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### Pan-American Opening

The Pan-American Exposition was thrown open to the public on Wednesday, May 1. The Common Council of on Sunday. the City of Buffalo declared that day a civic holiday and the entire city turned out in recognition of this signal | over Sunday. event which celebrates the Centennial of the founding of the city and which is the first great exposition to be devoted exclusively to the interests of

Pan-America. Exposition, tells a very charming story of its history and creation ford were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jos. and describes the beautiful city in Grainger on Sunday. which the festival has been developed | Mr.Geo. Drury was calling on friends and brought to completion. The here recently. booklet is embellished with many il- Miss Richardson of Maple commenclustrations, including twelve colored ed duties as teacher in the school here plates of Exposition buildings and on Wednesday, May 1st. views. These will be sent free to applicants by the Bureau of Publicity | Sunday at Mr. Jas. Baker's, Moorwood so long as the edition lasts. All the Farm. principal buildings of the Exposition have been completed for some time. The installation of exhibits began many weeks ago. Some of the afterthoughts, such as State buildings, will not be done till about May 20, which is to be Dedication Day.

Everyone who has visited the grounds of the Pan-American Exposition during the past few months has been astonished beyond expression upon beholding the magnitude and the exceptional beauty and novelty of the enterprise. It is very much larger than people generally have supposed, and it is apparent that the \$10,000,000, which is the approximate cost of the Exposition as a whole, has been expended most wisely and with the happiest results. The particular novelty that is to be noted in this Exposition is discovered in the fact that in its exterior aspect it is a radical departure from former expositions. The buildings are arranged upon a harmonious and well developed plan, producing court settings and vistas of very charming character. The use of molded staff work and decorative sculpture upon the buildings and at all salient painted and papered. points within the courts, the liberal employment of hydraulic and fountain features, the floral and garden effects, the exquisite colorings of buildings and architectural ornaments, and the illumination of the whole with more than 300,000 electric lamps, combine to make a picture of unsurpassed loveliness. The musical features are also of great importance and interest. The exhibit divisions are very complete and embrace the gamut of industrial, scientific and artistic activities of the people of the Western Hemisphere. The Midway, claimed to be the greatest in the world, has more than a mile of frontage. The restaurant features are perfect and the Exposition, so far Goods sold on consignment. General, sales of as human ingenuity and the wise exstock etc., promptly attended to at reasonable penditure of money can accomplish such a work, is complete to the last detail.

Buffalo, too, is an ideal city for an exposition, having a summer climate that is tempered by the breezes from Lake Erie, and, therefore, the most his summer outing. The people of the city have prepared themselves in a most ample way to entertain millions of guests during the Exposition. The private dwellings throughout the city have been thrown open to the public, and, in view of the ample accommodations, very moderate rates will prevail so that every visitor will have such accommodations as he is willing to pay for. He may have the palatial quarters of the fine hotels, or the quiet restfulness of a pleasant home. The average rate for accommodations near the Exposition grounds is about \$1.00 per night for lodging, with 25c. to 50c. adthat guests will take their other meals upon the Exposition grounds. A number of responsible companies have organized to find accommodations for visitors at any price they may desire to pay. The offices of these companies are centrally located and this system of management promises to bring very satisfactory results to all concerned.

S. S. No. 4, Markham.

The following is the report for the

month of April: Junior IV.—Elsie Brillinger. Senior III-Maggie Cosgrove, Stuart

Read, Charlie Williams. Junior III.-Foster Hickson, Ailie Rands, Roy Nelson. Senior II.-Ella Cosgrove, Clarence

Doner, Alex. Williams. Junior II.—Charlie Hoover, Gertie Nelson, Harold Smith. Part III Class-Rolph Williams, Jno.

Part II Class-Rolph Baker, Maggie Baker, Elsie Hoover. month in which to sell out.

## Carrville.

On Saturday last two of the sportsmen from our village journeyed to Miss Gertrude Blake formerly of dale, were held over.

Concord is now residing in this vicinty. Miss Ethel Appleton and Miss Clara Clubine of Thornhill visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs H. P. Appleton

Miss Maggie Wood of Newtonbrook was visiting with her parents here

Mr. P. Lillie of Toronto spent over Sunday with his family here.

Mrs. A. Prentice continues very ill. Mr. Wm. Wright of Toronto spent several days in the village recently A new booklet, just issued for the and returned to Toronto on Tuesday. Mr. Wm. Ness and family of Head-

Mr. Wm. Gardener of Toronto spent

Ladies' black taffeta and black silk gloves, white, creme and tan taffeta gloves at 20, 25, 35 and 50c. Atkinson

### Maple

& Switzer.

