KENTNER-In Acton on Friday, Jandaughter (Marjorio Aleta). MARRIED

ONGSTREET-ADOLPH - At home of the bridegroom's father. Erin Township, on Wednesday, the 30th of December, 1925, by Rev. N. son, Saskatchewan.

1926, by Rov. W. Allen, M. A., Nor- join in fellowship and sympathy. man Clurk Armstrong, of Guelph Township, to Alma Georgina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Colling. of UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

OWENS-In Georgetown, on Tuesday January 12, 1923, James Alfred Owens, in his sixty-seventh year. SCOTT-In Esquesing Township, Saturday, January 9, 1926, Charles H. Scott in his fifty-second year.

SHANNON-In Eden Mills, on Satur-

MOORE-Suddenly, at Oakville, January 9, 1926, the Rev. Canon J. Moore, M.A., Rector of

George's Church, Toronto, in

sixty-eighth year. SAUNDERS-At her residence, Yorkshire Street, Guelph, on Suncocks Saunders, of Guelph, Police Magistrate, in her 91st year.

IN · MEMORIAM REID-In leving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Daniel Reill who pass-

As long as life doth last. itever lands we view. Whenever joys or grief be ours, We will remember you.

The Acton Bree Bress

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1926

Brief Local Items -Fairly good sleighing again.

-Six or seven inches of snow fe

-Have you -It's real old-fashioned winter

weather wo're getting. -The thermometer has been indulg ing in its low instincts.

-Guelph's Cemetery Perpetual care fund now amounts to \$47,190.80. -As the days lengthen, the colstrengthens-runs the old addge.

-Good morning! Have you re-

fairy spell. -It isn't the rooster's early rising like?"

talking about it. -The fifteen days of grace allowed notorists in which to secure their roll." licenses for 1926, expires to-morrow -The second cold wave of winter came this morning all the penny rolls miles. arrived from the West on Monday were gone, sir, so I gave you a tupnight. The mercury hugged the zero penny one!" mark and below.

-A Dollar Day in February would rely Acton's merchants to liven up materially a month which is usually very dull and quiet.

in considerable quantities to the buyhas been 21 cont per bushel.

right place to wait in.

its \$10,650 pavement debentures of per cent. discount." 1924, twenty years, five and a half The clerk bowed. He could not deny per cent, for \$104.56.

-Eleven candidates were nominated at Woodstock on Monday for one linued, "I presume you will allow me vacancy in the Town Council. nearly the usual twenty-five per cent. disall of them qualified.

-Lost! Somewhere between sunrise and sunset, two golden hours, each set with sixty diamond minutes. No reward is offered, for they are gone

-A meeting of the Halton Prohibition Association Executive will be held in the United Church, Milton, on Friday, 15th inst., at 2 p.m. The bustness will be important.

-Pretis -- soon -- both -- the Dominion and Ontario Houses will be in full swing. The frosty weather contains him discontented with the old farmno menace with regard to this speech house in which he had lived for sixtycrop.-Brantford Expositor

-Mrs. J. A. Mowat wave an inter-

a solo at the meeting of the Women's Institute on Friday afternoon. -A marriage license was and a 14-year-old girl, the parents of glass put in instead?" both contracting parents having given their consent. Strange parents, in-

a century, the shipping season on the

chasing public, is on the look-out for by in a day, it's better to have the Wednesday afternoon for the usual bargains. Tell them about it, Mr. old-fashioned glass that makes one half-holiday, without general notice.

-In the presence of a large gathering of citizens, Mayor-elect R. B. 1926 City Council were inaugurated was riding turned turtle into the ditch supplied. Naturally there was some tives. with due ceremony on Monday. Three on the Hamilton-Quelph highway, sessions were held during the day.

not seem to have a very great attrac- Merqury. tion for the men of the Police Villages of Elmvale and Cookstown. In each of these - villages a second nomination had to be held in an effort to fill the

that people should accept any kind of label. If you have not renewed, even chants, have agreed to close their coal possible to secure, as the fuel sit- though it may appear a very small places of business every Wednesday uation is becoming more serious every matter, kindly let us hear from you. day, particularly in Western Ontario, due to the continued strike in the

-The ten-year-old son of Mr. Em- Royal City team defeated St. Mary's erson Anderson, Church Street, who intermediate team, of Toronto, on this was injured while playing at school occasion. Two players that are well-some weeks ago, has a very lame leg. known to staton hockey fans played it looks as if hospital treatment will on the St. Mary's team, manely Lorno be necessary before the little fellow Chisholm, of Jury; but don't forget that you may Chapter, Burlington, and from Toronto. ing my money before you give me will recover the use of the limb. | Hirin.

