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SQUIBOGRAPHS.

At the rate contributions are coming into the Longboat educational fund the fleet footed Indian will graduate as a B. A., A. D. 1999.

It is fortunate the Queen of Spain did not present King Alfonso with twins. The natives would not get through throwing fits for six months.

The things they did
In old Madrid
The day the Prince was born
Were something fierce
Their shouts did pierce
The air from eve to morn.

Mark Twain is to have the degree of L. L. D. conferred on him by Oxford University, Licensed Laugh Doctor.

It takes a man with plenty of push to run a lawn mower.

If Photographer fails to win the King's plate his backers will not ask to have their negatives preserved.

The Imperial Conference is over and proprietors of dyspepsia cures are busy trying to obtain testimonials from the wailing premiers.

The new Home Rule bill does not suit the Irish, who are the easiest people in the world to please, if you only give them what they want, their own way.

There was a fire in the laundry of the London asylum the other day, but the crazy quilts were all saved.

It has been decided that candy can be legally purchased in a restaurant on Sun. Kids in possession of an "all day sucker" need not run up an alley when they see a cop approaching.

Having been deprived of their regular supply of milk during the dairymen's strike Toronto citizens are weaned from their desire for lactal nourishment and now take their breakfast food straight.

Toronto sports, who go out to the Woodbine in automobiles Saturday, will find their walking shoes very convenient on the return trip.

Having won the heavy weight championship of the U. S. Tommy Burns is now claimed as a Detroit. If Tommy had lost he would be a plain "Canuck."

What is a dollar on the Chicago Board of Trade, but the same old price in the farmers' granary.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

New long gloves for the 24th.—SWIFT'S. Ask for the latest linen writing tablet, 15 cents.—MCLAREN'S.

MARKET changes: Wheat up five cents; oats one cent; butter down two cents.

SARNIA is offering a good program of races for Victoria Day, and a large crowd is expected to witness the sports.

A CHANCE for big heads, English sots hats, 7 1/2, 7 3/4.—SWIFT BROS.

LETTUCE, pineapples, bananas and oranges just arrived at J. Mathews. The fly lays four times each summer and eighty eggs each time. The descendants of one female fly in a single season may number 2,080,320.

"WHY didn't you come to work yesterday, Bridget? Were you sick?" "Indeed and I was, maam. The doctor said me whole cistern was out of order."

WE are offering our entire stock of boots and shoes at cost. Call and be convinced.—D. G. PARKER.

New blouses and muslin shirt waist suits for 24th.—SWIFT BROS.

It is reported by the Agricultural Department that this year's output of cheese is fully one-third less than former years on account of the late spring, though the quality is excellent.

A LETTER from Mr. John Farrell, of Liverpool, states that he expects to sail on June 7th in charge of a party of 200 farm hands who will be distributed between Toronto and Sarnia, most of them being already placed.

LADIES get the proper corsets, they help the fit of your new gown. Get Crompton's at Swift Bros.

P. DODDS & SON have just received direct from one of the largest potteries in England a choice selection of toilet sets, ranging from \$1.25 to \$7.50 per set.

THE annual convention of the Middlesex and Lambton Baptist Association will be held in Forest, June 10th, 11th and 12th. The first day will be taken up with work in connection with the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

HIS Reverence; Pat, it's the whiskey you've taken has got into your head again, and made you top heavy. Pat: Sure, an' yer right, yer reverence. Bedad, an' O'ill take some more to make it balance.

IRISH silk poplin four-in-hands for the 24th.—SWIFT'S.

BORDEAUX mixture for spraying, in 15 and 25 cent tins. Very convenient where just a small quantity is required.—MCLAREN'S.

WE are indebted to W. J. Hillis, of Regina, for a copy of the special edition of the Regina Leader, giving a history of the rise and progress of the capital of Saskatchewan. It is a credit to the enterprise of the metropolis of the prairies.

"MADE to walk on" is what the manufacturers say of Campbell's Varnish Stains for staining and varnishing floors, woodwork and furniture. Well, if they will stand being walked upon, they must be made from a varnish that is all right. Why not try a can? For sale by T. Dodds.

THE correct hats for young men, middle aged and old aged.—SWIFT BROS.

LONG, lean, back bacon, spareribs and cooked ham at J. Mathews.

It is about time for our town band to wake up and get in shape for the season. Nearly all the old players are still here, and with a little practice, the band would be in first class shape. The weekly concerts last summer were enjoyed by all, and the citizens hope to see them resumed at an early date.

"DEDUCTION is the thing," declared the law student. "For instance, yonder is a pile of ashes in our yard. That is evidence that we have had fires this winter." "And, by the way, John," broke in his father, "you might go out and sift that evidence."

GOING out of business. Everything to clear at cost, stock and fixtures for sale.—D. G. PARKER.

THE annual meeting of the Sarnia District of the Methodist church will be held in Devine Street Methodist Church on Thursday and Friday of this week. On Thursday evening a meeting will be held addressed by E. W. Edwards, of Theford; B. D. and A. McKibbin, B.A., of Wyoming. The public is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

GRAND OPENING of Lake Huron Park, Friday, May 24th, 1907. The Company have placed the grounds in first class condition and everything is ready for pleasure parties. The London Harpers will furnish music for dancing. The G. T. R. give single fare for round trip, going May 23rd and 24th, return up to Monday the 27th.—SARNIA STREET RY. CO. m17-2

LADIES' short tony coats for the 24th.—SWIFT'S.

AN Irishman whose wife was fond of moving from one house to another was met by a friend the other morning while walking behind a vanload of household goods and saluted with: "Hello, Mike! Shifting again? Where might you be going this time." "I don't know, he-forn," said Mike, "I'm following the furniture to find out."

LAST week closed with a session of most unseasonable weather. Friday brought a snowstorm that lasted all day, and Saturday was unpleasantly cold with a violent north wind and temperature down among the thirties, Sunday afternoon brought a south wind and change to better weather, and the conditions have since been much more in keeping with the almanac definition of the season.

CLEARING SALE PRICES.—21 lbs. granulated sugar, R. P., \$1.00; 10 lbs. oatmeal for 25c; 3 plugs tobacco, any kind 25c. at D. G. Parker's.

A SWELL range of gents pearl hats, correct styles for the 24th.—SWIFT'S.

FROM winter on Saturday with fur coats, turnace fires a couple of inches of snow underfoot and a temperature of 36 at 9 a.m., to summer on Monday with straw hats, muslin dresses, the swallows circling overhead, and the thermometer at three in the afternoon registering 85, is another indication of the versatility of the climate of the locality. Why should any citizen of this favored region leave it in search of a change of climate. Where can he find anything in the way of changes of climate to equal what he can enjoy at home.

COUNTERFEIT Canadian one dollar bills are in circulation. On Monday one was handed to the teller of the Traders Bank, Rodney, bearing date March 31st, 1898, series B. The counterfeit is easily distinguished from good money it is not so good a color having more of a brownish tinge and being not of the same material. Also in the counterfeit the numbers which appears in red in the upper right and left hand corners can be rubbed off when wet whereas in the genuine bill they cannot the ink being waterproof.

A SPECIAL import order of dinner sets, direct from the manufacturers received from P. Dodds & Son. Prices range from \$6 to \$15.00 per set.

OUR former well known townsman, Mr. John Graves, whose collection of gems must be seen to be admired, met with a severe loss recently. The house at Keyser, where he was sojourning was burnt down and John lost a large number of his brilliants. Fortunately he saved a Pittsburg Kohinoor diamond and a string of valuable Rhinestones, which always decorated his frilled front. John estimates his loss at \$15,724,026 and unfortunately had allowed his insurance in the Plate Glass Ins. Co. to lapse.

A MEETING of the Board of License Commissioners for East Lambton was held in Watford on Saturday afternoon. The application for transfer of the license of the Gattis House, Theford, from O. B. Trask to Robson, of Brantford, was considered and action postponed for a week. The clause of the Liquor License Act respecting selling to persons on the prohibited list will be strictly enforced. It is probable that Mr. Fenwick, of Wyoming, whose license was cut off the first of May, will be given a three months' extension, to permit him to dispose of his stock.

THE shirt of satisfaction is the Star Brand. All styles and the price is a dollar.—SWIFT BROS.

REUNION NOTES.

Mrs. R. Oxenham, Toronto, expects to meet many old friends and schoolmates at the Reunion.

C. W. Cook states that the Toronto contingent are figuring on a special car from that city.

Hon. W. R. Clark, of Grand Ledge, a prominent Michigan lawyer, and a former Watford boy, hopes to be here in August.

Swell the list of members of the Association by securing your member's ticket. The expenses of the Reunion will amount to several hundred dollars, and the membership fee is a guarantee fund to meet these expenses.

The Program Committee met on Friday evening and took up the matter of engaging a band. The terms of four of the leading military bands of the west were discussed, and the Committee decided to recommend the engagement of the band of the 91st Canadian Highlanders, of Hamilton. The 91st is one of the crack military bands of the country, and has made a reputation for itself excelled by none. The gorgeous uniforms of the bandmen give them an imposing appearance, and they are highly popular wherever they have appeared. A grand concert will be put on the first night of the Reunion at the park. Bert Harvey and Leroy Kenny, two popular Toronto entertainers, will take part and other talent is being arranged for. Attractions will be announced as soon as arranged for.

A joint meeting of committees was held in the Fire Hall on Tuesday evening. Routine business was transacted, and a special committee appointed to have charge of the privileges. A communication from a firm of Peterborough decorators was received, who wished to contract for decorating the town for the Reunion. The matter was referred to the Decoration Committee for action.

Chairman Fitzgerald, of the Transportation Committee, is having a busy time arranging for railway rates. He has about six things in the shape of an announcement of the result will be made shortly.

Arrangements are being made for a grand street parade the first day of the Reunion.

In last week's list D. G. Glass should read D. G. Parker.

Are you a member?

LIST NO. 22.

R. J. Burgar, Toronto.
Mrs. R. Oxenham, "
C. W. Cook, Toronto.
Ed. J. Greer, Toledo.
Alex. Duncan, Oil City.
Mrs. C. Shufelt, Westfield, N. Y.
D. D. McNeill, Alvinston.
Miss Josie Flanagan, "
Dr. J. W. Woods, Chelsea, Mich.
Mrs. J. F. Woods, "
Dr. J. I. Wiley, Dresden.
John Wiley, Watford.

BOARD OF TRADE.

The regular monthly meeting of the Watford Board of Trade was held in the Fire Hall Tuesday evening, the Vice-President, C. H. Howden, presiding.

The special committees appointed at the last meeting, re electric light, street sprinkling and early closing reported.

The electric light question was now up to the parties interested in the transfer, but so far they had not been able to agree upon a price.

The early closing movement was working satisfactorily. All the merchants had agreed to close at 6.30 p.m. except Wednesdays and Saturdays during the months of May, June, July and August.

Owing to some difficulty in securing a supply of water the street sprinkling service had not been as satisfactory as desired, but was expected to be better from this forward.

Mr. A. Dunlop, of the Watford flouring mill, was present and presented to the Board a proposition to convert the mill property into a joint stock company, enlarge its capacity by increasing the capital and arranging for the purchase of all kinds of grain, hay and produce. It was proposed to capitalize the Co. at a minimum of \$10,000 to be increased to twenty-five or forty thousand as occasion demanded. The greater part of the stock required had already been spoken for, and it only required an additional couple of thousand dollars to complete the organization of the Co. The proposition was favorably discussed by the Board and a special committee was appointed to confer with Mr. Dunlop regarding details.

A meeting will be held next week to further deal with the matter, which is considered an important one for the town.

The Bell Telephone Co. has removed the Wyoming branch from the Butler Block to Rice's Book Store.

FOOTBALL.

Watford and Warwick Play a Tie Game.

The return football match between the Watford and Warwick foot ball teams was played at the park on Monday evening, Warwick having won the first game by a score of 1-0 on Thursday evening of last week.

