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AND INJURED

Train Crashes into a Thousand People-Killing Seven and Injuring Over a Score.

Crowd were Waiting the Arrival of a Lake Shore Train at De-

Detroit, May 4.—The Grand Trunk Pan-American fiver from Chicago ran into a crowd of 1,000 peope at the cor-ner of Dequinder and Canfield streets at 8.30 this evening, killing four men, a boy and a woman, and seriously injuring about 30 people. The majority of the killed and wounded are from Toledo. killed and wounded are from Toledo.
Fifteen hundred Polanders from Toledo came up to Detroit this morning
on a special Lake Shore train to celebrate a holiday. They left the train at
the corner of Dequinder and Canfield
streets and went over to St. Joseph's
Church, where they spent the day with
the congregation. The Lake Shore the congregation. The Lake Shore tracks run out to Dequinder street, and a special train was to stop for the Toledo excursionists at Canfield avenue at 8.30. Accompanied by hundreds of their local friends, waiting for the train, the excursionists jammed Can-field avenue some time before the train was due in readiness for it.

THE VICE-REGAL

Lord and Lady Minto Will Drive Over Chatham and Meet Its Citizens.

Will Visit Each of Its Schools and Spend Five Minutes With the Children.

The route for the visit of Lord and Lady Minto and their party on the 13th inst. has now been definitely arranged and authorized.

As the vice-regal party will likely be accompanied by press representaives from Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal it is important that the Maple City shall make as good a showing as possible and the citizens and residents upon the streets which will be travelled are asked to beautify their gardens and front yards as much as possible and decorate where possible with

The only places where the viceregal party will alight, except Harrison Hall, are the schools, and the Governor-General and his lady will spend five minutes in each of our

The route is as follows:-Arrive Wednesday, the 13th, at

Col. Rankin and squad of 24th Kent Regiment will escort them to Harrison Hall via Queen St. to Post Office, up King to Fifth St. and thence to Harrison Hall.

There the city's address will be read by his worship, Mayor McKeough. Presentation of citizens. All who desire to be presented are requested to be at Harrison Hall at one o'clock.
From Harrison Hall the vice-regal
party will be driven about the city

stopping,—
Five minutes at the Central school. Five minutes at the Central school. Down Wellington to William St., via William over the creek to Colborne St., up Colborne to Prince St., passing the Collegiate Institute to Stanley Ave. Down Stanley Ave. to Tecumseh Park, past Hotel Sanita and Tecumseh Park to King. Down King to Fifth St. and across bridge to Victoria Ave., up to Forest St. to McKeough school, where party will stop for five minutes.

Thence to Joseph St. Down Joseph to Head St., along Head to Ursuline Academy, where party will stop five minutes.

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Thence to Violet St. to Emma St., passing General Hospital to Aberdeen bridge; across to King; down King St. West to St. Joseph's Hospital. Back to Lacroix; along Lacroix to Wellington. Up Wellington to Raleigh and along Raleigh to Cross St., thence to Separate school, where party will stop five minutes.

Thence to Queen St. and along Queen to Park and Park to William, thence to G.-T. R. station. Departure.

Toronto Topics. Toronto, May 4.—Mr. Alex. Bradshaw died very suddenly.

George Redfern, five years old, died from the effects of carbolic acid, given him by his father in mistake for medi-

Cheu Len was seriously injured at the meeting of the Chinese Order of Free Masons. Two of his countrymen have been arrested.

Samuel E. Guest, a machinist, who had been orderly to Lieut.-Col. G. T. Denison during the Northwest rebellion, was found dead in his room.

COUNCIL REPUDIATE RESPONSIBILITY AND PLACE IT ON GOVERNMEN

Attorney-General Sent Speical Messenger to See to Release of Shambleau-Motion Passed to Request Crown Attorney to Act.

There was a very lively time at the afternoon session of the County Council on Saturday. Mr. Reveraft stated that Mr. Shambleau, late treasurer of the County, has been released from custody by the Government on repre sentations made to the effect that the County Council wished his release Mr. Vester accused the Council of purchasing the late treasurer's freedom for \$8,000. Mr. McCoy repudiated this and said that if the Council had made settlement because they held bonds which were only good for \$1,835, and by settling had secured \$8,000. maintained that the \$8,000 had been accepted in the interests of the Coun-

Mr. Somers claimed this amount had been accepted in good faith with the brother-in-law and one of the conditions was that Mr. Shambleau should not be prosecuted by the Council. That was one of the conditions on which the money was tendered. The agreement, as read in the Council. bears out Mr. Somer's contention. Mr. Reycraft's motion to prosecute

The County Council resumed after dinner with the Warden in the chair and all the commissioners present.
On motion of Mr. French, seconded
by Mr. McCoy, the auditor's report
was laid over until the June session.

This motion carried.

The Warden stated that he had a check for \$50 from C. L. VonGunten.

Mr. McCoy said that the Council had no alterantive but to accept the check in lieu of the amount received by Mr. in lieu of the amount received by Mr. VonGunten from the late treasurer. It was moved by Mr. Vester, seconded by Mr. Haggart, that whereas the Government auditor, F. H. Maccherson, in his report charges C. L. VonGunten, ex-Warden, with changing figures on the December pay roll of 1901, thus taking \$50 out of the County treasury more than was voted to him by the Council for his services as Warden, and whereas Mr. VonGun-Marden, and whereas Mr. VonGunten explains that he made the alterations on the pay roll in the presence and on the advice of two members of this Council, namely, S. Somers and John Crowder, and that he did so for the reason that he had omitted puting in a claim for extra work and ting in a claim for extra work, and that while this Council is of the opin-ion that the course pursued by C. L. VonGunten was not regular, this Council is not in a position to say that we do not owe the said \$50, and further, that Mr. VonGunten has deposited the said \$50 in the hands of the present Warden, this Council does accept the same. Further, this Council will cheerfully pay Mr. VonGunten for extra services while Warden as soon as he presents this Council with an account in detail, showing the

said amount is due him.—Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Sifton, seconded by Mr. French, that the resignation of A. T. Arnold as superintendent of the House of Refuge, and Mrs. Arnold as matron, be accepted. The motion carried.

It was moved by Mr. Reycraft, seconded by Mr. Hornal, that whereas it has been tried to make it appear that it was through the action of this Council that the late treasurer was released from the criminal proceedings pending when settlement was made with said Shambleau's bondsman, and whereas it was no part of the agreement that this Council should interfere with the course of should interfere with the course of the csiminal proceedings then pend-ing, be it resolved, that this Council are of the opinion that the said Sham-bleau should be prosecuted and that the Crown Attorney take steps forth-with to carry out this suggestion. — Carried.

This motion created a lot of discus-

sion.

John Reycraft, speaking to his motion, said that since Mr. Shambleau's release, it had been reported about the County that a deputation from Wallaceburg went to Toronto and represented to the Government that the County Council of Kent wanted Mr. Shambleau released, and in constitutions of the county council of the council of Mr. Shambleau released, and in con-sequence he was let go scot free, while others had been sent to the peniten-tiary for stealing five dollars. This action was a standing invitation to wrong-doers to steal in large quanti-

wrong-doers to steal in large quantities.

Mr. French said that he was pleased that this motion was brought up. Nearly every member of the Council had suffered from the release of Mr. Shambleau. While he didn't vote for the motion, he could sympathize with those who did. After hearing the statement of the auditor, exposing the schemes, rascality and forgery of the late treasurer, it wasn't safe to allow the man at large. If it were in Mr. French's power, he would have the ex-freasurer put behind the bars. Mr. Somers pointed out that the Council were satisfied when the settlement was made in committee. Mr. Shambleau's brother-in-law had stated in committee that if the Council intended to orosecute he had nothing to settle. Mr. Somers thought that the County had made a good settle-

ment from a financial standpoint. It was quite unfair to take \$5,000 of John H. Fraser's money, under the conditions, and then go on and prose-

prised at the motion. Mr. Fraser had stated that his only object in offering the money was to keep his brother-in-law from the penitentiary. When the settlement was made, the debt was all paid. "I told you then," continued Mr. Vester, "that you were taking \$8,000 of other people's money to purchase the freedom of the biggest scoundrel in the County of Kent. The Council, however, were in such a hurry to get the money. I am perprised at the motion. Mr. Fraser had

gest scoundrel in the County of Kent. The Council, however, were in such a hurry to get the money. I am perfectly satisfied that the Council didn't intend that Mr. Shambleau should go scot free. It turns out as I said it would, and you have bought his freedom with the county's money, and I charge you with it. You did it with your eyes wide open."

Mr. Somers called attention to the fact that the Guarantee Company could only have been held for \$1,835 according to the auditor's report. There was a bond given by citizens of Wallaceburg, but it had been returned. The names on the bond were secured from Mr. McCoy. His memory of the names on the bond would not have stood in a court of law. Therefore instead of \$1,835, the County got \$8,000 of the brother-in-law's money. This settlement was the best for the County.

Mr. French said that he was willing to bear a share of taxes in making up the \$16,000 rather than hear a

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Mr. McCoy said that, if Mr. Vester charged the Council with purchasing the late Treasurer's freedom for \$8,000, he (Mr. Vester) had been willing to purchase it for \$10,000 as the motion Mr. Vester supported asked for that amount. The \$8,000 was taken as security and it was the most that could be got. It was held out to the bondsmen that there was a copy of the bond in Matthew Wilson's office but that was false. All the security the County had was \$1,832. The settlement for \$8,000 was one of the best that could be made under the circumstances. The Council is not implicated in Mr. Shambleau's release. He was released by the Attorney-General's Department at Toronto. The Council did the best they could for the County of Kent when they settled for \$8,000.