For Years the Beloved Minister of Erin and Ospringe Presbyterian Churches'

Robert Fowlle, a ploneer minister, uary 8th, 1926, to Mr. and Mrs. | dled at Collingwood on Monday morn-Howard Kentner, of Georgetown, a ing in his eighty-fourth xear. He was minister of the Presbyterian Churches at Erin and Ospringe for many years before going to Collingwood about fifteen years.ago.

Rev. Mr. Fowlie was greatly be loved by the people of the communi-Waddell. B. D., James Lee Long- ties in which he labored. His long -street, to Elizabeth Adolph, of Gray- pastorate at Erin: and Ospringe brought him into close contact with the the homes and the people. He had United Church Parsonage, Low- gone in and out in times of joy and ville, on Wednesday, January, 6th, sorrow, and he was always ready to the buying public in the districts that Lloyd McKeown, Elsie Nelson.

PRESENTS LOYAL ADDRESSES.

Ottawa, Jan. 7 .- L'oyalty to the King and to Canada is expressed in two addresses brought to Government resenting the United Church-of Canada. The addresses are to His Mathe Governor-General, respectively. daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rev. T. Albert Moore, D. D., Secretary; that effect and suggested, that in eral Superintendent of the Methodist refused. Church in Canada, all of Toronto;

number of Ottawa clergy and layday, January, 10th, 1926, Jamma MAKING TRAGEDIES OF TRIFLES Some one has given the counsel, "Do not make tragedles of trifles," and it is good advice. The world is full of ed away at Glenwilliams in January and others; and yet their lot is no ducts; that will make a good label;

> make a tragedy of every little event that goes wrong. . DAUGHTERS A young woman, a teacher, once of tragedies and her expression emand indeed said as much, that her That is the wrong idea. It is only fair way to recovery. in close succession was proof that advertised, and the owner fails to Year's with her parents here. everything was against her. There are real tragedles in the world blance to the right of possession. and lucky are those whose lives are

edy by make-believe ones.

OMINOUS Frederick Locker Sampson tell in 'My Confidences." of an old sea captain who, when he had retired from active service, lived alone under the faithful care of an old servant named John. The captain was very methodical, and John provided him every of Rockwood circuit in 1885, 1886 and -Wholesale prices of all rubbers morning with a penny roll for break- 1887, forty years ago. dyanced about 25 per cent, oh Jam: fast What he ate one day was as t kind and quantity, what he wished to

eat the next. One morning the breakfast-bell rang newed your Free Press subscription loudly, and when John appeared his onto removed to Vancouver, B. C. In Mr. Harry Gibbons, who has been Directors for two years are: G. R. tated voice, "John, I'm very ill 'Go the family they had a safety deposit years, was present, and showed by his Mitchell, W. A. McCullough, Mrs. R. .- The world is filled with silence of for Doctor Dobson. This is probably box in a leading Toronto Bank. En- presence an interest, although he has Henderson, and for one year, Mrs. W. the snow, the whispery silence of its the beginning of my last illness." "Oh, no, sir," said John. "I hope not. What is it sir,? What does it feel

> the captain. It never happened before. I can't get through my penny

A THRIFTY BOOK LOVER There are some singular discounts .-Turnips are still being delivered casion were happily illustrated by to Fergus and Kitchener open during ers here. The ruling price this week orist was connected with a publishing merco has also made arrangements picking up a volume, asked the price. -If you are the kind of man that He then suggested that, as a publisher, motor traffic during the winter the re-opening of the building after walls for things to come your way, he was entitled to fifty per cent. dis- months, at the expense of several loyou should at least try to find the count. To this the clerk assented. | cal companies. The snow-plow is al- oration. Capacity audiences express-

> "And as I am a personal friend of the proprietor," Mark modestly concount? If so, I think I may as well take the book. What's the tax?" The clerk took out his pencil and figured industriously. Then he said with great obsequiousness, "As near half cents."