The game was keenly contested throughout, and the struggle was so evenly divided that neither side succeeded in scoring the game resulting in a tie. The teams lined up as follows:

WATFORD	WARWICK
L. Dodds	goal J. Gavigan
Anderson	full backs Phair
Willoughby	Rogers
Johnston	W. Gavigan
Brison	half backs M. Gavigan
Chatterton	G. Newell
Lloyd	Doan
H. Thorne	forwards R. Fenner
L. Johnston	F. Fenner
Thompson	Harper
A. Thorne	A. Gavgan
Referee C. Dodds.	

PERSONAL.

O. W. Fuller, London, spent Sunday at his home here.

George Newton, of Alvinston, called on friends in town Wednesday.

Mrs. S. Laughlin, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elliott, of London.

Alf. Weight, is spending a few days with friends in Detroit.

W. F. Jamieson, Galt, is spending a few days at his old home here.

Mrs. G. F. Walker, London, spent Sunday with Mrs. E. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Prentiss, Petrolia, spent Sunday with Watford relatives.

F. W. Wilson, Barrister, Petrolia, was in town Wednesday on legal business.

Ed. F. Greer, Toledo, was home last week attending the marriage of his sister.

Mrs. (Dr.) Cornell, Saginaw, was the guest of her brother, Mr. T. G. Mitchell, over Sunday.

Master Cecil Walker, London, has returned home after spending a month with his grandmother.

Mrs. D. S. Childs arrived from Boston Wednesday evening and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cook, Huron St.

C. W. Cook, Toronto, representing H. E. Bond & Co., wholesale clothiers, Toronto, spent a day or two in town this week.

Mrs. C. Bertram Hathaway, Palmerston, will visit her sister Mrs. G. Chambers, Front street, during the months of May and June.

J. A. Baker, ledger keeper, in the local branch of the Merchants Bank, has been transferred to Stratford, and will be succeeded here by Jas. Leithbridge, of the Stratford office.

Mrs. J. L. Piper, Alvinston, is at present very low and grave doubts are entertained of her recovery. Albert, of London, Ella, of Detroit, and Lena, of Brantford, are home owing to the serious illness of their mother.

Mrs. Edward Cowan, 6th line, is quite poorly at present.

Miss Minnie Maddock, of Brookes, is spending a few weeks with friends in Flint, Mich.

Mrs. W. H. Hick, Walnut, left for Toronto, Monday to see her mother who is quite ill in that city.

The Rev. F. K. Hughes, of Theford, will preach in Christ church, Sarnia, on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. F. Kearney, with his niece, Mrs. York, London, visited his granddaughter, Mrs. Jacob Saunders "Maple Leaf Farm", over Sunday.

Mrs. John Hawes was taken to London hospital Sunday to be treated for blood poisoning. Mrs. Hawes contracted the disease by a pin pricking the palm of her hand while washing clothes.

Beattie, I. Newell and R. Long.

The late Mrs. Duncan McIntyre, whose death was referred to last week, was born at Appin, Highlands, of Scotland, and was the eldest daughter of the late, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McCallum. At the age of 27 she was married to Duncan McIntyre, who predeceased her about 11 years ago. In 1836 she came with her husband and two children, Dan and George, to this country, settling in London, where they remained for a short time, then removing to Ekfrid, where they resided for a few years. The family then moved to Brooke, settling on the homestead where she passed away. She leaves to mourn her loss four sons, D. C., of Cleveland, George of Gageton, Mich., Dougald and Archie at home, and three daughters, Mrs. Jas. Munro and Mrs. D. R. McKellar, of Brooke, and Mary Bell at home.

The death of Mrs. Neil Patterson occurred at her home in Detroit, on Friday May 3rd, after only a few weeks illness. Deceased was born in the township of Brooke, and was the fourth eldest daughter of the late John Risk. In 1877 she was married to Mr. Neil Patterson, after which they made their home in Brooke and Alvinston until about eight years ago, when they moved to Detroit. Deceased leaves to mourn her loss a husband and a family of three sons and three daughters, Alex., William and Alvin, at home, Mrs. H. P. Buck, of Elkhart, Ind., Katie at home, and Mrs. Dr. C. McCarroll, whose husband is a missionary in the Island of Cyprus, all of whom accompanied the remains to Alvinston except the latter and her son Alvin, who is in poor health at present. Two brothers, James, of Toronto, and John, of Detroit, and Mr. Hamlet, of Detroit, were also present at the funeral.

St. James' Church, Brooke, was the scene of an interesting event at high noon, Saturday, May 11th, when the nuptial ceremony uniting Mr. Leonard Clarence Price, a popular young business man of Toledo, and Miss Clara Maud, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greer, of Brooke, was performed by the Rev. S. P. Irwin, B. A., Rector of St. James'. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present. The young couple were unattended, the bride's niece, Rulalie Logan, making a dainty little flower girl. The wedding march was played by Miss Lena Edgar, of Kerwood. The bride was attired in a handsome costume of grey Rajah silk and wore a black picture hat. The going away gown was a brown costume with hat to match. After congratulations, the guests repaired to the home of the bride's parents where a substantial and well appointed wedding dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Price left on the afternoon express on a visit to relatives in St. Thomas and other points, and on Saturday will return to their home in Toledo. The bride, who has been a resident of the Ohio city for the past few years, has a wide circle of friends here, who will join in wishing the young couple all possible prosperity and happiness.

Kerwood will have a fast ball game this season, and will soon be in shape to meet some of the neighboring teams.

Miss Stella Venning, of London, and Miss LaVera Muxworthy, of Watford, were guests at the Methodist Parsonage over Sunday.

A meeting of the fruit growers of Kerwood and surrounding district was held in the school house recently. Instructive addresses were delivered by Mr. Phil Austin, one of Arkona's enthusiastic fruit growers, along the line of spraying and the management of orchards, and Robert Galbraith, on the packing and shipping of apples. It was decided at the close of the meeting to form an association known as the Kerwood Fruit Growers' Association with headquarters at Kerwood. This association will pack and ship apples of only members of the society and every member will be compelled to spray at least three times in the season.

There was a big Conservative rally and organization meeting on Monday, May 13th, at Warwick Village. Mr. J. E. Armstrong, M. P., and Mr. Hugh Montgomery, M. P., addressed the electors. There was a general discussion on local politics.

A series of political meetings in support of the Conservative party has been arranged throughout the riding. The details have not as yet been completed. These rallies, at each of which a large attendance is expected, will be addressed by Mr. J. E. Armstrong, the popular member for East Lambton, Mr. H. Montgomery, M. P., and the Hon. W. J. Hanna is also expected to be present.

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The Late Spring.

The delay of the warm winds, in reaching the Ontario fields, has made the question of feed on the farms a very pressing one in many cases. Already many cattle are turned out to hunt what little grass they can.

Hay has been a big price all year and the temptation to sell has been great. Many tons of baled hay has gone out from sections in older Ontario that has not shipped hay for years. Millfeeds have all been dear and grain has sold at a high water mark all the season. Consequently there was no reserve of fodder in the barns for a late spring. Cattle will thus go on the pastures early and in not too good a shape. Many dairy sections have had to buy feed and at the high prices prevailing there has been some excuse for the higher figures claimed for milk.

The lesson ought to be taken in its true bearing by the farmer now, since now is the seeding time and the preparations should be made to guard against a similar occurrence next year.

Plant plenty of corn and roots. There is no better crop for the general Ontario farmer than the good old corn crop. It furnishes a large amount of feed per acre and when cut up or put in a silo makes big returns per acre. Make every acre of ground tell. Let no land lie idle, but make it raise the most possible. To do this, the sower must understand the wants and nature of his soil. No greenhorn can get the land to produce at its maximum.

Again, the successful farmer must begin to weed out his poor animals—those that are not thrifty and highly productive. In the dairy is this most necessary, so that the profits are not curtailed by a useless cow. Farming is a wide business and he who would make it pay must think out his plans in the light of modern knowledge and execute those plans with a precision that always wins.—World.

Get Rich Quick Schemes.

The persuasively worded literature of the get-rich-schemers in flooding the mails of the country almost daily. There are oil syndicates, copper mine stocks, gold mines, vast industrial projects of almost inconceivable nature being offered with golden promises of great reward to those who will BUY NOW, before the price advances. Interest at the rate of 8, 10, 12, up to 25 per cent., is guaranteed(!), and in many cases the names of prominent public men are on the lists of direc-

For Thin, Poor Blood

You can trust a medicine tested 60 years! Sixty years of experience, think of that! Experience with Ayer's Sarsaparilla; the original Sarsaparilla; the Sarsaparilla the doctors endorse for thin blood, weak nerves, general debility.

But even this grand old medicine cannot do its best work if the liver is inactive and the bowels constipated. For the best possible results, you should take laxative doses of Ayer's Pills while taking the Sarsaparilla.

Made by J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufactured by
HAIR VIGOR.
AGUE CURE.
CHRONIC PECTORAL.

We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

tors. Some of these concerns are legitimate enterprises, and doubtless will carry out some of the rosy promises that are contained in their elaborately printed prospectuses. But a large number—the vast majority I believe I am safe in saying—have no more intention of carrying out their promises than Joseph Phillips, of York Loan history, had—a good less, perhaps, for Phillips evidently had in his visionary moments imagined that by some turn of the dice he would be enabled to do so.

With responsible financial institutions loaning money on proper securities as low as five per cent., how can any legitimate project afford to pay 8, 10, 12, or even higher, rates of interest on their capital stock. The thing is absurd. These men with their "good-things" could readily finance their projects without spending thousands of dollars in postage and literature to reach those with comparative small savings accounts, and when one sees sensible men—and women, too—taking such bait, right here in St. Thomas, it seems to emphasize the need of rigid government inspection over all companies offering their stock to the public at large. But until that time comes, if you are one of those who see financial greatness and vast wealth coming their way by investing their hard earned savings in wild-cat deals at 15 cents a share, and will be 25 cents in less than two weeks," follow Pack's advice to those in doubt about getting married—"Don't!" There's not much doubt such stock going at 25 cents, (in the company's advertisements) but you would have to spend a good deal more than you would care to for advertising to enable you to sell your's at that price, or at any other for that matter. Journal.

Brief Notes Concerning Inventions.

A new method of preserving milk in closed vessels for an indefinite period has been perfected by an inventor of London. The process consists in eliminating the air and replacing it by carbonic acid gas. Prof. Macfayden, the bacteriologist, has asserted that if all the micro-organisms could be excluded, milk would never go sour, and by aeration this claim has been substantiated. Carbonic-acid gas possesses decided antiseptic qualities, and is harmless when consumed with food. In this manner milk can be stored in bottles or other similarly sealed vessels for a prolonged period without souring, as experiments have demonstrated. Similarly, owing to the antiseptic properties of the gas, aeration completes sterilization carried out by the dairymen. In the case of those who do not like the flavor of aerated drinks, the milk can be easily stillled by pouring it into an open vessel such as a glass or jug and leaving it exposed to the air for a short time.

A new toy brought out for the holiday trade is a gas cannon. It is alleged to be entirely safe and is intended to amuse the small boy. The cannon is mounted on a box and the latter contains a small acetylene gas generator. It is supplied with a safety device rendering accidents and injury to the tiny operators quite impossible. The gas is led to the cannon through a tube and when it is loaded with a small ball of wood, the discharge is ejected by an electric spark.—Scientific American.

The Demand for Technically Qualified Young Men

In view of the general impression that the professions are generally overcrowded, it is surprising to learn that some of the leading railroads of the country are finding much difficulty in securing properly qualified young men to fill subordinate positions on the engineering staff. One road in particular has recently gone so far as to make the fact known in the public press, and to invite communications from young men who have passed through technical schools, and possess the necessary qualifications to enable them to commence work as rodman and chainmen, or do the simplest instrumental work connected with the construction and maintenance of railroads. It was further stated that the remuneration would be sufficient to enable these men to maintain themselves at once in decency and comfort, and that for those who showed aptitude and application there was a reasonable expectation of early promotion. Further evidence of the excellent opening afforded by the present industrial activity is found in the fact that, in one of the leading technical colleges of the country, every member of the graduating class of 1906 has secured an appointment some months before the close of the college year. The demand for technically-qualified men in railroad work has unquestionably been

stimulated by the recognition of the fact that the increase in the capacity and weight of the motive power and rolling stock, and the demand for more intelligent supervision due to the introduction of electric traction and steam roads, is rendering it desirable that not only the engineering department, but also those which have to do with the maintenance and operation of the road should be run by men with sufficient technical knowledge, with sufficient training in natural science, to enable them to exercise a more intelligent oversight of their departments than is possible in the case of men whose theoretical knowledge is bounded by the limits of a common school education.—Scientific American.

