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H. Macaulay, "THE ARK"

BILL HELD OVER

Ottawa, April 24.—To-day at the
railway committee, the Lake Erie &
Detroit River Railway Company's bill
for the amalgamation of that com-
pany with the Erie & Huron Rail-
way Company came up for discussion.
The company asked that the agree-
ment between the two companies be
approved by the committee. There
was a long discussion on the bill,
which also asked for a two years' ex-
tension of time to begin and to com-
plete the line. The bill was laid over
for further consideration.

MR. WHITNEY OPENS CAMPAIGN

Opposition Leader Delivers a
Telling Address to an En-
thusiastic Audience.

Bold Enough to be Honest and
Honest Enough to be Bold—
Magnificent Meeting.

Stratford, April 24.—(Special).—The
first gun in the political campaign in
North Perth was fired to-night by Mr.
J. P. Whitney, the leader of the Lib-
eral-Conservative party in Ontario.
The meeting was held in the Opera
House, which was taxed to its utmost
capacity by electors eager to hear the
distinguished leader. The meeting was
presided over by Mayor Stamp, and
on the platform were a number of
prominent citizens. The stage was
fitted with two immense
Union Jacks were hung at each side.
One of the banners was a "Welcome
to Whitney" and the other bore the
inscription "Bold Enough to be Hon-
est, and Honest Enough to be Bold."
The meeting opened shortly after
eight.

Mayor Stamp, in a short address,
thanked those present for turning out
so well. They had a hard fight, but if
the Conservatives only put their shoul-
ders to the wheel victory was assured.
As Mr. Whitney arrived in the hall
at 9:30, he having spoken
in Picton last night, the railway com-
mission not being of the best, the
audience were treated to a number of
vocal and instrumental selections by
local singers and the opera house or-
chestra.

Mr. Whitney's arrival on the stage
of the Opera House was the signal for
continued cheering, which lasted for
some time. After bowing his acknowl-
edgments he took a seat beside the
Mayor.

Mr. John C. Monteith, the Conserva-
tive candidate, was gratified at the
splendid gathering, and was more than
pleased to have the able leader of the
Conservative party present to-night.
He said that the fullest confi-
dence of his followers, and he believed
of the public generally. The in-
evitable outcome of long terms of
office, he added, were corruption. This
had been the case with the Ontario
Government, and he felt that the time
had come when the people desired a
change, and he thought they were go-
ing to have one, and election. He was
in entire accord with the policy of Mr.
Whitney. Mr. Monteith was loudly
applauded upon resuming his seat.

Mr. Whitney was received with
cheering, and he spoke for an hour and
a half in delivery, was a
masterly arraignment of the Ross
Government. He dealt with all the
leading political issues of the day in
a clear and concise manner, and made
a very favorable impression with the
large audience, as he always does.

His reference to the development of
New Ontario was very severe on Mr.
Ross. He showed how Ross, while a
member of the Dominion Government,
had spoken against and voted against
the C. P. R. which great undertaking
had been carried through by that un-
matched statesman, the late Sir John
A. Macdonald, and the Conservative
party. The C. P. R. was the making
of New Ontario. It was strange
that after being 30 years in power the
Ontario Government had just awak-
ened to the fact that there was a
plague known as New Ontario. Bal-
lot-stealing and ballot-burning came
in for some very severe condemnation
in his hands. Mr. Whitney explained
at length what the policy of the Con-
servative party was, although they
said he had no policy. There would
be no referendum; there would be
school reform and law reform. He
showed what the Conservatives were
prepared to do to give the people
honest and efficient government if
they entrusted them with the reins
of legislation. After apologizing for
the non-appearance of Mr. Foy, who
was unavoidably detained at Toronto,
which was a disappointment to the
audience, Mr. Whitney closed by an
urgent appeal to the electors to go to
the polls and vote for an honest bal-
lot and a party that was prepared to
treat them as British freemen.

Mr. Whitney was loudly applauded
upon resuming his seat.
After cheers for Whitney, the candi-
date and the King, the meeting closed.

HEATED DEBATE OCCURRED IN BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS

Forcible Detention of the Pro-Boer Cartwright in South Africa
the Cause—Unionists Voted Against Government.

London, April 24.—The forcible de-
tention in South Africa of Albert
Cartwright, who, while editor of the
South African News, charged Lord
Kitchener, prior to the engagement
with Gen. De Wet, with ordering his
officers to shoot all prisoners, formed
the subject of a heated debate in the
House of Commons this afternoon.

Mr. Morley, Liberal, moved the ad-
journing of the House, which prac-
tically amounted to a vote of censure
on the Government in general, and
on Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner
in particular. Mr. Morley pointed out
that Mr. Cartwright, who had served
a year's imprisonment for libel, now
desired to come to England, and that
his detention was illegal, unconstitutional
and tyrannical. He added that the
explanation of Lord Stanley, the
Financial Secretary of the War Office
(who served in the South African
war as chief press censor and after-
wards acted as private secretary to
Lord Roberts), that the Government
did not think it desirable to increase
the number of anti-British propagand-
ists in this country, was the most out-
rageous heard in the House since
Simon Dismontford invented Parliam-
ent.

The Secretary of State for War, Mr.
Brodrick, in the course of a reply,
raised a storm by saying that ad-
mitted Mr. Cartwright had served his
legal sentence, the question of his li-
beration was subjudice.

This brought forth a vehement pro-
test from Sir William Vernon Har-
court, Liberal, who declared that such
a proposition was scandalous and con-
trary to the elementary principles of
freedom.

RESULT SECRET

Gen. Meyer Concludes his Con-
ference With the Boers
of his Command.

Balmoral, Transvaal, April 23.—
Secretary of State Raits, of the
Transvaal, General Lucas Meyer, com-
mander-in-chief of the Orange Free
State, forces, and other members of
their party, have concluded their con-
ferences with the burghers composing
General Lucas Meyer's command.
Nothing has leaked out regarding the
result.

Secretary Raits returned here yester-
day evening and proceeded to Piet-
ersburg to meet Commandant Boyers.
LEADS DISCREDITED.
London, April 24.—Belgium papers
say the Brussels correspondent of the
Times, no longer accept Leyds as a
South African oracle. The statement
made by him that the Boer chiefs
knew that the British terms will not
be accepted by the commandoes is re-
garded as unworthy.

BEAN PROSPECTS

Harry Stevens, secretary of the
Canada Flour Mills Co., says that the
outlook for beans this year is much
better. Even at the advanced price
which the Americans have received
for their beans, the farmers in the
States will refuse to sell. The Can-
ada Flour Mills Co. have disposed of
a few carloads to be shipped to the
States at quite an advance to pre-
vious prices prevailing here.

ESCAPED BY OHANOE

St. Petersburg, April 24.—While
Balaschiff (the man who assassinated
the Minister of the Interior, M. Sipi-
guine, April 14) was recalcitrant
throughout the preliminary examina-
tion, his testimony developed the sig-
nificant fact that he had in his pocket
a sealed envelope addressed to M.
Pobiedonossieff, the chief procurator
of the Holy Synod. It is inferred, from
the finding of this envelope, that had
M. Pobiedonossieff gone to the Minis-
terial offices on April 15, the day M.
Sipiuguine was assassinated, he would
have been killed instead of the Minis-
ter of the Interior. It is a fact that
the chief procurator of the Holy Synod
was to have gone to the Ministerial
offices that day and that only chance
prevented his doing so.
The discovery of this envelope is
considered as confirming the theory
that a conspiracy against several
Russian officials existed.

Winston Spencer Churchill, Conser-
vative, also delivered a few caustic
sentences, saying he hoped the House
would force the Government to with-
draw within the limits of the law and
observe the constitution.

Mr. Balfour, the Government leader,
came to the support of the sorely
harrassed War Secretary, and con-
tended that the Government was jus-
tified in detaining even a British
subject if it thought his wanderings
were calculated to injure the interests
of South Africa. Those voting for the
adjournment would be condemning
Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner, in
whose keeping, at this moment, rested
their hopes of peace.

James Bryce, Liberal, and Sir Robt.
Reid, Liberal, twitted the ministers
for again interposing Lord Kitchener
as a buffer between the Government
and the House. They both scathingly
denounced the present action of the
Government as a gross abuse of power.

The spirit of revolt spread to the
Government benches.

Ian Malcolm, Conservative, who is
said to have been heretofore an un-
swerving supporter of the Govern-
ment, warmly repudiated Mr. Bal-
four's argument that those voting for
the adjournment would be showing
themselves barons of British honor.
After such an incident he no longer
felt sure the members of the Govern-
ment would say they had clean hands
in this regard. War or peace would
not be facilitated by such violations
of the liberty of the subject.

Other supporters of the Government
followed in the same strain, even Ivor
Churchill Guest, eldest son of Lord
Wimborne, a Conservative and a
cousin of the Duke of Marlborough,
asking the Government to realize that
its position is untenable and to make
some concession.

The House then divided and the mo-
tion for adjournment was defeated by
259 to 182 votes.

Nine Unionists voted against the
Government.

WOMAN WILL RUN

Mrs. Darwin Accepts Nomina-
tion for Legislature as So-
cialistic Candidate.