Mr. Vester said that he didn't accuse the Council, but the result of the action of the Council had had the effect of settling differences between Shambleau and the County.

Mr. Sitton said that in wording the resolution accepting the \$8,000, he had taken particular care that there shouldn't be a shadow of doubt as regarded the release. The Council had nothing to do with Mr. Shambleau's release. The Crown Attorney-Had nothing to do with it. He got his orders from the Attorney-General by special messenger, who was sent to the County for the express purpose

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Mr. Sturgis said that when A. L.
Shambleau was suspended in 1897, a
bond was given for \$10,000 by Wallaceburg friends who became responsible for \$10,000 for the past and
for the future as long as Mr. Shambleau was in office.

Mr. Sturgis would rather have seen
the matter go to the courts if only
\$10 were recovered than that the exTreasurer should escape.

Mr. Hornall said he didn't feel any
guilt about it as he had taken every

guilt about it as he had taken every precaution to find out if the motion would bind the Council to release Mr. Shambleau before he had voted for it. Messrs Sturgis, French, Haggart, Chinnick, Reycraft, Hornall and Handy voted for the motion. Messrs Sifton, Ross, Vester, Grant, Somers and McCoy voted against it. The yeas and nays were called and then the vote stood as follows: Yeas—

Sturgis, French, Haggart, k, Grant, Reycraft, Hornall, and the Warden. Nays— Somers, McCoy, Ross and

Messrs. Somers, McCoy, Ross and Sifton.

Mr. Vester moved, seconded by Mr. Ross, that the securing of copies of the auditor's report required, be left in the hands of the committee.

It was moved by Mr. Grant, seconded by Mr. Chinnick, that whereas Mr. Arnold had resigned his position that the House of Refuge committee be empowered to secure a superintendent for the House of Refuge.—Carried.

On motion of Mr. Sifton, seconded by Mr. Vester, Mr. French was empowered to sign the contract for the bridge over Long's Creek on the Lambton-Kent County line.

On motion of Mr. Sturgis, seconded by Mr. French, the account of auditor F. H. Macpherson was ordered paid.

on motion, the Warden was in-structed not to sign any grants to agricultural societies till after the Fair had been held.

Mr. Ross asked if the municipali-

ties were to be allowed interest on the wild land taxes retained by the late Treasurer. It would, perhaps, be wise to get the auditors to figure up the interest.

Mr. Sturgis said that if additional interest were added it would be processed.

interest were added it would be practically compounding the interest.

Mr. Grant said that he didn't think that the Townships should ask for the interest. Their treasurer's should have seen that the money was paid Mr. Ross said that District No. 7

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was going to collect the interest if
they had to do so through the courts.
Mr. French didn't think that the
County should be compelled to pay
the interest. Besides there was no

the interest. Besides there was no need to pay men \$14 a day to make up simple interest.

Mr. Sitton said that he had talked with the Reeve of Tilbury and they would collect all that the law allowed.

Mr. Reycraft thought that the Council should go a little slow and let the Townships make up the interest do them, themselves.

Mr. Grant said that if the County had the interest computed, it would be strong evidence that they owed it.

Mr. Vester was satisfied that if the interest were demanded that it would have to be paid, but there was no need of hurry in the matter.

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NAMING THE FARM.

Too much cannot be said in favor of giving the homestead a name. by which it may become distinguished in the district or province in which it situated, says the Farmers' Advocate. Most farmers who are breeding purebred stock have taken advantage of this idea, and there is no reason why others who are making special efforts in producing high-class products or to have their premises appear homelike should not do likewise. It will in-fluence the boys and girls to think more of home, and will lead them to take a greater interest in making it appear beautiful. It costs nothing and can certainly do no harm, but will rather tend toward making the home more widely known, and, eventually, more valuable.

HERE IS A CHANCE.

The City Council and the Board of Trade might co worse than take the hint contained in the following extract from an article published in the Sherbrooke (Que.) Daily Record. The firm referred to has found it ne cessary to greatly extend its works and a site in this district would doubtless suit the ambition of the

"During the past few years the business of the Jenckes Machine Shops has increased to such an extent that expansion has become an absolute necessity. At present about four hundred and fifty hands are employed, and the shops as they now stand are too limited for their accommodation. It is believed that with the proposed increase in shop capacity, business would warrant the employment of six hundred hands The idea of an Ontario location for the shops is not a new one with the company. The necessity for the extension of the works beyond the limits of the present shops, however, has again brought it into prominecne and made it a matter for immediate consideration and decision Some of the directors are of the opinion that the advantages of a location in, say, Niagara district, are such as to make the matter worthy of very serious consideration."

There is no rush on the part of the Liberal press to discuss the ease with which the Sullivans realized \$9,000 within a few days on a Government land investment of \$250 Conditions under which such things are possible are suspicious.

One thing about the Frank disaster makes it of particular interest to peo ple in this part of the country. The Rev. C. W. Gordon (Ralph Connor) some years ago did missionary work in this district, and, indeed, the scene of "The Sky Pilot" is laid in the foothills in which the ill-fated town of Frank is situated.

> HAS A CLEAN RECORD. Hamilton Spectator.

When one takes into consideratio the fact that, ever since Gamey made the charge in the Legislature, the Government has had an army of detectives hunting up his record, and without result, one may be sure that Gamey is an exceptionally clean man.

GAMEY'S CONFIDE Manitoulin Conservator.

We had a preasant call from Mrs R. R. Gamey, who returned from Toronto yesterday. She had been in Toronto over a month-a month of that city's most exciting history-but not withstanding the strain that must have been on her mind during that time, she has stood it remarkably well. All she asks for her husband is fair play, and if he gets that she has the utmost confidence in his purpose, and his ability to come out on top.

CAPTIVE IN LONDON TOWN.

There comes a ghostly space "Twixt midnight and the dawn," when from the heart of London Town The tides of life are drawn.

What time, when spring is due, The captives dungeoned deep, Beneath the stones of London Town Grow troubled in their sleep.

And wake—mint, makew, dock, Brambles in bondage sore, And grasses sbut in London Town A thousand ; vars and more.

Yet, though beneath the stones They starve; and overhead The countless feet pace London Town Of men who hold them dead.

Like Samson, blind and scorned, In pain their time they bide. To seize the roots of London Town And tumble down its pride.

Now well by proof and sign, By men unheard, unseen, they know that far from London Town The woods once more are green.

But theirs is still to wait,
Denf to the myriad hum,
Beneath the stones of London Town
A spring that needs must come.

W. G. Cole, in The Spectator.

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Recognized Him.

A professor in the Harvard Law school has a memory which plays him

false on all matters except points of law. He cannot remember his men.

When the school opened last fall a stu-

dent who prides himself on his reputa

tion with the instructors and makes

himself felt by wise questions in the classroom approached the professor

The professor hesitated a moment ever the man's name and finally got it

out in triumph.

The student was highly elated and a

few minutes after said with proud sat-isfaction to the professor's secretary:

"The old boy seems to be getting his memory back. He hesitated only a

minute before he called me by name. Pretty good after a three months' vaca-

"Why," replied the secretary, "it's funny he hesitated when I had just

told him your name. He saw you coming across the hall and asked me who

The Mistletoe Legend.

very pretty custom that should never be allowed to die out. It is the good old Christmas custom of kissing a girl

when you catch her under the mistle toe. Here is the legend:

"Balder, the Scandinavian god of

poetry and eloquence, was protected

from the violence of his enemies by the

promise of everything in earth, fire

"The mistletoe only had not been asked, and Loki, his enemy, discovered

this, got another man to shoot him with an arrow formed of it. Then all

the gods and goddesses mouraed griev-ously, and at their urgent request

Balder was restored to life, because he

was greatly loved.
"So to the goddess of love the mistle-

toe was given to guard and keep, and every one passing underneath the bough she held kissed her as a sign

that henceforth the branch was an em-

blem not of death, but of love."-Kan-

A Play Within a Play.

Atkins Lawrence in recalling his ap-cearances with Mary Anderson when

she was a youthful aspirant for stellar

honors in the east says: "I was get-ting a little stout in those days, even

though I was a young fellow, and, as Claude Melnotte, I had a vest that I

had supplied with three powerful buckles in the back. These I would draw as

tightly as possible to make myself

description of my palace and knelt

down to say, 'Likest thou the picture, Pauline?' when suddenly all three of

the buckles gave way with a snap that

set the people in the orchestra tittering. 'What's the matter, Atkins?' Ma-

ry Anderson said in a stage whisper. 'My vest buckles have broken,' I an-

swered. "That's all right,' she replied.

I was afraid it was your suspenders.'

The Principal Weapons of Death.

The fifteen principal causes of death,

from all principal causes shows a decrease since 1890, the most notable be-

ing consumption, which shows a decrease of 54.9 per 100,000.—Dietetic

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in

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and Hygienic Gazette.

average man.

-Argonaut.

slim. One night I had just finish

sas City Independent.

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you were."-Youth's Companion.

and held out his hand.

tion, isn't it?"

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Dr. Andrew J. McCosh was in his college days a famous athlete. He could run faster, kick a football fur-ther and jump higher than any man in Princeton. Publicly his father. President McCosh, took no notice of Andy's achievements. That he privately rejoiced in his son's prowess the stu

dents learned in this way: Jimmy, as the president was fa-miliarly called, though exceedingly courteous, was given to fits of abstrac-tion in which he entirely forgot his surroundings.

Once at a reception in his home, apparently forgetful of all the world, he was pacing up and down the room with head bent and hands interlocked ekind his back. Suddenly he walked up before a young lady and asked: "How tall are ye?"