The Northward Advance.

The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway is steadily approaching James Bay. It is expected that by October 1st it will be within 190 miles of North Bay, and only 65 miles south of the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. When it reaches that junction it will do a large share of the work of carrying supplies for the construction of the new transcontinental railway.

The Ontario Government railway has been running in good luck. It was built to open up an agricultural district; it then became a favorite route for sportsmen and tourists; and finally the discovery of silver made a large addition to its business. It pays its way, a fact which opponents of public ownership ought to bear in mind when they groan over the Intercolonial deficits.

The junction with the Grand Trunk Pacific will give the Government line a new importance as a colonization railway, while the settlers will have the benefit of two lines of communication. Other Cobalts may arise through new discoveries of minerals. As a means of exploring the country and developing its resources, it will be worth while to push the railway on to James Bay, and eventually to deep water.

Youth's Vitality Sapped Away.

Your child is poorly, is tired and fretful. You would like this boy or girl to be more robust, more energetic and vivacious. The "something that is wrong is simply this. Stomach and bowels need attention. Constipation and indigestion must be relieved, new life and vigor are required in the blood, slight assistance is needed for the kidneys and liver. Nothing is so effective as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They put new life into young folks as well as the old ones. Every child should use this medicine regularly because its benefits are not to be had in any other way. 25c at all dealers.

Importance of Registration.

The vital statistics of a country is a matter of the greatest importance and requires the strict observance of the rules laid down by this department for the collection of the necessary details which come within its jurisdiction. In many localities the officials entrusted with this branch of the service have been lax in enforcing the requirements of the department and returns have not been made with that regularity which the service demands. As a result clerks of municipalities have been notified that in future the laws in reference to the proper registration of births and marriages must be attended to within the time limit, viz: 30 days, and deaths must be registered before the corpse is removed from the house. Neglect on the part of any parent, householder or physician to comply with the act relating to births, marriages and deaths is subject to a penalty of \$10.00.



The Good Cook's Pride.

Beaver Flour never fails—never disappoints. It makes the white, light, delicious bread and pastry Canadian housewives delight to serve.

Beaver Flour

Manitoba Spring Wheat is a blend of and Ontario Fall Wheat. Contains all the nutriment of one, and the delicate flavor of the other. At your Grocer's. Dealers, write for prices on all kinds of Feeds, Coarse Grains and Cereals. T. H. Taylor Co., Limited, Chatham.

CHOP STUFF.

A granite fountain will be erected in Victoria Park, Sarnia, in memory to the Lambton boys who took part in the Boer War.

The total number of licenses in East Lambton for the coming year will be 15, which is the lowest in the history of the Riding.

Mrs. Elias B. Taylor, con. 4, Ennisville, died on Tuesday last week in her 46th year. The remains were interred in the Alvinston cemetery.

Frank Mitchell, of Sarnia, who has been a Provincial game warden for some years past, has been notified of his retirement by the Ontario Government.

Holloway's Corn Cure destroys all kinds of corns and warts, root and branch. Who, then would endure them with such a cheap and effectual remedy within reach?

Delbert Davidson, formerly of Bosanquet, was killed in Moose Jaw last week. He ceased to be a bricklayer and fell from the top of a three story building.

W. Meldrum, of the firm McKenzie & Meldrum, Theford, was married in Houghton, Mich. on April 30th, to Miss Eglah, daughter of A. Weir, of that city.

Thomas Richardson Boothman, of the village of Port Lambton, in the county of Lambton, Ontario, has been appointed Police Magistrate in and for Walpole Island, in the said county of Lambton.

Infants too young to take medicine may be cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by using Vapo-Cresolene—they breathe it.

Sherman Swift, of Petrolia, has taken his B. A. degree at McGill University, taking high honor rank. Mr. Swift is blind and his achievement under the circumstances is something wonderful.

The reported discovery of oil in the Northern part of Huron county is creating much excitement in the vicinity of Lechais, Prospector has leased 1200 acres of land in that section.

It is understood that C. McMillan will succeed W. G. Fraser as express agent at Petrolia. Mr. Fraser will still retain the local management of the Bell Telephone Co. and Petrolia Gas and Electric Light Co.

H. Diamond, a Sarnia Reserve Indian, aged 80 years, was found on the road back of the Reserve on Tuesday night. He was removed to the house of Elijah Menas, where he died soon after. Fire water and exposure were the cause.

THE CRICK IN THE BACK.—"One touch of nature makes the whole world kin," sings the poet. But what about the touch of rheumatism and lumbago, which is so common now? There is no poetry in that touch, for it renders life miserable. A set touch, for it renders life miserable. An application of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil drives pain away. There is nothing equals it.

Rev. A. R. Beverley, B. A., son of Rev. A. L. Beverley, of Forest, left Wednesday morning for Halifax, where he has been appointed assistant to Archdeacon Armitage of St. Paul's Church. He will spend a day or two at Doaktown, N. B., his charge of last summer.

Mr. H. L. Bindner, manager for the Alvinston Flax Co., shipped three carloads of fibre last week, one to New Jersey, N. J., one to St. Paul Park, Minn., and one to Montreal. The flax mill will run about three weeks yet, making a continuous run of nearly ten months. The men employed in the mill with then be required in the fields.

Mr. F. O'Dwyer, the veteran grocerman of Strachan, has sold his house and household goods, and shipped a car of settlers' effects last week to Edmonton, where he will join his son in a few days. His grocery business will be carried on by Mr. H. Jay, who has been associated with Mr. O'Dwyer for several years.

A meeting of delegates representing the Petrolia, Sarnia, Wyoming and Marshallville bowling clubs, was held in Petrolia on Friday evening, April 26, for the purpose of establishing a Lambton league. A schedule was drawn up and was referred to the different clubs for their sanction.

HOW TO CLEANSE THE SYSTEM.—Parmentier's Vegetable Pills are the result of the effects of extracts of certain roots and herbs upon the digestive organs. Their use has demonstrated in many instances that they regulate the action of the liver and the kidneys, purify the blood, and carry off all morbid accumulations from the system. They are easy to take and their action is mild and beneficial.

Reeve Donnelly, of Alvinston, has instructed engineer Thos. Code to make the necessary adjustments to the width of River street north of the Brennan block to the northern limit of the corporation. This will necessitate residents living on the east side of River street north moving their fences back about six feet.

By mutual agreement a Forest couple decided several months ago to live an independent life, and separated. The man one day last week walked into the Hotel Harrington dining room, Port Huron, in company with a young lady from Forest. The man's wife is employed at this hotel as waitress and it so happened that he was seated at her table. She refused to wait upon the couple and went to the police station to enquire if she could have her husband arrested for eating with another woman. The police, however, could not help her.

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from eczema for two years, and tried a
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however, seemed to do me any good.
The ailment was mostly in my legs, and
both these were actually raw from the
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Zam-Buk was given to me, and even so
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All druggists and stores at 50c. a box, or
from Zam-Buk Co. Toronto, for price, 6
boxes for \$2.50.

SUMMER SCHOOL.

Teachers Desiring Special Study in
Science May Hereafter go to
Guelph.

Hon. Dr. Pyne, Minister of Educa-
tion, has under consideration the ad-
visability of omitting this year the sum-
mer schools held for Public School teach-
ers in the various Normal Schools, in
view of the special summer schools to
be held for Separate School teachers.

President G. C. Creelman, of the
Guelph Agricultural College, has sug-
gested to the Minister that the summer
school for nature study and natural
science at the college be utilized by all
the teachers of the Province who desire
to take such a course, and it is probable
the suggestion will be acted upon. The
tendency in this work is towards smaller
classes.

It is not probable that the summer
schools will be permanently abolished,
but it is expected important changes
will be made in them next year, with a
view to giving them a greater practical
value.

Loss of Appetite and Energy.

Singly they are a worry—combined they
become a burden, telling that waste has
been immensely greater than the body's
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construct the blood, make good the de-
ficiency of red cells. Ferrozone, which
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Attacked by a Stallion.

Glencoe, May 8.—While Mr. Wm.
Leslie, a Scotchman lately out from the
old country, and who made London his
headquarters, was leading a stallion yes-
terday, the horse seized him by the arm,
lifting him out of the cart in which he
was riding, and threw him over his head.
He then reared up and was in the act of
stamping the man's life out when Mr.
William Thompson, who was present at
the time, seized a post that happened to
be lying near, and by a well-directed blow
knocked the horse down.

It is due to the presence of mind and
pluck of Mr. Thompson that a fatality
was averted. Mr. Leslie's arm is badly
crushed, being broken in two places, be-
sides being terribly lacerated. He will
be laid up for some time.

Do Your Ears Ring?

When they buzz and seem slightly deaf,
beware of catarrhal inflammation. This
grows steadily worse, but can be cured by
Catarrhzone. J. A. Hammill, of Green-
mount, P. E. I., proved the merit of Ca-
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Painful Accident.

Sombra, May 8.—Monday morning Mr.
Geo. Busy, river road, was driving to
this village with a colt he was breaking.
The bridle gave way and the horse became
unmanageable. Mr. Busy jumped out of
the rig, breaking his leg above the ankle.

The Rev. J. Fletcher Sutcliffe, Methodist
minister at Corbett, is ill with small pox.

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PLYMPTON COUNCIL.

Council met May 4th, members all
present, minutes of last meeting read and
approved. The Engineer's report for re-
pair of the Watson drain read, discussed
for some time, and laid over for further
consideration.

Council organized as a Court of Re-
vision on the sawmill creek drain, Reeve
in the chair. Four appeals were made on
this drain assessment; viz., Campbell,
Daley, Brydges and Cochrane. The
Court reduced Cochrane \$4.50, Daley \$10,
Campbell \$3, and dismissed Brydges' ap-
peal, leaving this \$17.50 thus, F. A. Mc-
Farlane \$4.50, M. Cole \$5, C. Jay \$2,
Masonic Hall property, Scott and Hous-
ton, \$1 each, and Allen Wright, Cameron
and Hillier 75 cents each. R. Smith,
collector, returned the roll with every
dollar collected, having made a clean
sweep and was rewarded with a plum.

The following accounts were passed:—
Thos. Guilfoyle, repairing Douglas
bridge con. 12 \$12 00

A. Evans, work on Robertson-Par-
ker drain 75 00

A. Stonehouse, work on Robertson-
Parker drain 30 00

Wm. Reid, work on Robertson-
Parker drain 120 00

P. McMillan, repairing bridge, S.
S. 15, con. 8 13 75

Jas. Kerr, balance on Robertson
drain con. 12 99 00

A. J. Schrau, repairing chimneys
on town hall 9 90

Sawyer & Massey, two grader
blades 17 00

Enterprise, advertising Noble-Wil-
son drain 1 00

Phippen & Simpson, funeral late
John Donald 16 00

Jas. Smith and others, assisting
Engineer on drain 4 00

Hamilton & Prout, scantling for
bridge P. & W 3 30

Wm. Bannister, work on Ketch
drain 246 25

Council adjourned to meet June 1st, at
ten a. m., as a Court of Revision on the
Assessment Roll of 1907 and general busi-
ness.

J. K. CAIRNS, Clerk.

Even Her Blood
Turned to Water.

When Dying of Pernicious Anaemia
Her Life Was Saved by
FERROZONE.

Probably very few cases are on record
in which an abortive cure has been made of
Pernicious anaemia.