Toronto, April 24.—The Ontario So-
cialist League has decided to place
candidates in the field for three of the
four ridings in Toronto for the coming
provincial elections. The candidates
chosen to bear the Socialist banner
are:—North Toronto, Mrs. May Dar-
win; East Toronto, James Simpson;
West Toronto, John A. Kelly. The So-
cialists may also put up a candidate
in South Toronto. Deputy Attorney
General Cartwright when asked
whether a woman could be a candi-
date for legislative honors, said that
on a cursory look at the law on the
subject, he saw nothing to prevent it.
A woman had no franchise, but that
would prove no hindrance to her
candidature. This means that Mrs.
Darwin, who has received the Social-
istic nomination for North Toronto,
will be a legal contestant for the seat,
complications will arise, however,
should she be elected.

LAOROSSE

CLUB AT RIDGETOWN.
Ridgetown, Ont., April 24.—A la-
crosse club was organized here this
evening, with the following officers:
President—P. Hawdon.
Vice-President—R. W. Youngs.
Sec'y-Treas.—C. H. Eastlake.
Committee—G. Claxton, S. B. Gray,
W. A. Houston.
Field Captain—R. W. Youngs.

PRAISED CANADIANS

Ottawa, April 24.—A letter was re-
ceived to-day from Bolkovsk, South
Africa, dated March 27th, by Col. Neil-
son, Director-General of Medical Ser-
vice, from Surgeon Col. Worthington,
of the 10th Field Hospital Corps, which
accompanied the 2nd Canadian Mount-
ed Rifles to Africa. The writer states
that the troops had been reviewed by
General Cleary, who was much pleased
with the general appearance, soldier-
ly carriage, and discipline of the Cana-
dians. He had also words of praise
for the transport wagons of the
Canadians, which were made in
Ottawa, and said that he would re-
commend the purchase of similar
wagons to the Imperial War Depart-
ment. In fact, Col. Worthington
states, the general was so much
taken up with the Canadians that he
induced Lord Kitchener to have the
men sent immediately to the front,
and this is how they came to take
part in the action at Klein Hart's
River on March 31. They were at
that time in transit to Klerksdorp.

GOT THE REWARD

Windsor, April 25.—Judge McHugh
yesterday gave judgment in the action
brought by Fred. Pridmore and Al-
bert Piggott against Chief Wills, to
compel the latter to pay over to them
the \$30 reward which it is alleged
the Chief received for the arrest of
Andrew Epperson, who escaped from
the county jail at Chatham. He held
that the plaintiffs are entitled to the
reward.

SAD SCENE IN COURT ROOM

Punishment Meted out to the
Woman who Deserted
Her Babe.

Goes to Mercer Reformatory for
Six Months—Judge Houston
was Affected.

"If you only let me off this time, it
will never happen again. I am very
sorry the baby ever happened."

Thus the unfortunate woman, Mrs.
Julian pleaded with Judge Houston,
her voice choking with sobs and her
eyes wet with weeping. The little wo-
man was neatly attired in a grey
cloth suit and wore a fur cape.

Judge Houston had heard the "never
do it again" story often, but as the
little woman in grey sobbed out her
appeal he was visibly affected. Never-
theless, he recalled the poor little two
weeks' old babe, whose life the woman
had imperilled by leaving it outside.

"In your case," said the judge,
"there is scarcely any excuse. You
had three children, and the Children's
Aid Society are looking after them.
You took the poor baby—it wasn't its
fault that it was brought into the
world—and left it where the chances
were it would die. That it didn't was
not due to you at all. Two persons
passed over the babe, supposing it was
a bundle of clothes, and left there. It
might have happened that the child
had thus died. I am not going to say
which would have been the better for
the child.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 25.

CONSERVATIVES UNITED.

Following out its unfortunate ideas of political campaigning and, possibly, in an endeavor to counteract the unpleasant split in the East Kent Liberal party over the candidature, the local Liberal organ has recently had its romance working overtime. One result of its creative genius was blazoned forth as follows:—
Mr. Lee has fair platform ability—Mr. Davidson has none. Mr. Lee has a united party behind him—Mr. Davidson got the Conservative convention by the skin of his teeth, and his choice over the popular and clever Phil. Boyer by means that, to say the least, were open to question, has produced a disruption in his party.
Anyone who had even sufficient acquaintance with Mr. P. H. Bowyer to spell his name correctly would realize the absurdity of the Banner's untruthful insinuation. The gentleman in question is one of the strongest and most loyal supporters of Mr. Whitney and the candidates who represent his cause, in the whole of the country. As everyone is aware it was only upon the most urgent solicitation that Mr. Bowyer allowed his name to be considered in nomination and he was the gentleman who moved Mr. Davidson's unanimous nomination and has since been probably the most earnest and effective Conservative worker on his behalf.

In his excellent paper, the Ridgeway Dominion, Mr. Bowyer makes the following brief and pointed response to the Banner's untruth:—
In order to cover and distract attention from the disunion in the East Kent Liberal camp over the two nominations, tendered Mr. Lee, the Chatham Banner-News repeats the old falsehood of trouble among the Conservatives of this riding over the nomination of Mr. Davidson. Let us tell our contemporary once for all, that Mr. Davidson's was a unanimous nomination, and that he is receiving and will continue to receive until election night the unanimous support of the Conservatives of East Kent, and from none with more hearty good will than the gentleman upon whose name the Banner-News attempts to build its argument to prove disruption.
As the Banner has not yet apologized for its insult to the prohibitionists, nor withdrawn its self-admitted untruth concerning Mr. Davidson, it is scarcely to be expected that it will seek to make amends for the present falsehood.

PARROTT, THE "PROHIBITIONIST"

Says the Ridgeway Dominion:
E. E. Parrott in his address pointed to a residence of 25 years in the riding and his labors in behalf of Liberalism. Twelve years ago he said he had been nominated as a prohibitionist. He was now of the opinion, however, that that movement was a mistake in the form it took and he was opposing a similar movement now. He would rather support an out-and-out political opponent than a man who is not affiliated with any party. He was in full accord with the present policy of the Ross Government, which, in his opinion, was the best Government the province has ever seen.—E. E. Parrott.

Yet, Mr. Parrott at other gatherings and when meeting certain people has been posing as an "independent," and as a prohibitionist with a soul above party. He as president of the Kent County Temperance Association refused to call a meeting when requested, alleging as a reason that he wished to keep it out of party politics. Of course Mr. Parrott was not afraid that opinions might be expressed and action taken that might injure the Liberal candidates and the Government of which he is such an ardent admirer. At the close of the temperance convention recently held in Ridgeway Mr. Parrott was heard to exclaim to a surrounding group, "Where will you find a more independent man than I?" Mr. Parrott's speech at Thamesville, as reported above in the Banner-News, completely unmarks the Kent temperance leader, and his declaration that he would rather support an out-and-out political opponent than a man not bound to either party, strips him of any shadowy claim to be anything else than what he always really has been, a hard-shell Grit.
The Ridgeway Dominion is quite

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right. The conscientious members of both political parties have no use for such hypocrisy, while it is little short of traitorous to the prohibition cause with which he alleges he is identified.

WHAT IT IS ABOUT.

We find the following in the Brantford Courier.

The issues in the approaching provincial fight are clear and unmistakable.

"Among other things the people will be called upon to declare—

1. Whether they believe it to be in the best interests of the province to have one party continuously in power.

2. Whether they consider it beneficial to any longer countenance the autocratic methods of the Ross administration.

3. Whether they think it a good thing to have many office holders act in an independently partisan way.

4. Whether they condone the brazen-faced work of the "machine."

5. Whether they are willing to overlook the stuffing of ballot boxes and the burning of ballots.

6. Whether they approve of the provincial minister of agriculture helping to boom Dakota at the expense of his own province.

7. Whether they endorse the trickiness of Ross with regard to the referendum.

8. Whether the natural resources of the province should be exploited for the benefit of the favored few.

Let Parro speak.

Whitney Will Win!

It looks like Fraser and Davidson for the Kents.

Come, Mr. Parro, speak up and press yourself.

Why did Mr. Parro preserve silence as to his Legislative record?

Fraser has spoken with straightforward and clearly defined principles. What about Parro?

We may have mentioned it before, but it will bear repeating—Fight hard, but fight fairly.

What account of his stewardship has Mr. Parro to give to the good people of West Kent?

Those who attend the mass meeting and hear the Liberal-Conservative chieftain next Tuesday night will not be disappointed.

The people of West Kent would like to hear from Mr. Parro. On what grounds does he ask a renewal of their confidence? Let Mr. Parro speak.

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What a glorious team those two mates, "Prohibitionist" Parrott and Irish Jack, are making these days plugging together for Parro!

The Planet columns are open to Mr. Parro to explain to the young men of Chatham why he assisted to defeat McDiarmid's bill to relieve them of the injustice of poll tax.

None knows Mr. Whitney better than Mr. Lee—Banner.

Then why not take Mr. Lee's word for it when he tells you that Mr. Whitney is a man who commands admiration?

The unanimity of the (Liberal) convention disposes of the assertion, so industriously propagated of late, that there are dissensions in West Kent—Banner.

So! Well, the assertion was your own. Were you telling the truth then or now?

The whole county appears to be enjoying the laugh on the local Liberal organ. Says the Ridgeway Dominion:—

Prior to the declaration by Premier Ross of his policy in respect to prohibition, the Chatham Banner-News wrote a series of articles decrying prohibition and advocating greater restriction and better enforcement of the law. As it turned out the Chatham paper foreshadowed Mr. Whitney's declaration on the question at issue, and it is now engaged in the unpleasant task of squaring itself to suit the Ross program, to the amusement of its readers and the delight of The Planet.

THE COMING TROUBLE.

Ottawa Citizen.

