morning and evening.

Rev. R. McCosh will preach on both asions in Christ Church to-morrow. There will be two celebrations of the oly communion in Christ Church toow-the first at 8.30 and the next t the 11 o'clock service.

Christ Church will be tastefully and appropriately decorated to-morrow and the services will be in keeping with the joyous Easter festival. There will be an early celebration of the holy communion in Christ Church to-morrow morning at 8.30.

Next week will be "Passion Week, and the order of services in Christ Church will be as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday ev-enings at 8 o'clock, and morning ser-vice Good Friday at half-past ten.

Christ church choir for Easter Sunday will consist of 48 voices, the choir boys assisting the regular service. Miss Emma Burke, a talented vocalist of London, and a former pupil of Mr. Forsythe, will sing "I know that my Redeemer liveth," from the Messiah on Sunday evening.

The pulpit of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church will be occupied to-mor-row by the pastor, Rev. H. W. Locke. Dr. Battisby will preach in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow, Sunday school at 3 in the afterneon. Week meetings as usual.

The Young People's Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet after the evening service to-morrow. Subject, "How the New Testament Grew." The report of the late con-

vention will also be received. Park St. Methodist pulpit will be bccupied to-morrow morning by the pas-tor, Rev. Dr. Hannon. Rev. F. E. Ma-lott, B. A., will preach in the even-

The pastor, Rev. J. J. Ross, will preach both morning and evening and conduct the service for Bible study Rev. Mr. Colles will preach in St.

Stephen's Church, Thamesville, on Sunday morning, and in Grace Church, Bothwell, in the evening. There will be a celebration of the holy communion at the morning service in Thames

Easter services in the Campbell A. Easter services in the Campbell A.
M. E. Church to-morrow as follows:
Special Easter sermon at 11 a. m.
The Subbath school will render their
well-prepared Easter program at 3 p.
m. The Christian Endeavor Society
will discuss the Easter topic at 6.30
p. m. Preaching at 7.30 p. m. All
persons taking part in the concert on
Monday evening are requested to be
present at Subbath school. The public is invited to be present at all of
these services. these services.

BOER LOSSES.

Lendon, April 14. — The Daily Mail publishes this despatch, dated Friday, April 13, from Lorenzo Marques: — "The actual Boer losses to the end of March, including prisoners, are estimated at 12,000, At present there are 7,000 Boers in Natal and 37,000 in the Free State."

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The Boers are manufacturing shells, especially Vickers-Maxims, in large quantities at the Begpie foundry, Johannesburgt. The Daily Telegraph has the following from Elandslaagte, dated April 13: "The Boers are changing their tactics and are moving from Glencoe westward with a view of threatening our lines of communication to Ladysmith.

"On Tuesday a corps of carbineers and another of Thorneycroft's Horse narrowly escaped being cut off owing to the treachery of a native guide."

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Charles Frohman's Company will Present The Little Minister

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On Tuesday, April 17, at the Grand Opera House is to be presented by Sharles Frohman's Company, the now famous comedy, "The Little Minister," This is the play adapted from J. M. Barrie's famous novel of the same name. Those who have had the pleasname. Those who have had the parties of seeing the dramatization, state that Mr. Barrie has made a remarkable, and highly entertaining play. He has retained many of the strong incidents, and introduced all the peculiar character types, as shown in him party. in his novel. We have received reports that the company presenting the play without a single exception has been accorded praise of the highst order, wherever it has been seen There is much interest manifested by regular theatre goers, and also by those who seldom, if ever attend the theatre to see this performance. This is undoubtedly owing to the fact that the story is such a popular one. It is pleasant to be able to announce that Mr. Frohman's efforts to provide a comedy and a company of the high est merit, will be appreciated here. This is shown by the demand for seats for the engagement.

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Toronto, April 14.-The opposition Thursday afternoon nipped in the bud a daring attempt on the part of the government to railroad through most important legislation respecting loan corporations—legislation which one of the Liberal members had the temerity to point out will enable the million aire controllers of such concerns to rusted to their care. However, the opposition were successful in defeating the government's intention, and the bill will be fought out in commit-

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Remember the Tea in I. O. OF. Hall on Thursday, April 19th, in aid of In-dian Famine Fund. Chas. McDonald has gone to Toronto

on before his return. Philip A. Errett, now of the Brant-ford Expositor, is in the city on an Easter visit to his home here. City Clerk Merritt has left Brantford, where he will spend Easter vacation with friends.

