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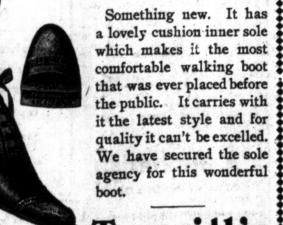
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H. Macaulay, " THE ARK

#### 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 company with the Erie & Huron Railway Company came up for discussion. The company asked that the agreement between the two companies be approved by the committee. There was a long discussion on the bill, which also asked for a two years' extension of time to begin and to comtension of time to begin and to com-plete the line. The bill was laid over for further consideration.

# OPENS CAMPAIGN

Opposition Leader Delivers a Telling Address to an Enthusiastic 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 Liberal-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 fittingly decorated, while 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 Honest, and Honest Enough to be Bold." The meeting opened shortly after

Mayor Stamp, in a short address, thanked those present for turning out so well. They had a hard fight, but if so well. They had a hard right, but it the Conservatives only put their shoulders to the wheel victory was assured.

As Mr. Whitney could not arrive in the city until 9.30, he having spoken in Picton last night, the railway connection 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 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 asknowledgments he took a seat beside the

Mr. John C. Monteith, the Conserva-Mr. John C. Montetth, the Conserva-tive candidate, was gratified at the olendid gathering, and was more than bleased to have the able leader of the Conservative party present to-night— a leader who had the fullest confi-dence of his followers, and he believed of the public generally. The in-evitable outcome of long terms of of-

ed of the public generally. The inevitable 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 going to have one this 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 deafening cheers, part of the audience rising. His speech, which occupied one 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. 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 unmatched statesman, the late Sir John A. Macdonald, and the Conservative party. The C. P. R. was the making of New Ontario, and it was strange that after being 30 years in power the Ontario Government had just awakened to the fact that there was a Ontario Government had just awakened to the fact that there was a
planet known as New Ontario. Ballot-stealing and ballot-burning came
in for some very severe condemnation
in his hands. Mr. Whitney explained
at length what the policy of the Conservative 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

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 wote for an honest ballot 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 candidate and the King, the meeting closed.

Mr. Whitney's platform: We offer you the good intentions of honest men, who are honest enough to be bold, and bold enough to be honest."
Mr. Ross's platform: "We will july you along in the same old way, keeping our promises when it suits us."—St. Thomas Times.

## 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 detention 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

on Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner in particular. Mr. Morley pointed out that Mr. Cartwright, who had served year's imprisonment for libel, now desired to come to England, and that as a buffer between the Government his detention was illegal, unconstituhis 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 afterwards acted as private secretary to Lord Roberts(, that the Government did not think it desirable to increase the number of anti-British propagandists in this country, was the most outrageous heard in the House since ment.

Brodrick, in the course of a reply, raised a storm by saying that although Mr. Cartwright had served his legal sentence, the question of his liberation was subjudice.

This brought forth a vehement protest from Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Liberal, who declared that such proposition was scandalous and contrary to the elementary principles of

#### RESULT SECRET

Gen. Meyer Concludes his Conference With the Boers

Balmoral Transvaal, April 23.-Secretary of State Reitz, of the Transvaal, General Lucas Meyer, commander in-chief of the Orange Free State forces, and other members of their party, have concluded their conferences with the burghers composing General Lucas Meyer's command Nothing has leaked out regarding the

Secretary Reitz returned here yes terday evening and proceeded to Pietersburg to meet Commandant Beyers LEYDS DISCREDITED.

London, April 24.—Belgium papers says the Brussels correspondent of the Times, no longer accept Leyds as a South African oracle. The statement made by him that the Boer chiefs know that the British terms will not be accepted by the commandoes is regarded as untrustworthy.

#### 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 still 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 CHANCE

St. Petersburg, April 24. - While Balascheff (the man who assassinated the Minister of the Interior, M, Sipia guine, April 14) was recalcitrant throughout the preliminary examination, his testimony developed the significent fact that he had in his pocket a sealed envelope addressed to M. Pobiedonesseff, the chief procurator of the Holy Synod. It is inferred,, from the finding of this envelope, that had M. Pobiedonosseff gone to the Minis-terial offices on April 15, the day M. Sipiaguine was assassinated, he would have been killed instead of the Minister 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

The discovery of this envelope is considered as confirmaing the theory that a conspiracy against several Russian officials existed,

Winston Spencer Churchill, Consers' vative, also delivered a few caustic sentences, saying he hoped the House would force the Government to withdraw within the limits of the law and observe the constitution. observe the constitution. Mr. Balfour, the Government leadwith 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 adjournment of the House, which practically amounted to a vote of censure on the Government in general, and on Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner whose keeping, at this moment, restwhose keeping, at this moment, rest ed their hopes of peace.

James Bryce, Liberal, and Sir Robt. Reid, Liberal, twitted the ministers for again interposing Lord Kitchener denounced the present action of the Government as a gross abuse of pow-

The spirit of revolt spread to the Government benches.
Ian Malcoln, Conservative, who is said to have been heretofore an unswerving supporter of the Govern-ment, warmly repudiated Mr. Balfour's argument that those voting for the adjournment would be showing themselves bareless of British honor. After such an incident he no longer felt sure the members of the Govern-Simon Demontford invented Parliament.

The Secretary of State for War, Mr.

Brodrick, in the course of a rools.