In an embarrassed way she replied "Why, doctor, I'm-I'm 5 feet 2

"Me son Andy could jump over yer ly resumed his walk.

Are Men Inquisitive? At Eaton Hall in the days of the late the mantelpiece of the principal guest chamber, dedicated to bachelor visitors, a clock of remarkable design. Below it was placed a card bearing the words "Please do not touch." A famous poli-tician who chanced to find himself an occupant of the room ventured to ask his noble host after dinner the reason of this prohibitory notice. often contended with my daughters,' replied the duke, "that women are more curious than men. To satisfy me of the contrary fact they have placed bachelors' room with the notice affixed to it. The result has been that every man, with one notable exception, who has occupied that room has asked me may I ask," rejoined the interested guest, "was the notable exception you mention?" "The late Mr. Fawcett, one time postmaster general," was the re-ply of the duke. "As you know, poor man, he was blind!"

The Stone Houses of Easter Island. The remarkable stone houses of Easter island are built against a terrace of earth, or rock, which in some cases forms the back wall of the dwelling. They are built of small slabs of strati fied basaltic rock, piled together with

No regularity of plan is shown in the construction of a majority of them. The average measurement is as follows: Height from floor to ceiling, 4 feet 6 inches; thickness of walls, 4 feet 10 inches: width of rooms, 4 feet inches; length of rooms, 12 feet 9. inches; average size of doorways, beight, 20 inches; width, 19 inches.

SCROFULA.

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The fifteen principal causes of death, with the rate per 100,000, made public by the census bureau, are as follows: Pneumonia, 191.9; consumption, 191.5; heart disease, 134; diarrheal diseases, 85.1; kidney diseases, 88.7; apoplexy, 66.6; cancer, 60; old age, 54; bronchitis, 48.3; cholera infantum, 47.8; debility, 45.5; inflammation of the brain and meninges, 41.8; diphtheria, 34.4; typhoid, 33.8, and premature birth, 33.7. Death from all principal causes shows a de-Scott's Emulsion feeds and strengthens scrofulous children.

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VOR, DENVER, 1903. The Passenger Department of the Chicago & North-Western Railway has issued a very interesting folder on the subject of the Christian Endeavor meeting to be held at Denver, July 9th to 13th, together with information as to reduced rates and sleeping car service, as well as a short description of the various points of interest in Colorado usually visited by tourists. Send 2-cent stamp to W. B. Kniskern, Passenger Traffic Manager, Chicago, for copy. er, Chicago, for copy.

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In the early morning Leeds work-men can travel five miles for a penny by the municipal electric tramway cars.

TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed, separate or bulk tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon, Saturday, May 2nd, for the erection of an addition and alterations in the Garner House, plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. J. Rutley & Son, architects, the tenders to be addressed to the undersigned and left at the office of the architects.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. G. KERR.

Nonce to Contractors

Bulk of separate tenders will be received at the offices of the undersigned architects, addressed to W. F. Robertson, up to seven o'clock p. m. Thursday, May 14th, for the different trades in the erection of a church in Tilbury Township. Plans and specifications to be seen at offices of architects and addressed to the secretary.

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

April 30.—The Parsonage Guild of Christ Church will hold a "Coffee" at the residence of Rev. A. K. Griffin to-morrow evening from 8 to 10. All

Miss Maude Willson, of Florence, spent yesterday in town. Rev. N. Lindsay has returned from Mr. Bear is having his houses re-

May 1.-Arthur Mills, of the Westcott House, met with a serious accident yesterday. In opening a beer bottle it burst, cutting his wrist very badly and severing the artery. Dr. McDonald took five stitches in the injured arm. Mr. Mills suffered very much from loss of blood.

J. W. Browett was in Thamesville yesterday on business.
Miss Mary Stephens spent yester-day in the Maple City.
In Dresden, April 29th, the wife of D. Venning Hicks, Jr., of a daughter

BLENHEIM

April 30 .- Mrs. Geo. Bounsall returned yesterday from Cleveland where she has been attending her sor Eric, who is ill with typhoid fever On Tuesday the fever turned and turned and Eric is now progressing favorably. Mr. Blight, of Chatham, is visit-ing his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Merritt,

here.
Miss Beatrice Hall returned yesterday from Detroit, where she has

terday from Detroit, where she has been visiting her sisters.

Miss Mary Carmichael has returned home after a short visit with her sister, Mrs. L. M. Appleford, Wallaceburg.

A wedding of much interest to the people of Blenheim and vicinity occurred in Detroit Saturday, April 18, when Miss Dora St, John and Mr. Fred. Coulter lived near Sootland before moving to Detroit a short time ago. Miss St, John, who is a splendid musician, formerly taught music here.

musician, formerly taught music here, but moved to Detroit with her par-

Miss Ina Stew...

Miss Elsie Gordon this ...

Dr. Hodges left on a visit to Uncago Wednesday evening.
Dr. Story left on Wednesday for Dr. Story left on Wednesday for it may be through the Baltimore, where he will take a special course in surgery and clinical medicine, at the John Hopkins Hopital. He will be absent about a month.

Miss Alba Ransom is home for a Miss Alba Ransom is home for a Month Hospital, Detroit.

Hospital, Detroit.

Guilds, left to the Miss Alba Ransom is home for a Month Hopital, Detroit.

And the lights are out in the house, And the fires burn low and red, and the fires burn lo

Miss Alba Ransom is home for a few weeks holidays. She is a graduate of Grace Hospital, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallory, Guilds, left this week for an extended visit to Mallorytown, Leeds County.

Miss Fanny Brush is suffering from an attack of diphtheria.

"USED BY ROYALTY."

Mr. T. H. Estabrooks secured an excellent advertisement for Red Rose Tea when it was selected for the use of T. R. H., the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, during their re-cent visit. Its selection is a guaran-tee of its very superior quality. Red Rose Tea is sold by a number of our leading grocers.

TILBURY

May 1.—Miss May Powell, who has been the guest of Miss Minnie Rich-ardson the past three weeks, has re-turned to her home in Essex. Mrs. S. Sloan is visiting in Detroit

this week.
Miss Georgia Marshall, of Merlin,
is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. A. Shaw.
The firemen were called out yes-Miss Georgia Marshall, of Merlin, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. A. Shaw. The firemen were cafled out yesterday afternoon to extinguish a blaze in a chimney at the residence of Jas. Magee, Canal street. There was no serious damage done. The W. C. T. U. meets to-morrow afternoon at 5.30 at the home of Mrs. (Rev.) Johnston.

Burleigh Campbell, and sister, Miss Minnie Campbell, are in Leamington. This evering attending the closing the clo

of Jas. Magee, Canal street. There was no serious damage done. The W. C. T. U. meets to-morrow aftermoon at 5.30 at the home of Mrs. (Rev.) Johnston.

Burleigh Campbell, and sister, Miss Minnie Campbell, and sister, Miss Minnie Campbell, and sister, Miss Minnie Campbell, are in Leamington this evening attending the closing concert of the Musical Club, where Mr. Campbell will give a solo, in company with some first class professional talent.

A number of young people go to Essex this evening to attend an assembly given by the bachelors there. Ed. Robertson and sister Lily, of Valetta, left here this week for Cowley, Alberta.

The bowling club organized Tuesday evening for 1903 in Dr. Ferguson: Yice-President, Jos. Stewart; Secretary-Treasurer, H. J. Callwood, Ezrecutive Committee, F. E. Nelles, H. Callwood, W. A. Shaw; Grounds Committee, W. T. Polie, H. Bemoif, Dr. Sharp, Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Dr. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Jos. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Jos. Ferguson and Jos. Stewart: Subscription Committee, H. Callwood, Jos. Ferguson and Jos

Mrs. W. A. Johnson and Miss Sager left to-day to spend Sunday with re-latives in Detroit.

It is hard for a lovely woman to forego the pleasures of the life which she was created to enjoy and adorn. She may have to be busy all day in office or in store, yet she cannot deny herself the social pleasures which are offered her.

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woman."

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The Coming of the Lord

It may be in the evening, when the work of the day is done, And you have time to sit in the twilight and watch the setting

While the long bright day dies slow-

musician, formerly taught music here, but moved to Detroit with her parents about six months ago.

Mr. George Collar has commenced work on his new house on Hall street. He purchased it from the Tedford estate and is altering and repairing it before moving in.

Mrs. C. A. Wedge is quite sick. La grippe is feared.

Miss Ina Stewart has been visiting Miss Elsie Gordon this week.

Dr. Hodges left on a visit to Chicago Wednesday evening.

The Steve left on Wednesday for

house,
And the fires burn low and red, and
the watch is ticking loudly beside the bed;
(Though you sleep tired out on your
couch, still your heart must wake and watch:
Let the door be on the latch,
For it may be at the midnight I
will come.

It may be at the cock crow when the night is dying slowly in the sky And the sea looks calm and holy wait-

It may be in the morning when the sun is bright and strong, When dew is glittering sharply over the little lawn,

The Price of Picasure. THE LOCAL BUGGET

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. tf The civic pay sheets for last week mounted to \$248.62.

Few barrels fancy apples for sale heap. The Northwood Co. cheap. The Northwood Co.

All the leading bicycles sold at
Brisco's. Time given for payment. The barge Pease came into the Eau with 850 tons of slack for the hoist

on Thursday. Ex-Akd. W. M. Fleming is receiving the congratulations of his friends to-day. It is a daughter. Messrs. Pierce and Flett, two labo

union organizers, were in the city Friday. They left Friday night for Wallaceburg. Park Bros. coupled the large

horse power boiler in the Chatham Mfg. Co's factory and the boiler will be in use to-day. If the demand for the lots on William street in the athletic ground survey continues, there will be none of them left in a short time.