J. W. MACY AT THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE ON EASTER MONDAY HUMOR, PATHCS SONG AND STORY The Park St. Bible Class will give a special instrumental and vocal pro-gram to-morrow afternoon at three

A basket assembly will be held in Northwood's Hall, next Monday even ing, E. Pritchard's full orchestra in attendance.

William Howell, janitor of The Plan-et office, has resigned his position to accept similar duties at the Public General Hospital. He is a good work-er and will perform his duties well at the houital he hospital.

Select your own classes-Make your eyes fit the glasses or, let us make the glass to suit your eye. Which is the sen able course? if it glasses to the eyes, not the eyes to the glasses—E. J. MacIntyre, leading optician, opposite Grand Opera House, Chatham.

The sale of seats for the presenta-tion of The Little Minister on Tuesday evening opened this morning with a most encouraging patronage. This is Manager McVean's benefit presen-tation, and as such is deserving of a crowded house.

"There is nothing so good as a laugh." Macy at the C. C. I. on Monday next, He has appeared for ten consecutive years in the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A. courses, six years in the Boston star courses, and over five hundred times in New York and Brook-

### TILBURY.

April 14 .- Miss B. Smith returned this eek foom an extended visit with relatives n Grand Rapid and Detroit. Mrs. (Dr.) Millen, of South Woodslee, is the guest of Mrs. G. Westland. Mr. and Mrs. G. Munro are spending

Caster in Toronto. On Thursday afternoon, 12th inst., at the esidence of her uncle, Mrs. Samuel Sloan, Miss Violet Sadler was united in marriage with Mr. F. M. Scarff, banker, of this village. Rev. Mr. Robson officiated, none but the immediate members of the family being

Mr. and Mrs. Scarff left for the west on the latter's sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Wallace,

On Wednesday, 11th inst., the wife of C. A. Powell, of a son.

### WALLACEBURG.

April, 14.-Miss Georgie Reilley, of Mooretown, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Andrew McCarron. Alex. McKelvey is seriously ill with

bleurisy. Peter Benedict, of Toronto, is home for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell, of Ridge town, are visiting Mr. J. S. Benedict. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shambleau, of Chatham, spent yesterday in town. Clare and Früser will spend the Easter

vacation here.

C. E. Ayres returned to Collingwood

yesterday morning.

A. Jacques, of Chatham, spent Good
Friday in town.

C. Pettie, of Windsor, is opening a
Dry goods store in the stand formerly
occupied by H. Rotz.

Mrs. D. Duggan, of Detroit, is
spending a few days visiting her brother, D. F. McCrue.

John Currie is home for a couple of John Currie is home for a couple of

R. Sutherland is moving to St Catharines.
W. Yager, of the News staff, spent
Easter at his home in Delhi.
A large amount of surplus mud is
being carted off of James street.
Miss C. Bambridge left for Watford yesterday morning, where she will

spend the easter vacation.

The "Collop," after being stuck in
the Snye ice for two days, succeeded in getting into port yesterday.

Miss J. Keenan left yesterday morn ing for Sunderland,
Miss Haynes is visiting in Brigden.
George Millard, of Essex, is in town.
B. Bangham returned home yester-

### DRESDEN.

'April 14.—The induction of the Rev. Norman Lindsay to the pastorate of the Dresden Presbyterian church, will take place on Tuesday afternoon April 17th, at 2.30 o'clock. 'Addresses will be given by the Revs. Dr. Battisby, and Mr. McPhail. Rev. Mr. Larkin will preside, and Rev. Mr. McQuarrie will preach. At 8 o'clock in the evening there will be an entertainment consisting of music by the choir and orchestra, short addresses by the clergymen and solos by the Misses Galloway and Huff.