May 29 is the date fixed for the painful operation of amputating Sir Wilfrid Laurier's political right arm.

SOUTH AFRICA IS SLOW.

Toronto Telegram.

Schalkbarger—"If I had a West Elgin or North Waterloo deputy returning officer to help me count the majority would come my way out of that box, no matter how the burghers mark their ballots."

THE MEAN OLD GLOBE.

Ottawa Citizen.

We learn with surprise and pain from an extensive review of the political prospects in the constituencies of Ontario supplied by the Globe correspondent, that every riding will go Grit. This is too bad. Evidently the pen is mightier than the ballot.

A VANISHED SURPLUS.

Brockville Times.

At the opening of the Campaign the Grits have dropped the "surplus" cry. Not a whisper, or a murmur, or an echo of that old familiar cry "We have a surplus of millions" is to be heard. Instead of that they are not only asking, but vociferous in shouting for more and more millions to build up, as they call it, Ontario. Ontario has been billed up quite enough within the past 30 years to more than satisfy the ratepayers.

HE'LL BE REMEMBERED.

Ottawa Journal.

"Remember Ross" is the heading in big type over the Toronto Globe's battle cry for the Ontario elections. It is suspected that the prohibitionists will.

It appears from The Planet that Mr. Whitney comes this way on Tuesday next, that interesting organ quoting a certificate of character for the Conservative leader from John Lee. The immature intellect of The Planet has evidently misunderstood John Lee, who probably said—etc., etc.—Banner.

The "immature intellect" of this great home journal hasn't been evidently misunderstanding or understanding John Lee at all. It simply gave to the people the words of Mr. Lee himself. And it gave exactly what Mr. Lee said—not what he "probably said"—when it recorded his publicly stated admiration for Mr. Whitney as a man of conscientious and courageous convictions.

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Satin Prunella Suitings, pure wool, medium weight, rich, bright finish, colors light, mid and dark brown, castor, cadet, reseda, navy, royal, pearl and black, special per yard.

Amazon Suitings, good weight, full 42 in. wide, firm weave in light, mid and dark grey, navy, mid brown, fawn and black, special per yard.

All Wool French Challies, finest quality, handsome new designs, rich colorings, light and dark grounds, very special, at per yard 50c, 45c and 40c.

35c Cashmere Hose for 23c a pair—40 dozen Ladies' fine pure wool cashmere hose, full fashioned, spliced seamless feet, sizes 8-12, 9, and 9-12, the best 35c line in the city, special at a pair.

Big ribbon bargain—25 yds pure silk ribbon, 4 inches wide, bright finish in every wanted color, Saturday per yard.

12.25 parasols at 75c each. — Three

dozen ladies' parasols, extra strong frames, rich black satana coverings, steel rods, choice Dresden handles, good value at \$1.25, Saturday 75c.

New prints at 5c. yard—Hundreds of choice patterns, fast colorings in Canadian, English and American prints at per yard, 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c and 12 1-2c.

20c Foulards and Prints at 12 1-2c.—200 yards Venice Foulards, extra fine, soft finish quality, 33 in. wide in beautiful new designs and colorings, warranted dyes, regular value 20c. yard, Saturday 12 1-2c.

\$10.00 Jackets at \$2.50 each.—The greatest bargain of the season—just when they're needed—20 only, Ladies' Spring Jackets, fine, pure wool, covered cloth, in light, mid, and dark fawn shades, all this spring's styles, semi-box back, medium and long lengths, lined and unlined, fly front or double with large pearl buttons, the cheapest in worth \$5.00, and many of them are \$10.00 coats, sizes 32 to 40; your pick Saturday at \$2.50.

China Mattings—Extra heavy firm makes in new designs, reversible patterns, regular 20c and 25c values at per yard 15c and 18c.

CARPETS. At removal sale prices—it's easier

moving the cash than moving the carpets into our new store, hence these big reductions.—

Our \$1.25 English Brussels Carpets at per yard \$1.00.

Our \$1.10 English Brussels Carpets at per yard 87c.

Our \$1.00 English Brussels Carpets at per yard 83c.

Our \$1.25 English Velvet Carpets at per yard 98c.

Our \$1.15 Axminster Carpets at per yard 83c.

Heavy Union Carpets, new spring patterns, full yard wide, reversible colorings, clearing at per yard 47c, 39c, 35c, 30c and 25c.

500 yards Floor Oil Cloths, splendid wearing quality, in large range of new spring patterns, 1 yard, 11-4, 11-2 and 2 yards wide, special per square yard 25c.

LACE CURTAINS.

Values you will not likely meet with again.

New Nottingham Curtains in latest designs, at a pair 25c, 35c, 45c, 75c, 89c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.50.

THE NORTHWAY COMPANY, Limited, CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE

DRESS GOODS....

We have a large assortment of beautiful colors in Dress Goods suitable for

Spring Wear

Before making your purchases call at the mill and examine what we have to offer.

THE T. H. TAYLOR CO. Limited, Flour and Woolen Mills

WAS MILLER A THIEF?

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 24.—Professor Jabez Montgomery, of the Ann Arbor high school, was teaching in the early 70's at Woodstock College, Ont., when Jos. M. Miller, sentenced in Detroit last week for the murder of Carrie Jennett, was brought before the faculty for stealing. When the students of the college, which was a boarding school, were absent from their rooms, Miller would enter and help himself to various articles. He at first denied his guilt, but finally broke down and confessed.

DON'T BECOME AN OBJECT

Of Aversion and Pity. Cure Your Catarrh. Purify Your Breath and Stop the Offensive Discharge.

Rev. Dr. Bochner, of Buffalo, says: "My wife and I were both troubled with distressing Catarrh, but we have enjoyed freedom from this aggravating malady since the day we first used Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. Its action was instantaneous, giving the most grateful relief within ten minutes after first application. 50 cents." Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

Do as the friar saith, not as he doeth.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

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The worst getting is that which hinders giving.

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The healthiest and most reliable.

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Where they get the nicest Rings, Jewelry, Watches, Chains, Etc., and cheapest in the city and they tell you at the sign of the Big Clock.

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Sign of the Big Clock

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on

Victoria avenue, and six on Maple street. For full particulars apply to S. Stephenson, Planet Office. td

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half

acres at the head of Victoria Ave., and six lots on Maple St. Apply to Mrs. Tinsman, Victoria Block, or The Planet. td

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—A new

modern house, at the corner of Wellington and Adelaide streets. Must be sold or rented at once. Apply to Mark Daniels, Wellington street. 5d 1w

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—125

Wellington St. West; lot 50x200. House in good repair; brick foundation; 7 rooms, closets, pantries, bath room, etc. Leaving the city; will sell cheap. For full particulars apply to Jas. A. Tilt. td

FOR SALE—A brick house, comparatively new, in the city of Chatham, situated on two good lots that could not be built for \$2,500, will be sold for \$1,600. Also 50 acres of choice land for \$1,600. Apply to M. H. McGavin, Chatham. 8d 1w

FARM FOR SALE—100 acres in Township of Zone, s. 14 4, Con. 2, two and a half miles from Thamesville, Ont. frame house and barn, and outbuildings, plenty of water, 80 acres under cultivation and 20 acres of bush pasture. For full particulars apply to John Harper, Richmond St., or address Chatham F. C. 2d 1w

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CASTORIA.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed, bulk and separate tenders will be received up to seven o'clock p. m., Saturday next, addressed to Dr. J. I. Wiley, at Dresden, Ont., for the erection of a frame dwelling house to be erected in Dresden. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

JAS. L. WILSON & SON, Architects, Chatham, Ont.

Dr. J. I. Wiley, Mr. McDonald, Proprietors. Dresden, Ont. td

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed, bulk and separate tenders will be received up to seven o'clock p. m., Saturday next, addressed to Albert Peters, Esquire, at Dresden, and from whom plans may be obtained the erection of a frame dwelling house to be erected at Dresden, Ont. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAS. L. WILSON & SON, Architects, Chatham, Ont.

Albert Peters, Esq., Proprietor, Dresden, Ont. td

To Contractors.

Sealed, separate and bulk tenders will be received at the office of the architects, addressed to Wm. Rennie, Esq., Chatham, up till 7 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, April 29th inst., for the several trades required in erection, alterations and additions. Residence and separate tenders will be received at the same time for plumbing and hot water heating. Plans to be seen at the architect's office.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAS. L. WILSON & SON, Architects, etc., Chatham, Ont. td

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed, bulk and separate tenders will be received up to 7 o'clock p. m., on Saturday, 10th day of May, addressed to G. H. Dawson, Port Alma, for the erection of a brick veneer church, with concrete basement, to be erected on lot 180, Talbot Road, Ramsey. Plans and specifications may be seen at the residence of undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. H. DAWSON, T. J. Rutley, Architect, Chatham.

TENDERS WANTED

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, May 5, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon, for the erection and completion of a manse on the lot adjoining the St. James' Presbyterian Church, Thamesville, Ont. The building committee will furnish all brick. All tenders must be marked "Tenders for Manse."

For further information and particulars, address—

J. D. DAVIDSON, Sec'y Board of Managers, St. James' Church, Thamesville, Ont.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

April 25 1921

LETTER BOX

A SEVERE LECTURE

Editor Planet:

There have been, in the past, instances of journalism in Chatham, of which, no citizen could justly feel proud.

But for journalism, essentially, despicably, maliciously, low, the Banner-News out Herods Herod.

