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Rev. D Anderson, B.A., of Milverton.

TURKEY MATCH-Some good shooting

was induced into the pastorate of Knox

Church, Barlington, on Monday, to suc-

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ceed Rev. Dr. Abraham.

are being shot for to-day.

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James Nickell, No. 6-Theodore Norton.

The handsomest calendar of the sea-

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EAST END MEAT MARKET.—Attention

is directed to the following announce-

ment of F. Wales of the East End mea

On Monday evening the firemen met

Mr. Tock's and enjoy a diet of oysters.

It was decided to hold the annual enter-

year just closing has been one free from

Miss Jessie Barton, formerly of the pub-

CAUGHT AT LAST, -As reported in the

any serious fires, for which the citizens

the fore part of February next.

# Church Directory.

METHODIST CHURCH REV. J. W. COOLEY, Pastor. Sunday Services: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class: 2.30 p.m. Epworth League: Monday, at 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting: Wednesday, at 8 p.m. Pastor's Cass: Friday, at 7.80 p.m.

KNOX CHURCH REV. EDW. F. McL. SMITH, B.A., Minister Sunday Services: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class: 2.30 p.m. Prover Meeting: Wednesday, at 7.30. p.m. W.F.M.S. meets on the second Wednesday of The Mission Band meets on the second Wed- very acceptable Christmas present which nesday of every month at 4.30 p.m.

GRACE CHURCH REV. A. J. BELT, M.A., Rector. Sunday Services: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School: 3 p.m.
Bible Class in Vestry, 9.45 a.m.
Holy Communion: 1st Sunday of each month mid-day and 3rd and 5th Sundays, 8 a.m. raday evening service, 7.30 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S R. C. REV. FATHER O'RIELLY, P.P. Second Sunday of every month at

### LOCAL NEWS.

Grace Church was tastefully decorate the Christmas services. Miss Barbaree, of Toronto, spent Xmas Wilson, No. 4-Peter Gibbens, No. 5- adopted Christie & Co and D. Robertson & Co. The collectors will be paid the sum of esented their employees with turkeys \$20 each.-Herald.

George Porter and a gentleman friend, son (in ten colors), six beautitul heads loronto, spent yesterday at the for- (on six sheets, 10 x 12 inches), reproduc-Miss Balfour, of Buffalo, N.Y., spent Gen. Passenger Department, Chicago, a few days last week with Mrs. Law- Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, will be

reuce, Martin St. Mr. Gray and Miss Main, of Bay City, Mich, are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. W. J. Harper. Dr. and Mrs. C. W. McColl, of Wyan-

me, Esquesing, for Christmas. Robt Shortill, principal of Ayr public s hool, and Mrs. Shortill are spending established business .. the holidays with Halton friends. arrest being in a critical condition and the Beach. The apparatus will consist 1902, but we trust that the council undergoing an operation last week.

endicitis last week and is doing well: thber goods, Toronto, an old Halton sity. The total cost of the equipment vear, the minutes were read and confirmcalled on Milton friends on Satur- will be in the neighborhood of \$135.— ed.

Miss Bertie Craig, of Hamilton Normail College, is spending the holidays to receive their pay, after which the chief with her cousin, Miss Florence Mac- invited the brigade to accompany him to case, corner of Mill and James Sts.

For full particulars apply to Mrs. Geo., Elmer E. Binkley, a popular young feel very thankful. The average attend- ginbotham & Co. man of Milgrove, died on Friday of in- lance of firemen at alarms, practice and damation of the brain, after undergoing, meetings was 22 out of a membership of an operation.

Mrs. Green, of Scarboro', and her son, RIXON-BARTON.—A quiet but pretty Wedding was celebrated at St. Matthew's Milar season with the Misses Hill and church on Wednesday morning, when

Thos. Turner went to Toronto on bride, who looked charming in a light on the head and the daughters. Mesdames Foster fawn travelling suit, was assisted by her the head and th th his daughters, Mesdames Foster fawn travelling suit, was assisted by her

id Robinson. Charles and John Watson, of Van- The happy couple left on the east bound ening to spend the holidays with their (Man.) Times. nother and family

MUST BE SOLD.—Pump business and SMALLPOX AT ACTON.—On Saturday) also a horse, harness, buggy, it was reported at Toronto that a woman who light sleigh. Apply to W. who had come from Manitoha and had wagon and light sleigh. Apply to W,

Miss Lucy Fox died at her home at ductor made her leave the train, but the albride on Friday, aged 84, and was medical health officer there said her mied on Monday at the Church of disease was not smallpox and let her re sume her journey. On her arrival a. England cemetery, Waterdown. Bugler Kenneth McKenzie, of No. 7 Acton Dr. McKay, the medical health Co., 20th Lorne Rifles, finished his course officer there, decided that she had smallinstruction at Stanley Barracks, To- pox and communicated with the Pro-

vincial Board of Health. An expert was Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson, Mr. sent to Acton and decided that Dr. Mc-kay was right. The woman was isolated, people who had been exposed to contagion from ner were quarantined, and compulsory vaccination enforced at a contagion. rante, and came home last Saturday. Everything is being done to prevent the spread of the disease. ents, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson.