GOOD REASON

When Mr. Ephraim Maxwell taken to see his son's new house in practiced during the year. the centre of Hortonville, he found much to admire, but nothing to make

esting address on "The League of Na- laxing an affectionte hand on his arm tions," and Miss Loraine Wilson sang and speaking most persuasively "don't you see how nice these windows are? Wouldn't you like to have those little old panes taken out of the week in Toronto to a 17-year-old boy any rate-and have this big, clear

out of the window at which he and believed to be the oldest turning to "Edgemere" Oakville, early visory capacity to the Japanese em--For the first time in almost half He drummed on the sill for a moment, watching the people pass up past master of Lodge No. 479 and has to have a call from Ross Lusk, of reigns in Japanese houses. "Japanese Great Lakes has closed without the and down the busy town street.

| Description of the shipping season on the land down the busy town street. | Description of the last, with a braffen. He is considered a brilliant day visit with his mother, Mrs. (Dr.) | Kept. There are houses where several servants have no other duty than the dow-pane is all right for your house, where there's constant passing; but .- The mechantile business of the up there on the farm, where someyear is off to a good start. The pur- times only one man and a cow goes of the stores in town were closed last was formerly fixed at double the town not keep the halls in very good con-

-Injuries sustained seven weeks proved fatal to Mrs. George W. Millar. -The office of village trustee does of Guelph, her death taking place at St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday .-

-Numerous Acton eltizons attend- August, September, October and Noed the hockey match at the Arena in vember." Guelph last Thursday evening. The

Guelph Burglar Very Particular .Entering the home of Austin Howard, 25 Kent Street, Guelph, while the family were absent on Sunday, a burglar showed extraordinary discrimination in sorting out a number of arti- S. No. 8, Erin: cles which he carried off, his "swng"

Town Merchants Must Advertise papers have no larger circulation than they circulate in. If the small town with good roads, bus lines and autoreach the public with what he has to MacDonald. offer.-Collingwood Bulletin.

House to-day by a delegation rep- School Children Peddling Seals Etc. "Peddling scals and offering tags makes young girls bold and forward," jesty the King, and His Excellency, is the opinion of J. J. Kelso, superimendent of neglected children for On-Rev. S. D. Chown, D. D., former Gen- future years any such permission be

Rev. W. A. Warriner, Montreal; Rev. Naming the Farm Homestead W. T. G. Brown, Kingston, and o with a distinctive name is becoming more and more popular. If the name is selected with care and appropriateable business asset, as well as some- on the McGregor farm, on the seventh thing of satisfactory sentimental concession, underwent an operation at value. There is sure to be a name Guelph General Hospital on Monday. that fits each place; that describes whining, embittered people who are it; that gives it individuality; that making life gloomy for themselves will serve to advertise it and its pro-

· · · Must Advertise It that she was announcing the direct that by holding a thing without sayshow up, that the finder has any sem-

not touched by them. If you are one Death of Rev. Francis Swann of the fortunate number, do not try Rev. Francis Swann, Vancouver, to make up for the lack of realitragminister of the former Methodist Church, died at Vancouver on Monday. He held many pastorates in Ontario before going west to Vancouver and was well known. Rev. Mr. Swann preached his first sermon in the old Methodist Church on Church Street, Acton in 1872, when his father the late Matthew Swann, was minis-

A Peculiar Incident Recently an esteemed citizen of Tormaster groaned and said, in an agi- partnership with another member of one of the pillars of the church for Martin, Mrs. S. S. Royce, D. G. overlooked leaving the key of the box. on the Hill possesses his heart's af- Bolton, A. K. Thomas and Mrs. J. M. Last week he sent it back to the bank fection. that makes him unpopular; it's his "I've entirely lost my appetite," said Fass gummed tape, such as our Unted Church, was also present, and tion of the bank's deposit boxes, re-John, relieved. "Why, when the baker | med tape which had travelled 6,000 | Church, were also present.