Whitewash brushes lost in the city last week. Finder will be rewarded by leaving them at The Planet Office or with R. J. Dunlop, grocer. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Henning, of St. John, N. B., were in the city Sat-urday. Mr. Henning is Wm. Gray & Sons traveller for the Maritime Pro-

vinces. Jack Fleming, formerly of this city, who recently left Boston for the old country, has arrived in Fifeshire, Scotland, after a very rough voyage across the Atlantic.

The Campbell property on Stanley verme has been sald to D. S. Pater.

avenue has been sold to D. S. Paterson, principal of the C. C. I. Mr. Paterson's present residence will be Paterson's present residence will be converted into school rooms.

Roy Bensen, of McMaster University, Toronto, is visiting his parents Cross street. On Friday Mr. Bensen will leave for Sundridge, Parry Sound District, to take charge of the Baptist church for the summer months. Easy terms of payment, a lot at at half its market value, and the choicest building site in the city today, makes a strong demand for the lots in the athletic ground survey. Call on D. McLachlan, Business College, for particulars.

Among the recent arrivals in the business department of the C. B. C. are Miss Louise Stewart, of Morpeth; A. W. Bell, of Allsa Craig; Sydney J. Stenlake, of Kingsville; Miss Mary McDonald, of Ridgetown, and Miss Mary Rankin, of Dover.

W. E. Rispin, city passenger and ticket agent, is advertising specially low rates to Manitoba, the Canadian Northwest, British Columbia, Cali-fornia, and all coast points, with special train arrangements. Passengers desiring to go to any of these points would do well to write or call on Mr. W. E. Rispin, 115 King street, tf Mr. W. E. Chatham.

Chatham.

Alex. Moffatt, cigar maker, lately in the employ of Bowers & Philp here, has returned to Chatham and has taken a position with OBrien has taken a position with O'Brien Bros. According to The Chatham Planet Alex. has been filling the hats Planet Alex. has been filling the hats of the county town lacrosse players about the importation of players here. He is credited with saying, "that the Wallaceburg lacrosse club are practising every night and will put a good team in the field this year. They have secured the services of a goal keeper, named Smith, of Montreal, who played with the Shamrocks last year."—Wallaceburg Herald-Record.

Jos. Baker, charged with stealing two life insurance premiums from the Sun Life Assurance Co., was arraign-ed Saturday morning before Junga And the sea looks calm and holy waiting for the dawn of the golden sun, which draweth nigh;
When the mists are on the valley shading the vines from chill,
And the morning star is fading over the hill;
Behold I say unto you watch; let the door be on the latch
In your home; in the chill before the dawning I may come.

And the sea looks calm and holy waiting for the golden surrance premiums from the Sun Life Assurance premiums from the Sun Life Assurance Co., was arraigned Saturday morning before Junge Bell in the County Court. He pleaded guilty and, as he had made restitution and paid the costs, he was allowed to go on suspended sentence. Baker lives at Thamesville. The Crown Attorney, Herbert D. Smith, prosecuted, and W. E. Gundy defended.

> Guatemaia's Queer Indians. In Guatemala a race of Indians, the Nahuilas, numbering 30,000

the Nahuilas, numbering 30,000 souls, live in a gigantic caldron scooped out of the mountain, as it were, in the midst of the Cordillera, Four centuries ago, at the time of the Spanish conquest, they met Alvarado's army outside of their rocky, basin and gave it battle for an entire day, after which both they and the Spaniards appear to have been willing to treat for peace, and terms were agreed upon by which the Nahuilas promised to recognize the Spanish sovereign, the Spaniards on their part agreeing to leave the Indians alone in the future. And they have been pretty well left alone. They do not allow any stranger from the outside world to reside in their principal city, Santa Catalina, which is at the bottom of the bowl-like country, and they look with suppliers and the same the same and they look with suppliers and the same the same and they look with suppliers and the same and they look with suppliers and the same and they look with suppliers the same a like country, and they look with su-spicion upon any one passing through their domain. They govern through their domain. They govern themselves, although the Guatemalan Government pretends to exercise jurisdiction over them. They do not inter-marry with any of the people surrounding them.

How Liquid Fuel Is Used.

Those who have had no practical experience in the use of liquid fuel are often surprised at the elaborateness of some of the mathed. and Jos. Stewart.

May 2.—Mrs. W. A. Johnson and niece, Miss Sager, visited relatives in Dresden this week.

Tilbury East Council meets at Valetta on Monday.

A. F. Nelson received his new boiler and engine for the electric light power house this week.

A. I. McCall, of Chatham, was in town this week looking for a suitable stand for a drug store and expects to commence business here in about a month.

Miss Bell Wilson left to-day to visit her brother Bert in Wallaceburg.

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The Lake Eric Railroad are putting in a new spur for the T. H. Taylor Co. They have torn up the troublesome spur on Colborne street near Mr. Couzens' factory and placed it on Mr. ouzens' property.

At 8.30 yesterday morning 190 carrier pigeons were released at the C. P. R. depot by W. H. Harper. The pigeons came from Detroit via Dominion Express Co. and belonged to the Noah's Ark Homing Pigeon Club of the City of the Straits. The birds got away quickly, but circled a good many times before making a break for the west.

The Rateigh Oil Company will meet to-morrow night, when considerable business will be transacted. The stock in this company has gone up considerably since the well was struck. One member of the company was offered \$500 for his share, but he did not accept as he is not unxious to sell out. They are awaiting future developments.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Banning took place yesterday to the Maple Leaf cemetery. Rev. T. T. George officiated. It was very largely attended. The pall-bearers were M. Houston, S. T. Martin, F. Mc-Keough, J. Holmes, J. A. Walker and E. E. Parrott.

E. E. Parrott.

L. E. Tillson is enquiring from the people who own cottages at the Eau as to the desired train service to that popular summer resort on the 24th of May. In all probability a train will be run out Saturday night, May 23rd, and one on Monday morning, May 25th, at 7.30, returning Monday afternoon at three o'clock. Mr. Tillson would like to hear from some of the other cottagers. other cottagers.

TO BE ORDAINED

Slater Shoes

Mr. Torrie occupied the pulpit at the William St. Baptist Church at both services yesterday. He will have charge of this church until October He has just finished his course at Mc-Master University, and will be or-dained on the third Wednesday of this month, May 20th Mr. Torrie rooms at Mrs. Andrew's, William St.

WAS HONORED

Christ Church Sunday School was the scene of a pleasing little event yesterday afternoon, when Edward Cosgrave was presented with a silk umbrella. Mr. Shackleton made the A telegram was received this morning announcing the death of Dorman Messes at Louisville. Mr. Weese was in his 70th year and was one of the old settlers. He was in the city a week ago Thursday and caught cold while returning home. The funeral will take place Wednesday.

The care day School. Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School as secretary for the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School as week ago Thursday and caught cold was felt that the Sunday School ould not permit Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School as week ago Thursday and caught cold was felt that the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School as week ago Thursday and caught cold was felt that the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School as week ago Thursday and caught cold was felt that the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School as week ago Thursday and caught cold was felt that the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School as week ago Thursday and caught cold was felt that the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School as week ago Thursday and caught cold was felt that the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School as week ago Thursday and caught cold was felt that the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had faitheally served the Sunday School of the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had resigned in the past seven years, and, as Mr. Cosgrave had resigned in the past seven years, and as well as the past seven years, and as well as the past ye presentation on behalf of the Sunday energetic services.

CHICAGO MARKETS

OPEN	HIGHE	ST CLOS	E LOW	787
	731	731	723	729
Wheat July	703	701	701	701
May	451	458	441	449
Corn July	444	448	441	441
	314	323	314	318
May July	294	295	291	291
May	1707	1717	1705	1715
Pork July	1670	1685	1670	1680
May	925	927	917	920
Lard July	925	925	922	925
May	942	945	942	942
July	937	942	937	935

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WORLD OF SPORT

FOOTBALL

A practice of the local team will be held to-night at seven o'clock

LACROSSE

A practice will be held to-night at half past six o'clock. Every member should be present in uniform.

The Blenheim lacrosse team will play here on the 13th of May. The Chatham team will be picked from those who attend the practices.

BASEBALL

GRAYS WIN.

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The stock room employees at Wm. Gray & Sons factory gave the "Grays" a good practice game on Saturday evening. "Joss" Douglas, as usual, was in the box for the Grays, while Rankin and Alexandria did the twirling for the stock room. Burns, the Grays third baseman, played a good game and is an acquisition to the team. The work of Smith on first and Fox and Trott for the stock room, was very good. The game was always in the hands of pitcher Douglas, although he was hit quite hard in the third and fourth innings. The score was as follows: was as follows:

Batteries—Douglas and Barrett; Rankin, Alexandria and Head. At-

CLIPPERS VICTORIOUS.

Joe. Robert, of this city, who played with the Aberdeens last year, is attending college in Toronto and will tour this summer with the Varsity baseball team.

baseball team.

Under a heading "R. O. Miller in the lead," the Mail and Empire says "the ten games that Toronto played against the local ameteur mines gave them an excellent opportunity to do some heavy batting. R. O. Miller is the leader with .800, but the real leader is Massey ...with White and Kuhns following in order named." Miller secured four hits and two runs out of five times up.

The Grays and the C. M. C. team will play next Saturday afternoon at five o'clock.

The painters of the city are organizing a baseball team. Mr. White is signing members.