'At a recent meeting of the Dresden Lawn Bowling Club the following officers were elected for the season of 1900: President, R. T. Mussen; Vicepresident, F. A. McKim; Sco-Treas, Dr. W. D. Wiley: committee, Dr. J. I. Wiley, F. A. McKim; Sco-Treas, Dr. W. D. Wiley: committee, Dr. J. I. Wiley, F. A. McKim and R. T. Mussen; Management of the grounds will be in charge of Dr. H. S. McDonald, T. N. Wells and W. D. Wiley.

Officers for the Lawn Tennis Club were elected Thuraday evening, as

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## Eleventh Hour

The sun is going down the west, on the morrow once again to greet that old, old day, given over to newness, new each year and always new again.

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### THE REPORT OF THE PARTY OF THE the evening train. J. W. Hill, of the Merchants' Bank, spent yesterday in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw are visiting

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follows: Hon. Presidents, A. Smith and J. B. Carscallen; president, Dr. Thornton; vice-president, E. E. Boulon; secretury-trensurer, H. Wallace.
Mrs. S. Shaw is visiting her parents

in Detroit.

Miss Edna Dennis, of Chatham, is the guest of Mrs. (Rev.) A. K. Griffin.

Thomas Sims, of Thamesville, is spending the Easter Holidays in town. E. Cowperthwaite, of Chatham, vis-ited his mother yesterday.

James Wakefield and wife, of 8th con. Dawn, have rented their farm to their sons, and are moving to Wal-

Miss Maude Waterworth, of Glencoe Collegiate, is spending her Easter holidays with her mother. Norman Wade, of Toronto, is the guest of Osgoode McVeani Miss Idn Murch, of the P. S. staff, is

Miss May Pasmore is spending her vacation with her parents in Rock-Frank Emery has removed from

Dover and taken up his residence on his farm on 9th con., Dawn. \(\( \) Mr. Boone, license inspector, was in Mr. Boone, license inspector, was in town on Thursday.

The regular meeting of the town council has been postponed until Wednesday evening.

A excial evening will be held by the Young People's Society of Christ church on Monday evening next, at the residence of Mrs. J. C. Tassie.

Owen Watson, who is attending the London Collegiate Institute, is at boone.

Miss Maggie Bodkin, of Florence, is Miss Maggie Bodkin, of Florence, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jmo. Slater.

Two men named Stacey and Ellis, living on con. 9, Gore of Camden, River Road, were arrested for the alleged theft of clover seed from a neighbor, James McAgy. The men were tried Thursday before Magistrate Kimmerly. Stacy was let out on suspended sentence, while Ellis was committed for trial, but was allowed his liberty by giving bail.

The body of the late Alexander Trectice, arrived this morning and we understand will be buried on Sunday afternoon.

### THAMES VILLE.

April 14. Good Friday was generally observed here as a holiday.

G. J. Watts and Harmer and Cornwall made large shipments of eggs to Montreal and Toronto for the Easter market.

Martin Featherstone, of Detroit, is spending a few days with his brother, C. J. Featherstone.

Chas, and Miss McKenzie will spent Easter at Mitchell's Bay.
Dr. and Mrs. Johnston, of Brigden, are guests at J. Duncan's.

Mrs. James Mayhew is slowly improv-

Miss Hinde, of Caledonia, is the guest of

Miss Ripley.
There will be special Easter services in the churches to morrow at 11 a. m.
R! Ferguson, M. P. P., is home from Toronto for a few days.
April 14.—The entertainment under the auspices of the public library, given in the Opera House, was not well patronized. Miss McCallum's renditions were very good and the local astions were very good and the local as-sistance was excellent, but it is to be regretted that the audience was so

small.

Mrs. Scott, Sr., has left for Chicago.
She was accompanied by her little
grand-daughter, Miss Hazel Brown.

Miss Katherine Duncan has returned from Moulton College, Toronto, for
the Easter holidays.

Christopher Weitzel has left for
Chatham, having secured a position
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Myron Blackburn, clerk of Camden, and Miss Blanche Huff, of Dresden, were marriest on Wednesday, April 11th. Miss Field, of Chatham, and Frost Johnston, of Dresden, assisted them. After the ceremony they drove over here and took the G. T. R. train for Toronto and Buffalo.

Miss Campbell, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. McInnis.

Geo. Munro has gone to Detroit for an extended visit. Mr. Munro is not in good health, and it is hoped that the change will prove beneficial.

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