> allowed in the book trade, says the of the Chamber of Commerce, with a Minneapolis Tribune, that on one oc- view to keeping provincial highways Mark Twain. One day while the hum- the winter. The Chamber of Comhouse, he went to a bookcase and, with the Department to have the "As I am also the author of the ready stationed on the Guelph-Ham- ed their entire satisfaction with the book," said Mark Twain, "it would ap- filton highway and little trouble is excellent color effects and other in- us for a short season in the spring,

Oakville Council's Inaugural Meeting ed youl assistance. The Town Council at Oakville gave Rev. J. H. McBain, B.A., conducted reached the high water mark. brief devotional exercises. Following ed members, the entire Council ad- Georgetown, and at 7.30 by Rev. H. as I can calculate, we owe you the journed to the Gibson House to a Caldwell. luncheon given by his Worship, Mayor payers in the action of the Council In reducing the tax rate from 52 % mills out a highly enjoyable evening.

Seventy Years an Orangeman "Now, father," said, his son's wife, in the honor conferred upon John A. companied by two friends, Messrs, ly invalids and children. The satis-Mr. Maxwell looked thoughtfully who is hale and hearty at 90 years of where they will spend the winter, re-

his daughter-in-law were standing Orangeman in Canada from the in May, standpoint of membership. He is-a His friends were pleased last week

Merechant, in the columns of the local man look like a general muster." This is three months earlier than has been the custom, and as a result num- Vaneguver, where she will make her "On the approach of winter, the bers of farmers and other customers home. Tirere is quite a colony of Oak- janitor displayed at, the door the novisited a number of business places ville people resident there, including tice, 'Please wipe your feet.' ago when a motor car in which she and were unable to have their wants several of Miss Alton's family relaannoyance, and in some cases unkind words were spoken. In all fairness, of fifty voices will give a musicale in with a view to the engendering of the St. John's Church. The choir of the THE THING YOU CAN DO BETTER community spirit of mutual helpful- St. John's United Church has won ness, customers of all the stores prizes in many competitions, being one should have been duly netificated the of the best male choirs in Canada. -Among the accounts and romind- bitention to commence fife Wednesers received just before the New Year day half-holiday with the New Year. there may have been one for your sub- On the doors of stores which were in the local intermediate O. H.A. workers who our do anything, as for -Warning is sent out from Ottawa we would ask you to glance at your rather ambigious notice: "The merafternoon and evening during the

THE FORGETTING

"I believe in forgetting injuries!" forgotten it!"-Wayside Tales

DEATH OF ROBERT FOWLIE News of Local Import. Neighborhood News-Town and Country

LESLIE SCHOOL

School report for December for S. including a mantle clock, a silk dress, Mckeown and Ilda Cripps, equal; articles of silverware, three pounds of Viola Allan, Hector McArthur,

In proportion to population the city Coole, Annie Aitken, Dessie Forestell. Sr. If .- Evelyn Pearon, James Mcweekly papers that would reach Craig, Lois Forestell, Eveline Lambert, Jr. I .- Orval Stone, Marjorio Mcmerchants expects to held his own Craig, John Forestell, Robbie Allan. mobiles, he must change his methods Lawson McCutcheon, Jean Mann, Elsie sonage, Lowville, on Wednesday afterand advertise correspondingly to Maude, Marion MacDonald, Archie nnoon last, 6th inst., when Alma

NASSAGAW EYA

harder than that of hundreds of thouse a good letterhead; a good signboard; kindly entertained to a birthday party old homestead to say goodbye to them. It looks so simple when once stated Do all our readers know that it is The afternoon was very enjoyably Croft presented the gifts. said to a friend, "Every day for a the legal duty of anybody who finds spent. Miss Simpkins was the reweek I have missed my street car by an article of any kind to advertise cipient of many valuable and usehalf a block." Hor tone suggested the same at once? Some people fancy ful presents. ing anything about it for an indefinite ful accident last week when she was held in the United Church, when Rev. it is because the application is soothphasized that idea. The cars on the period, such article becomes their own knocked down by a truck. Her inphasized that idea. The cars on the period, such article becomes their own knocked down by a truck. Her in-line she patronized ran overy five property, if for some reason the law-juries, however, are not as serious as the first gathering and Rev. Mr.

What Chamber of Commerce Can Do Mr. C. Manning, Department of Highways engineer for this district. of this district to-day at the request Guelph to Hespeler road kept clear for

clear all winter .- Guelph' Mercury. was to 49 as the result of rigid economy

Members of the Orange Order the service. by his fellow members. A banquet visited the parental home over the or presenting to a friend a bunch of in honor of his seventy years of ne- week-end. tive and continuous membership in the Loyal Orange Order was given under the auspices of the Luther Western Pioneor L. O. L. No. 479. Mr. Mac Donald is a Toronto resident week for St. Petersburg, Florida,

The Wednesday Half-Holiday

months of April, May, June, July Eastern Star Lodge on Thursday night. do superlatively well.

and Hamilton .- Star.