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rifice hits-Schiebeck, Downey. Stole
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Double plays-McAleese, Schiebeck an
Lepine. Innings pitched—By Leith 2, b
McAleese 7, by Pearson 4, by Mason
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THE MARKET REPORTS.

Grain is Higher-The Live Stock Trade-Latest Quotations. Saturday Evening, May 2.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

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The total grain on the market amounted to 1,500 bushels. Receipts in all lines were heavier and trade was generally brisk. Wheat—Two hundred bushels of white sold at 13½c per bushel; 300 bush of red sold at 13½c per bushel; 300 bush of red sold at 13½c.

Barley—One hundred bushels sold at 43c per bushel.

Oats—Six hundred bushels sold at 35½c to 35½c per bushel.

Dressed Hogs—The market continues steady. Light-weight hogs are quoted at \$2.50 to \$3.75 per cwt, and heavies at \$7.25 to \$7.50.

Butter—A large number of farmers had autter on the market to-day, and the stalls were well crowded with buyers. Pound rolls sold at about 21 to 24c, and large rolls at 16c to 20c per lb. Eggs—Were fairly plentiful. New-laid sold at 12½c to 18c per dozen.

Hay—About 30 loads were on the market. No. 1 timothy sold at \$12 to \$14 per ton, and mixed or clover was steady at \$6 to \$3.

Straw—One load was sold at \$5 per ton.

Cheese Markets.

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Cowansville, May 2.—At the weekly meeting of ti- District of Bedford Dalry Association, h.ld here to-day, If creameries offered 867 boxes butter, 20 factories offered 857 boxes butter, 20 factories offered 856 boxes cheese. Willer and Riley secured 34 boxes of butter at 18½c and 185 boxes cheese at 113-16. Guhn and Langlois secured 378 boxes of butter at 18½c and 85 boxes at 18½c. Hodgson Bros. secured 78 boxes butter at 18½c, 23 at 18½c, and 185 boxes at 113-16. Boxes at 18½c. A. W. Ghat secured 18 boxes at 113-16c. 18 boxes at 18½c. A. A. Ayer and 25 boxes butter at 18½c, 25 at 18½c, and 85 boxes at 11½c. A. W. Ghat secured 18 boxes at 11½c. A. A. Ayer and D. A. McPle boxes butter at 18½c, and 20 boxes butter at 18½c, and 20 boxes butter at 18½c, and 20 boxes butter at 18½c. Can boxes butter at 18½c. The secured 18 boxes cheese were boxed butter were offered 385 boxes white cheese. April make, Sales were 112 boxes at 12 1-16c. Canton, N.Y. May 2.—Offered, 41 boxes large, 346 boxes twin cheese. 474 tubs butter. Large cheese sold at 11½c, cornwall. May 2.—Nine hundred and twenty-nine boxes of cheese were boarded at the Cornwall Cheese Board to-day, of which 53 were white and 304 colored, at 13 sold at 11½c. Lovell and Christmas got 6f. Hodgson Box. 499, and James Alexander 283.

Watertown, N.Y. May 2.—On the Cheese Board to-day, 1,572 boxes of cheese sold at 11½c.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

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Bast Buffalo, May 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; market nominal. Veals — Receipts, 130 head; 25c lower; tops, \$8.25 to \$6.50; common to good, \$4.55 to \$6.50; common to good, \$4.55 to \$7.55 to \$7.55; new, \$7.30; mixed, \$7.15 to \$7.25; new, \$7.30; mixed, \$7.15 to \$7.20; Yorkers and pigs, \$7.30 to \$7.55; neughis, \$6.35 to \$6.40; stages, \$4.75 to \$5.25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, \$7.300 head; steady; top lambs, \$7.25 to \$7.35; culls to good, \$4 to \$7.15; sheep, to \$7.35; culls to good, \$4 to \$7.15; sheep, panixed, \$4.75 to \$5; culls to good, \$2 to \$4.70. New York, May 2.—Beeves — Receipts, 12; all direct; no trading to-day. Exports—1,550 cattle and \$3.500 quarters of beef. Calves—No receipts and no trading; feeling steady. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,30; sheep slow to a shade lower; lambs

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To-day we passed through Customs two shipments of Lace Curtains direct from the manufacturers in Nottingham, Eng. These goods were due to arrive here six weeks ago, but owing to delay we only received them to-day. We have decided owing to such a big stock coming at such a late date to make

a speedy clearance of the lot.

This week will be a Special Sale Week of Lace Curtains. We are going to sell these Curtains cheaper than we have ever sold similar qualities. If you are in need of Lace Curtains now is the time to buy.

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Regular \$1.25 Lace Curtains, priced specially at \$1.00 Pair 2.00 1.60 2.40 · 2.80 3.50 4.00 3.20 5.00 4.00 6.50 5.20 66 6.40 10.00 priced specially at 8.00

We have also in stock a very complete stock of Bobbinet Curtains and the Net by the yard to show you.

A Special in Oak Window Poles complete for 12½c.

Late Arrivals In Dress Fabrics....

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White cheviot vestings, just in, 32 inches wide, fine matte weave, with small designs, bright mercerised finish, soft make, a yard

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17 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 450 Plain satin finish, twilled drill, for ladies' outing suits, superior to P. K., at per yard New grenadine waisting, white only, narrow stripe of open work with wider and fancy mercerised stripe, correct for warm weather, at a yard

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Special showing of Men's Suits Saturday. See east window.

Men's All Wool Tweed Sults at \$5.00, in plain all wool dark blue Serge, and nice dark pattern tweeds, single breasted sack coats, full range sizes

Men's Black and Blue Worsted Serge Nuits, Special, **\$7.50**, A very special line solid Worsted Serges in plain dark indigo blue plain black, single and double breasted styles, sold in most stores as high as \$10. Men's Novelty Pattern Suits at \$10, in the new chalk lines and

pattern tweeds, all the latest effects-the new cut coats, high cut vest, genteel and Men's Handsome Fine Worsted Suits \$12 to \$15, the

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Special per G. N. W. Toronto, May 4.—10 a. m.—Wester-ly winds; fair, and a little warmer. Tuesday, southerly winds, showery.

The following figures were register-ed to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau: Thermometer 37. Highest yesterday 52. Lowest yesterday 32. Direction of wind, southeast.

TO-NIGHT.

Western City Lodge meets to-night Football practice, Tecumseh Park. City Council, Harrison Hall, at 8

Park St. Methodist League, S. S. hall, at 8. "B" Company will drill at the drill shed at 8.

Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh Park, at 6.30. "Under Two Flags," Grand Opera House, at 8.15.

Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 8 o'clock, sharp.

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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Ladies' shirt waist lengths and adies' collars at The 2 T's. Before buying your lace curtains see the stock at Thibodeau & Jacques'. D. L. Milton and J. Bedford, of

Ridgetown, were Chatham visitors on Saturday. Saturday.
Crystal Cord Silks, special for skirts, at 50c., black and colors, at

Thibodeau & Jacques'.

Mr. and Mrs. F. McDonell, of King,
are visiting Mrs. McDonell's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Bosworth, Lorne

A meeting of those interested in the King street pavement are requested to meet in the Gas Office to-morrow

Every Housekeeper wants Lace Curtains during this month. See the large assortment at Thibodeau &

Mrs. F. F. Quinn and family left for Glencoe on Saturday, where they will reside until Mr. Quinn settles upon a location. He will leave for Winnipeg next week. next week.

A very important meeting of the retail clerks is called for Tuesday evening, May 5th, at 8 o'clock, in Federation Hall, over Cowan's shoe store. Two executive officers will be present and explain fully the character and workings of the union. Everybody come!

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The regular meeting of Wellington Masonic Lodge, No. 46, G. R. C., will be held this evening at 7.30, charp, when considerable work will be performed, including the discussion of special business of an important nature. A large attendance particular ture. A large attendance particular-ly requested. Visiting brethren are invited.

MR. RIDLEY GONE

The quarters of the old Gun Club were the scene of an interesting gathering on Saturday evening, when Fred Ridley, the financial manager of the Club, was presented with a members of the club were present, when Dr. I. L. Nicholl, with a few well chosen words, made the presen-

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tion on behalf of the members. Mr. Ridley sincerely thanked his brother members for their gift.

Mr. Ridley was one of the finest spoung men in the city. For nearly 19 years he was a salesman with the firm of Thomas Stone & Son, but he severed his connection with that business house a week ago to take a position as manager of a large store at Saskatoon, N. W. T. When leaving the firm of Thomas Stone & Son, Mr. Stone presented him with a handsome meerschaum pipe and his fellow-clerks gave him a beautiful gold locket engraved with his initials. The gift was accompanied by an address clearly desired and accompanied by an address that are satisfying to you.

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Mr. Ridley left on the 3.32 p. m. C.
P. R. express for Toronto. After spending a few days in that city purchasing stock, Mr. Ridley will leave for his future home at Saskatoon, N. W. T., Mr. Ridley's many warm personal friends in this city hited to see him go, but wish him every success in his new home.



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LET JUSTICE BE DONE

At their meeting on Saturday the collowing resolution was passed by the Kent County Council, as noted in Saturday's Planet:

Moved by Reycraft, seconded by Hornall, "that A. L. Shambleau, the late treasurer, should, in the opinion of the Council, be prosecuted, and that the Crown Attorney be requested to act upon this suggestion."

Some time ago A. L. Shamble was arrested on two charges of theft and one of forgery. After a number of remands, his bondsmen having effeeted a settlement with the County Council the prosecution was dropped no evidence being offered.

This phase of the affair caused a good deal of indignation and adverse comment upon the way this case was dealt with as compared with other cases, the general opinion throughout the County being that the County should have demanded his prosecution.