Their attack some time ago on ex-Ald. J. E. Reid, when that gentleman was appointed, was without parallel. Their recent reference to ex-Warden John Davidson was beneath contempt, especially in view of their eulogy at the end of his term as warden, while their reference to J. S. Fraser, as a lawyer, could come only from a little man. It served, however, as a cue to Alderman McCoig, whose reference to the legal fraternity was a little hard on such respectable liberal workers as barristers J. Kerr, Fred. Stone, Edwin Bell, L. B., and W. E. McKeough, compared with whom, Ald. McCoig is the veriest pigmy.

It is another illustration, however, of the truth, "that fools rush in where angels fear to tread."

CITIZEN.

THE DISTRICT.
THAMESVILLE

April 25.—Jas. Massey, of Chatham, was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Marchbanks, Bottwell, spent yesterday with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Pickard.

R. W. Coates, of London, was in town yesterday.

Miss Fern Harmer returned yesterday from Cedar Springs.

Harry Spitzer, of London, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Hinde returned to Shelbourne yesterday, after a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Harmer.

Miss McNeil, of Cedar Springs, is the guest of Miss Fern Harmer.

TILBURY

April 25.—Miss Green, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. Jacobs, returned to her home in Sombra this week.

Mrs. Lemire, of Windsor, is the guest of her son, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lemire here.

Mrs. H. G. Powell, of Tilbury East, who has been undergoing treatment in St. Joseph's hospital, Chatham, returns home this week, much improved in health.

Paul Thibert and family, of Tilbury East, left this week for Berkeley, B. C.

Mr. Gillean, of London, representative of the Standard Life Insurance Company, was in town yesterday.

Dr. J. G. Shearer, secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, will deliver a lecture in the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening next, at 8 o'clock.

J. C. Kennedy is in Blenheim, taking the management of the stove mill of T. L. Fardo, ex-M. P.

DRESDEN

April 25.—Clifford Huff has purchased the house and lot on Holden street formerly owned by Ted. Bodkin.

Mr. John Wiley has purchased the lot on Brown street situated between Wm. Rudd's and Jas. Blackburn's residence. He will erect a handsome residence thereon.

Owen Watson, of London Dental College, is the guest of his parents here.

Charles Byers, of the London Medical College, is visiting friends in town.

Ray Turner has given up his position in Willson's drug store and will sail this summer.

M. Chandler, formerly teller in the Bank of Commerce here, visited in town this week.

A meeting of the Board of Trade was held on Wednesday evening to form a syndicate for the growing of from 500 to 1,000 acres of sugar beets for the Dresden sugar factory.

Mrs. Chas. Aikin, North street, will receive her friends on Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

A lecture was given in the Methodist church last evening by Rev. J. G. Shearer of the Lord's Day Alliance.

Theatrical

"DON'T TELL MY WIFE."

Wit, as well as humor is abundantly in evidence in Arthur Deming's new farce, "Don't Tell My Wife" which will be revealed at the Grand Opera House, to-night. The author, Howard Hall, has not resorted to the usual extraneous aids in lifting the floodgates of fun. He has shunned the grotesque, the noisy and the violent, which some playwrights consider farce and has provided a piece which, while rich in comic complications, is at the same time studded with characterization close cut, and the action moves with the rapidity of a rifle ball travelling towards a bulls-eye. The new play is in admirable hands, for in conjunction to Arthur Deming, there are such clever actors as Harry Shank, John Jenkins, Miss Celia Campbell, Miss Jane West and the Kingsley Sisters participating.



HEALTH

The general health of a woman is inseparably related to the local womanly health. When the delicately womanly organism is diseased, the body loses plumpness, the cheeks lose their roses, and a nervous and fretful condition becomes habitual.

Thousands of sick women who have been cured of diseases peculiar to the sex by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription establish regularly, dries unhealthy drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

"I used four bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and one of 'Golden Medical Discovery,'" writes Mrs. D. Shearer, of Mount Hope, Lancaster Co., Pa. "and can say that I am cured of disease, sterile trouble. Am in better health than ever before. Everyone who knows me is surprised to see me look so well. In June, when I wrote to you, I was so poor in health that I could not walk. You answered my letter and told me what to do. I followed your advice, and to-day am cured. I tell everybody that with God's help Dr. Pierce's medicines cured me. If these few words are of any use to you, you are welcome to use them. They might help some other poor suffering woman."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, 1008 large pages, in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps, to pay expense of customs and mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

HONOR FOR GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

Awarded Diploma by Glasgow International Exhibition.

The many honors and encomiums of praise that are being bestowed on the Grand Trunk Railway System in connection with their extensive and handsome exhibits that have been on display at the principal exhibitions of the world for the last few years, have been added to by the receipt of a diploma that has been awarded them by the Glasgow International Exhibition of 1901 for their exhibit in the Canadian section.

The Diploma is of very handsome design, printed in a sepia color on heavy plate paper; at the top of the Diploma is a birds-eye-view of the Glasgow Exhibition buildings and at the bottom a design which represents the different types of the nationalities of the world, carrying their wares to the feet of Glasgow, who is represented by the figure of a woman.

The Grand Trunk Exhibit at Glasgow comprises a series of large photographic views, depicting scenes at different points on the System, including the summer resort districts in Ontario and Quebec, the Mountains of New England and views on the Atlantic Sea Coast. After the close of the Exposition the entire collection was presented by the Grand Trunk to the Imperial Institute, London, England.

Moved by George and Tompkins, that the clerk notify the trustees of School Section No. 6 and 7; also the owners of the lands to be transferred, that this council intends to pass a by-law at their next regular meeting, the first Monday in May, de-

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missioner on the Danforth drain, stating that by some oversight he neglected giving Wm. Austin, a w 1-4 lot 20, con. 5, payment for farm bridge as provided in the engineer's report on the repair of said drain.

From W. G. McGeorge, C. E., stating that E. Gallip should be allowed a bridge across the Danforth drain as a change has been made in the drain since the survey was made.

A petition from Robert Tonge and others was read asking to have Mr. George Hayles retained as commissioner on the Best drain.

A petition from Wm. Nollie, Joseph Manning and others, for a new drain along the south side of the 6th and 7th concessions road allowance from part of lot 22 westward to the Danforth drain was read.

F. W. Charteris, commissioner Charteris drain, was present and submitted a written report of repairs he had done on the Charteris drain, and the cost of the same, he expended \$125.34, the drain is now in a good condition, his time spent as commissioner eight days.—Report adopted.

Mr. Robert Burns, commissioner Glasgow drain, was present, and reported the said drain in a good state of repair, his time spent as commissioner and removing obstructions was five days.—Report adopted.

Mr. Norris E. Gibb addressed the council in reference to disposing of a quantity of sewer pipe at cheap rates as he is going out of the business; he quoted the number on hand, size, price, etc.

Mr. Chas. Duddle made application to have the north half of lot 13 in the 6th concession transferred from Public School Section No. 7 to Section No. 6; he also presented a written statement from the trustees of Section 7 to the effect that they are willing that the said change be made.

The reeve and councillor Tompkins submitted a written report as to what they considered an equitable arrangement to enter into with Chatham City to have the waterworks extended to the hydro-electric plant.

On motion of Mr. Wickens and Mr. Tompkins, the report was adopted and the said committee empowered to make what arrangements they think just.

Moved by Tompkins and George, that John Clyde be appointed commissioner on the Best drain.—Carried.

Moved by Tompkins and Tompkins, that the petition of Wm. Nollie, Joseph Manning and others for a drain along the 6th and 7th concessions road be entertained and if the clerk find a majority of the owners assessed, according to the last revised assessment roll, in the area described to be on the said petition, to notify W. G. McGeorge, C. E., to make an examination and survey and report on the construction of a drain as prayed for in said petition.—Carried.

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PROBABILITIES.
Special to The Planet.
Toronto, April 25-10 a. m.—Strong
winds and moderate gales from east
and south; cloudy; rain to-night.
Saturday, south and southwesterly
winds; showers and local thunder-
storms.
The following figures were regis-
tered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner &
Platt's weather bureau:
Thermometer 56.
Highest yesterday 62.
Lowest yesterday 40.
Direction of wind, northeast.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Thos. Rankin, Sr., of Dover Centre,
was in the city yesterday for the first
time in six months.

In the case of Stevens vs Chatham,
the defendant corporation this morn-
ing taxed their costs.

Miss McIntyre, of Detroit, has re-
turned home, after spending a couple
of weeks with her parents at Mitch-
ell's Bay.

Dr. and Mrs. Brady, of Benton Har-
bor, Mich., who have been spending a
few days with friends here, have re-
turned home.

The Girls' Mission Band of the Park
St. Methodist Church will meet to-
morrow afternoon at 8.30. A good
attendance is requested.

Robt. L. Brackin is taking a month's
holidays from legal work. His place
in Colonel J. B. Rankin's office will
be taken by Chas. Cornett.

J. W. Young, of Thamesford, Past
Grand Master of the I. O. O. F., and
Mrs. Young, Grand Secretary of the
Rebekah Assembly, are spending a
few days with friends in the city.

The barn of Chatham Tp. Clerk Mc-
Arthur was blown off its foundation
yesterday by a heavy wind storm
that visited that section of the town-
ship.

Young men who are eligible to vote
at the ensuing election should at once
forward their names to Ward Stan-
worth, who will mail them informa-
tion regarding time and place of regis-
tration.

The Chatham Spring Fair will be
held to-morrow on the Fair Grounds.
A large number of entries has been
received, and it is expected that the
exhibition will be a bigger success
than ever before.