But Ferrozone did cure Miss Elaine Stan-
hope—cured her absolutely, and her mother
Mrs. G. Stanhope of Rothesay, Ont., says
the following:

"My daughter complained of feeling
tired. She was very pale and listless, and
kept losing strength till too weak to attend
school. The doctors prescribed different
bottles of medicines but Elaine kept
getting worse instead of better. She
had anaemia and we were afraid for a while
that she would never rally. We read of a
similar case, that of Miss Descent of Ster-
ling, O. C., being cured by Ferrozone, and
this induced us to get it for Elaine. It
took three boxes of Ferrozone to make any
decided improvement, but when six boxes
were used my daughter was beginning to
be her own self again. It didn't take much
longer to make a complete cure, and I am
convinced that there is no better blood-
maker than Ferrozone. It has made a new
girl of Elaine. She has gained ten pounds
in weight and looks the picture of perfect
health. She is stronger and enjoys the
best of health. She is stronger and enjoys
the best of spirits. The credit of her recov-
ery is entirely due to Ferrozone."

Every grown girl and young woman can
make herself strong and healthy with
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It makes blood, nerve and tissue,—makes
it fast—makes it to stay.

Complexion soon becomes perfect, nerves
get new strength, tiredness vanishes—per-
fect health is the reward for using Ferro-
zone, which is sold by all druggists—price
50c. per box; don't fail to try it.

Meldrum-Weir Wedding.

The Houghton Mining Gazette of April
30th, has the following report of the
marriage of W. Meldrum of the firm of
McKenzie & Meldrum, Thedford:—

"Miss Ethel Weir, daughter of Andrew
Weir, and W. T. Meldrum, of Thedford,
were united in marriage yesterday noon
at the bride's home in East Houghton.
The ceremony was performed by Rev.
Walter R. Fruit, pastor of Grace M. E.
church, in the presence of relatives of the
couple and a few guests. It was a simple
house wedding. The couple was attend-
ed by Miss May Weir and Richard Weir,
sister and brother of the bride.

The bride is one of Houghton's most
popular young ladies. She has spent her
entire life in the city and it is regretted
that her marriage takes her from her home
Mr. Meldrum is a prosperous merchant of
Thedford. He has been a frequent visitor
to Houghton, and is well known here.
Mr. and Mrs. Meldrum left yesterday
afternoon for a wedding journey which
will include Chicago and other cities.

Much distress and sickness in children is
caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm
Exterminator gives relief by removing the
cause. Give it a trial and be convinced.

The Glencoe Transcript says: The Glen-
coe woollen knitting factory to which the
village of Glencoe voted and paid over a
loan of \$5,500 as a bonus less than a year
ago, was compelled to close its doors on
Thursday of last week owing to financial
difficulties.

ITCH, Mange, Prairie Scratches and
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This promises to be another profitable year for dairymen.
It is therefore wisdom on the part of those engaged in the
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milk to the factory as possible. If you have not got every-
thing you require for the proper care and handling of milk
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ing off. Resists fire, water, heat, cold
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WARWICK.

Mrs. Leslie A. Leckie, of Sarnia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Fair, 2nd line.

S. P. Brown, the former proprietor of Maple Grove cheese factory Warwick, has been elected president of the London Dairymen's Exchange for 1907.

Miss Blanche Lloyd, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kenzie, Birnam, returned to her home in Inwood last Saturday.

Miss Georgina McPherson, 18 S. R., who was away on a visit to friends in Sarnia, was summoned home on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. John McPherson, last week.

We are glad to know that Mr. Joseph McPherson, 6th line, who has been confined to the house for the past three months, is able to be out again.

Mr. Robert Gault, an old and respected resident of the second line, S. E. R., is in very poor health at present, having experienced a paralytic stroke a few weeks ago. We hope to hear of his early recovery.

The members and adherents of the congregations of Grace Church, 4th line, Warwick, St. Paul's Church, Kerwood, and St. Ann's Church, Adelaide, will hold a united lawn social on the Rectory grounds, Adelaide, on Friday afternoon, May 24th, commencing at 1 o'clock. A program with addresses by several clergymen will be given. Admission free.

The Young People's Society of St. Mary's Church, Warwick Village, will (D. V.) hold a fancy sale of useful and "Made in Canada" articles at the Rectory grounds on Friday, May 24th, 1907, beginning at 6 p.m. Admission free. Refreshments for sale. A short musical program will be rendered. All are welcome.—ED. HERBERT, Sec.

One evening last week Mr. Herbert Benedict, 4th line east, after burning the rubbish in his yard, thought he made the fire safe for the night, but about 2 o'clock in the morning was awakened by a bright light. On getting up Mr. B. found the wood pile adjoining the house all ablaze and it was with considerable effort that he succeeded in saving his house from catching fire.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Adam Higgins, 6th line, S. E. R., who died on Wednesday of last week, took place on Friday of last week, over a hundred rigs following the remains to their last resting place in St. James' cemetery, Brockton. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. S. P. Irwin, B. A., assisted by the Rev. T. B. Conpland. The pall bearers were T. Higgins, C. Kelly, L. Griffith, H. Willoughby, R. McGregor and R. Leach. Much sympathy is expressed for the relatives in their sad bereavement.

Wm. F. Atkinson, formerly of Port Huron, who died at his home in Detroit recently, was born in Warwick, Lambton County, sixty-one years ago. At the age of eight years he went to Michigan with his parents, who settled in Port Huron. Capt. Atkinson achieved distinction as an attorney, and also saw active service during the war of the rebellion. At the battle of Chickamauga he was wounded by a Confederate bullet and captured. He was mustered out with the rank of captain at San Antonio, Tex., in 1866. After the war Capt. Atkinson returned to Port Huron, where he took up the practice of law. Twenty-five years ago he removed to Detroit. Capt. Atkinson was a brother of the late Col. John Atkinson and O'Brien J. Atkinson. Besides the widow, he is survived by two sons, Wm. D., of Chicago, and Frank W., of Detroit, and three daughters, Mrs. Norris McWhinney, Katherine and Florence, all of Detroit.

The Weather.

Speaking of the weather, the St. Catharines Standard prints the following extracts from the diary of an old resident of Port Dalhousie:

- May 1, 1875—Snowed and rained nearly all afternoon.
- May 10, 1878—Very heavy rain, and a snow storm in forenoon.
- May 9, 1885—Rain and flurries of snow.
- May 10, 1885—Snow storm this morning.
- May 1, 1888—Snow and sleet.
- May 15, 1888—Snow.
- May 5, 1891—Snow.
- May 14, 1895—Snowed nearly all the day.
- May 12, 1901—Hail and snow.
- May 1, 1903—Light snow.

G. T. R. Conductor Gets 3 Years.

Guelph, Ont., May 11.—As a result of a collision on the Grand Trunk at Gourock last September between a fruit special and a passenger train, in which three lives were lost, Conductor Joseph Thompson, who was in charge of the fruit special was today sentenced to three years in Kingston Penitentiary by Judge Riddell.

The fruit special was running on the passenger train's time.

The conductor's defence was that he had been working 18 and 20 hours a day, and fell asleep at his post.

Narrow Escape of a Detroit Attorney.

John C. Donnelly, the well known attorney, had a narrow escape from death in the burning of a fishing shack at Honor, Mich., Monday, and is now at his home, 24 Peterboro street, nursing his bruises.

When the shack caught fire Mr. Donnelly clambered on the roof to fight the flames, when it suddenly collapsed, precipitating him to the ground, a distance of 10 or 12 feet. His ribs and back are

badly bruised, but he expects to be able to visit his office in about a week.

Mr. Donnelly and a party of Detroiters were on a fishing trip and were guests at the shack, owned by Delbert H. Power, of Pontiac, member of the state fish commission, and Pure Food Commissioner G. W. Dame, of Northport. The owners of the shack were also expecting a visit from Gov. Warner when it burned.—Detroit News.

Mr. Donnelly is well known in Lambton, where he has numerous relatives.

Off Year for Honey.

Mr. A. C. Attwood, proprietor of the Vanneck fruit farm, reports that he has just finished spraying his trees for the first time, and if his orchard is a correct one to judge from, this year will be a record one for fruit. The orchard comprises 14 acres, on which are 1,000 trees, and among the whole lot there is not more than twenty-five that are not, more or less, loaded with blossom buds. Spys and vinesads, and the earlier varieties are the only ones that are shy of buds.

Mr. Attwood also reports that the past cold April has knocked the life out of fully two-thirds of the bees, and those that are left are a month behind in brood-raising, so that honey will be shy this year.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Good house to rent or sell. Apply to T. Woods.

WANTED.—A smart active young man for office work with knowledge of short hand. Apply at office of Lloyd Wire.

WHITE Wyandotte eggs for hatching, Martine Regal strain eggs, \$1.00 per setting of fifteen, 9 chicks guaranteed to a setting.—FRANK MORRIS.

SEVERAL dwelling house properties in Watford for sale cheap, and also some farms in this vicinity. Private and other money to loan on mortgages. White Rock eggs for sale. Apply to W. E. Fitzgerald.

DUNLOP'S Rose flour, Manitoba blend, made from best Manitoba and select winter wheat. No better flour made, few as good. Try it and it will please you. Also Gold Dust, pure Manitoba. This is a favorite with all good bakers. 14

LINSEED meal, buckwheat flour, oat meal, cream of wheat, Tillson's oats, bran, chop and feed of all kinds at Dunlop's flour and feed store. Leave your order, goods promptly delivered.—DUNLOP'S FLOUR AND FEED STORE.

DR. BUTLER, London, will be at Watford, Roche House, on following days: Wednesday, May 29th; Monday, June 3rd; Tuesday, July 2nd; Monday, Aug. 5th; Sept. 2nd and 30th; Nov. 4th; Dec. 2nd, after 3 p.m. Eye, ear, nose and throat consultations. Eyes tested for glasses.

CARD OF THANKS.—Mr. Adam Higgins wishes to return sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown by friends and neighbors on the occasion of his recent bereavement in the loss of his wife and especially the Walnut choir for their beautiful floral pillow.

BORN.

In Superior, Wis., on Saturday, May 11th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Howden, a daughter.

MARRIED.

On Wednesday, May 1st, 1907, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. John Hall, by the Rev. C. Cousins, M.R.C., Francis L. Whitelaw, to Miss Elminda Hall, both of West Williams.

At St. James church, Brooks, on Saturday, May 11, 1907, by the Rev. S. P. Irwin, B. A., Leonard Clarence Price, of Toledo, Ohio, to Miss Clara Maude, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greer, of Brooks.

DIED.

In Forest, on Thursday, May 2nd, Harry Wild, aged 64 years.

In Brooke on Monday, April 29th, James Wellington, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patterson, aged 3 months and 27 days.

In Adelaide, on Monday, May 6th, 1907, Christina Lamont, beloved wife of Duncan A. Campbell, in her 53rd year.

In Stratroy, on Saturday, May 4th, 1907, Mary McLeod, relict of the late John Cameron, in her 63rd year.

In Stratroy, on Saturday, May 4, 1907, the infant daughter of William and Lottie Quackenbush, aged 4 months.

In Port Frank, on Saturday, May 4th, Ann, relict of the late Adam Kummerly, aged 79 years.

In Brooke, on Thursday, May 9th, 1907, William Davidson, in his 82nd year.

A Gloucester lady Saturday sent a piece of beefsteak to Medical Health Officer Hutchings to have it examined. She asks if the meat is fit to eat, and also what part of the beef critter it was cut from. "It was sold for steak," she says, "but I don't know what it is." The meat arrived in a small paper box.

Too tall to be of any use would seem to be a most discouraging thought for anyone so enterprising concerning himself, but that is the reason why a real toughy young man who accepted a position at the Port Huron Malleable plant just a week ago, resigned his position on Friday. He being only 16 years of age is exactly four inches more than six feet in height. The first day he began to work he fell into an ash pit, and on the day following burned his fingers. Accidents continued to happen to the elongated youth until Friday when he decided that he was not built right for shop work. He returned to his home in Mayville.

Tenders For Granolithic Walks.

TENDERS for construction of granolithic walks in the composition will be received by the undersigned up to 6 p.m., on May 21st, 1907. East side of railway track; north side of St. Clair St., between Warwick and John streets; on Warwick St., adjoining the Rivers' property, connecting with walk now laid; north side of Victoria St. from Main St. to east limit of street.