The funeral of Miss Bertha Gillis second daughter of Mr. J. Gillis o Emery, took place to the cemetery here last Saturday afternoon. Deceased was formerly a member of the Presbyterian choir of this place and was highly esteemed by all who knew her. Her early death is deplored by a large circle of friends who deeply sympathize with the bereaved family. The floral offerings were very beautiful, and were from Emery League and Choir, Weston Choir and others.

The interment of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kinnee also took place on Saturday afternoon.

The young men of the village have organized a base-ball team and had their first practice on Saturday evening. The members of the Masonic Lodge are having their lower hall Mr. Percy Keffer left on Saturday

for Midland where he intends to take Mr. and Mrs. Amos Shunk of Toronto spent Sunday night at Mr. H.

Franks'. Next Sunday Quarterly meeting services will be held in the Methodist church and Rev. Dr. Carmichael of King is expected to preach in the Presbyterian church.

Mr. Leeds Richardson is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

## Patterson.

School report for April, 1901.

Sr. IV—A. Rumble. Jr. IV-V. Charles. C. Johnston. Sr. III-H. Rumble, A. Savage. Jr. III-I. Keith, F. Rumble, L. Mc-

Sr. II-M. Fagan, J. Keith. Jr. H-R. Rumble, S. Rumble C. C.-J.Rumble, N.Rumble, M.Charles.

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Jr. IV-Alba Henricks, Nellie Barker, Ruby Richards, Maude Helmkay, Hannah Hislop, Joe Elliott.

Sr. III-Louis Elliott. Jr. III-Maggie Hislop, Gertie Bond. Sr. II-Freeman Barker.

Sr. Pt. I-Ida Barker. Jr. Pt. I-David Hislop, Myrtle Comisky. L. FOSTER, Teacher,

## West York Licenses

The West York License Commissioners met Saturday and disposed of the various applications for licenses as

follows: Toronto Junction-Chas. Kelly, A.J. Heydon, J. H. Lefler, W. J. Brown, Frank Watts and C. J. Herbert (shop). Mrs. Tyler was granted three months'

extension. North Toronto-W.J. Martin, W.A. Minns and Chas. F. Lavender. Weston-W.J. Bourke, Jno. Bailey,

W. J. Lellis. Woodbridge-John Emeler, and A. B. Haystead. W.W.Reid refused, Etobicoke-Jas. Rowntree, Charles Nurse, A. Foster, Dan Blea, Jno. F. Hass, C. H. Vint; J. H. Petty one

York-F. V. Winters, John Harris, Thos. Webster, Abner Cherry; Mrs. McFarlane one month.

Vaughan-A. Lloyd, Thos. Sullivan, J. C. Steele, H. B. Houghton, John Holland Landing to fish in the river Duggan, W. E. McCutcheon, granted; there. They had fairly good success Geo. Gobiel refused. Mrs. Hulse of and think "the Landing is a great | Maple, James O'Halloran of Deer Park, and J. E. Shrigley of Bracen-

The Canadian Bank of Commerce Completes the Purchase of the Assets of the Bank of British Columbia,

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The negotiations for the purchase of the assets of the Bank of British Columbia by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, an announcement respecting which was made some months ago, have been carried to a successful conclusion. A thorough examination of the affairs of the Bank of British Columbia was made by the officials of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and this proving entirely satisfactory the amalgamation was finally completed on the 2nd of January. A statement of the affairs of the Canadian Bank of Commerce after the amalgamation has now been issued, and discloses a very strong position. In point of capital and reserve the bank now ranks fourth among banking institutions on the continent of America. It has 61 branches throughout Canada; 5 Branches in the United States, namely at New York, San Francisco, Seattle, Portland (Ore.), Skagway (Alaska); and one in London, England, 67 establishments in all. The acquisition of the London office is an important step in the progress of the bank. The bank's transactions in sterling exchange in the United States and Canada each year amount to many millions of pounds, and the abitity to handle this business through the bank's own London office will result in an important addition to the earning power of the bank. In many other directions also the interests of the two banks will be immensely benefitted by the amalgamation.

The following is a condensation of the statement issued by the bank at the close of business on the 31st of

## ASSETS

Cash, Gold Bullion, Bankers' Balances and Balance due by London Office ......\$ 9,095,934.47

Investments ...... 10,822,507.29 Loans and Discounts .... 42,492,985.80 All other assets........ 1,422,018.53

\$63,833,446.09

LIABILITIES

Circulation ...... \$ 5,299,934.00 Deposits ..... 45,755,750.52 All Other..... 2,442,519.08 \$ 53,498,203.58

Reserve ...... 2,000,000.00

Capital .....

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