Sr. IV .- Loyola Forestell, Kathleen Johnston, equal, Thyra Stone, Gordon could be Sexpected, taking Ciato con-

Sr. III.—Mary McCraig, Tommy advanced age. Primer .- Jean Burt, Marion Leslie, took place at the United Church par

while he was playing with matches, but Mr. Gerald Colling, of Fergus, professional musician. day, January 9, 1925, Mary, widow They convey the expressions of loyalty turio. He wants to put a stop to the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Dennis, who the bride, acted as witnesses. Rev. W. som, a bachelor uncle with considerpractice of school children peddling resides about three miles from Moffat, K. Allen conducted the wedding cere- able money, would provide a good part Christmas seals, as has been the prac- was severed burned about the body mony, in the presence of a few im- of the sum needed for Jimmy's study BINNIE-In Erin Township, on Tues- in Toronto. The delegation included tice for some years past. He wrote on Monday. The child secured the mediate relatives and friends of the years. "At first the old gentleman was visit lighting one on the floor of the becomingly gowned in powder blue from Jimmy he expressed himself as kitchen, where he was playing, touch- satin with gold lace trimmings. After "won over." ed it to the hem of his nightgown, their marriage the happy couple and "I tell you," he said to half a dozen which was ablaze almost immediately. their friends motored to the home of easer relatives, "when Law and-heard The idea of distinguishing the farm who succeeded in tearing the burning enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong will trying to play 'Hail, Columbia' on a reached the upper part of his body. Mr. E. K. Cutts, who resides with from the estate. ness, it is likely to become a profit- his son-in-law, Mr. C. J. Van Goozen.

TERRA COTTA

kins, the event being to celebrate the 21st birthday of their daughter. Edith.

minutes, and yet she seemed to feel ful owner has not advertised his loss. was reported, and me is now on a Donaldson the next evening. Thursmissing a car on a number of days after an article has theen legally Miss Haines, of Toronto, spent New Mrs. F. C. Thompson is visiting her daughter in Washington.

> Mr. John McCauley, of Toronto, spent the week-end with his parents Wedding bells are ringing loudly in our hamlet again.

CHURCHILL The pastorate of the new United minister of the Church here commenced last Sunday under very interesting nuspices. There was a kood congreter of the churches of Acton and gation and a keen interest. Rev. Len-Georgetown, Rev. Francis Swann nox Douglas, the new pastor, preached a small balance left, over. The elecwas pastor of the Methodist Churches a very helpful sermon, inviting the co- tion of officers took place when Wm. operation of the congregation in the Harris, President; Fred Smith, fort to build up the church, and Vice-President and M. P. Barry, 2nd made all present feel that the spirit of Vice-President were elected.

desirable. grossed with the details of moving, he moved to Acton, the old home church Harris, Mrs. F. S. Hamilton, George and the parcel was sealed with Acron United Church, was also present, and Hewat. Auditors for the year are S.

office uses in doing up parcels. Miss he and Mr. Gibbons favored the con-Bertle Smith, who is in charge of sec- gregation with a well-rendered duet. Measra. A. E. Nicklin and R. J. Korr ferred, showed the FREE PRESS gum- of the Official Board of Acton United The first communion service under the new arrangement will be held next

Norval, the father of the pastor, will new home in Vineland. he present to administer the sacrapleased and encouraged with the new

LIMEHOUSE

Two special services, in Limehouse United Church last Sunday marked complete interior renovation and dec--The village of Arthur has sold pear that I am again entitled to fifty anticipated in keeping this highway novations, by words of approval and and note sadly the last shower of also by liberal contributions.

unusual dignity and ceremony to their afternoon, prizes were presented to the If larger branches are broken from At the Sunday School service in the indoors in winter. opening proceedings this year. The scholars for regular and faithful at the trees and placed in a warm, suninaugural meeting was opened Mon- tendance during the past year. The ny window in January or February, day morning at 11 o'clock, when the number present at this service also they will soon flower, and many of the Appropriate sermons were preached rnt as those that bloom on the trees the inaugural address of the re-elect- at 11 a.m. by Rev. Dr. Dickie, of in the spring.