For further particulars apply to W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

Carpets, Curtains, Oilcloths. Blinds, and Linoleums.

CARPETS Our Stock will surprise you both in Quality and Quantity from the 36 inch Union Carpets at 25 cents, to the best 3-Ply All Wool at \$1.00. 60 Pieces to choose from. Our Stock of Brussels with Borders, is very Complete. Splendid Range of New Patterns. Our DOLLAR Quality is worthy of your attention.

IN RUGS 8x10, 9x10½, 9x12, 10½x12, 12x15, we show very Exclusive Designs, all new this Season in BRUSSELLS, VELVETS, WILTONS, AXMINSTERS, TAPESTRYS.

Special Prices on Short Ends for Small Rooms.

Special Patterns for Lounge Coverings.

Special Prices on Short Ends of Linoleums.

SWIFT BROS., - - Direct Importers.

TENDERS FOR GRAVEL.

TENDERS for delivering 35 cords of gravel drawn from Jarvis's Chamber's or Wathan's pits on streets of Watford as directed by Reeve, will be received up to 6 p.m., May 21st 1907.

Tenders to be addressed to W. S. FULLER, Clerk of Watford.

Administrator's Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the Estate of Robert Vaughn late of the village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, Chemist, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to R. S. O. 1907, Chapter 123, section 85, and amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of Robert Vaughn late of the village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, chemist, deceased, who died on or about the 29th day of October, 1906, are required to send or deliver their claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administrator on or before June 10th, 1907, and that after the said 10th day of June, 1907, the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and will not be liable for the proceeds of the said estate, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whom claim he shall not then have had notice.

A. B. CARSCALLEN, Solicitor for

WILLIAM WALLIS HAY, Administrator of the estate of Robert Vaughn late of the village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, Chemist, deceased.

Dated at Wallaceburg this 10th day of May, 1907.

Get the Blood of Lord of the Manor, Mambrino King, Procterus, Chicago Volunteer, etc.

IN THE STUB—SEASON 1907.

The One That Wins.

CANADA'S CHAMPION ROAD STALLION

WALNUT MANOR

Son of Lord of the Manor and Grandson of Mambrino King.

Winner of first prize at London Western Fair 1904. Winner of first prize at London Western Fair 1905. Winner of first prize and sweepstakes at Toronto 1906. Winner of first prize and sweepstakes at Toronto 1906.

DESCRIPTION OF Canada's Champion Road Stallion.

WALNUT MANOR is one of the handsomest trotting stallions in Canada. His sire, Lord of the Manor, three times in Toronto, Orange County Horse Show, N. Y., and Madison Square Garden, His Show, N. Y., and Madison Square Garden, His sire in the world. Procterus, the sire of his dam, is no wonder that Walnut Manor is a horse of such grand style and beauty.

WALNUT MANOR is a dark brown stallion, stands 16 hands high, weighs 1200 lbs., Faired May 1st, 1903. He is a perfect gaited trotter, with perfect legs and feet. He has a clear cut, fine shaped head and neck, which goes to make a show horse, which he has proven himself. Through the dam of his sire he traces to the blood of Beautiful Bella, Green Mountain Maid, Alma Mater and Jessie Peppers. Parties wishing to breed to a fashionable road horse would act wisely by seeing this young stallion.

FIGURE.

WALNUT MANOR, sire, Lord of the Manor, sire of John Martin 2:23, and Lord Reta 2:13, and full brother to Lady of the Manor 2:04, the world's ex-champion pacing mare, which record she held for five years; he by Mambrino King, the sire of 80 in the 2:30 list, and the dams of 70 in the 2:30 list, he by Mambrino Fatchen, he by Mambrino Chief, he by Mambrino Paymaster.

1st Dam—Nety M., by Procterus, full brother to Rosaline (destroyed by fire), showed his ability to trot in 2:10.

2nd Dam—Magie R., dam of Nettie D., trial 2:19 by Chicago Volt-a-lee (2:11), sire of Hawley 2:24, 10 in 2:30, he by Volt-a-lee (2:11), sire of St. Julian 2:15, he by Hambletonian 10.

3rd Dam—Nelle K., dam of Fusilier 2:50, a three-year-old by Tempest, sire of Fulton 2:28, by Royal Gore (9), sire of Toronto Chief 2:24, and 8 in 2:30.

4th Dam—Dollie, by imported Sir Layton Sykes, 4th Dam—Lady McQueen, by Grey Messenger, by imported Messenger.

ROUTE.

TUESDAY—Will be at the Revere House, Alvin street, for noon; thence to his own stable for night, where he will remain until Saturday.

THURSDAY—Will be at the Roche House, Watford, until night; thence to his own stable.

To insure a mare with foal \$10, payable 1st Jan., 1908. All mares must be in a healthy condition, otherwise not accepted. Mares must be returned recumbent to the horse. Parties disposing of their mares before foaling time will be held responsible. All accidents to mares at owner's risk. No second prices.

D. G. MADDOCK, - - WALNUT, ONTARIO. Proprietor and Manager.

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You will look and feel pleasant after receiving a dozen of ADAMS' up-to-date Photos. High class work, artistic finish. Arrange for an early sitting.

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Artistic Photographer.
Taylor's Old Stand.
All the New Designs in Picture Mouldings.

BARGAIN SALE OF WALL PAPER

20 Per Cent. Off All Papers and Borders From Now On. Until the 30th of May

We wish to clear out our entire stock consisting of the Very Newest Papers, and for this purpose we offer it at this greatly reduced rate. We sell Borders at exactly the same price as the Paper, and take

EGGS SAME AS CASH

Even if you do not intend papering at present, it will pay you to buy now and get this generous discount.

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SEE THEIR TABLE OF REMNANTS FOR SNAPS.

P. DODDS & SON.

The SOVEREIGN BANK of Canada.

Notice is hereby given that a DIVIDEND of ONE and ONE-HALF Per Cent. (1½%), for the current quarter, being at the rate of SIX Per Cent. (6%) per annum on the Capital Stock of This Bank has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office and at the Branches on and after the 15th day of May next. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 1st to the 15th May, both days inclusive.

Toronto, 30th March, 1907.

ARKONA, J. WILCOCKS, Mgr.

D. M. STEWART, Gen. Mgr.

WYOMING, A. E. WESTLAND, Mgr.

ARKONA

Butter 19c., eggs 16c. a doz.—J. G. BROWN.

Stanford Smith arrived home from Alvinston on Tuesday.

Arkona ratepayers vote on an electric light bylaw on June 17th.

Millet, Hungarian and Southern sweet corn at J. G. Brown's.

Court of Revision will be held in Town Hall Monday forenoon, 10.30, June 3rd.

We are pleased to see Mr. Reynolds is able to be out again, after his recent severe illness.

The Woodmen will attend Divine service in a body at 10.30 on Sunday forenoon at the English church.

On sale for Saturday 50 pairs men's, women's and boy's shoes, \$1.19, at J. G. Brown's.

Reeve Jaynes, James Jackson, J. L. Fuller and Thomas Mitchell were in Forest on Tuesday in connection with the proposed electric light bylaw.

Some travelers were discussing the relative merits of large cities as places of interest. "Paris is undoubtedly the most remarkable city in the world," said a pompous Frenchman.—for it's Zoological gardens contain at least one specimen of every animal known to man. "Nonsense," said Pat. The strongest creature in the world is in Dublin, and what is it, asked the indignant Frenchman. "A Chinaman," said Pat. Indeed, and how is he the queerest creature in the world, because the head and tail grows in the same place.

Your suit made in 8 days by the 20th Century Clothing, big range of samples to select from.—J. G. BROWN.

STARVING BABIES.

The baby who suffers from indigestion is simply starving to death. It loses all desire for food and the little it does take does no good and the child is peevish, cross and restless. Mothers will find no other medicine as prompt to cure as Baby's Own Tablets—they always do good—they can't possibly do harm. Mrs. James Savoy, Little Lameque, N. B., says:—"I believe that had it not been for Baby's Own Tablets my child would have been in her grave. She was completely run down, would refuse food, and was rapidly failing. Nothing I gave her did her any good until I began the use of Baby's Own Tablets and these have changed her into a well and growing child." Sold by druggists or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brookville, Ont.

SPRING PROSPECTS.

Fall Wheat and Clover Pretty Generally a Failure.

Fall wheat in this district is reported generally a failure. There are some good fields, usually in sheltered places, but these are comparatively rare exceptions. The fall wheat at the end of March was thought to be in a good condition, but the long session of unfavorable weather during April worked in most cases fatal damage. Many farmers sowed their fall wheat fields to oats and barley, and most of the wheat not sown to spring grain will be sown to root crops or planted to corn.

Clover is pretty generally a failure owing to winter killing. Timothy also appears to have been badly injured by the winter weather, and is in very poor condition and the hay prospect is generally very much the reverse of promising. Good growing weather from now on, however, may make very great improvements.

Spring grain was got in under good conditions. The ground worked unusually well, and a very large area of spring grain has been sown.

Fruit trees give indications of a very plentiful showing of blossom. The frost is not thought to have caused any damage so far, growth not having been far enough advanced for the blossom to be injured, and if the conditions are favorable from now on, a good fruit year is anticipated.

Strawberries are reported not looking very promising, and growers are taking rather a gloomy view of the strawberry situation.

The season this year is considerably later than usual. The full blossoming of apple trees is usually taken to mark the fall advent of summer. That generally occurs in this locality during the first ten days in May, and there have been seasons when the orchards were out in full bloom at the end of April. This year not the first tinge of pink has yet appeared in the trees, and unless exceptionally favorably growing weather follows the orchards will hardly be in full bloom much before the twenty-fourth which is very nearly the record of late blossoming in this locality.—Canadian.

Victoria Day Excursion

The Grand Trunk Railway system will offer on Victoria Day, May 24th, Single Fare for round trip between all stations in Canada, also to Detroit, Pt. Huron, Mich., Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Sasp. Bridge, N. Y. Good going Thursday and Friday, May 23rd and 24th. Valid returning until Monday, May 27th.

EAST LAMETON TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

Interesting Program at the Annual Meeting in Petrolia.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION.

In the absence of the president the meeting was called to order by Mr. Barnes, I. P. S., and the devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. H. Jones, pastor of the Baptist church.

The inspector read a communication from the Ontario Educational Association re minutes of that association to be furnished to teachers and others at 25 cents per copy, after which Miss Reid, of Watford, was called upon to show her method of teaching subtraction.

She advocated the method of equal addition in preference to the system of borrowing.

In teaching the tables or endings for addition the pupil should become familiar with the difference as well as the sum, so that by the time the pupil is ready for work in subtraction the tables have already been learned.

The subject was discussed by Mr. McDougall, Miss Ford, Miss Brock, Miss Smith, Mr. Shrapnell, Mr. Parker and others.

After roll call the meeting closed.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. Canon Craig. After roll call the President Mr. Wm. Clyde, B. A., of the Petrolia High School, gave the annual address, taking for his subject "Language" dealing particularly with that part of it called "Slang," a semi-barbarous region lying on the outside realms of language. Much of what was at one time slang is the same as that used in the making of language.

Dr. Merchant, of the London Normal School, next discussed "Some of the Essential Conditions of Attention." Among other things he said education was a life process, the development of tendency was important. Teachers should know the tendencies and surround them with proper environments.

A child acts before he thinks. There was a strong tendency to use the senses, hearing, seeing, feeling etc. The personal tendency to give attention to living thing and persons. Attention tendencies are contagious. Tendency to know more of what you know a little of. When he knows a little of a subject, he wants to know more. In reviewing Dr. Merchant said he would try to put old things in a new setting. There is often attention given, for the sake of something else, as attention to avoid punishment, or attention in hope of reward. After collection of fees Dr. Merchant continued his address on the elements of attention, showing how to get and keep the attention of the pupils.

Hon. Dr. Pyne, Minister of Education was introduced and said a few words of greeting to the teachers. Meeting adjourned.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION.

Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. G. Arnold of the Presbyterian church.

After roll call the report of the nomination committee was adopted, recommending the following as officers for the ensuing year:—

Hon. Pres., C. A. Barnes, Petrolia; Pres., Mr. Neil McDougall, Petrolia; Vice-Pres., Miss A. Dobb, Petrolia; Sec. Tr., J. J. Matthews, Petrolia.

Executive Committee, Mr. Robt. Campbell, Petrolia; W. H. Shrapnell, Watford; Miss Ida Smith, Petrolia; Miss L. Millar, Oil Springs; Miss M. Waugh, Warwick.

Auditors, Miss McRobie and Miss Murray, Petrolia.

Review Com. Class III, Arithmetic, Miss Millar, Oil Springs; grammar, Miss Richardson, Watford; geography, Mr. Walter Kelly, Watford; composition, Miss Deacon, Warwick; spelling and writing, Miss Murray, Petrolia.

II Class, Arithmetic, Miss Tanner, Wisbeach; geography, Miss Harrower, Watford; composition, Miss Reid, Watford; spelling and writing, Miss Smith, Petrolia.

The next subject was how to teach written reading. Papers were read by Miss M. Campbell, Mr. R. Campbell and Miss Boyle, all of which were of a high character. The President, Miss Dobb, Mr. McDougall, Mr. Shrapnell, Miss Reid and others took part in the discussion. The aim of all being to encourage pupils to read more, to have a fair idea of the author's meaning.

Mr. Barnes gave some remarkable answers culled from examination papers in Geography. This also provoked some discussion especially from former members of Review Committees emphasizing the necessity of more care on the part of the teachers in reading and valuing answers.

Miss Benning, of Oil Springs, read a paper on Expression in Writing, emphasizing the necessity that the subjects for composition should be familiar to the pupils. The next subject, Home Work, evoked considerable discussion. Miss Scufrah not being able to attend the association sent a splendid paper which was read by Mr. Barnes. Miss Douglas and Mr. Kelly also read papers giving their ideas on the amount and kind of home work for the different classes. Mayor Grant, Mr. Fraser (post master), J. E. Armstrong, M. P. and Rev. G. Arnold took part in the discussion. The only point on which there was a difference of opinion was as to the amount to be

given to the different classes.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the officials of the Methodist church for the use of the school room, and to the pastors and others who assisted in the work of the association and entertainment. Meeting adjourned at 12.30.

J. J. MATTHEWS, Sec.-Treasurer.

PLYMPTON.

Herbert Tait, Wanstead, left last week for Parry Sound district.

Mr. McMillan, of Theford, is spending a few days at Mrs. Wm. Cochran's.

Farmers are now busy preparing the ground for roots and corn and are anxious for a copious supply of rain.

Miss McFarlane attended the Teacher's Association in Petrolia last week and reports an enjoyable and profitable meeting.

Mrs. (Dr.) Trizisky, of Detroit, and three children, have arrived at the Willoes to visit with her sister, Miss Donnelly.

Mrs. T. M. Donnelly, who has been absent for the winter at Sarnia and Detroit, returned on Tuesday to her home at Kerch.

James B. Dell, who had a severe attack of pleuro-pneumonia, we are glad to say is recovering nicely and will soon be around.

S. S. Convention.

The Brooke Township Sabbath School convention will be held in the Methodist Church, Alvinston, Thursday, May 23rd, 1907. Mr. Yellowlees, Provincial Extension Secretary, will be in attendance.

PROGRAM—AFTERNOON.

2.30 Devotions—Pastor of Methodist Church.

2.45 Address—"Mind Study in Relation to Sunday School Work"—Rev. J. M. Wallace, M. A., B. D.

3.15 Conference—Mr. Yellowlees.

3.15 Home Department and I. B. R. A.—Mrs. A. Potter.

4.40 Business Meeting of Association, with a few words from Mr. Yellowlees.

EVENING.

7.30 Devotions—Pastor of Alvinston Presbyterian Church.

7.45 "The Preparation for the S. S."—Rev. M. P. Craig.

8.15 Address—Mr. Yellowlees.

Music by the Alvinston choirs.

Collection at each session to defray expenses.

FINE BOAT BURNED.

City of Cleveland, D. & C. Co's. Big New Sidewheeler Destroyed.

The magnificent new passenger steamer, City of Cleveland, under construction at the plant of the Detroit & Cleveland Navigation Company and designed to run between Detroit and Cleveland, was swept by fire early Monday morning and is a total loss except her hull and machinery. How much they have been damaged cannot be determined until the hull is pumped out and a careful examination made. The loss, which falls upon the Detroit Shipbuilding Company, a branch of the American Shipbuilding Company, is about \$700,000 and is fairly well covered by insurance. Her whole cost, was intended to be \$1,250,000.

The City of Cleveland was launched at

Monday, June 3rd, 1907.

At 10 o'clock a. m., to hear and decide any complaints against the assessment of Watford.

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Wyandotte, Jan. 5, 1906, and was to be turned over to the D. & C. Company about June 30. She was 444 feet long and was designed to carry 4,500 passengers, with sleeping accommodations for 1,500.

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Chemistry, Form III. Wynne A. M. 70, Rosne Flora 67, Morris Gladys 62, Leach R. 57, Higgins W. 55, O'Meara C. 50, Lawrence H. 50, Clark Reta 47, Pressey E. 46, Carroll C. E. 46, Roche L. 46, Shirley H. 44, Ross Annie 42, McKenzie Jessie 41, Tait Olive 38, Hone Ivan 38, Bambridge J. 38, Clark Sadie 37, Mains Martha 35, Skillen W. 34, Brown Rosa 33, Rogers Harry 28, McDougall M. 25.

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We weep or we laugh, we growl or we chaff,
In the world that is all out of doors;
Whether plowing or haying, there's truth in the saying:
It never rains but it pours.
If you get into trouble it's bound to come double,
For trouble runs always in pairs;
If you fall off a fence at your ribs' expense,
You will certainly tumble down stairs;
If you stub your great toe, look out for more woe,
For your heel will be covered with sores;
Depend upon this, be it a blow or a kiss,
That it never rains but it pours.
My friend and my pet, just take what you get,
And give thanks to the Lord it's no worse,
If your mug is all mugly, be you lovely or ugly,
Be sure that you never aspire,
The Hand that fished you, the Hand that chiseled you—
It's the Hand that opens the doors;
Silk cushions or bumps, the measles or mumps—
It never rains but it pours!

BOSANQUET COUNCIL.

Council met on the 6th inst. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Mrs. Gillard and others applied for a drain under the Municipal Drainage Act, and the clerk was instructed to notify the engineer.

Mr. Wight was appointed to have the McPherson drain on G. McPherson's and Wm. Brander's lots repaired and the reeve and Melville to have the Clark-Humphries drain repaired.

The following orders were given:—
Wm. Edmunds \$3.90, repairing grader;
Wm. Bryant \$1 for advertising for tenders for the Wilcocks drain and \$2.50 for posters closing Ridge road and ad. in paper and \$10.95 Duffus drain and postage;
The Clerk, \$15, bylaws, etc.; A. S. Code \$52.50 survey, etc.; Duffus drain, charged to drain; the Assessor, \$65 salary and postage; Thos. Parson, \$6.75 digging township's portion of drain at con. 8; A. Burch, \$10 work; John Sercombe \$25 putting in township share Sercombe award drain and \$2.50 for tile and \$1 putting them on con. 4 road; Alfred Elliot, \$4 for tile for 27 side road in the 3rd con. and Wm. Brown, groceries for the late Mrs. Adam Kimberly.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday, the 20th inst., at 3 p.m.

The Court of Revision on the Duffus drain adjourned to meet on Monday the 20th inst., at 1 p.m.

Tree Choppers' Contest.

That the mere mechanical process of cutting through a tree should confer celebrity on anyone is a phenomenon in itself in the eyes of incredulous Westerners. Yet the same thing does happen in the Antipodes.

The art of using the woodman's axe is so popular and important a feature of Victoria patronizes and supports financial competitions in tree felling in the principal cities. Every competition is presided over by an official handicapper.

At the forthcoming display, in the arena of the Hippodrome, which for the occasion will present a veritable Australian bush, Harry Jackson will repeat the amazing feat that he performed last year at Melbourne of cutting through with the

axe a tree 63 inches in girth in the record time of 1 minute 30 seconds. A man of more than average physical strength would take at least an hour and a half to accomplish a similar task.

Another remarkable display, given again in Melbourne by Jackson last September, was the felling of a giant tree 63 inches in diameter in 1 minute and 15 seconds. On the same occasion he also won, in conjunction with Peter MacLaren, the double-handed sawing championship of Australia, by cutting through a tree 76 inches in circumference in the extraordinary time of 43 seconds.—London Chronicle.

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The Dress of Paris.

White, used as a foundation or as the entire material of a gown, is in high favor. One sees white mouse lines with black stripes outlined by some bright color on one side, printed mouselines with small black diamonds on a white background with large pompadour flowers forming a brocade.

Lace casaque, or coats, appear everywhere, on afternoon or evening gowns, and even on house frocks. These casques are not lined; they are simply laid, as a rule, over mouse line de soie, whether they be of Irish lace, filet, chantilly, black cluny or made of French lace braid.

The general line in the shaping of garments remains the same; it is just as supple and sweeping, very degage at the neck, and the cape sleeves as simple flounces are so short that they completely reveal the character of the sleeves of the blouse beneath.

The blouse is worn slightly loose around the waist, with a buckle placed rather high in the back, and one lower in front. The new blouses or shirtwaists are in embroidered linen, broderie anglaise, guipure, all-over valenciennes, silk voile or taffeta with brilliant stripes, with the collar and cuffs in lingerie. One of the newest features is a small jabot, descending, at times, to the waist. One of the recent models is of champagne radium, with a flowing bolero, very large at the armholes, trimmed with Japanese blue-and-gold. The gumpie or tucker of cluny lace is ornamented with tiny motifs of changeable green taffeta.

Artistic buttons are very much the fashion. This is a style of ornamentation which will enliven the simplest toilette. The painted china buttons with gilt borders, and the Japanese buttons in gold and enamel, are particularly original and decorate both gowns and simple frocks.—Edward La Fontaine in the June De-lin-eator.

The Paper and the Bull.

An Oakland farmer found a score of men putting up telegraph poles all over his best field. He ordered the men away, but they would not go. They showed him a paper that gave them authority to put up their poles wherever they wished. The old man looked at the paper, saw it was lawful, and walked away in silence. He went to the barn and turned a savage bull into the field. The bull made for the men, the men fled at top speed, and the farmer shouted after them:

"Show him your paper! Show him your paper!"

LOCAL OR OTHERWISE.

THE late sheriff of Perth County who died in Stratford on Sunday, was a native of Lambton County, having been born in the Township of Moore.

In many parts of the country farmers are ploughing up the fall wheat, which was practically ruined by the cold winds and dry weather of the past few weeks.

AN acceptable change is made in the mode of taking oaths—placing the hand on the Bible instead of pressing it to the lips. The penalty remains, of course, for false statements.

SCHOOL children in Portland, Oregon, will take up a collection to aid Commodore Peary in his next dash for the Pole. If the children of this city would take up a collection for Mr. Hanna he might get a new hat.—News.

"BUT," said the lawyer, "your case seems hopeless. I don't see what I can do for you. You admit that you beat your wife." "Yes," replied the defendant, "but my wife's testimony will discount that. She'd never admit that she was beaten."

WHAT are you doing for the town? If you have no confidence in the growth and improvement of the town and country in which you live how on earth do you expect other people to move among you, and cause the country to develop and grow for your benefit.

THE Dominion government has removed the duty of 5 per cent., on wires of sizes 9, 12, 13, and this wire is now admitted free. This will be good news to the farmers as the greater part of the wire used by them will thus be cheapened. The duty was only recently imposed and those who have paid duty on such wire will have the amount refunded.