The question naturally arose as to

who was responsible for dropping the prosecution, the County Council, the Crown Attorney or the Government. It was well known, both by the County Council and Mr. Shambleau's friends, that the Crown Attorney said that he could see no reason for treating this case differently from any other case of theft or forgery, and

if the matter were left to him the prosecution would go on. It is safe to say, therefore, that the prosecution was not stayed by him of his own free will. It is understood that Shambleau's

friends represented to the Government that the County Council, by not placing themselves on record as desiring a prosecution and compromising the theft, wished it to be inferred

ting people relieved of the responsi-bilities of their misdemeanors.

The above we believe to be the facts in this case and we trust that justice will now be done. It is not now the case of the man and his family, but the case of the County Parliament of Kent setting an example to the rest of the community in seeing that the laws of this County If a man is a jay a white vest are administered as they should be won't save him. eral's Department to see that the local authorities have a free hand and are not prevented from doing

Let justice be done

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The report of the Provincial Municipal Auditor for the year 1902 has been issued by the Government in pamphlet form

The municipalities of the County of Kent were reported upon as having been inspected in November last The treasurers of Wallaceburg, Thamesville, Blenheim, Dresden, Howard, Orford, Bothwell and Tiburg East are complimented on the state of their books and the way they are

rept.
The treasurers of Chatham Town-

ing the theft, wished it to be inferred that they did not want a prosecution to be carried on. It is also said among the knowing ones that this, coupled with a big 'political pull,' caused the Crown Attorney to receive instructions to drop the prosecution. At the time The Planet endeavored to interview Mr. Smith but he, being a public officer, declined to make any statement.

The action of the Council on Saturday, if followed up by their laying an information and furnishing the Crown Attorney with the necessary evidence, relieves the County of the stigma under which it has been resting for the past two months of being a party to the compounding of a party to the compounding of a

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POURING INTO MACEDONIA. The Country is Overrun With Turk-

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Uskub, Macedonia, via London, May -Sympathies go with interests : that is the key to the race problem in Mace-The fact that all the other races of the provinces are in sympathy with the Turk, or, rather, are prejudiced against the Bulgarians, might be taken by loose reasoners as a conclusive argument against their cause, but it would leave out of account the in-terests of rival peoples. I have tried to explain why the Bulgarians have no to explain why the Bulgarians have no friends among Albanians, Greeks and Servians. If Macedonia should secure autonomy, the principal race would appeal to Bulgaria for annexation. Russian statesmen in 1878 were confident that Bulgaria would be practically a province of the great northern power. Lord Beaconsfield thought so also, for in the treaty of Barlia with the hold. Lord Beaconsfield thought so also, for in the treaty of Berlin, with the help of Prince Bismarck, he cut off Macedonia, which had a Mediterranean coast, and gave it back into the Sultan's hands. Now that Bulgaria has shown capacity for self-government, the English people would no doubt like to see a strong buffer State south of Russia, to block her way to the sea. On the other hand, Russian diplomacy prefers to been the Belles States divided other hand, Russian diplomacy prefers to keep the Balkan States divided and helpless. If Bulgaria, with Macedonia added to her domain, becomes a powerful State, she will no longer be a mechanical instrument in the hands of the Czar. Russia now controls her Ministry, but the people are becoming bitter and resentful, and are eager to work out the salvation of Macedonia and their

The railway lines are a sight. At the stations troops, troops, troops. You pass through a file of them to the officer who examines you tescaries, without which you cannot move a mile anywhere. You march out to your hotel followed by soldiers if, as a newspaper correspondent, you happen to incur suspicion as a fpy. Patrols pass up and down the cressites from section to section, Soldiers stand sentry within earshot of one another. On much of the railway line blockhouses are constructed; in some sections similar structures are building, and on the remainder tents are pitched, and temporary brush huts are raised. The flagman carries his weapon and his military escort. Troop trains are twice as frequent as other trains, and behind every freight or passenger train trail several cars filled with new recruits or seasoned reinforcements. In the towns soldiers passenger train trail several cars filled with new recruits or seasoned reinforcements. In the towns soldiers are stationed every fifty yards; at night they are massed more closely. Patrols parade continually. Every day regiments march through the streets, with bands playing and colors flying. The border is now impassable except in a few places, which, from natural environment, can never be closed. It is said that from 80.000 to 300.000 troops are in Macedonia. The figures, like all those which one obtains in the Orient, may be untrustworthy, but at least I have seen the conditions which I am describing. In addition to the regular troops, there are the bashi-bazouks—a comprehensive term embracing all who take up arms against the Christian population—and they are an important reserve whenever a fight takes place.

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BY MATY WOOD

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Under the brilliant southern stars the white camellias gleamed waxlike. Be-tween the glossy leaves a slender figthe leaned over the low white wall that skirted the garden. It seemed a spirit of the night, that face shadowed by dusky hair, gazing down with

troubled eyes into the passionate one raised to her own.

"Camille," he whispered, "mia bella, must I still implore you? It is that you do not love me, cruel one."

He seized her hands imperiously as if to draw her to him. They trembled in his hot grasp as her voice sighed:
"Filipe, it is you who are cruel. You know—the granpere is so old. He has

none but me. It would kill him if I should fly with you." The girl's charming patois betrayed the daughter of France, while her deep, mysterious eyes were the heritage of some Indian beauty—a quadroon girl, but none the less vaunted as the heiress of old M. Le Moyne and the belle of St. Pierre, where the color line is but loosely drawn. Her granpere planned great things for her when they should go to Paris in the fall. She was so beautiful; a prince perhaps, or at least

And she? She had already given her heart to the keeping of Filipe, he who only owned a small lugger plying be-tween Martinique and Guadeloupe.

a count.

She loved him, and yet she answered all his prayers with "Wait!" Filipe could not understand it. As the night wind, perfumed with the scent of a hundred flowers, caressed her cheek his heart was suddenly filled with a passionate jealousy. She was so beautiful, and she loved him alone, and yet the fates had placed her high above him, so that, as now, he could barely touch the tips of her delicate fingers with his lips. The hot blood of Spain that lent color to his swarthy cheek and fire to his dark eye could not brook

such thwarting.
"Camille," he cried impetuously, "let me again implore you! Come with me. The white sails of my Santa Maria will bear you safely to Basse Terre,



THERE, AMID THE BLACKENED STEMS, LAY

and there I have a friend, a good padre who will make us one. Come,

His voice had softened to infinite tenderness. Camille leaned heavily against the wall, and her words were broken by longing as she whispered,

"I cannot"

A hot tear splashed down upon his hand, but he drew it away roughly. "Enough of tears!" he cried bifterly. "They cost you nothing, while I-I am eating my heart out for you. But you have said 'No' once too often. I swear to you'-and he raised his hand and pointed to the distant mountain peak half cloaked in vapor—"I swear to you that your sleeping Pelee shall wake to life before I again seek for your love!" Camille gave a cry of anguish, but it fell on ears all unheeding. Filipe strode down the road toward the quay

with never a backward glance. girl's face was as waxen as her name sake's, and like a rudely broken flower she sank on her knees against the wall. Above her sobs came the rumble of Pelee's voice, but she did not hear.

It was at Basse Terre that the news came to Filipe-came in a swift succession of horrible rumors, each more terrifying than the last. Pelee had awakened. And St. Pierre? No one

And Camille? Filipe prayed in his heart when his dry lips refused to move. So benumbed were his senses from anguish and suffering that the memory of his oath had no longer power to move him. The Santa Maria was headed directly for the port of St. Pierre. Her decks were strewn with ashes and stones, her sails and with ashes and stones, her salls and rigging torn and broken, yet gallantly she rode this unknown sea of dirty safron color, whose sullen water was cumbered with wreckage. She had met huge tidal waves that swept away her crew, for she could not fail the hand of the man at the helm. The pilot's eyes, bloodshot by long hours of vigil, were fixed on the blazing heaps which alone remained to tell the heaps which alone remained to tell the story of St. Pierre.

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wreckage on the water. Filipe had sunk on his knees, as if fearful of recognizing a beloved face among them. But the Santa Maria, driven on by a sudden breeze, headed straight for the quay that lay nearest to where the white wall still showed amid the stricken garden.

Hardly conscious of having made the landing, he staggered up the walk and leaped the wall. A groan escaped his lips. There, amid the blackened stems of the camellias, lay a body. It was burned to a crisp far beyond recogni-tion, but the lover could not doubt. Around was silence, desolation, death. And here lay Camille. "She was watching for me-for the

heartless one," he muttered. Then sudden fury seized him.

shall not leave you here, my flower one!" he cried. "There must be places on this accursed island still untouched by fire. I will lay you to sleep there under fragrant blossoms, and then perhaps the saints will ease me of my misery." Stripping off his coat, he wrapped it

tenderly about the body, hiding the face, and bore it down to the quay. Again the favoring wind sprang up,

and the Santa Maria crept slowly down the bay, and still the voice of Pelee thundered from the peak wreathed in forked lightnings. Her ashes fell ceaselessly on the shrouded figure at the foot of the mast and on the head of the pilot. His hands and face were blackened and burned and his eyes were blinded by smoke and dust, but his hand still kept the helm and the Santa Maria her way.

The Dixle's deck was crowded with anxious men, for were they not already entering the great zone of ashes that surrounded the fated island? Through the gloom came the gleam of a sail. "Ship ahoy!" brought no an-

'Probably refugees and too dazed to speak," one man said commiseratingly. "No; not dazed—only dead," another replied, for Pelee had added another victim to her list, and the saints had released Filipe from his misery. haps-who knows?-he found his flower one again in all her radiant beauty, where camellias ever bloom.