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

The House then divided and the motion for adjournment was defeated by Nine Unionists voted against the

## WOMAN WILL RUN

Mrs. Darwin Accepts Nomination for Legislature as So-

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 Darwin; East Toronto, James Simpson West Toronto, John A. Kelly. The So West Toronto, John A. Kelly. The Socialists may also put up a candidate in South Toronto. Deputy Attorney General Cartwright when asked whether a woman could be a candidate 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 Socialistic nomination for North Toronto, will be a legal contestant for the seat, complications will arise, however, should she be elected.

#### LACROSSE

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

#### PRAISED CANADIANS

Ottawa, April 24.-A letter was received to-day from Bolksrast, South Africa, dated March 17th, by Col. Neilson, Director-General of Medical Service, from Surgeon Col. Worthington of the 10th Field Hospital Corps, which accompanied the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles to Africa. The writer states that the troops had been reviewed by General Cleary, who was much please with the general appearance, soldier ly carriage, and discipline of the Canalians. He had also words of praise for the transport wagons of the Canadians, which were made in Canadians, which were made in Ottawa, and said that he would recommend the purchase of similar wagons to the Imperial War Department. 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 Kleinhart's River on March 31. They were at that time in transit to Klerksdorp.

#### GOT-THE REWARD

Windsor, April 25 .- Judge McHugh resterday gave judgment in the action brought by Fred. Pridhomme and Alpert Piggott against Chief Wills, to compel the latter to pay over to them the \$50 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 riaintiffs are entitled to the reward.

## SAD SCENE IN **COURT ROOM**

Punishment Meted out to the Woman who Deserted Her Babe.

Goes to Mercer Reformatary 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 haby 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 woman 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. Nevertheless, 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 ideals 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 romancer working overtime. One result of his creative genius was blazened forth as follows:-

Mr. Lee has fair platform ability-Mr. Davidson has none. Mr. Lee has a united party behind him-Mr. Da-vidson got the Conservative convenvention 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, 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 untruth instanter. 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 Ridgetown Dominion, Mr. Bowyer makes the following brief and pointed response to the Banner's untruth :-

In order to cover and distract tention from the dissensions in the East Kent Liberal camp over the two nominations tendered Mr. Lee, the Chatham Banner-News repeats old falsehood of trouble among 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 apolo gized 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 Ridgetown 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. Par-

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 Ridgetown 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 unmasks 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 that what he always really has been,

The Ridgetown Dominion is quite

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## Geo. Meynell,

King St., Chatham

right. The conscientious members of both political parties have no use for 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 unmistak-

'Among other things the people

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 ag-

gregation. 3. Whether they think it a good thing to have many office holders act in an impudently 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 exense of his own province. 7. Whether they endorse the trick-

iness of Ross with regard to the referendum. 8. Whether the natural resource of the province should be exploited for the benefit of the favored few.

Let Pardo speak.

Whitney Will Win!

It looks like Fraser and Davidson for the Kents.

Come, Mr. Pardo, speak up yourself.

Why did Mr. Pardo preserve silence s to his Legislative record? Fraser has spoken with straightfor-

ward and clearly defined principles. What about Pardo? We may have mentioned it before

but it will bear repeating - Fight hard, but fight fairly. What account of his stewardship

has Mr. Pardo 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. Pardo. On what grounds does he ask a renewal of their confidence? Let Mr. Pardo

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mates, "Prohibitionist" Parrott and such hypocrisy, while it is little Irish Jack, are making these days plugging together for Pardo!

The Planet columns are open to Mr Pardo 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.—

So? Well, the assertion was your own. Were you telling the truth

The whole county appears to be enjoying the laugh on the local Liberal organ. Says the Ridgetown Domin-

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 funpleasant task of squaring itself to suit the Ross grogram, 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.

Toronto Telegram. Schalkburger-"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."

SOUTH AFRICA IS SLOW.

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 corresondents, that every riding will go Grit. This is too bad. Evidently the en 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

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.—Bannet.

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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To Contractors.

Sealed, separate and bulk tenders will be received at the offices of the architects, addressed to Wm. Rannie, Esq., Chatham, up till 7 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, April 29th inst., for the sev-eral 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

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## LETTER BOX

A SEVERE LECTURE.

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

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

Their attack some time ago on ex-Ald. J. R. Reid, when that gentleman Ald. J. R. Reid, when that gentleman was appointed assessor, 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 Mchowever, as a cue to Alderman Mc-Coig, whose reference to the legal fraternity was a little hard on such respectable liberal workers as barristers J. Kerr, Fred. Stone, Edwin Bell, LL. 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."

# THE DISTRICT.

THAMESVILLE

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

Mr. and Mrs. D. Marchbanks, Bothwell, 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 Spittal, of London, was town yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Hinde returned to Shel-

bourne yesterday, after a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Harmer.

Miss McNeil, of Cedar Springs,
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 Mrs. Lemire, of Windsor, is the

guest of her son, Mr. and Mrs, J. Le-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 Berkley, R. I.

Mr. Gillean, of London, representatative of the Standard Life Insurance Company , was in town yesterday. 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 stave mill of T. L. Pardo, ex-M. P.P.

#### DRESDEN

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

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

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

Roy 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, visted in Bank of Commerce here, visted 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 magar beets for the Dresden sugar factory.

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

Thursday of next week.

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

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 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 extrinisic aids in lifting the floodgates of fun. He has shunned the grotesque, the noisy and the violent, which some playmakers 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 tion 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 Shunk, John Jenkins, Miss Celia Campbell, Miss Jane West and the Kingsley Sisters participating.