Miss Ethel Waterworth, of Glenora,
a former student of the Canada Busi-
ness College, has taken a position as
stenographer in the Sydenham Glass
Works, Wallaceburg. She passed
through the city Wednesday evening
en route to Wallaceburg.

"We have had a lot of still alarms
lately to burning chimneys," said Fire
Chief Rich. Pritchard to The Planet
this morning. "I am pleased to see
that the alarms are sent in by tele-
phone for chimney fires instead of
pulling boxes and calling out the
whole department."

The officers of the 24th Kent Regi-
ment are still after all those who re-
fuse to attend drill. They are making
no distinctions as to whom they pro-
secute. G. A. McKee, of the Bank of
Commerce staff, city, was to-day
served with a summons to appear in
the police court to-morrow and
explain why he has not at-
tended drills.

A parish social was given in Holy
Trinity church last evening. A very
large crowd of the church members
were present and enjoyed a very
pleasant time. Refreshments were
served, after which a short program
was given. Musical selections
were given by Misses Kathleen
O'Hara, Miss Belle Baxter, Mrs. E. J.
MacIntyre and Miss Lucy McKellar.

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R. Gavin, of Rond Eau, was in the
city yesterday.
James Drake, of West Lorne, was a
Chatham visitor yesterday.
Miss May Taylor, Park street, is
seriously ill with appendicitis. She
W. E. Gundy and H. D. Smith, of
Ridgetown, were in the city to-day.
Mr. and Mrs. David DeFavour, of
Wallaceburg, were visitors in the city
yesterday.
James Anderson is in Blenheim to-
day in the interests of the Chatham
Manufacturing Company.
Chas. Riddell, Park St., who has
been seriously ill with typhoid fever,
is somewhat better to-day.

Mrs. Colby, Murray street, is again
quite ill. She was ill some time ago
but lately she was recovering. She
was somewhat better this morning.

W. E. McNaughton, of Petrolia, a
student of the business department of
the C. B. C. last year, has returned
to complete his shorthand course.

Herb Thatcher, a former student
in the business department of the C.
B. C., has accepted a position as time
keeper for the L. E. & D. R. R. at
Ridgetown.

Miss Eva McManes, of Shelbourne,
and Miss Effie Ross, of Lechval, have
extended their course in the
shorthand department of the Busi-
ness College.

The Daughters of Rebecca have re-
ceived an invitation from Dresden to
organize a Rebecca Lodge in that
place. They will go to Dresden on
May 1st and will confer all of the
degrees. A good meeting of the
Lodge was held last evening, when
they received a visit from Mr. and
Mrs. Young, of Thamesford. The
visitors spoke very highly of the local
order.

The cottage at Erieau owned by the
estate of the late Rufus Stephenson,
had a very close call from destruc-
tion by fire on Saturday. Fire caught
in the fence and sidewalk from a spark
and soon had them destroyed. The
building caught fire but through the
hard work of W. Delahunty and oth-
ers of the fire gang, with sand and
water, it was got under control.—
Blenheim Tribune.

The Lake Erie are arranging for a
special train to go to Rond Eau on
May 3, leaving Chatham at six
o'clock in the evening and returning
Monday evening. Single fare for the
round trip 60 cents. The train is be-
lieved to be the best of its kind in
the province.

The annual convention of the East
Kent Teachers' Association will be
held here in the C. I. assembly room,
on Thursday and Friday, May 22nd
and 23rd. The program, which prom-
ises to be of even more than usual
excellence. On Thursday evening a
high class concert will be given in the
opera house, by Mrs. John Cooper, of
Chatham, the favorite soprano; and
Donald C. McGregor, of Toronto, the
well-known baritone soloist.—Ridge-
town Dominion.

The funeral of the late George
Gamble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gamble,
Murray street, who died Wednesday
day, took place this morning to St.
Joseph's church and thence to St.
Anthony's cemetery. It was very
largely attended. Fr. Herbert con-
ducted the services at the church and
grave. The little fellow was sick for
only four weeks with brain fever.
The pall bearers were six of the little
boy's playmates, I. Thibodeau, H.
Nicholas, S. Ward, T. O'Mara, Joe
Brennan and Frank Brennan.

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Miss Nellie Hind, of this city, is
quite ill.

F. R. Dale, of Ridgetown, was in
the city yesterday.

Sheriff Gemmill is spending the day
in Wallaceburg.

C. M. Brandt, of Blenheim, was a
Maple City visitor yesterday.

Percy K. Morley is spending the
day with friends in Detroit.

Fred. Richardson, of St. Mary's,
called on his Chatham friends yester-
day.

James Innes, of the Sutherland-
Innes Company, is in New York on
business.

W. C. West, of the Sutherland-Innes
Company, has returned from a busi-
ness trip east.

Miss Roberta Bennett, of St. Cath-
arines, has commenced a business
course in the C. B. C.

James Scott Gray, is making exten-
sive improvements to his already fine
place on Williams street. He has pur-
chased part of D. McLachlan's prop-
erty, and will have an excellent lawn.

Chas. Scott, 7th concession Chatham
township, whose house was burned
to the ground Tuesday night, will
rebuild at once. His neighbors made
a bee to-day, and helped him haul his
lumber.

At the residence of the bride's par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rushton,
last evening, Miss Ella Rushton was
united in marriage to Mr. W. E.
Workman, by Rev. Dr. Munro.—
Ridgetown Dominion.

Robt. Simpson, whose mill was
burned at Leamington the other day,
was in the city to-day on business.
He said that his mills were totally de-
stroyed and there was no insurance on
them. He will rebuild immediately.

W. H. Irwin, of London, has accep-
ted a position in the wash goods de-
partment of C. Austin's Bargain Cen-
tre. He assumed his new duties this
evening. Mr. Irwin has been employed
in the wholesale house of John Green,
in London.
Good show

The funeral of the late W. H. Mas-
terson, who died in Kentucky, took
place yesterday afternoon from the
A. M. E. church to the Maple Leaf cem-
etery. Rev. T. H. Henderson, pastor
of the A. M. E. Church performed the
funeral services.

The above from the Ridgetown Do-
minion refers to W. E. Workman, or-
ganist of the First Presbyterian
church of this city. Mr. Workman is
already a popular young man in this
city and his many friends here will
join in wishing the newly married couple
much happiness and prosperity in
their future life.

The funeral of the late Jno L. Doyle
whose death occurred Tuesday eve-
ning, took place this morning from his
late residence, Lansdowne avenue,
to St. Joseph's church, and thence to
St. Anthony's cemetery. It was very
largely attended by residents of Chatham
township, where deceased once lived.
A large number were also pre-
sent from the city. Rev. Fr. Herman
officiated.

A GOOD SHOW
Manager Briscoe has received the fol-
lowing telegraphic specials re-
night's production, which played St.
Thomas last night at the Grand Opera
House.
From St. Thomas, April 25.
"Don't Tell My Wife Company" good
performance. Everyone delighted.
Signed GEO STACEY.
Mgr. Grand Opera House.

From St. Thomas, April 25.
"Don't Tell My Wife Company" gave
best of satisfaction. Arthur Deming
made great hit, and supporting com-
pany first class; specialties excellent.
They leave on 11.40 for Chatham.
Signed,
Asst. Pass Agent, Wabash.

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TO-NIGHT.

Oddfellows' "At Home," Auditorium, at 8.
Victoria Ave. Epworth League, at 8 o'clock.
Park St. Methodist League, S. S. hall, at 8.
Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Macabees' Hall, at 8.
Public Library Board, Public Library, 8 o'clock.
The C. E. of St. Andrew's Church, lecture hall, at 8.
"Don't Tell My Wife," at the Grand Opera House, at 8.15.
Regimental parade of 24th Kent Regiment, and march out.

Local Briefs

To-morrow \$1.50 black derby hat sale at The 2 T's.
"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."
A. O. U. W., in their hall, over Public Library, at 8.
The B. Y. P. U. of C. E. will meet in school room at 8.
Fred Phelps is lecturing the steam-er City of Chatham.
Special values in ladies' tailored skirts at Northway's Saturday.
"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."
C. E. Lister was in Merlin yesterday on business.
Mrs. John Liddy is visiting friends in Detroit and Windsor for a few days.
"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."
The term for closing tenders for the erection of a manse at Thamesville has been extended to May 5 at 12 o'clock.
Ladies' spring coats, latest styles, regular \$5.50 to \$10 each, selling at \$2.90 at Northway's to-morrow.
Mrs. Huff and daughter, Mrs. Austin Pickard, of Dresden, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. McGeechay, to-day.
"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

In the High court, action of Sloan vs. Hornby, both parties were examined for discovery yesterday. Geo. A. Sayer, solicitor for plaintiff and R. L. Gossnell, solicitor for defendant.
Have you seen those jackets in Northway's window; they are to be sold Saturday at about one-third of their regular price.
"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."
G. H. Dawson, of Port Alma, is asking for tenders for the erection of a brick veneered church with concrete basement in Bonney.
The Ladies' Assisting Society will meet on Monday afternoon at 3.30, at the residence of Mrs. Willard Merritt, Head street. All members are requested to be present.
"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

The writs for the Provincial election will not be issued until May 5.—The majority of the returning officers have been appointed. Sheriff Gossnell has been appointed for West Kent and Registrar McKellar for East Kent.