CHAS. McLEAN, reeve of Forest, and A. Darvill, reeve of Brooke, commissioners, let the contracts on Tuesday for the erection of two bridges on the Lambton and Middlesex townline; the cement work to Neil McEachern, of Alvinston for \$2,663; the steel work to Jinks & Dresser, of Sarnia, for \$1,340.

LIEUT.-COL. Mackenzie and the officers of the 1st Hussars and Army Medical Corps, No. 14, will give a military ball at the Lake Huron Park pavilion, Sarnia, on the evening of Monday, May 20. The celebrated Finney's orchestra from Detroit will supply the music. The ball will be the social event of the season.

WILLIAM GOWALOCK, of Appin, a trackman employed on the Grand Trunk, fell off a hand car near Alvinston on Thursday and sustained serious injuries. He was taken by train to his home and Dr. McLachlan, the company's physician, summoned. It was found that the principal injuries were to his spine, causing paralysis of the lower limbs. His recovery is doubtful.

REGARDING occupations the Ontario Legislature is composed as follows:—Farmers, 27; lawyers, 17; physicians, 12; merchants, 11; editors, 8; agents, 8; manufacturers, 6; contractors, 4; undertakers, 2; mechanics, 1; hotelkeepers, 1. As regards religion, the figures are:—Presbyterians, 34; Episcopalians, 30; Methodists, 20; Catholics, 11; Baptists, 2; Evangelical Association, 1.

Ottawa the Railway Commissioners will take up within a month or so the question of rates charged by express companies in Canada. As in the case of telephone companies, the commissioners will not wait for complaints to be laid as to excessive rates, but will require the express companies to show that the rates now being charged are justified in every way. The first sitting will probably be held in Montreal.

THE west is a regular loadstone these days, and the fellow who isn't going to that part to live, or on a trip, just now, almost feels lonely. We know the future of the west is assured, but there are going to be a lot of disappointed people, and there will be a return movement set in, we venture to say, that will surprise many. One of the most certain gettings of the worst of it at present, but her day will come when they come back where they can live with some comfort.—Advertiser.

It is astonishing how many old shoes, rubbers, beer bottles, newspapers, cans and other humble objects fell from the sky during the snow-storms of the past winter. If it were not for the fact that these things do not melt at the same low temperature at which snow melts, nobody would believe they were so numerous. Streets and yards are unsymmetrically strewn with the articles aforesaid, and as none or few of them were there last fall, they surely came from above. Many households accept this view for they seem to be following the rule, "what has been brought together, let no man put asunder."

COUNTRY life has its drawbacks, but it has its great advantages which overcome them. True, those who live in the country are "Rubbers" and "Farmers" and "Hayseeds" to the cigarette smokers in town, but the boast of the business men of today is, that they were born on a farm. Take away the surrounding evils that beset the young men or women on the threshold of life's journey in the city, and substitute the helpful instances of nature, and you fortify them for the sterner walks of life. The few things they do not know about etiquette, and when it is proper to leave two visiting cards and when but one, they will catch out much quicker than city boys and girls will learn to properly stoke the furnace or make good bread. No boy or girl need be ashamed of living on the farm, for if they have taken advantage of what it has offered they are well fortified for after life.

Medicine Hat, May 10.—It is now thought that the losses to ranchers during the recent storms will not be as serious as was anticipated. Hundreds of cattle drifted over into Montana before the severe weather, and were generously cared for by the stockmen there. One local rancher alone secured eighty head in this way.

The Cost of Paper.

The consuming public is so used to receiving the information that every kind of raw material has been advanced in price by those who control the supply, that buyers of printing will not be greatly surprised to learn that nearly all kinds of paper have been advanced in price from 8 to 10 per cent. One pulp board receiver notice that another week that all book papers have advanced; then comes notification that coated or enameled papers have been raised in price; that cardboard stock is on the incline and that print paper is to be elevated a notch. This demand for advanced prices in the cost of paper must necessarily fall upon the consumer at large, for the printer has already all the burdens he can possibly carry in the general advance of labor and supplies. Buyers of printing may, therefore, reasonably look for an increased cost in all kinds of printed matter; and the duplication of orders at former prices is scarcely to be expected to continue.

Ekfrid Farmers Sued by Standard Bank.

Glencoe, May 7.—In a case before Judge Elliott at Glencoe today ten farmers of the township of Ekfrid were sued by the Standard Bank. The bank holds notes made by these farmers for the amount of \$20 each in favor of the Farmers' Mfg. & Supply Co. of Durham. The defendants claim that the notes had been obtained by fraud and that no value had been received by them. In one of the cases the claims were non-suited, in the others judgment was reserved.

Thrown From Horse.

Petrolia, May 9.—Mr. John P. McMillan, while riding a fiery steed down the main thoroughfare of this town, had an unpleasant experience yesterday. The horse, which was of a mettlesome disposition, was evidently not accustomed to spurs, becoming a little fractious just opposite the G. T. R. station. Mr. McMillan was compelled to use the spurs, with the result that the excited animal became quite unmanageable. Mr. McMillan was thrown on the pavement, but fortunately escaped with a slight cut.

Spain's Queen Gave Birth to a Son.

Madrid, May 10.—The queen has given birth to a boy. The whole city went wild with enthusiasm as soon as it was announced that the first-born of the king and queen was a boy, and dense crowds surged around the palace for hours shouting, wildly waving hands and handkerchiefs and hats, and in every way displaying intense loyalty to the royal family and the keenest satisfaction that the royal mother had given them a man-child to inherit his father's throne in the fulness of time.

Manitoba Seeding.

Brandon, Man., May 9.—Seeding is now in full swing in the Brandon district, and the farmers are rushing the work with might and main. The weather this week has been favorable for getting on the land and with a continuance of the fine weather the wheat should be all in a short time. The acreage may be a little under last year, but it is doubtful, and the outlook is one for encouragement. On the experimental farm, wheat was sown yesterday afternoon. The oats will be sown in one week. Gardens are being plowed very generally.

BUSINESS CHANCES TODAY.

Opportunities Still Await Those Qualified to Grasp Them.

Opportunity is the watchword of the enterprising business man, whose principles today are, generally speaking, radically different from the progressive, perhaps, than those which were current before the birth of the combinations that have made of men "captains of industry." Naturally, an employer expects that the new workman shall have the enthusiasm to do more and better than his predecessor. In other words, the dominant qualification of a new man should be initiative. To do a thing right at the right time sometimes may be called luck; more often, however, it is the result of intelligent initiative. Push and perseverance will bring the price, young man, just as surely as prosperity and poverty are the negative poles of our existence.

We hear the spirit of progress call aloud: "Give the young man a chance." And back comes the echo: "The arteries of industry need young blood for the nourishment that means prosperity." Go into the counting house, the manufactory, the mine, the mill, or travel on the railroad or the steamship—everywhere, in fact—and you will see proof that the majority of workers are men less than 45 years of age. And yet we hear that the opportunities for the young man today are less than a decade ago.—Michigan Tradesman.

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The MINISTER'S SURPRISE

By Katherine Young Thaxter
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The Rev. Calvin Morris was quite annoyed. He was in anything but a ministerial mood when he tossed his hat on the table amid the confusion of books and papers and sat down in his study to think it over. It was such a ridiculous situation that at first he had been mildly amused at it, but now—pshaw! Why couldn't he ignore it?

But it had passed the stage when it could be ignored. In the past three days he had been told five times that his congregation would like very much to see him married. Nor had these remarks been the half-jocular words on his bachelor condition that he had often heard since coming to the church at Littleton, but had been earnest words of advice expressed by the most prominent members of his flock.

He was popular in the parish, and his two years' pastorate had been productive of good results, but there had been one thing lacking.

Accustomed for years before his advent to the service of a most devoted minister and his able wife whose home had been the center for a vigorous church life, the people simply could not get used to a minister in a boarding house. Besides, there stood the fine new parsonage empty. Certainly it was his duty to live up to the demands of his people. When Miss Gilbert, the wealthy maiden lady who had contributed so much to the church, both in money and good deeds, died two years ago the parsonage she was building for the church was not quite finished.

The Rev. Calvin Morris knew he would use it in time. Indeed, all unknown to his people, vague plans had been floating through the minister's head for some months, and he had frequently looked very reflectively at the quiet house beside the church.

But the real vexing, disquieting point of the whole matter was that the congregation had not only decided that he should marry, but apparently had

fixed on whom he should marry. This was assured the night he took tea with Mrs. Thorpe, one of the most active ladies in his church, when the chief topic of conversation was Miss Nell Gilbert.

Now, Mr. Morris had taken a most unreasonable and unministerial dislike to Miss Gilbert, a member of his church whom he had never seen. She was the niece of the great Miss Gilbert and had lived with her aunt until the latter's death, when the great house on the hill had been closed. Since then the young lady had traveled, so the minister had never seen her. He had heard a great deal of her, though, and had formed an impression of a person of undoubted energy and ability, accustomed to have things just as she wanted and inclined to be domineering. "Miss Nell" had ideas of her own on church music. "Miss Nell" had designed this and had attended to that. It seemed to the minister there was a little too much of "Miss Nell" everywhere.

Tall and muscular and aggressive himself, accustomed to shouldering burdens and clearing difficulties, the Rev. Calvin had, of course, an ideal of feminine grace very different from his own vigorous personality. Indeed, as he sat thinking in his study that morning a smile rose to the firm lips and softened the austere lines into which he had framed them as he saw in his mind's eye a petite, graceful form, soft, appealing dark eyes and masses of cloudy brown hair. Alas for the plans of the people who had made up their minds that "Miss Nell" and the minister would be an eminently well fitted pair.

But the vision faded quickly, and the many hints that had been dropped during the last few days flashed in rapid succession through his mind. "Miss Nell" was coming home next week. He would be thrown at her head and she at his by his well-meaning flock until something happened. Oh, he well knew how it would be done. The opportunities a congregation possesses for annoying its minister and making him do things he does not want to do are legion. He supposed every lady of the aid society had planned some function to which he must go and meet "Miss Nell." The minister groaned. Already the subject had assumed alarming proportions. He could not, he would not, stay round and be a football of to-be-tossed into any woman's arms. Again came unbidden that alluring

vision of brown hair and eloquent eyes. It was preposterous! How could they badger him now, just as his heart was beating more madly every day for some one? Ah, if he were only sure! Did that friendship, formed a few short months ago, that soul-satisfying friendship, mean to the girl of the vision what it had come to mean to him? Could he, dare he, offer her his love? He had been living since then in a beautiful dream. Suppose that dream should be fulfilled?

He hesitated. Dreaming had been so sweet he feared the awakening. Dare he risk "the last leaf?" With a bound he sprang to his feet. He could and he would. He would please himself in the choice of a wife anyway, and, if fortune favored him, give his officious congregation a surprise and a sharp lesson.

A short phone message to a neighboring town secured a supply for next Sunday's pulpit. "Urgent business out of town" was the message left for the church officers, and the minister found himself on the train bound for the east and the "vision."

The minister's wooing was brief and blunt, but Miss Helen Atwater was not very much taken by surprise. The acquaintance begun in Scotland the previous summer had ripened fast on shipboard on the return passage and was brought to fruition by some months of correspondence. She even consented to a speedy marriage, and as she was living with a married cousin in Boston, the minister took his bride from there ten days from the day he left Littleton.

But the blissful days of his honeymoon failed to blot out entirely the remembrance of his church and his work and his people. True, in the tumult of happiness that had possessed him since that day when their clumsy interference had driven him, actually driven him, into the joy that was now his he had almost forgotten their plans for him, but now it all came back to him and he realized that he did owe them something, for who knows how long he would have doubted and feared had not the terror of "Miss Nell" been upon him?

Suddenly the minister laughed aloud. It was all so funny to him now. Mrs. Morris, sitting beside her husband, was astonished at his mirth and looked it.

"Well, dearest, I know you'll think me crazy, but it is really too good to keep. You didn't know that I asked you to marry me so as to prevent my congregation marrying me to some one else, did you?" And out came the whole story, his mental picture of "Miss Nell" and all.