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dian 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 repre-sented by the figure of a woman. The Grand Trunk Exhibit at Glas-

gow comprises a series of large photo-graphic views, depicting scenes at dif-ferent points on the System, including the summer resort districts in Ontario and Quebec, the Mountains of New 6th concession from School Section No. England and views on the Atlantic Sea Coast. After the close of the Carried. Exposition the entire collection was presented by the Grand Trunk to the Imperial Institute, London, England

## Township Councils.

CHATHAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

The Municipal Council of the Town ship of Chatham met at the Township Hall on Monday, the 7th day of April, 1902, pursuant to adjournment. The members were all present. The minutes of the last meeting were read

and approved of.
The following communications and petitions were received and read—
From Thrasher & Arnold, solicitors, for Wm. Naltie, stating that if the construction of the Manning drain is proceeded with along the 6th and 7th oncessions road he will have no objections to the same if sewer pipe is laid in place and the drain covered in front of his buildings; if this is not done he will apply for an injunc-tion restraining the carrying out of the proposed work.
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missioner on the Danforth drain, stating that by some oversight he neglected giving Wm. Austin, n 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 R. 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. Noltie, 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 submit-

F. W. Charteris, commissioner Char-teris drain, was present and submitteris 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.

price, etc.
Mr. Chas. Duddie 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 writ-ten 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 ar-rangements to enter into with Chat-

ham City to have the waterworks extended to Taylor avenue.
On motion of Mr. Wickens and Mr. Templeton, the report was adopted and the said committee empowered to make what arrangements they think

Moved by Tompkins and George, that John Clyde be appointed com-missioner on the Best drain.—Carried. Moved by Tompkins and Templeton that the petition of Wm. Noltie, 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.

Moved by Wickens and Templeton,
that the offer of N. E. Gibb to furnish

what sewer pipe he has on hand at the following prices be accepted—102 pieces 10-inch at 39c each; 18 pieces 12-inch at 51c each; 15 pieces 15-inch at 75c each; 57 pieces 18-inch at \$1.02 each.—Carried.

Mayod by Gaerge and Tompkins 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, detatching the n (1-2 of lot 13 in the

Moved by Wickens and George, that councillor Templeton meet N. E. Gibb in Wallaceburg when sewer pipe is re-moved, and ascertain that the correct number and size is furnished as agreed on with Mr. Gibb.—Carried.

on with Mr. Gibb.—Carried.

Moved by Wickens and Templeton, that Theophelus McKerrall be and is hereby appointed commissioner on the Danforth drain.—Carried.

Moved by Tompkins and George, that Isaac French be appointed commissioner on the 4th concession drain.—Carried.

-Carried. Moved by George and Tompkins that the county treasurer is hereby instructed to write off his books the arrears of taxes charged against the n w 11-4 of lot 5 in the 115th concession as the same appears there by mistake, and that the clerk send the said treasurer a copy of this re-

solution.-Carried. There were a large number of ac-counts which were ordered paid by different resolutions and charged to

their proper accounts.

Moved by Templeton and Tompkins, that this council adjourns to meet at the Township Hall on the 14th day of April as a special meeting to appoint township officers, pathmasters, drain commissioners, fence viewers, pound keepers, etc.—Carried.

drain commissioners, fence viewers, pound keepers, etc.—Carried.

The Township of Chatham council met at the hall the 14th day of April, 1902, for the purpose of selecting and appointing township officers for the present year. The members were all present.

The by-law confirming the appointment of pathmasters, pound keepers, drain commissioners, fence viewers, etc., was filled in and read on motion of Mr. George and Mr. Templeton; the same was finally passed, signed and sealed.

Robert Gallipo and Theophilus Mc-

the commutation money in said statute labor division and that the same be paid out of the general ac-count of the Township until the taxes oount of the account of the are collected.

Meeting adjourned.

A. McARTHUR,

Township Clerk.

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Robert Gallipo and Theophilus McKerrall was heard in reference to Mr. Gallipo's claim for damages for reason of John Deline diverting the course of the Danforth drain.

Moved by George and Respirins, that the reeve and councillor Wickens be appointed a committee to meet with the commissioner of the Danforth drain and Gallipo and Deline and try and arrive at a settlement in regard to the grievance of Mr. Gallipo.—Carried.

Moved by Tompkins and Templeton, that all persons are forbidden from removing earth from the 9th concession road allowance opposite lot No. Il, and that printed notices to that effect be posted up.—Carried.

Moved by Tompkins and George, that the stante labor for Taylor avenue division be commuted at the rate of fifty cents per day and that the same be placed on the tax collectors roll for collection, and that the commissioner of the first division expended the commutation money in said statute labor division and that the same be paid out of the general ac-

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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet. Toronto, April 25 .- 10 a. m .- Stron winds and moderate gales from east and south; cloudy; rain to-night. Saturday, south and southwesterly winds; showers and local thunder-

The following figures were registered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner & Platt's weather bureau:

Barometer 29.50. 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 morning taxed their costs.

Miss McIntyre, of Detroit, has returned home, after spending a couple of weeks with her parents at Mitch-Dr. and Mrs. Brady, of Benton Har-

bor, Mich., who have been spending a few days with friends here, have returned home. The Girls' Mission Band of the Park

St. Methodist Church will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3.30. A good

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. Cornettet.

J. W. Young, of Thamesford, Past Grand Master of the I. O. U. 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-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 registration.

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 Glencoe, Miss Ethel Waterworth, of Glences, a former student of the Canada Business 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 chimnies," said Fire Chief Rich. Pritchard to The Planet this morning. "I am pleased to see that the alarms are sent in by telephone for chimney fires instead of pulling boxes and calling out the whole department."