A woman can look more completely disgusted than a man.

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robe is not difficult of construction and ought to be an easy problem for the ordinary handy man about the house.

The piece of furniture in the sketch is of weathered oak, with hinges and door handles of hammered pewter, but the idea is one that might successfully be carried out in any desired variety of wood and ornamentation and toned down to severe simplicity as taste may dictate. The interior of the wardrobe might be fitted up one part with hooks, one part with shelves and one part for packing away purposes, while the low-er part for drawers may be enlarged or modified to suit the will of the pos

Teach Your Daughter to Work. Any American girl is possibly and probably going to need to fall back upon her own resources some time. The ups and downs of fortune are too certain and too conspicuous to need pointing out. To bring up a girl without any training in a useful occupation is not simply improvident and foolish, but it is wicked. Feminine character needs independence to make and keep it sweet and perfect. The darkest tragedies of life grow out of the ignorance, helplessness and dependence of women. Courage, training in work, independence of character and self reliance-these, with high ideals of womanhood for inspiration, are what ev ery girl needs. Only through intelligent work can the highest character be attained, and the growth of character is the whole purpose of this school which we call "the world."—Woman's Home Companion.

Never Kill Rats With Poison To administer poison to rats in the house in which human beings dwell is foldish. It is criminal. Let the thieving little beast be doctored with a death dealing dose of arsenic, strychnine or prussic acid, and in the threes of approaching dissolution he doubles him-self up in a narrow space between the walls or in some close corner in the dark cellar and dies. In a few hours the horrible stench of his decomposing body permeates the atmosphere of the house, and in a day or two the atmosphere is saturated with mephitic gases that indicate other sources of contagion that may cause death. When war is made upon the rat in the house, let him be caught in a trap. Any trap that is workable will do.

The Solecism Box. The children of our household writer in a magazine, take a great deal of interest in what is known in the family as "the solecism box." This is a small box into which any one may drop a slip of paper recording an error eech that has come under his notice. These notes are not made personal at all, although at the weekly opening of the box some of us readily recognize and acknowledge our mistakes. The fear of being "put in the box," I believe, makes even the grownups a little more careful than we should otherwise be.

Put children to bed early. If you have to look after your children yourself don't let them sit up late as a rule on any terms. You need and ought to have some time to yourself for rest and recreation, and it will be bad for the children as well as yourself if you don't get it. The important thing is, get your get it. The important thing is, get your thoughts directed into fresh channels or in time you will find it difficult to talk or think of anything except the house and the children.

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Can it be that Mars is inhabited? The question, though not discussed very seriously of late, has doubtless been suggested again to many Torontonians by the play, "A Message from Mars," recently produced at one of the city theaters. Quite apropos, an article appears in the "Youth's Companion," by Professor Simon Newcomb, the celebrated astronomer, entitled, "Are Other World's Inhabited?" Speaking of Mars, Professor Newcomb, says:

"It was long supposed that the surface of this planet resembled our earth in every feature that we could discern with the telescope. The most curious analogy, and one of the first to be noticed, was in the existence of a brilliant white region round each pole of the planet, looking like a white cap. When the sun shone on the north pole the cap diminished, sometimes almost disappearing; when the pole was turned away from the sun the cap increased in extent. There would seem to be no doubt of the cause. Snow and ice are deposited in winter on the poles of Mars, as on the poles of the earth, and in summer these deposits melt away under the heat of the sun. Supposing this to be the case, it would seem that there must be an atmosphere on the planet with clouds and vapor, as there is around our globe. But the most recent observations, both with the telescope and spectroscope, fail to show any well-marked signs of an atmosphere round the planet, or of any clouds or vapor obscuring the surface. If an inhabitant of Mars should look on our earth with a telescope, he would frequently find large portions of the suratmosphere round the planet, or of any clouds or vapor obscuring the surface. If an inhabitant of Mars should look on our earth with a telescope, he would frequently find large portions of the surface, hidden from his sight by bright white clouds. Only when the clouds disappear here and there would he see the outlines of oceans and continents. But it seems that in Mars the outlines of the surface are always visible. Sometimes, they appear more distinct that they do at other times, but this is probably due to the varying clearness of our own atmosphere. If there are no air and no clouds on Mars, how can there he any vapors to condense round the poles? The answer is very simple. If there is any water on the surface of the planet, it would still evaporate very slowly, whether there was any air or not. This vapor would condense again on the colder portions round the poles. There could, however, be so little of the vapor that we could hardly suppose a great snowfall. Very likely the condensation may be little more than hoar froat. With our telescopes we can tell nothing about the thickness of the coat; the thinnest layer of frost on the surface would present the same appearance as the thickest ice-caps. It has also been suggested that some other substance than water might produce the white caps, carbonic acid, for example, which condenses into flakes like those of snow under very great cold. What we know of the subject may then be condensed into the simple statement that if Marshas any atmosphere at all, it is much rarer than that of our earth, and that if there is water on the planet, which is very likely, there is not enough of it to form extensive clouds in its very thin atmosphere. Every reader of astronomical literature has heard of the supposed canals on Mars. But these are not canals at all, but simply long streaks stretching from point to point on the planet, slightly darker than the rest of its surface. They must be at least a hundred miles in breadth to be visible as they are. They cannot possibly be the w A WORD TO WOMEN.

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A Cosmopolitan Crowd.

In the absence of the King, the attention of London has turned to the picturesque delegates of royalty from the far corners of the earth who are now in the metropolis. "Never have the streets of London presented so cosmopolitan an appearance," any a London correspondent; the crests of the nation from the furthermost quarters af the earth have been exploring the empire's capital. Black, yellow and brown faces, surmounting guudy, fantastic costumes, are met everywhere. Muffled gibbering and a soft, monotonous pattering of feet are heard, and one turns to see a big burly figure in a short, heavy blue coat, under which is suspended a kind of linen apron drawn close around the hips and resching to the knee, while below are a pair of chony legs and huge, bare feet. After him come some twenty more, all smilling and chattering, and all similarly attired, each of them carrying a small rattan cane tucked under the right arm in the fashion popular with Tommies. These picturesque men are merely the Fiji police, come to London to do honor to their emperor. Then there are splendid native Indian soldiers, in their picturesque turbans, or puggarees, and glittering buttons. With black, shifting eyes, they stride along like kings, and, to tell the truth, the average London man who walks near them seems ridiculously insignificant. These fighting men, devoid of much that civilization is supposed to bestow, are superb in their indifference to the gaping crowds. There are also little men from the remote Straits Settlement; mild-looking, tawny-complexioned Hindoos, in snowy white robes and pink or red turbans; stout, black-frocked Bengalese, with no head-covering at all; and men from every British colony or dependency, as well as almost every orther action in the world.

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Toronto, May 4.-An important injunction affecting labor un ions has been granted by Mr. Justice Britton on the application of George A. Rudd & Co. and Adams of George A. Rudd & Co. and Adams Bros., harnessmakers, of this city. There is a strike on, and some of the employees of these firms are out, and an advertisement was inserted in The Mail and Empire as follows:—"Harness and collar makers keep away from Toronto and Toronto Junction; trouble on." Acting for the two firms, Mr. Geo. H. Watson, K.C., applied for an interim injunction restraining The Mail and Empire from publishing this advertisement, and Mr. Justice Britton granted an injunction till Thursday next. The newspaper, it is understood, will not oppose the application, and it will remain therefore for the labor unions to oppose the granting of an injunction.

The chronic invalid is often suffer-ing from fatty degeneration of the imagination

THREE HUNDRED DEAD. Result of the Disturbances at Sal-

Paris, May 2 .- A despatch received here from Salonica says that the police there, in their search for persons suspected of being concerned in the dynamite outrages, discovered that the revolutionists had mined the principal districts of the town, with the intention of blowing them up simultaneously, but circumstances forced them to act before their preparations were finished, and the planned disaster was averted. The Turkish population, however, is dangerously inflamed. It is estimated that three hundred persons are dead as the result of the outbreaks. One thousand arrests have been made.

A complete bomb manufacturing plant has been discovered in a shoemaker's shop, communicating by an underground passage with the Ottoman Bank. It is feared that the presence of the three Austrian warships, which arrived here yester'ay, will encourage the Bulgarians to irritate the Turks, who up to the present time have behaved well. dynamite outrages, discovered that the

LOSS BY FOREST FIRES.

DISTRICT NORTH OF SHARBOT LAKE RAVAGED.

Bridges, Lumber and Cordwood Burned-Many Narrow Escapes Forest Fires in Quebec Dying

Kingston, May 4 - Disastrous fires have in the north country, north of Sharbot Lake, since Wednesday last, destroying thousands of acres of fine standing timber, cut lumber, devastating homesteads and doing incalculable damage. The loss cannot be estimated. Farmers have had the results o their life's work swept away in a few minutes in the mad rush of the devouring element. Many families have been rendered homeless and destitute, and hardship abounds on all sides. Herds of cattle, horses and other farm stock, unable to escape, were swallowed up by the flames. Many narrow escapes are recorded, but fortunately to lives were lost.

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The fire started at a point northwest of Plevna; where farmers were clearing land by burning underbrush. A stiff breeze sprang up unexpectedly, and carried the flames into the tall tumbers, where they were soon beyond human control. With a noise resembling the roar of the mighty Niagara, the fire swept onward, destroying everything in its path. So quickly did it advance that farmers and their families were forced to flee to open fields in order to save their lives. When the fire had passed the families returned to where their homes had stood, to find nothing left but ashes. The village of Vennachar was cleaned out, and practically wiped from the face of the map. Fears are also entertained for the safety of Plevna, as no late word has been received. Where once prosperity reigned, now is all desolation—burned farms. Mackaned.

tertained for the safety of Plevna, as no late word has been received. Where once prosperity. reigned, now is all desolation—burned farms, blackened and charred timbers, ruined prospects and saddened hearts. The path of the fire covered a wide area, and nothing destructible escaped. The smoke was so dense that people for miles around suffered from its effects.