Rev. Dr. Dickie's lecture on "The plump, blooming buds, and some W. N. Robinson. No little satisfac: Passion Play," on Tuesday evening, these should be removed, as well as. proved a rare treat to the Limehouse some of the more pointed leaf buds. folk. Music and refreshments rounded | Wild pear and wild cherry branches Next Sunday evening a special fea- but not so satisfactorily as apple-tree ture of the service will be the pres- limbs. No doubt many other kinds of

ence of fifteen young men from early blooming shrubs and trees could Georgetown, who will take part in be made to bloom in this way. throughout Canada will be interested Mr. Douglas Gowdy, of Toronto, ac- periment for flower-lovers, particular-MacDonald, of Toronto, last evening Bruce Charon and Byng Spencer, faction of sending to a sick neighbor

OAKVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ryrie left last

The matter of the water rate for polishing of the floors. users outside the town limits was dis- "A young Japanese student in Lon-

rate, was reduced to? forty cents per dition. This circumstance caused the

The Hamilton Harmonic male choir group. Richmond Hill was withdrawn those who can do something better secretary C. N. Hillmer.

It was the occasion of the installa-

tion of the newly elected officers and PRECAUTION the coremonies were favored by the attendance . of Grand officers .Mrs. Woods, of Humilton, and Mrs. L. Log- ing his purse): "No, don't bother to an, of London. There was a large pay me in advance."

EVERTON

Mrs. Mary Rickman, of Everton, 86 Years of age, is confined to the Goneral Evan's book, "Keeping the Seas," is Hospital, Guelph, suffering with a very of an incident that occurred when badly fractured log, which she sus- twenty-five million dollars in gold was stained on Saturday. During the John- shipped across the English Channel. porary absence of Miss Reed, with The ship carried as passengers Mr. whom she resides, Mrs. Rickman loft Lloyd George, General Rebertson and her room, and stepping outside, fell in Sir Maurice Hankey, who occupied the some unknown manner, doubling her cabin in which the gold was stored. leg beneath her and breaking it at the knee joint. She was removed to the of England clerk complained that one crearmery butter and a quantity of Jr. IV .- Lulu McCutcheon, Joseph hospital at Guelph shortly afterwards, bag was missing and asked anxiously Forestell, Calvin Aitken and Willie and is to-day getting along as well as if anyone had been in the cabin.

CREWSONS CORNERS

This community is honored with another bride and groom. The happy Georgina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. McDougall, Teacher. Jacob O. Colling, Nelson Tonwship, talent for music in the Ronsom family became the bride of Mr. Norman until the arrival of Jimmy Ransom. Clark - Armstrong, of Nassagaweya At the age of eight he was considered Township, son of Mr. and Mrs. John a musical prodigy, and at ten there Armstrong, who reside near Guelph, was talk of Jimmy's being sent away When his night clothing caught firs The young couple were unattended, to study with a view to becoming a

ROCKWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. James Oakes, for many years resdents of Eramosa Township, were presented with an electric iron and a floor lamp by the Stone Church James Loree read the address, and has never been found out before.

Mrs. John Lyons met with a pain-ling in the Friends' Church. The serday evening service was held in St. John's Church, by the Rev. Mr. Baugh, of Acton, with Rev. Mr. Donaldson assisting. The edifice was well filled was assisted by Rev. Mr. Baugh, Rev. the Home," dealing largely with the and for the critical moment speech is

welfare of the young people in their cut off." relationship there. The annual meeting of the Rockwood Herticultural Society took place Monday evening, when the usual routine of business was gone through. The Society had a favorable year and unity and individual effort was most Secretary-Treasurer, H. H. Edmondson, was undecided. The Board of

Pasmore in place of the late Mrs. R. S. Royce and G. H. Pearen. Miss Bessie Nelson returned to the village a few days ago to take up her

work as stenographer for L. R. Gulld On Monday evening in the United Church, a social and presentation took place for Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Richard-Sunday, when Rev. W. H. Douglas, of son before their departure for their The snow-fall of Monday has greatly improved the sleighing, covering The people of the Hill Church are up the ley places from the usual January thaw. With the continued E. G. West & Co. 80 George St. Toronto moderate weather, we are gradually gotting through the winter with comparative case on the fuel situation,

and those who have had to resort to the softer kinds of coal are getting along very well.