The officers of the 24th Kent Regiment are still after all those who re-fuse to attend drill. They are making no distinctions as to whom they pro-scute. 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-

A parish social was given in Holy 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 rendered. Musical selections were given by Misses Kathleen O'Hara, Miss Belle Baxter, Mrs. E. J. MacIntyre and Miss Lucy McKellar.

R. Gavin, of Rond Eau, was in the city yesterday.

James Drake, of West Lorne, Chatham visitor yesterday.

Miss May Taylor, Park street, is 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

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 Petrolea, a student of the business department of the C. B. C. last year, has return-ed 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 Effic Ross, of Lochalsh, have extended their courses in the shorthand department of the Busi-

The Daughters of Rebecca have re eived an invitation from Dresden to 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 Ericau owned by the estate of the late Rufus Stephenson had a very close call from descruc-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 others of the pier gang, with sand and water, it was got under control .-Blenheim Tribune.

The Lake Erie are arranging for pecial train to go to Rond Eau on lay 3, leaving Chatham at six 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 beginning the state of t ing run for the cottagers, giving them an opportunity to inspect their several properties. If the excursion is patronized it is altogether likely that the service will be continued and im

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 promises 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 Georgie Gamble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gamble, Murray street, who died on Wednesday, took place this morning to St. Joseph's church and thence to St. Anthony's cemetery. It was very largely attended. Fr. Herbert conducted 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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F. R. Dale, of Ridgetown, was the city yesterday Sheriff Gemmill is spein Wallaceburg.

C. M. Brandt, of Blenheim, was 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-

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

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

Miss Roberta Bennett, of St. Catharines, has commenced a business course in the C. B. C. James Scott Gray, is making extensive improvements to his already fine place on William street. He has pur-chased part of D. McLachlan's proper-ty, and will have an excellent lawn.

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

'At the residence of the bride's parents, 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 destroyed and there was no insurance of them. He will rebuild immediately. W. H. Irwin, of London, has accepted a rosition in the wash goods department of C. Austin's Bargain Centre. He assumed his new duties this week. 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. Rav. T. H. Henderson, pastor of the A. M. E. Church performed the

funeral services. The above from the Ridgetown Dominion refers to W. E. Workman, organist 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 cou-ple much happiness and prosperity in

heir future life. The funeral of the late Jno L. Doyle whose death occurred on Tuesday evening, 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 targely attended by residents of Chatham township, where deceased once lived. Alarge number were also present from the city. Rev. Fr. Herman

#### A GOOD SHOW

Manager Brisco has received the following telegraphic specials retonight's production, which played St. Thomas last night at the Grand Open

"Don't Tell My Wife Company" god performance. Everyone delighted. Signed GEO STACEY, Mgr. Grand Opera House.

From St. Thomas, April 25. "Don't Tell My Wife Company" gave est of satisfaction. Arthur Den made great hit, and supporting com-pany first class; specialties excellent, They leave on 11,40 for Chatham. Signed, S. H. PALMEDAY, Ass't Pass Agent, Wabash

#### LICENSE GRANTED

The License Commissioners met his morning, with Chairman W. M. Stone, Thos. Brady and Inspector T. C. Macnabb present.

All the hotels and the two shops in the city were granted renewals of li-

In Wallaceburg all, with the excepion of M. O'Mara's tavern, which was granted an extension of three months, were granted renewals. The two taverns in Chatham Town-

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## Geo. A Young

Our Grocer Phone 151

ship, one at Oldfield and the other at Tupperville, were granted renewals. Also those in Dover, two at Mitchell's Bay, one at Big Point, two at Pain Court, and the Montreal House, just outside the limits.

The three taverns in Tilbury village

The three taverns in Thoury village were granted renewals.

The two licenses at Merlin were left to stand until the hotels could be in-spected by the inspector, T. C. Mac-

HARDSHIPS OF TOMMY ATKINS. Wandsworth, S. W., England. Gentlemen -

I am not much of a letter writer, but having seen how very useful Kelpion was to us on our long march, I think you are deserving of all the praise you can get. I am thankful to say that I never had much use for it myself but when I did have for it myself but when I did have occasion I must say it was the best thing I had ever tried for sore feet and insect bites. Its praises were sung all over the camp. No matter what was wrong with a fellow, he was advised by chums to apply "Kelpion" and he would soon be all right. Our water bottles and our Kelpion were the two things treasured above all others in our marching kit. (Signed) Pte. D. R. Price,

ing kit. (Signed) Pte. D. R. Price, No. 901, C. I. V At all druggists, 25c.

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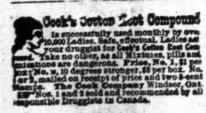
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Tent No. 8, K. O. Hall, at 8. Public Library Board, Public Li brary, 8 o'clock. The C. E. of St. Andrew's Church

"Don't Tell My Wife," at the Grand Regimental parade of 24th Kent Regiment, and march out.

## Local Briefs

To-morrow \$1.50 black derby ha "DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COF-

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 Fred. Phelps is lettering the steam-er City of Chatham.

Special values in ladies' tailored skirts at Northway's Saturday. "DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COF-C. E. Lister was in Merlin yester-

day on busines Mrs. John Liddy is visiting friends in Detroit and Windsor for a few

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COF-FEE. The term for closing tenders for the erection of a manse at Thamesville has been extended to May 5 at 12

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. Aus-

tin Pickard, of Dresden, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. McGeachy, to-"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COF-

In the High court, action of Sloan vs. Hornby, both parties were exam-amined for discovery yesterday. Geo. A. Sayer, solicitor for plaintiff and R.