Peter Lee of the Iron City House, Ompah, had a thrilling experience. He had driven up the country a few miles to secure the services of a girl to attend his sick wife. On the way back the two encountered the fire. Before they could escape they found themselves surrounded. The girl wrapped her head in a shawl, leaving one ear exposed, unknowingly. This ear was so badly burned that at least half of it will be lost. Putting the whip to the frightened horse, Mr. Lee hoped to escape through the wall of flame which almost surrounded him and his charge. Away dashed the horse, but, unfortunately, the trunk of a fallen tree obstructed the roadway, and when the rig struck this the horse booke loose leave.

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The loss created by the fire is beyond timbered land have been laid waste. It was one of the severest catastrophes that has ever visited this section of the

that has ever visited this section of the country.

London, Ont., May 4—A disastrous fire in Ilderton that broke out early Saturday morning for a time threatened the destruction of the village. It started in the grain store of Squire Patrick, which was destroyed together with the stables of Patrick's Hotel, with their contents, and the general store of Postmaster J. H. McRae. Some of the contents of Mr. McRae's store and living apartments were saved, but the loss will amount to several thousand dollars. The store was valued at \$3,500 and the stock at \$3,000, partly insured in the Economical, the National, the Atlas and the London Mutual. Loss on stables and grain store not given. According to some estimates, the total loss is \$15,000. But for the splendid work of the villagers, women as well as men, who pluckily feught the flames, the destruction would have been widespread, as a brisk breeze was blowing. Shawingan Falls. Que. May 4.—The fire in the bush at this place subsided Saturday, and all danger is now past. There was no damage done to any buildings, the fire being confined to the mountain.

THE KING'S MOVEMENTS.

CLOSING INCIDENTS OF HIS MAJESTY'S VISIT TO PARIS.

Reviewed Many Troops-Brigade of Cavalry Furnished a Stirring Climax-A Beautiful Cup Presented by the Municipality.

Paris, May 4-The picturesque fea-tures of King Edward's visit to Paris are practically over. The incidents of yesterday were comparatively quiet, but newal of the Anglo-French good will. His Majesty, in the morning, took a seemed to enjoy mingling in the throng of church-goers, who were clad in bright spring attire. King Edward wore a dark grey morning suit, and a high hat. He carried a cane in his left hand and walked briskly with Sir Edmund K. Monson, the British Ambassador Crowds of people gathered at the Brit-ish Embassy and along the thorough-fares where his Majesty passed, and gave mild demonstrations of good-

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will.

In the afternoon King Edward planted a chestnut tree in the garden of the British Embassy, in commemoration of his visit, and received the orphaned pensioners of the British Institution, the corner-stone of which he laid when he was Prince of Wales. His Majesty also found time to discuss the purchase of a new auto.

To-night a gala dinner was given at the British Embassy to President Loubet. This was followed by a concert by the leading artists of the opera.

The decoration of a number of French officials by King Edward is announced. The members of the King's party have received the decoration of the Order of the Legion of Honor.

A dramatic climax of the review was the furious charge of the whole brigade of cavalry. It was a blood-stirring sight as the solid line of horsemen swept straight toward the King's ribune, the cavalrymen yelling and brandishing their sabres and terminating with an abrupt halt in unbroken column immediately in front of the tribune.

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The King rose and bowed his acknowledgments of the salutes of the commanders, and addressed words of congratulation to President Loubet on the splendid discipline and appearance of the troops.

Later King Edward was driven to the Hotel De Ville, where he was welcomed as the guest of the municipality. The crowds everywhere continued their friendly manifestations.

At the Hotel de Ville King Edward made his first formal speech in France. He referred to the beauty of Paris, and assured the officials he would not soon forget his visit to this charming city or the bounteous reception accorded him. The King then drank some champagne from an exquisite cup presented to him by the municipality. It is of crystal, chased with gold, and represents two sirens, with arms entwined, offering a cup. The Mayor expressed his best wishes for the health of Queen Alexandra and the other members of the royal family, for which the King heartily thanked him.

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layers, 200 stonemasons and stonema-sons' laborers, 100 city teamsters and about 200 asphalt paviors, who are tak-ing a holiday, with the prospect of many more to-day if a speedy settle-

many more to-day if a speedy settlement is not reached.

"The situation of the strike is unchanged" was the report handed out at the meeting of the builders' laborers in Occident Hall. It was reported that several stonemasons had, besides their own duties, performed those of laborers, which is considered a serious offence among the craft, and a committee was appointed to deal with the matter.

A SAD FATALITY.

Little Boy Shot by Father While Hld-

Bloomfield, May 4.-A sad accident occurred Friday noon at the farm of Mr. Geo. Martin, Ridge Row. Mr. Martin had recently shot a number of woodchucks, and while at work thought he saw another hiding behind a stump some distance from him. Mr. Martin ran for his. gun, but no sooner had he fired than he heard a scream from his little four-year-old son, whom he had shot through the back of the head. Medical aid was immediately obtained, but the child only survived a few hours. of Mr. Geo. Martin, Ridge Row. Mr.

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NAKED DOUKHOBORS.

IMMIGRATION AGENTS DIS-PERSE A MEETING.

Three Delegates From Yorkton Agi-

Three Delegates From Yorkton Agitating a Pilgrimage in a North Saskatchewan Village Sent Home Mounted Police in Charge of Other Parties.

Bopadano, North Saskatchewan, May 4. — Immigration agents burst into large meetings consisting of several hundred delegates from four Doukhobor villages here yesterday, while three delegates from Yorkton were endeavoring to make an uprising, and were preparing to lead a pilgrimage. Under the influence of the excitement one hundred members of the settlements decided they would release all cattle, cease using the product of animals, and go in search of Jesus. Early in the morning a service was held near the village, which was attended by men and women in a nude state. Serious results were expected from the outbreak, as seeding operations are just beginning, and Agent Speers ordered the metaling to doubt a like amount and make an examination of it.

Three men who visited the top of Turtte Mountain returned, giving alarming reports of fissures some ten feet in width, five hundred feet deep and extending along the mountain one thousand feet. These fissures some ten feet in width, five hundred feet deep and extending along the mountain one thousand feet. These fissures some ten feet in width, five hundred feet deep and extending along the mountain one thousand feet. These fissures some ten feet in width, five hundred feet deep and extending along the mountain one thousand feet. These fissures some ten feet in width, five hundred feet deep and extending along the mountain one thousand feet. These fissures some ten feet in width, five hundred feet deep and extending along the mountain one thousand feet. These fissures some ten feet in width, five hundred feet deep and extending along the mountain one thousand feet. These fissures some ten feet in width, five hundred feet deep and extending along the mountain one thousand feet. These fissures some ten feet in width, five hundred feet in the rear of the crif in width, five hundred feet in the rear of the cliff. As a result of the repor

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Winnipeg, May 3.—A despatch from Lovell's Ferry, elbow of the 'Saskatchewan, says:—Thanks to the promptness of the Officials of the Immigration Department, what threatened to be another Doukhobor crusade was this afternoon mipped in the bud. Three agitators from the Yorkton colony, pilgrims in the movement last winter, have been for twenty days in the neighborhood, agitating for another crusade. They brought disciples from Troiske and other villages on the north of the Saskatchewan, to the number of 60. A sort of religious service was held at 4 o'clock this morning, at which four men and four women stripped naked. This afternoon the three leaders crossed the river to their village, and at 3 o'clock had a conference. Agent Speers broke into the gathering and made the three leaders march to Saskatoon, and others back to the villages, and no further uprising is feared.

TO CONTRACTORS

Contractors wishing to tender for the new Roman Catholic Church to be erected in Thamesville, will find plans and specifications at the residence of Rev. D. Foster, of Bothwell, and also at the office of Moore & Henry, Arch-itects, London.

FRANK ABANDONED.

Great Fissures Discovered in Turtle

Ottawa, May 4 - A message from Mr. Wm. Pearce at Frank to the Deputy Minister of the Interior, received last evening, reads:-"Three men who visited the top of

an examination of it.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES. Turkish troops captured a Bulgarian insurgents.

The Santa Maria volcano in Guatemala is again in active eruption. was made with great ceremony During the last five months there were 328 deaths from the plague in Mexico

A negro saloon waiter in New York shot three policemen, two of whem died. It is reported that Ira D. Sankey, the

evangelist, who has been ill, is permaiently blind. The Presbytery of Montreal passed a re-

The body of Mrs. Joanna Hatton, a patient who escaped from the Brockville hospital, was found in the river.

The Ontario Government have purchased the Hatch farm at Woodstock as a site for the new hospital for epileptics.

The Gordon-Shay Opera Company is stranded at Montreal. It is reported that a lively fight took place between some of the men of the troupe.

The C. P. R. steamer Lake Champlain will clear from Montreal to-day with a cargo of grain and passengers, and will be the first ocean vessel of the season to leave that port.

The following Provincial appointments are gazetted:—D. M. Brodie, Massey, a Police Magistrate in and for the district of Algoma; Dr. C. F. Smith, St. Mary's, an associate Coroner in the County of Perth; R. J. Sins, Ottawa, and Alexander Stevens, Delta, to be notaries public. Isaac M. Clemens, New Hamburg, to be Clerk of the Fourth Division County.

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