"You know," he concluded, "I never for a moment thought of her side of it. I was concerned for my own safety. What in the world a woman like her, with money and property and the world at her feet, would want with a poor struggling minister I can't conceive. But I had heard so much of her and the people so evidently had set their minds on it, I tell you I was in a regular funk over it. It drove me to put my timid hopes to the test for you, sweetheart."

There was a peculiar smile hovering around Mrs. Morris' lips, and for a minute or two she said nothing.

"What is it, dear?" asked the minister anxiously. "You are not vexed, are you?"

"No," she hesitatingly, "not exactly, but I am just thinking how beautifully you have played into your congregation's hands, for, do you know, Calvin, you have really and truly married that domineering person, 'Miss Nell.'"

"Married 'Miss Nell!'" repeated the minister blankly, staring at his wife's flushed, laughing face.

"Yes, truly. I am Helen Gilbert Atwater, called 'Miss Nell' at the old home in Littleton. Listen, dear. I had no thought of deceiving you at first. I did not know you were in the church at Littleton till we reached New York on our voyage home. You know we were pretty well acquainted then, but I—neither of us knew our own heart. I often intended to tell you in a letter, but somehow I couldn't. I felt that if you knew it might make a difference. You were poor, comparatively. I had all that money and property. And—and I loved you, dear, too much then to have you leave me."

"Then at the end you took me by storm. I have been too happy to talk of anything like that, and I had been waiting till you would say something of your work to tell you all about myself."

"But, my dear, why Atwater? It was, always Miss Nell Gilbert." The minister was still bewildered.

"Yes, my aunt did not like my father, the man whom her young sister married, and never mentioned his name."

"I was always called Gilbert at home, but of course I had no reason for discarding my name. There are plenty of people in Littleton who know my real name, but never used it, for I was but a baby when I went to live with my aunt after my father's death. Really, dear, you needn't be alarmed. I am not half as bad as I was painted. I won't try to run the church or manage the organist or—"

"Or any one except the minister," finished her husband. "Well, the surprise is certainly on me, but I must get even with those people some way."

The news of the minister's marriage spread like wildfire through the town. He had sent a laconic message to one of his church officers to the effect that he had been married in Boston and would occupy his pulpit the following Sunday. That was all. Married, after all, and none of his congregation knew a word about it. Who was she? No-body knew. Conjecture was rife on every point and one version after another of the story of his wedding found quick credence. Some of the older members of his flock were thunder-struck. To think that Mr. Morris should trick them like that and be engaged all the time. They had just set their hearts on his marrying "Miss Nell," whom everybody knew and loved. They were accustomed to "Miss Nell" and her ways. But a stranger to steal their beloved minister!

All week long the tongues wagged incessantly over the minister and his bride, but at Saturday midnight no one had seen either of them. The church was packed Sunday morning. The bells had ceased ringing, and only a few late comers saw the Gilbert carriage drive up to the door and the minister and a lady alight from it.

Straight up the middle aisle he led her, sweet and demure looking, while the organ played softly and the silence of the church could be felt. At the Gilbert pew he left her, and the congregation had a good view of the sweet face framed in the masses of soft brown hair. Mrs. Thorpe almost jumped out of her seat. It was none other than "Miss Nell." Glance followed glance all over the church. The minister certainly had surprised his congregation.



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WARWICK COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the Warwick council was held on May 6th, 1907. Members all present. After the reading of the minutes a court of revision was held on the Sisson Local Drain. After hearing the complaints of Wm. Kelly and Wm. Thompson the court of revision closed.

D. M. Ross, tile drain inspector, presented his report on Thos. Gavigan's tile drainage.

Hall—Edwards, that the report of D. M. Ross be accepted and that the receive and treasurer issue debentures for the sum of \$100 in favor of Mr. Gavigan under the tile drainage act.—Carried.

W. Harper, commissioner on the McDonald Drain, reported the drain completed and recommended the payment of \$10.00 to the contractor.

Edwards—Hall, that the receive grant his order in favor of H. Jenkins for \$10.00 balance in full for construction of the McDonald Drain.—Carried.

The following accounts were passed:

Wm. Harper, com. on McDonald Drain.....	\$ 10 00
H. J. Pettipiece, adv. for tenders do.....	75
Wm. Styles, 10 loads of gravel.....	1 00
Thos. Woods, 10 loads of gravel.....	1 00
P. Dodds, provisions furnished J. Stewart.....	7 04
J. C. Pollock, insurance on Town Hall.....	2 00
H. Brain, part payment on McGill Drain.....	107 50
T. Dolan, 7 weeks keep of Mrs. McDonald.....	10 50
J. P. Bates, balance due for the arrest of J. Bates.....	76
N. Glass, for killing 2 dogs found worrying.....	10 00
Geo. A. Baird, for killing 2 dogs found worrying sheep.....	10 00
Wm. Thompson, for killing 2 dogs found worrying sheep.....	10 00
J. A. Spalding, for killing 2 dogs found worrying sheep.....	5 00

The council then closed to meet on Monday, June 3rd at 10 o'clock a.m. as a court of revision on the assessment roll and general business.

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LUCKHAM—RAYMOND.

A very pretty wedding took place in the town of Thornbury, county of Grey, at twelve o'clock on Wednesday, April 14th, when Stanley R. Luckham, druggist, of Leamington, formerly of Warwick, and Miss Annie L. Raymond, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Raymond, of Thornbury, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, the ceremony being performed by Rev. S. A. Deane, assisted by Rev. Mr. Young, pastor of the Methodist church, Thornbury. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Stella Raymond, and the groom by Milton Coulson, of Leamington. The flower girl was Miss Jean Longhead, of Belleville, the little four-year-old niece of the bride. The wedding march was played by Miss Boettinger, of Thornbury, and to the strains of the wedding march the bride appeared and the couple took their place beneath a bower of flowers, where the ceremony took place. The bride carried the regulation bouquet of bridal roses and the bridesmaid carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations. The bride was attired in white silk overlaid with Brussels lace, and the bridesmaid wore a dress of Pong d'Esprit net over white silk. The home of the bride's parents was beautifully decorated with flowers, ferns and palms. About forty guests, mostly relatives of the bride, were present from Collingwood, Owen Sound, Meaford, Dundalk and Wiarton. The presents were quite numerous and costly, several sets of cut glass and a dinner and tea set of Haviland china, and many other beautiful and costly presents. The groom's present to the bride bridesmaid a pearl bracelet, to the flower girl a gold necklace and to the groomsmen a pearl stick pin. After a delightful luncheon the happy couple left on the 6.15 train for Toronto.

Minister of Education Addresses Teachers' Convention at Petrolia.

Victoria Opera House held a large audience on Thursday night when Dr. Pyne, Minister of Education, addressed the East Lambton Teachers' Convention. The Mayor was in the chair and introduced the minister to the audience. Dr.

Pyne wished to be considered as a friend and not as a politician. He dwelt on the advantages of technical schools, and would like to see agricultural schools established in each county in the province. He explained the new education bill, and showed how it benefited not only the teachers, but by the discussion it raised alone it would direct more attention to the importance of education. He also touched on the systems in vogue in other countries. At the conclusion Dr. Pyne was accorded a hearty vote of thanks.

MAY 24TH AT SARNIA.

RACES AND BIG CELEBRATION THIS YEAR.

Mammoth Trades Procession, Music Baseball, Etc.

Sarnia will be the centre of attraction on May 24th this year, and everyone on the lookout for a good time should board the train for the pretty riverside town.

In the morning a mammoth trade procession will be held, at which all Sarnia's industries will be represented, followed by wheel-barrow races and other amusing features.

The events are: citizens purse of \$200 for free for all; hotel keepers purse \$200 for 2.12 trot and 2.17 pace; and the street railway purse of \$200 for the 2.20 trot and 2.25 pace.

Baseball game on grounds—Sarnia and Petrolia, evening, grand opening Lake Huron Park, London Harpers at the pavilion, dancing and refreshments. Special excursion rates on all railways and steamboats, good coming Thursday and Friday return up to Monday, 27th. Everybody come and have a good time. The 27th Regiment and City Band in attendance.

SEEKS A DIVORCE.

London, Ont., May 11.—An application for a divorce from his wife, Flossie, will be made at the next session of Parliament by Frank Attwood of Lobo Township. Attwood is the young Vanneck farmer who three weeks ago was bound hand and foot and securely fastened to his bed by three unknown men, and whose wife subsequently eloped with Arthur Scott, a farm hand, who was at one time employed by Attwood. The statutory reason is alleged.

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TENDERS for the moving of old school house to the new school site, and remodeling the plans and specifications will be received up to 6 p.m. on Monday, June 3rd, 1907. The plans and specifications may be seen at the Secretary's residence, lot 15, con. 6, S.E.R., Warwick. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Oats, per bush.....	39 39
Barley, per bush.....	43 45
Peas, per bush.....	65 70
Beans, per bush.....	90 1 00
Timothy, per ton.....	1 25 2 00
Clover Seed.....	10 00 12 00
Alsike.....	8 50 10 00

PROVISIONS—

Butter, per pound.....	20 20
Lard.....	11 15
Eggs, per doz.....	16 16
Pork.....	8 50 9 00
Flour, per cwt.....	1 75 2 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—

Potatoes, per bag.....	75 90
Hard Apples, per lb.....	5 6

MISCELLANEOUS—

Wood.....	2 00 2 25
Hides.....	8 6 1/2
Wool.....	26 26
Hay, per ton.....	9 00 10 00

POULTRY—

Turkeys, per lb.....	11 12
Chickens, per lb.....	8 9
Ducks, per lb.....	10 10
Geese, per lb.....	8 8

LONDON MARKETS.

Wheat.....	\$0 75 to \$0 75
Oats.....	0 45 to 0 45
Peas.....	0 60 to 0 60
Barley.....	0 40 to 0 52
Rye.....	0 54 to 0 55
Butter.....	0 21 to 0 23
Eggs.....	0 16 to 0 16
Pork.....	8 50 to 8 50

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 14.—The run at the city cattle market to-day was 90 cars, containing 1,780 cattle, 180 sheep and lambs, 800 hogs and 366 calves.

Trade was generally considered to be fairly good, everything being bought up early in the day. Generally speaking, the market showed little change, as regards values, over last Thursday, though the tendency was to higher prices. Medium and poor cattle, particularly, showed evidence of firmness. Spring lambs are up a shade at \$5 to \$7 and so are calves at \$3 50 to \$6. Hogs have advanced 15¢ to \$6 62 1/2 for select and \$6 37 1/2 for lights and fats.

Quotations today were:

Export cattle, choice.....	\$5 00 to \$5 25
do., medium.....	4 65 to 4 85
do., bulls.....	4 25 to 4 50
do., light.....	3 50 to 3 75
do., cows.....	4 00 to 4 50
Butcher's cattle, choice.....	4 75 to 5 00
do., medium.....	4 25 to 4 60
do., common.....	3 75 to 4 25
do., cows.....	3 75 to 4 40
do., bulls.....	3 50 to 3 75
Stockers, choice.....	4 00 to 4 25
do., bulls.....	3 00 to 3 25
do., common.....	2 75 to 3 00
Heavy feeders.....	4 40 to 4 75
Short-keep.....	4 75 to 4 90
Milch cows, choice.....	40 00 to 50 00
do., common.....	25 00 to 35 00
Sheep, export ewes.....	6 00 to 6 50
do., bucks.....	5 00 to 6 00
Lambs, grain fed.....	7 50 to 8 00
do., common.....	5 50 to 6 50
Spring lambs, each.....	5 00 to 7 00
Calves, cwt.....	3 50 to 6 00

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, May 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 25 head; active and 25c higher: \$5 to \$7.75. Hogs—Receipts, 3,100 head; fairly active; pigs steady; others a shade lower; mixed and Yorkers, \$6 80 to \$6 85.9; roughs, \$6 to \$6.10. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 400 head; active and steady; unchanged.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.

London, May 13.—Liverpool and London cables are steady at 11 1/2 to 12 1/2c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef, is quoted at 9c per lb.

Mrs. Irene McMullin, who for the past three years has been the photographer for Bridgen and vicinity this week closed up her studio, and intends moving away from that town in the near future.