. Gosnell, solicitor for defendant. Have you seen those jackets in sold Saturday at about one-third of their regular price. DRINK GRANO.

G. H. Dawson, of Port Alma, is asking for tenders for the erection of a brick veneered church with concrete

basement in Romney The Ladies' Assisting Society will quested to be present. "DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COF-

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

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

Baker stands a very good chance of being elected. The young reople of No. 1 Harwich, The young reople of No. 1 Harwich, gave a surprise party at the home of Mrs. F. Wilson, Jr., tast 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 spend in the usual enjoyments, and the spent in the usual enjoyments, and the merry party did not break up until

10e to 35e

One or two good printers are want-Joseph Rickards, of Hamilton, was n the city to-day.

Warren Lambert Ald. W. J. O'Brien is in Blenhein

D. W. Newcomb, of Thamesville, was n the city yesterday. Al. Bedford was in Merlin yester-

Dr. Ferguson, of Tilbury, was a Maple City visitor yesterday. The civic pay sheets for week amounted to \$194.99. Twenty men wanted, apply to L. E. Tillson, L. E. & D. R. R. 2td Big sale of ladies fine cashmer hose at Northway's Saturday.

T. C. F. H. Hilbert, of London, wa in the city to-day on business. John Bagnall, of Jeanette's Creek, was a Chatham visitor yesterday. Miss Mamie Glascow entertained a umber of friends Wednesday even-

Taffeta ribbons, 4 inches wide, all colors, for 15c a yard at Northway's The representative of Heintz & Co.,

pickle manufacturers, was in the city No damage was done to the Minnie B., sunk yesterday by the boiler fall-

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

Park Bros. made a shipment of hoop coilers 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. I. Concert will be repeated in full on Saturday next at 2.30. Children, 10 cents; adults, 15 cents. Rev. Mr. George will give an ad-dress on "Stones and their growth," at the Park St. Epworth League to-

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 l'oronto, where he has been very successful in his examinations in dentist-

ry. He will now be associated with Dr. Cornell 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 first. . The local Oddfellows are celebrating their 83rd anniversary by giving a concert and social to-night and at tending divine service at the First Presbyterian church Sunday.

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. 4d 1w D. A. Gordon, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday en route home from Toronto, where he has been in the interests of the beet sugar indus-

meet on Monday afternoon at 3.30, at the residence of Mrs. Willard Merritt, Head street, All members are resall, Blenheim. Mr. Moore's trip to sall, Blenheim. Mr. Moore's trip to the town on the hill was for specula-

tive 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 elligible to vote at the ensuing election should at once forward their names to Ward Stanworth, who will mail them information regarding time and place of regis-

tration. Wm, Prout, engineer at Park Bros., returned last evening from Brantford, where he was married to Misss Lily Skinner on Wednesday last. We was ccompanied home by his bride. They will take up their residence on La-

croix street. James Carl, of Chatham Township who has 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 rustee Bensen about a good joke he once played on Mr. Bensen'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. Mac-Laren knew that Charlie was only Laren 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 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.

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## **GUN CLUB SHOOT**

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Nichol 3, Jack Moore 6, Jos. Older-shaw 7, A. C. McKay 6, W. J. Bennett Sweep No. 4, ten targets-R. Hutch-

nson 4, J. Smith 4, Wm. Oldershaw J. Labombard 5. Sweep No. 5, ten targets—J. H. Gordon 4, Jack Moore 10, A. C. McKay 7, Jos. Oldershaw 7, J. Labombarb 4. Sweep No. 6, ten targets—A. C. Mc-Kay 7, Jos. Oldershaw 6, Jack Moore 10, J. Labombarb 5, W. J. Bennett 6. Sweep No. 7, 10 targets—Tom Gutt-ridge 6, Thos. Nichol 7, A. Hutchinson 5, J. H. Gordon 4, Jos. Oldershaw 7. Sweep No. 8, ten targets-A. C. Mc-

Kay 6, Jos. Oldershaw 6, Tom Gutt-ridge 4, Thos. Nichol 5, A. Hutchinson Sweep No. 9, ten targets-Tom Gutt ridge 5, J. Smith 4, Wm. Oldershaw 6, A. Hutchinson 4, J. Labombarb 6. Sweep No. 10, ten targets - Tom Guttridge 5, W. D. Tristem 9, J. La-

bombarb 4, A. Hutchinson 3, J. G. Sweep No. 11, ten targets — Tom Guttridge 4, W. D. Tristem 7, J. G. Kerr 4, J. Labombarb 4, Thos. Nichol

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

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#### Man as an Incarnation.

DEOPLE of a materialistic frame of Society for Psychical Res 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, as-serting the most astounding proposi-tions, without turning a halv. To those tions, 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 awakening to find good, 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 ignoble pursuits, in the city and elsewhere, is but the incarnation of one little bit of himself as he tion 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 in-carnated 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 immaterialists 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

#### An English Departure in Insurance.

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."