Dr. J. J. Panton, of Portland. Oregon, spent Sunday with his relatives here, He was on his way home from New Champion some time ago, a smoothtaking a post-graduate course in sur- Henry worked Milton last September, for The Etude, a Philadelphia musical

Henry Webster, who lived in Milton publication, collected \$1.50 each from a dozen citizens and skipped. The sub-law, W. J. Newell, Trafalgar. He and scribers got no music and in due time his brother have been farming in Kansas discovered that Henry was not the ever since he left Milton, and have pros- agent of the Etude. He afterwards)

Farm For Sale or To Let.—200 acres, publishers heard of his visit to Welland Mayoralty, 1902. owned by John Cudmore, situated in the and wired County Attorney Matheson. Township of Nelson, town line, about 4 who sent a constable after Henry, but To the Electors of Milton: miles from Milton. For terms apply to the latter had disappeared. A short Geo. Cudmore, market gardener, Milton, time ago the publishers again heard of or to G. J. Cudmore, town line. 25-3t the man, that he was canvassing Water- candidate for the Mayoralty for 1902, I

ing. There was splendid ice, a large notified Mr. Matheson, who telephoned behalf. turnout of skaters and fine music from to the chief of police at Simcoe and the played on Friday evening. Both skating was foolish enough to pay Waterford a tire, I would like to do so through the and curling will boom in Milton this second visit. He was lodged in Simcoe chair, feeling that I have fairly earned

The Farmers' Advocate has issued an last Thursday, and was remanded for a serving of recognition in the manner excellent Christmas number, a special week. It turns out that he is a Burling- indicated, I would be pleased to have Years days, so make the best feature being the reproduction in photogravure of typical works by several prominent Canadian artists Many articles

Sand Road, and that his real name is wishing you for your opportunity.

Sand Road, and that his real name is wishing you the compliments of the seaand illustrations of exceptional merit Harry Iredale. His wife, child and son, I remain, faithfully yours, are specially adapted to the field which The Advocate occupies. The short stories and special articles have been well selected, and the general excellence and decidedly Canadian tone will be library in the Dominion, containing as makes the population 45.937.

government. The other departments include the customs tariff, post-office directory, lists of banks, clergy, schools, colleges, societies, barristers, municipal officers, division court clerks, police

We have yet to know of a sing.

Death of Irene Hannington,

Toronto, Dec. 19th, 1901. Dear Mrs. Hannington:

brightest pupils and one of my dearest ness, and blood diseases. Have used upils as well. Always cheerful and un. them everywhere with success. Dr. E selfish, she won the love of all her play. F. Mann, late of H. M. Forces, South nates and of all with whom she came in Africa. contact. It has cast a gloom over the midst that can never be filled. May God, who in his great wisdom tom since.—James R. Jackson, things, comfort you and Ste. Marie, Ont Mr. Hannington in this your sad be-

I remain, Yours sincerely, 12 Earl St., Toronto.

### Town Council.

was done at the turkey match here last The council met on Friday evening Thursday, though the weather was cold the mayor in the chair the balance of the birds and silver cup Messrs. Armstrong, Alexander, Bastedo, Higginbotham and McDowell. Minutes of last meeting read and con-

Roland Brush, who has been confined to his led for some time by an attack of Papers referring to the McFerran pills do not help. siatica, desires to thank his friends and neighbors for their kindness and the loss of water as prepared by E. W. loss of water, as prepared by E. W. Boyd, also his bill for the same, were Oakville will be represented in the The committee on town hall and weigh (South Arrican field in this (the third) scales reported, recommending payment Canadi ... ) contingent by Jos. Tilbury. of accounts amounting to \$129.28.—Re-

He is a strut, strapping fellow and has port adopted. passed t e rigid examination and been The committee on printing and co tingencies reported, recommending pa W. C. King, of Peru, has tanned the ment of accounts amounting to \$366.c skin of the huge black bear shot on the including grant to firemen, \$258.80, and Moon River, Muskoka, last month by E. W. Boyd's account, \$90, also acknow-Dr. A. C. Jones, of Kilbride. The skin ledging report from musical society, makes a handsome robe. Dr. Jones showing total receipts \$711.46, total exrefused \$25 for it before it was tanned. penditure \$707 46 and balance on hand

The collectors for Esquesing township **1 \$**4 —Report adopted. The committee on fire and waterworks have been appointed as follows: Polling Sub-division No. 1-Walter Shortreed, reported, recommending payment of ac-No. 2-Richard Dick, No. 3-Henry counts amounting to \$22.65.-Report