The London Methodist Conference is to meet in Sarnia this year. The three names mentioned most prominently for the presidency are the Rev. A. L. Russell, the Rev. Jasper Wilson, and the Rev. E. N. Baker, of Stratford, formerly of Chatham. Mr. Baker stands a very good chance of being elected.

The young people of No. 1 Harwich, gave a surprise party at the home of Mrs. F. Wilson, Jr., last Tuesday evening, in honor of Miss Bella Shoemaker. Mrs. Wilson's sister, who left for her home in Breslau, on Wednesday, after spending the winter with her sister here. The evening was the usual enjoyment, and the merry party did not break up until early morning.

One or two good printers are wanted at this office.

Joseph Richards, of Hamilton, was in the city to-day.

Warren Lambert is in Thamesville on business to-day.

Ald. W. J. O'Brien is in Blenheim to-day on business.

D. W. Newcomb of Thamesville, was in the city yesterday.

Al. Bedford was in Merlin yesterday purchasing horses.

Dr. Ferguson, of Tilbury, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

The civic pay sheets for the past week amounted to \$194.99.

Twenty men wanted, apply to L. E. Tillson, L. E. & D. R. R. 2nd

Big sale of ladies' fine cashmere hose at Northway's Saturday.

T. C. F. H. Hilbert, of London, was in the city to-day on business.

John Bagnall, of Jeanette's Creek, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Miss Mamie Glasgow entertained a number of friends Wednesday evening.

Taffeta ribbons, 4 inches wide, all colors, for 15c a yard at Northway's Saturday.

The representative of Heintz & Co., pickle manufacturers, was in the city yesterday.

No damage was done to the Minnie B. sunk yesterday by the boiler falling on it.

The Oddfellows and their friends will be entertained in the Auditorium this evening.

Park Bros. made a shipment of hoop collars to W. W. Carter, Fesserton, yesterday.

The old officers of the Victoria Ave. League will make their reports this evening's meeting.

To-morrow a late shipment of \$2.50 and \$2.75 black derby hats for \$1.50 each at The 2 T's.

C. I. L. Concert will be repeated in full on Saturday next at 2.30.

Children, 10 cents; adults, 15 cents.

Rev. Mr. George will give an address on "Sons and their growth," at the Park St. Epworth League to-night.

To-morrow another lot of \$2.00 and \$2.50 colored derby and fedora hats for \$1.00 each at The 2 T's.

The Ireland is being fitted out for the coming season. Captain Stockwell will have charge, with Mr. Brown as engineer.

Mrs. Black left this morning for Rockwood, where she will visit for a few days before going to Winnipeg to join her husband.

Dr. W. H. Fisher has returned from Toronto, where he has been very successful in his examinations in dentistry. He will now be associated with Dr. Conell in his practice here.

The Old Boys' Reunion has been postponed for a year on account of the Fraser and Pardo election. Nothing like looking after the interest of the country.

The local Oddfellows are celebrating their 33rd anniversary by giving a concert and social to-night and attending divine service at the First Presbyterian church.

Mr. W. H. Smith, Grand Repository, Toronto, will be at Wm. Gray & Sons on Saturday 26th, to buy all classes of horses in good condition.

D. A. Gordon, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday on business from Toronto, where he has been in the interests of the beet sugar industry.

C. B. Moore, the Lacroix St. grocer, has returned from visiting Geo. Bonney, Blenheim. Mr. Moore's trip to the town on the bill was for speculative purposes.

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Company is advertising for an active agent, to whom special inducements will be offered. The company is one of the strongest doing business in Canada.

Young men who are eligible to vote at the ensuing election should at once forward their names to Ward Stationer regarding time and place of registration.

Wm. Prout, engineer at Park Bros., returned last evening from Bradford, where he was married to Miss Lily Skinner on Wednesday last. We were accompanied home by his bride. They will take up their residence on Lacroix street.

James Carl, of Chatham Township, who had been employed by Peter Miller in the moving of the house from the library site to Frank Baxter's, had the misfortune to have his hand badly smashed this morning. He grabbed one of the rollers under the house and his hand slipped under it.

TOUGH GIFT

John MacLaren was telling school trustee Benson about a good joke he once played on Mr. Benson's predecessor, Chas. Fleming. Mr. MacLaren is the stage driver between here and Mitchell's Bay and, whenever Chas. Fleming saw Mr. MacLaren, he used to ask him for wild ducks. Mr. MacLaren knew that Charlie was only joking, but the stage driver thought, nevertheless, to have some fun. He secured a couple of saw bills, a tough non-eatable variety of wild duck, and made a present of the wild ducks to the city youth. The latter thought he had a prize and took the ducks to his boarding house. The boarding house keeper cooked the ducks. She boiled, stewed, roasted and fried them, but they were tougher than leather and fishier than pike. Even the dog turned up his nose at Charlie's wild duck and would have none of it.

VERY LOW RATES.

during the months of March and April via Chicago & Northwestern Ry. \$30 from Chicago to Helena, Butte, Anaconda, Ogden and Salt Lake City; \$30.50 Spokane, \$33.00 Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Vancouver, Victoria and a large number of other points. Tourist sleeping cars every day from Chicago to the Pacific Coast. For maps and particulars apply to nearest ticket agent or address B. H. Bennett, 2 East King street, Toronto, Ont.

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Our guaranteed Black Taffetas are excellent, and on every yard has an unconsidered guarantee from the maker, per yd..... \$1 and \$1.25
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Fancy Waist Silks—Foulards, Linen Stripes, Parasol Stripes, Liberty Satins, Japan Taffetas, Hemstitched Calicoes.

Silk Waists -

Black and Colored Taffeta Silk Shirt Waists..... \$2.75
Black, white, blue, garnet, brown, pink, in all the latest styles.

White Waists

Fine Lawn, 16 hemstitched tucks in front, 12 in back, new cuffs, at..... \$1.00
Fine White Waists, 3 rows insertion, hemstitched front and back..... \$1.25
Fine White Waists, 3 rows insertion, hemstitched front and back..... \$1.50
Fine Fancy Insertion Trimmed Waists, opened at back..... \$1.75
Waists with 5 rows insertion and hemstitching front and back, inner..... \$1.75
Waists, 18 tucks and 2 rows insertion, fancy tucked collars, fancy cuffs..... \$1.80
Linen and Linen Embroidered Waists, surplus style..... \$2.00
White Muslin Waists, from..... \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00

Corsets - -

Summer Corsets..... 25c and 50c
Ladies' Girdles..... 50c to \$1.00
Erect Form Corsets, best French make, from..... 75c to \$1.00
B. & I. Patent Bias Filled Corsets, new designs, straight front..... \$1.25 to..... \$1.50

Hosiery - -

Black Seamless Cotton Hose, warranted fast..... 10c, 12c, 15c up
Fancy Lace Striped Hose, natural wool, balbriggan or red soles..... 25c
Children's Black and Colored Hose, from..... 10c
Heavy Ribbed, for boys..... 25c

Gloves - -

Black and White Taffeta, 2 dome fasteners..... 25c
Silk Gloves, black and white..... 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00

Dress Skirts

Iron gray, light gray and black, stitched seams and rows of stitching..... \$3.50 up
Ladies' Cloth Skirts, tucked full, all-wool..... \$3.50 and up
Very Stylish Dress Skirts, very latest, brown, gray, black, strapped or fancy stitching..... \$3.50 and up
Ladies' Tucked Lustrous or Brilliant Skirts, black, white, navy, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.00..... \$5.00 up

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WORLD OF SPORT

GUN CLUB SHOOT

The Gun Club held a shoot yesterday afternoon at their grounds, Riverside. Park. Some 650 birds were shot at.

Sweep No. 1, ten targets—A. C. McKay 7, Jack Moore 6, Joseph Oldershaw 5.

Sweep No. 2, ten targets—Thomas Nichol 5, Jacob Labombard 4, J. H. Gordon 4, W. J. Bennett 6, William Oldershaw 5.

Sweep No. 3, ten targets—Thomas Nichol 3, Jack Moore 6, Jos. Oldershaw 7, A. C. McKay 6, W. J. Bennett 5.

Sweep No. 4, ten targets—R. Hutchinson 4, J. Smith 4, Wm. Oldershaw 4, J. Labombard 5.

Sweep No. 5, ten targets—J. H. Gordon 4, Jack Moore 10, A. C. McKay 7, Jos. Oldershaw 7, J. Labombard 4.

Sweep No. 6, ten targets—A. C. McKay 7, Jos. Oldershaw 6, Jack Moore 10, J. Labombard 5, W. J. Bennett 6.

Sweep No. 7, 10 targets—Tom Guttridge 6, Thos. Nichol 7, A. Hutchinson 5, J. H. Gordon 4, Jos. Oldershaw 7.

Sweep No. 8, ten targets—A. C. McKay 6, Jos. Oldershaw 6, Tom Guttridge 4, Thos. Nichol 5, A. Hutchinson 4.

Sweep No. 9, ten targets—Tom Guttridge 5, J. Smith 4, Wm. Oldershaw 6, A. Hutchinson 4, J. Labombard 6.

Sweep No. 10, ten targets—Tom Guttridge 5, W. D. Tristram 9, J. Labombard 4, A. Hutchinson 3, J. G. Kerr 3.

Sweep No. 11, ten targets—Tom Guttridge 4, W. D. Tristram 7, J. G. Kerr 4, J. Labombard 4, Thos. Nichol 4.

Sweep No. 12, twelve targets—W. D. Tristram 7, W. Oldershaw 8, Thos. Guttridge 6, J. Labombard 6, J. G. Kerr 6.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Man as an Incarnation.