CORRESPONDENT writing from A London under date of February
13 says: "One queer phase of the present smallpox scare is the smallpox present smallpox scare is the smallpox insurance department opened at Lloyd's. The current rates are 21-2 per cent, if recently vaccinated, and 31-3 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 comportably with smallpox ging 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 shoals 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 everage lately has been about 50 new cases a day. One day last week it ran up to 82. There were 183 new cases in September, 309 in October, 473 in November, 804 in December and 1,295 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. At present the 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 pan-

#### Onions and Epidemics.

READER of "Marmaduke's" let-A ters in London "Truth" has sent him the following:
"Whilst turning over some old books

in my library last week I stumbled up-on the following paragraph in the 'Rural World' of 1863. As there is an epidemic of smalipox 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:

"Onlons and Epidemica.—In the

spring of 1849 I was in charge of one hundred men on shipboard, with the cholers among the men. We had on-ions, 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 pre-valence of epidemics, for the reason that they absorb the virus, and com-municate 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 no equal if properly used. If needed, the foregoing (which I have greatly abbreviated) can be attested on oath.

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

#### Doubtless She Was.

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

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

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The Eclipse Cyclone. The remarkable discovery that a total eclipse of the sun develops a cold 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 "the eclipse cyclone, to keep pace with 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 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

A couple of years since I secured en 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 hundred, 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. Ceresole 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 microscopic survey revealed a fauna of 52 species, comprising amœbæ, anguillulæ and the eggs of tænia, oxyuris, axarides and ankylostoma. Bacteriologic investigation added a rich flora of varied microbes, including micrococci, staphylococci, streptococci, sarcinæ and a wealth of bacilli.-Med ical Magazine.

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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 cluded 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 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 cun the wrong way. 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, with

out a word as to whence it came.

Perhaps a month after this the king 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. thought the king, "she has certainly learned a lesson." But never was he more mistaken, 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.

The king rode away deeply 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 cudgelling 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 jew-eler, 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 but.

One day not long after this for the third time he rode into that forest, and, taking the now well-known path, seon 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 third.

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 be-came so popular that we now have them in all our shops and stores.

#### An Unfortunate Experiment.

in a physician noted far and 8 wide as a specialist of brain dis-eases. 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 promin he cultivated a pleasing taste for those precious relics of antiquity in which millionaires alone are privileged to in-dulge. He had in his library a collection of costly objects of art. The fame of his treasures was loud in the world's ears with the note of his skill. One day a rich American banker came to consuit 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 fin-gers. Though it had cost him thou-sands, his wife knew nothing, suspected nothing of her own weakness. Nor should she ever know if he could pre-

went 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 het. If you will permit it 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 pifering, slipping your relics and coins into her umbreils or pockets. That is the ailment, and, of course, whatever she takes will be re-turned to you at once. My references are So and So, bankers." This with nuch dignity and the production of

The physician made the appointment and next day the couple came. The doctor brought out his treasures, wonderful coins, antique jewelry, on which he descanted 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 theft. 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 Chicago 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 pervant 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 culprits, who had time to make their escape. They were London pickpockets, two thieves whose characters and depredations were notorious all over England.

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be dry everywhere. It is dry in my

country too. I read in one of our pa-

pers the other day that in many places

in the west the people were praying for

"What!" said the earl. "Do your peo

"Oh, yes," said the minister, "they

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"All the same like Chinese joss, hey?"

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By REGINALD GOURLAY. Y English friend, Tom Dare, was an enthusiastic sports-man. There was nothing

man. There was nothing strange about that. Most Englishmen of his type and class are. But then he was besides one of the worst shots when he first came out to this country (he improved afterwards) that I ever saw "waste his lead upon the desert air." upon the desert air."

Now, most Englishmen of his class

(he was the younger son of a Buckinghamshire squire) are excellent shots, being to the manor born as it were, which made this defect the more remarkable. He was very credulous markable. He was very creditions about some things, particularly as regarded game and shooting in America. Here, again, he resembled many other Englishmen. He was brave, generous and impulsive, much more resembling an Irishman than an Englishman in an Irishman than an Englishman in this last respect. He was also very nearsighted, which accounted in part for his frequent bad shots, and he always

wore what he called "glawses."

When I first saw Tom Dare it was on the Canadian Grand Trunk train going west, somewhere between Kingston and Toronto. His compartment in the Pullman car resembled a small shop for the sale of sporting goods, or an exhibit of deadly and murderous weapons. Gun and rifle-cases lay all around him. He had evidently not been able to endure their removal from his sight to the baggage-car. At every stop he would move forward to the lat-ter car and inspect a huge St. Bernard, a pair of pointers and an evil-minded buildog, with deep solicitude. These interesting animals were making about as much noise as a pack of hounds in full cry, and two of them—the St. Bernard and the buildog—were dangerous to come near. Some ideas exchanged on sporting topics, and the timely assistance I was able to give him in soothing his excited quadrupeds, made

us friendly at once, for there is a singular freemasonry among sportsmen. But when he found that I lived in the very city he was bound for, and that I knew well several people he had let-ters of introduction to, Englishmanlike, Dare expanded completely, and I was soon in possession of his experi-ences, tribulations and trials since his arrival in the New World, and some of his hopes and plans for the future.