APPLE-BLOSSOMS IN WINTER We all love the beautiful, deliclously fragrant apple-blossoms that charm white petals over the emerald green The United Church Male Quartette, carpet beneath the trees. All persons lovely flowers may be caused to bloom

blossoms will be as beautiful and frag-Care must be taken to select such branches as have an abundance of

may be flowered in a similar manner: Here is an interesting field for ex-

repays the trifling labor reduired to produce them.

fresh apple-blossoms in winter amply

THE "JAPS" AMENDMENT An American attached in an adbassy at Washington, is fond of telling about the strict cleanliness that

Japanese great sorrow and indigna-

"When he saw this notice, the young Japanese added these words in pencil: "'On going out."

Oakville and the University of Tor- portant to be a specialist. For the onto will fight it out for the honors need of the day is not so much for according to official word received by than the other fellow. The average employer will not be interested in the Over a hundred out of town guests number, of things you can do, so were present at the meeting of the much as in the special thing you can

Dentist (to a patient who is offen-"That's all right, to forget an in- representation present from Lakeview Patient: "I'm not. I was only countgas."-Chicago Herald.

NOT THE GEORGE WHO DOES IT

One of the amusing stories in Capt. When the gold was landed, a Bank "Oh, yes," said the captain, "three sideration the serious fracture and her men were there."

"Who were they?" "Well," replied the captain, thought fully, "I know that one was called

George:" Later it was discovered that the

bags had been miscounted.

AN ORIGINAL CANTA

matches in his father's coat, and contracting parties. The bride was apathetic, but after a two days' visit

His screams attracted his parents, the bride where a wedding dinner was that little chap out in my old shed garment off him before the flames had reside on the late E. J. Kingsbury mess of old tomate cans with an iron farm, which was recently purchased spoon, I said to myself, 'He's got it in him, Jimmy has, and I'm ready to lend a hand to fetch it out!"

WISE PROVISION A philosophical observer has made a discovery, and communicates it to people hist Friday evening. A large the world through the columns of a Mr. Wm. Gamble was chairman, Mrs. that one cannot help wondering why

Mrs. Wm. Gamble and Mr. Alfred "Did you ever notice when a man The Week of Prayer Services of last while putting down a carpet under week came to a close on Friday even- his wife's supervision, how quickly he thrusts the bruised and throbbing vices of the first two evenings were member into his mouth? People think voluntary, like winking. The man can-

"The fact, is that nature knows circumstances, and so has provided him with an automatic stopper. When-Friday evening, Rev. A. C. Stewart, of ever he hits his thumb hard enough Acton, conducting the meeting, and to hurt it,-and it doesn't take a very hard blow almost to kill a man when Mr. Little and Rev. Mr. Donaldson he is doing something he doesn't like leading in prayer. Rev. Mr. Stewart to do,-by a sort of interlocking systook for his subject, "The Church and tem his thumb flies into his mouth,

GOING UPI How taxes have increased in recent years is shown by a West Garafraxa farmer who says that In 1913 the taxes on his farm were \$37.00,

What Causes the

while now he pays \$137.00.

Skin to Chap? Chapping of the skin on the hands' and face in the Winter time is due to evaporation of the natural moisture, caused by artificial dry heat indoors and high winds-out-of-doors,-Gampana's Italian Balm restores the natural moisture of the skin and prevents evaporation. All druggists and departmental stores sell it. A. special sample bottle mailed on

CAMPANA'S Italian Balm

The Strike of Hard Coal Miners Is still far from being settled.

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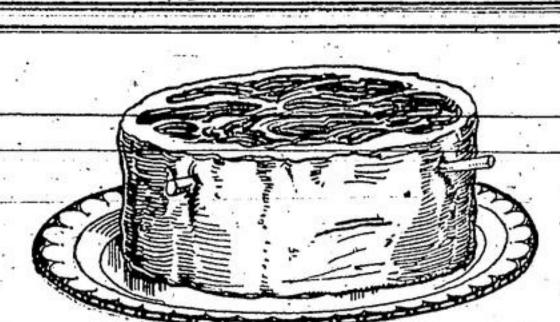
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