PEOPLE of a materialistic frame of mind, to whom man is but a machine, have an editorial written in the "Herald" are apt to put on one side all the things that are not weighed and measured as only inexpressible or unthinkable as a quite beyond the range of material discussion. Such people are ready to attend a meeting of the Society for Psychical Research for "a change of scene." What they will see is thus described:

"There they will find people, quite as convinced as they are of their own sanity, and quite as content as they can possibly be with the correctness of their own interpretation of things, asserting the most astounding propositions, without turning a hair. To those who are so self-centered as to think that there is something cranky about all who do not see as they do, it is a wholesome, weakening tonic to find, solid, comfortable, and respectable people believing in telepathy as a thing indisputable, and holding that man, as we see him engaged in his various more or less ignominious pursuits, in the city and elsewhere, is but the incarnation of one little bit of himself as he exists in an intangible and ethereal form. At the last meeting of the Psychical Research Society, Dr. Oliver Lodge, F.R.S., said that he did not hold that the whole of any one of us was incarnated in their terrestrial bodies; certainly not in childhood; more, but perhaps not so very much more, in adult life. What was manifest was only a definite portion of a much larger whole. What the rest was doing during the years spent here he did not know. Perhaps it was asleep; but probably, he said, it was not entirely asleep with men of genius, nor perhaps was it all completely inactive with people called mediums. Now to the modern materialist all this is absolute 'rot.' Yet Dr. Lodge is not exactly a man to pooh-pooh. Indeed, may not the immaterialist retort that this is a Christian country and that our very religion teaches us not to weigh and measure too exactly? Again, Roentgen, Tesla, and Marconi have of late been giving many shocks to old ideas. At any rate, this is clear, that we must not too rigidly put outside the bounds of sanity belief in the unthinkable. It is a queer world, and which half of it is sane appears still undecided."

An English Departure in Insurance.

A CORRESPONDENT writing from London under date of February 15 says: "One queer phase of the present smallpox scare is the smallpox insurance department, opened at Lloyd's. The current rates are 2-1/2 per cent. if recently vaccinated, and 3-1/2 if not vaccinated since infancy. The insurance becomes due on the doctor's certificate that the policy-holder has smallpox." He adds: "After jogging along comfortably with smallpox in its midst for six months, London is now beginning to get worried, and a large contributing cause of that worry is that if the plague spreads much more it is going to frighten away the profitable American cousin, who is expected to come over in unprecedented numbers for the coronation season and scatter dollars right and left. Trouble began away back in August, and has been slowly growing off and on, ever since, until the average lately has been about 50 new cases a day. One day last week it ran up to 82. There were 138 new cases in September, 339 in October, 473 in November, 504 in December, and 1,236 in January. Yet, according to previous experience, smallpox reaches its height in London from January to May. Consequently it would be well for readers planning a trip to see King Edward's crown put on to watch the smallpox returns from London for the next four or five weeks. The present plague can be said to be well under control, but a big sudden increase would tax London's resources to the utmost and might cause a panic."

Onions and Epidemics.

A READER of "Marmaduke's" letter in London "Truth" has sent him the following: "As there is an epidemic of smallpox in London it has occurred to me to send this to you, for some of your medical readers may be either able to prove or disprove the statements it contains."

"Onions and Epidemics.—In the spring of 1849 I was in charge of one hundred men on shipboard, with the cholera among the men. We had onions, which a number of the men ate freely. Those who did so were soon attacked, and nearly all died. As soon as I made this discovery their use was forbidden. After mature deliberation I came to the conclusion that onions should never be eaten during the prevalence of epidemics, for the reason that they absorb the virus, and communicate the disease, and that the proper use for them is sliced and placed in the sick-room, and replaced with fresh ones every few hours. After maintaining the foregoing opinion for eighteen years, I have found the following well attested: Onions placed in the room where there is smallpox will blister and decompose with great rapidity; not only so, but will prevent the spread of the disease. I think that as a disinfectant they have to be equalled properly used. If needed, the foregoing (which I have greatly abbreviated) can be attested on oath."

It is a curious echo of a hygienic preventive, and it is given here without much hope that the suggestion can be valuable.

Doubtless She Was.

Mrs. Browne—And who is the president of your club now, Mrs. Malaprop? Mrs. Malaprop (proudly)—I am the present empress, just now—Philadelphia "Press."

Bargains.

When woman gets into politics Reform will just be great. Two dollar votes will be marked down to \$1.25. The "Capital."

Jay-Yee, sir; when I was in New York a sharper robbed me of fifty dollars. May—Why didn't you call a policeman? "Well, I thought fifty dollars was enough." Philadelphia "Press."

Lumbago

is Rheumatism of the back. The cause is Uric Acid in the blood. If the kidneys did their work there would be no Uric Acid and no Lumbago. Make the kidneys do their work. The sure, positive, and only cure for Lumbago is

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The Eclipse Cyclopedia.

The remarkable discovery that a total eclipse of the sun develops a total air cyclone as the shadow sweeps across the earth has been made by Mr. H. C. Clayton through a study of the meteorological phenomena observed during the eclipse of May, 1900. During the eclipse the winds were practically reversed in direction as the umbra moved from one side of the continent to the other, and there was an outflow of air from the shadow to a distance of 1,500 miles. As the shadow progressed about 2,000 miles an hour, it must have continuously formed within the shadow and must have dissipated in the rear almost instantly. Mr. Clayton believes that this discovery indicates that the fall of temperature at night must tend to produce a cold air cyclone, while the heat of day tends to the production of a warm air one, and thus the puzzling phenomenon of the double diurnal period in air pressure receives an explanation.

An Interesting Gourd Experiment.

The large gourds which our mothers used for storing salt, eggs, etc., are indigenous to Kentucky and were grown by people who lived in this country long before its discovery by the white man.

A couple of years since I secured one of these gourds from a cave in southern Kentucky. From the articles alongside of it it was apparent that it had been there more than 400 years. I have recently opened the gourd and taken out the seed, and I am planting some of them in the hope that they will germinate. I have several bunches of which I have placed with The Courier-Journal. Anybody sending a 2 cent stamp to pay the postage will have two of these gourd seeds sent to them for planting. I am in hopes that in this way we shall be able to reproduce this gourd that was grown in Kentucky before Columbus discovered the new world.—Bennett H. Young

The Bacillus Inquisition Goes On.

Dr. Cereale bought specimens of lettuce, endive, radish and celery in the market at Padua, such as would be used for eating after a rough washing. He then washed them in sterilized water and examined the sediment. A simple microscope survey revealed a fauna of 82 species, comprising amoebae, anguillulae and the eggs of tenia, oxyuris, ascarides and ankylostoma. Bacteriologic investigation added a rich flora of varied microbes, including micrococci, staphylococci, streptococci, and a wealth of bacilli.—Medical Magazine.

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The Origin of the Loving Cup.

THE loving cup is very common nowadays, and we see it everywhere. But many years ago there were no such things as these queer three-handled affairs, and the following story tells how they first happened to be made:

Once upon a time centuries before us, there lived a great and powerful king, who was extremely fond of hunting. He was one day in a forest pursuing a stag, but it was so fleet and clever that it eluded him and his band of followers, and led them entirely out of their way. After wandering about in a hopeless fashion they finally came upon a little hut, and the king himself dismounted and rapped smartly upon the door.

A young girl answered his knock, and soon showed the men the right path. The king was about to go, when he saw a well near the house, and at the sight of the clear water immediately felt thirsty, and, going back, asked the girl for a drink. Without hesitation she went into the house and came out with an earthen jug filled with the well water. But, instead of offering his royal majesty the handle, as most people would do, she held that herself, and handed him the cup the wrong way.

The king said nothing, thanked the girl, and he and his band soon found their way out of the wood. But when he reached his palace he determined to reward the girl for giving him the water and at the same time to teach her a lesson in politeness. Sending to his jeweler, he bade him make a silver cup, with two handles, and deliver it to the young girl, without a word as to whence it came. The girl again hunted in that same forest, sought the hut and asked the girl for another drink of water.

This time she entered the house and came out with a beautiful silver cup, full of the sparkling water. "Now," thought the king, "she has certainly learned a lesson." But never did he know more mistakes, for the poor, ignorant girl took a handle in each hand, and for the second time offered her liege lord nothing save the side of the cup. So the king ended the girl perplexed. He resolved to teach the girl the polite way to hand a cup without directly rebuking her, and many were the hours he spent in cudgeling his brains for some way in which to do it. At last a bright idea struck him, and he sent for his jeweler a second time. "Make me," said he to the man, "a silver cup, heavily chased, and with my royal crest, and put three handles on it." The jeweler, much surprised—for remember, no such thing had ever been heard of up to this time—did as he was told, and soon the mug was finished. As before, the king had it privately sent to the girl who lived in the little hut.

One day not long after this for the third time he rode into that forest, and taking the now well-known path, soon reached the cottage. Dismounting, he knocked at the door and asked humbly for a drink of clear water.

The girl immediately came out with the beautiful three-handled cup, and, taking two of the handles in her hands, she offered him the side.

So the king rode away, well pleased with his strategy and, reaching home, ordered three-handled cups to be made in every sort of ware, and they became so popular that we now have them in all our shops and stores.

An Unfortunate Experiment.