It seems that, having had some property left him by a maiden aunt, as well as the usual younger son's allow-ance, he was free to realize the chief desire of his soul, which was to visit North America and do his utmost to lessen the number of wild animals on that continent. He confided to me in a burst of enthusiasm, invoked by some appreciative remarks of mine, betokening a congenial spirit, "that spawt-real wild spawt"—was the guiding star of his existence, and that to enjoy it, unfettered by any of the effete restraints which hedge it in at home, was the chief reason of his leaving his na-

tive shore.
We reached our destination at last, and Dare departed to a neighboring hotel with his arsenal and canines. In It Has no Equal as a Spring such time he presented his letters of introduction to various families, was taken up very kindly by society, and "put up" at most of the clubs; and It will be well understood by the physically broken down and disvarious fashionable functions.

nervines, sarsa parillas, tonics and pills have never accomplished the glorious I met him often at the club and else where, and got to like him very much. life-saving work in springtime that has marked the history of that health-I gathered from some remarks that fel from him that he was not altogiver, Paine's Calery Compound, which has cured such desperate cases of kid-ney disease, liver complaint, rheumagether happy among his fashion able engagements and surroundings, tism, neuralgia, dysrepsia and blood and that he sighed for the hour when he could escape from them into the wilderness and hunt bears Paine's Celery Compound is the disin peace. Like Lady Clara Vere de Vere, "the languid light of his proud overy of one of the ablest physicians that ever lived, and one of the strongest proofs of its worth and value, is the fact that able practieye was wearied with the rolling hours," and he counted the moments till the deer-shooting season opened, and till he could fly from the blandishtioners rescribe and recommend it

ments of dear Jane or charming Gladys or Ethel to the northern forests. The happy, longed-for day at last arrived. A generous friend had placed his hunting lodge (he being detained at home by important business) at our disposal for the season. It was situated in Northern Algoma, in what was then-and is now-a great game country. So it happened that just fortyeight hours after the opening of the season Dare and I were standing on the porch of the comfortable little rus-tic house looking out over the most beautiful little lake in the world. Our four men were bringing packs and bagfrom the canoes up to the hous rage from the canoes up to the house with that beautiful calm deliberation and absence of all fussy feverish haste characteristic of the Canadian "halfbreed," while in front of us, leaning or his rifle, stood our gulde, the redoubt-able Kit Todd, best of hunters and

trappers between Lake Superior and

the Ottawa.

Tom Dare was in the seventh heaven. During his sojourn in Canada he had earned something about the game of the northern part of this continent. He had found out for instance, that elk and carfbou rid not abound in the neighborhood of New York; that buffa-lo were extinct in Ohlo, in Illinois, and in the vicinity of Toronto, Canada. In ed. Persistency and patience will oblige the plant to do as you would like to have it do.—Ladies' Home Journal. fact, that they were virtually extinct everywhere in America. Also, that to get big game anywhere in America. Also, that to get big game anywhere in America you had to go a long way back. He quite understood that in the forests he saw clothing in wild beauty the hills around him he could only expect to get a shot at red or Virginia deer, at small game—if he cared to shoot them—as often and as fast as he could fire, with new and then, by good luck, a chance One of the strongest and most striking proofs of the great popular-ity of Malt Breakfast Food is the fact that the Ralston Health Club memat a bear or meose. "These," he re-marked to Kit Todd, the guide, with enough for him. Aft he asked was to be

enough for him. As he said to the fray at once."
This was, of course, impossible, as it was within an hour or so of sunset, and the long black shadows of the hemiocks and birches already stretched hemiocks and birches already stretched far over the glossy waters of the little lake. But very early next morning Kit Tedd, moved by Dare's pathetic entreaties, took us out for a short, in-formal still-hunt over the ridges, "to sorter prospect like," as he exp

Tom's emotions on being at last a lenizen of the vast and trackless woods were genuine and uncontrolled. I could appreciate them, for a more glorious October morning never dawned. It was pretty enough by the lake, where our lodge was, the light blue of the water exactly matching the color of the sky, while the startlingly vivid hues, by comparison, of the brilliant autum-tal foliage of the trees encircling its

res. made the water seem alm eal-like air.

But in the great woods it was grand The endless contrast of tints-the red of the oak against the light yellow of the beeches; the vivid crimson of the maple standing out like a fire on a dark night against a black belt of cedars; the scarlet of the sumach and the gold of the birch; the great white pines and hemicks, with mighty column-like stems, lifting their changeless mass of dark needles far above the medley of gay colors beneath, as if in disdain of their tawdry fickleness—all this wealth and confusion of color was the first thing that struck the intruder into this great temple of nature. And next the silence—or, rather, what seemed a great silence at first, for one soon discovered that it was broken by innumerable undertones, the many voices of the great forest, the never-ceasing tokens of the eternal unrest of nature. The creaking of one giant bough against another, the far-off drumming of a grouse, the bark of the red fox, the dropping of a pine cone-even the vague, uncert descent of a leaf, or the cry of the jay or ivory-billed woodpecker far off in the deep melancholy forest, filled one with the idea that here at last were the frontiers of that great wild Nature which man in America is ever driving further and further away. But she-patient and biding her time-will per haps come back in a few thousands of years and hide him and his works, a she has hidden those of many a race and dynasty in the Old World and the

Dare felt all these things so much that he asked to be allowed to take care of himself for a while, "to give him the true feeling of solitude," he said. So Kit and I went along one ridge, and Dare made his way along nother running parallel with ours, and about a hundred yards to the right. He hadn't been gone twenty minutes when he put a bullet (45.75 Winchester) through the top of my fore-and-aft cap, which I had foolishly decorated with a deer's tail, an absurdity which almost invited accident when a "tenderfoot

was one of the party. "That gent with the goggles is out after meat," said Kit dryly, as he surveyed the two holes. "An' seemin'ly he ain't noways pertic'ler what kind he