The committee on finance reported, recommending payment of accounts passed by other committees and that \$200 be paid to the school board, also acknowledging receipt of \$43 and a note or \$57 from Robt. McInnes in settlement the Stevenson claim for \$600 and reommended payment of \$100 to him and \$500 to Mr. Darrah, as agreed by the parties interested, also that the clergy reof waterworks extension. Dr. and Mrs. C. W. McColl, of Wyan-date, Mich., visited the doctor's old prime fresh meat by the quarter or in Mr. Armstrong moved, seconded by prime fresh meat by the quarter or in Mr. Higginbotham, that this council

large or small quantities at special desires to place on record its appreciation terms for cash. Mr. Wales's is an old of the uniform courtesy shown to the members of this council by the mayor, Orders have been given for the life- S. Deacon. We regret that you decided Mrs. Thos. Wharton is recovering saving apparatus that is to be placed on not to seek municipal honors for the year of four life buoys, a stretcher and cover, next year may have your wise advice, Algus Sloan, of Milton, aged about 12 grappling pole, lines and irons, drag which in your address shows that yo wars, underwent an operation for ap- net and ropes, and a life-boat, which have the welfare of the town at heart. will be kept in a convenient place and Carried unanimously

will be easy to launch in case of neces- The meeting, being the last for the The council adjourned.

> A Card. We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar. fails to cure your cough or cold. also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded .-

O. Matheson, a son.

ently rich, wants a good honest husband. Address, Erie, 193 Washington Street, hicago, Ill.

Thos. Turner went to Toronto on bride who looked a property of the rich was married to H. L. Rixon, a rising young barrister, of Holland, formerly of the rich the ceremony was performed by MacAdam Harding, rector of St. Matthew's. The bride who looked cheering to H. L. Cunningham—At Hornby, on Dec. 23. Trafalgar has \$8000 to loan at reasonable rates on farm property, in sums of five hundred dollars or over. Apply to DR

sister, Miss Louise Barton. J. J. Rixon, CORDINGLY—At lot 8, con. 10, Trafalgar, Notice to Creditors on Dec. 15, Martha, widow of the late cousin of the groom, acted as best man. Solomon Cordingly, aged 73 years.

McCAy-At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. K. McCraney, Bronte, on Wednesday, Dec. 28th, Amanda, FitzAllen, relict of the late Algernon smallpox had left on the noon train for McCay, in her 80th year. Acton. At Toronto Junction the con-

> MARRIED. McCLINTOCK-KING-At Christ church, Brampton, by the Rev. Wm. Walsh. McClintock, both of Streetsville. TAYLOR-TAYLOR-At the Zion Taber- notice.

by the Rev. T. Albert Moore, on Dec. | 11. Edward Taylor, of Hamilton, to Miss Gertrude Taylor, daughter of 24-8t Charles Taylor, of Acton. WILLIAMS-PRICE—At the home of the bride's parents, Esquesing, on Dec. 18, by Rev. J. K. Godden, M.A., John Williamson, son of David Williamson, Nassagaweya, to Teresa, daughter of James Price, Esquesing.

Having decided to offer myself as a

The rink opened last Thursday even- ford, county of Norfolk, and again they respectfully solicit your support in my The first game of curling was result was the capture of Henry, who at the council board, and wishing to re-

magistrate, before whom he appeared

The London, Out., directory, just out,

Wonderful Little Red Pills.

is 25 cents. Published by The Copp, been almost entirely successful in affect-ling a cure.—CANADA CHEMICAI We have yet to know of a single case JO., Peterborough, Ont.

The following letter of condolence, on the death of her little daughter, was sent to Mrs. Bert Hannington, of Lambton Mills, by Miss Hall, public school

teacher:—

had been given up,—Andrew Closkey, Victoria, B.C.

Ex-Ald. Bailey, St. Johns, writes: I cannot speak too highly of Dr. Clarke's Wonderful Little Red Pills. They worked a miracle in my case and cured me after many years of suffering. I do not think their equal is to be obtained. It was with great sorrow I learned of Nothing like Dr. Clarke's Little Red Irene's sad death. She was one of my Pills for the cure of heart trouble, weak-

Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills perman. entire school. We all will miss her very ently cured me of headache. I suffered nuch, as she has left a place in our for years, and only took two boxes. That is a year ago. I have not had a symp-I do not believe there is a medicine to compare with Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills. They cured me of indigestion and catarrh of the stomach, after nine! years' suffering.-H. S. Macdonald, G.

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Irene, eldest daughter of Bert and Oliver Butts, who died on or about the eighteenth day of October, A. D. 1901, are required ton Mills, aged 8 years, 9 months, 27 on Dec. 18, Miss Martha King to Jos. distribute the assets of the deceased amon

the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have nacle Methodist Parsonage, Hamilton, Dated this 3rd day of December, A.D. 1901. J. W. ELLIOTT,



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