SOME years ago there lived in Turin a physician noted far and wide as a specialist of brain diseases. Men and women came to him from the ends of the earth. With the development of fortune, for his fees were in proportion to his prominence, he cultivated a pleasing taste for those precious relics of antiquity in which the millionaires alone are privileged to indulge. He had in his library a collection of costly objects of art. The fana of his treasures were laid in the world's eye with the note of his skill. One day a rich American banker came to consult him about his wife, a confirmed kleptomaniac. His life was a burden to him, following her from store to store, continually guarding her reputation against the encroachment of her fingers. Though it had cost him thousands, his wife knew nothing, suspected nothing of her own weakness. Nor should she ever know if he could prevent it.

"If I brought her here to consult you as a physician," said the afflicted husband, "I fear she would suspect something and it would kill her. If you will permit I'll bring her to call on you as a collector of antiquities. Do not be disconcerted, however, if during the interview you find her pilfering, slipping your relics and coins into her umbrella or pockets. This is the saddest, and, of course, whatever she takes will be returned to you at once. My references are 60 and 60, bankers." This with much civility and the production of documents.

The physician made the appointment, and next day the couple came. The doctor brought out his treasures, wonderful coins, antique jewelry, on which he doted with much graceful learning. Every now and then the lady slipped into her pocket or dropped into her parasol a coin, a jewel, a vase, and as she did so her husband winked at the doctor to draw attention to her. When the physician finally gave the signal that he had learned all he required, she had accumulated the rarest of his possessions.

"I'll be back within an hour," said the Chinese banker, "with the things my wife has taken. Poor, poor girl!" he burst out. "Doctor, my fortune, my life are yours if you can but cure her." Two hours passed, then three, then the interval lengthened to five. The physician, rather alarmed, sent his servant to the American's hotel. No persons of the name were staying there. The police were called in, descriptions given, detectives went forth. They identified the culprit, who had time to make her escape. They were London pickpockets, two thieves whose characters and depredations were notorious all over England.

"Why do you call the fast bicycle rider a scorcher?" "Because he goes at a house, makes pedestrians boiling mad, warms up the police, gets roasted in court, and then thinks the whole thing is a burning shame."—"Tit-Bits."

Guest (impatiently)—Say, waiter, how long have you been employed here? Waiter—About a week, and, Guest—Oh, is that all? Then I must have given my order to some other waiter.—Chicago "Daily News."

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SOCIAL SUCCESS

Delightful Evening of Entertainment Given by the Congregation of Holy Trinity.

A very successful social was held last evening at Holy Trinity church Sunday school rooms where about 200 members and friends of the congregation spent a very enjoyable evening. Both the church and the rector, Rev. T. Beverley Smith, are to be congratulated upon the new departure of holding church socials, this one being by a general invitation to the members of the congregation and friends. The good things were prepared by the zealous workers of the church, where all were welcomed, there being no selling of tickets or taking of collection.

Rev. T. Beverley Smith, from the platform, welcomed the people and said he felt more than pleased to see so many present to-night. It was quite different from a social held in the same place some six months ago. Then he looked down upon a good many faces, but "not nearly so many as are here to-night," and he had not the pleasure of knowing but very few. To-night it seemed as though he knew every face in the building, and he wished to thank the people from the bottom of his heart for the kindness shown Mrs. Smith and himself since coming to Chatham. He said he was not the chairman of the evening and called upon N. H. Stevens to act as chairman and handed the meeting over to him for the balance of the evening. If there were anyone not feeling quite at home when Mr. Smith had gotten through the opening remarks of the chairman removed all such feelings, and made everyone feel as if it were his or her meeting and responsible to see that everyone enjoyed himself.

The program was as follows—Guitar duet—Miss Ball and Mr. Stanley Ball. Instrumental solo—Miss Sauermaier. Vocal solo—Miss McKellar. An address by Judge Houston. Recitation—Miss Bell Baxter. Vocal solo—Miss O'Hara. Recitation—Mrs. Emily Watkins.

It is unnecessary to say that the program was well rendered and most enthusiastically received. Judge Houston said: "I am very pleased to be here to-night. I am here to-night by invitation. I was here six months ago, and when entering the door asked who took the money. Was answered 'you will see that at the table.' After partaking of the good things I asked again who took the money and was surprised to find that it was a real social where the family of the church and friends were brought together to know each other better, and I thoroughly endorse this system of socials. I like to have a church in every way, supported by free offerings of the laity, that is the way to support all Christian moves and I congratulate the rector of Holy Trinity church and his congregation of being the laity of the church in this way. I feel perfectly at home to-night because I am an invited guest. I trust our other churches may copy after the lesson beginning here to-night. I think there is no other way a social can be held that the church can unite its members so well as conducting them on this principle."

After the close of the program refreshments were served at small tables so that the people were comfortably seated. If talking in any sign everyone enjoyed the evening, and at the close of the refreshments the National Anthem, "God Save the King," was sung when all departed for their homes feeling they had spent not only a pleasant evening themselves but had made others happy.



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SAD SCENE IN COURT ROOM

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"The question has been asked, 'Can a mother forget her child?' I think now that I can answer that question in the affirmative. Taking your mental capacity into consideration I don't think I ought to give you the full penalty for your crime, three years in the penitentiary. I will make the sentence a small one, and give you six months in the Mercer Reformatory and I hope when you get out you will try and do better."

P. C. Groves took the woman below, and, as they went down stairs, she asked the policeman what the judge had given her. "Six months in the Mercer Reformatory," replied the officer. "Lord help me," cried the woman in a tone that showed that even then she didn't understand what her sentence was.

Our Exchanges

Willie Wood, a 15-year-old boy walked from Chatham to Detroit and was found Sunday morning nearly starved.—St. Thomas Times.

Joseph Marantette, 70 years, one of the oldest and best known citizens of Windsor, died at Hotel Dieu Hospital Tuesday night. Mr. Marantette was for forty-six years connected with the customs department at Windsor.

Mr. Whitney's complete program, up to the time he leaves for New Ontario is as follows: Stratford, April 24; Creemore, April 25; Sarnia, April 26; Chatham, April 27; Forest, April 30; London, May 1; St. Mary's, May 2.

Blenheim had its first fire in two years on Monday when the house owned by James Bell and occupied by Mrs. James Stewart as a boarding house was destroyed. The fire was caused by a pot of burning sulphur left in one of the rooms to fumigate it.

C. St. Clair Leitch, barrister, of Dutton, acting for Wm. Stidwell, has issued a writ against Mrs. Mary Boulton, of Morreth, for damages for false arrest and imprisonment. Some time ago Stidwell was arrested on the charge of stealing a line fence from Mrs. Boulton, but was honorably discharged.

Angus Campbell, employed at the works of the Stratford Mill-building Company, was engaged Monday morning in shifting a large piece of timber when the beam was hit by a traveling crane, and falling, struck Mr. Campbell, on the head, fracturing his skull. The injured man was removed to the hospital, where he died in the afternoon. He was about 35 years of age and married.

A story has reached the city of a remarkable discovery made by a farm hand in the vicinity of Ayr. Oscar Beamer, a young man in the employ of A. B. Chisholm, whose farm is about three miles north of Ayr, accidentally unearthed a box while ploughing last Thursday. On being opened the box was found to contain coins to the value of \$12,000. The coins are of an English issue. It is stated that the boy received \$5,000 as his share of the discovery. The Courier telegraphed to Ayr but could get no confirmation of the story which is given for what it is worth.—Brantford Courier.

DANGEROUS TO HEALTH.

Woodstock, April 24.—Medical Officer Dr. McLaughlin yesterday stopped a number of carpet-beaters in their feverish occupation. He did so in the interests of the health of the city. There are a number of men who make a business of beating carpets at this season of the year. They get a vacant lot and beat carpets by the wholesale. The health officer thinks they beat more than dust out of the carpets. They send microbes floating out over the city, microbes that have been putting in a merry time during the winter with fever, measles, diphtheria and other ill the human flesh is heir to. If there are microbes in the carpets, the medical health officer believes in letting them exterminate themselves there, and not spread them all over the city.

The doctor also is not in favor of encouraging the beating of a carpet in a man's back yard, and in this the average male householder will agree with the health officer, and not necessarily on sanitary grounds either. But is the wholesale carpet-beater the doctor is after.

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Many heads of families rather dread the new clothes season, and its sudden drain on the paternal purse. Mothers know that good clothes pay best—there's no economy in spending too little—but it takes a lot to go round.

There's where our present sale of clothing and furnishings comes in. You can buy T. & D. togs; clothes you'll be proud of; at a fourth, a third, even half below the regular price. And no regular price here was ever bigger than reasonable. See the price lists we are printing most days. They're good reading for judicious spenders.

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C. G. D. Roberts leads off with "The Lord of the Air," a striking tale of an eagle of the North, untamable, and free as the air. Another kind of freedom is taken up in the "Philosophy of the Road," an article on tramps, by one who is really a tramp, and not merely a student of sociology, or a newspaper man seeking copy.

An extraordinary account of what is alleged to be the smallest race of horses in the world, and the history of Black Eagle, a cowboy's pony, together with "A Bit about Bams," a description of courting dogs, and an article called "Wild Bird Songs," which gives the songs of many of our birds in musical scores, round out the sporting features of this number.

That most thrilling branch of fishing, or rather hunting, "Sealing off the Banks," is described in a dramatic and fully illustrated article, and there is also a sketch of Francis Wilson's career by a well known theatrical critic, illustrated by a very characteristic one of the actor himself. A startling story of a coward in the Boer War is as good a piece of fiction as the South African war has yet produced, and is one of the best things among the stories in this number.

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