Tom's consternation, of course, was extreme, but it was mingled with a sort of injured feeling towards me for not having been a deer. After that Todd accompanied Dare to prevent these little mistakes as to the nature of his game, and also to prevent his indulg-ing in what Todd called "permiskyus gunnin' "-- i.e., firing his rifle at partridge, rabbits, etc., which he showed every disposition to do, and which would effectually settle any hope of our even getting sight of a deer. I

went along the parallel ridge alone. There were many deer in the Algoma woods in those days (there are many now, for that matter), so we saw plen-ty of tracks. Still, I didn't expect much success, for several reasons. For one thing, the day was too fine. There was no wind in the woods, and the rustle of our steps in the dead leaves would be audible to the keen hearing of a deer far away. Then there were too many of us. The solitary, silent sportsman is the one that gets game, still-

So I was agreeably surprised when, not five minutes after we had separated, Dare and Todd "jumped" a deer from an oak top with the leaves still on, left by lumberers. Todd let drive at it with his single-fire rifle as it made its first long, beautiful bound out of cover, and, strange to say-for he was a first-rate shot—only scraped its flank. The deer, a spike-buck, went straight away up the ridge in full view, while with frenzied haste and uncertain aim crack! crack! crack! went Tom's re-

peater.

The buck was just topping the ridge, about two hundred yards off, when about two hundred yards off, when are the departing shet, Dare fired a last wild, despairing shot, and the deer gave a great bound, stretching his fore and hind legs stiffly out. Then all its limbs collapsed in mid-air, and it pitched straight forward on its head.

"By gum, sir, you killed him!" yelled the guide, looking at Dare with a wild surprise, similar to that which Mark Twain's musing spider exhibited when he stepped on the red-hot shovel.

But Dare had uttered a long, loud

yell of triumph and victory, and was tearing along the ridge, brandishing a murderous-looking knife. We followed, and arrived just in time to prevent his cutting the dead buck's head off en the spot for a trophy. As Todd and I came up the ridge together I heard the guide muttering: "Killed in his trackel Goin' full lick! Two hundred yards good, an' by a tenderfoot ez takes a man's hat fer a deer! Meeracles ain't through happenin' yet, by gum!"

The buck was hit in the back of the head, just below the horns. The bullet

had passed through the brain and out at the forehead, killing him instantly. It was a ghastly fluke, but a lucky one for Dare had killed his first deer the very first day out, and fairly too. We now thought we had done enough for glory that day, especially as our Dare, too, was most auxious to get his prey back at once to our hunting-lodge He seemed to think that it would vansh into thin air if he took his eyes off it for a moment. So with considerable difficulty we dragged the animal back

to the lodge. And for the rest of that day, amidst And for the rest of that day, amidst all the clatter of unpacking, the talk and the chaff, Dare sat silent and happy, his head enveloped in a cloud of tobacco smoke, replying only in mone-syllables when addressed. But on his face was a deep, seraphic peace, like that which illumines the countenance of a Sloux or Pawnee chief who has just succeeded in "collecting" the scalp of his deadliest enemy. For the time his heart's chief desire was realized. He had slain his first deer. He had slain his first deer.

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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 eeling quite at home when Mr. Smith had gotten through, the opening re-marks 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 en-

The program was as follows-Guitar duett-Miss Ball and Mr. Stanley Ball.

Instrumental solo—Miss Sauerman. Vocal solo—Miss McKellar. An address by Judge Houston Recitation-Miss Bell Baxter. Recitation—Miss Bell Baxter.
Vocal solo—Miss O Hira.
Recitation—Mrs. Enry Awkins.
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 have for night. It am have for night. It was have for night. I was have for night. I was have for night.

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 tables.' After partaking of the good things I asked again who took the money and was surprised to 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 en-dorse this system of sicials. I like to have a church, in every way, supported by free offerings. I believe that is the way to support all Christian moves and I congratulate the rector of Holy Trinity church and his congregation of being the leaders of opening up socials in this way. I feel perfectly at home to-night because I am an invited guest. I trust our 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 com-fortably seated. If talking is any fortably seated. If talking is any sign everyone seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves, 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

Continued from Page 1. "The question has been asked, 'Can a mother forget her child?' I think 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 congration to 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 renitentiary. I will make the sentence a small one and give your 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 Reform-

atory," replied the officer.
"Lord help me," cried the woman in tone that showed that even then she didn't understand what her sentence

## Our Exchanges

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Willie Wood, a 16-year-old boy walked from Chatham to Detroit and was found Sunday morning nearly starved.—St. Thomas Times.

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Joseph Maranttette, 70 years, one of the oldest and best known citizens of Windsor, died at Hotel Dieu Hospital Tuesday night. Mr. Muranttette 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 28; Chatham, April 29; 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 Boulin, of Morreth, for damages for false arrest and imprisonment. Some time ago Stidwell was arrested on the charge of stealing a line fence from from Mrs. Boulin, but was honorably

Angus Campbell, employed at the works of the stratford Mill-building Company, was engaged Monday morn-

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, accidently unearthed a box while cloughing last Thursday. On being opened the box was found to contain coins to the value of \$12,000. The coins are

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Woodstock, April 24—Medical Health Officer Dr. McLay yesterday stopped a number of carpet-beaters in their festive 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 carpets. They send microbes floating out over the city, microbes that have been putting in a merry time during the winter with fever, measles, diph-theria and other ills 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-beaters the doctor is after.

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or a newspaper man seeking copy.

An extraordinary account of what is alleged to be the smallest race of herses in the world, and the history herses in the world, and the history of Black Eagle, a cowboy's pony, together with "A Bit about Bass," a description of the Whippet, the famous breed of coursing 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

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