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The banquet proper was not held in the evening, but the ladies of the Presbyterian Church furnished a very nice supper in the Arena. Goood speeches bearing on the Society and Agriculture in general were made by Mr. A. R. Smith, of New Hamburg, seed specialist; Mr. Lockie Wilson, Superintendent of Fairs and Exhibitions; and Mr. A. J. H. Eckardt, whose generosity is so well-known and appreciated. Short addresses were also given by the Secretary, Mr. James McLean; Mr. H. A. Nicholls, a former secretary; Reeve T. H. Trench, and the President, Mr. J. E. Francis.

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Presbyterian Services

Beginning Sunday, June 1st, the Sunday School will meet at 10 a. m. sharp, instead of in the afternoon. The minister will preach at 11 a. m. There will be a song service at 7.30 p. m., when the choir will introduce some of the new tunes and Hymns in the Book of Praise. Dr.A. MacMillan, Secretary of the Committee on Church Praise, will take charge of this special service.

Weiland-Tuck

On Saturday, May 24, a quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Anne's Church, Toronto. Canon Skey officiat ing, when Rhoda Isabel, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tuck, Richmond Hill, was united in marriage to Mr. William Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weiland, Seaforth. Ont. The bride wore a grey suit with hat and shoes to match, and the groom's gift, a string of pearls, and carried sweet heart roses. After a short trip to points west, they will reside in Detroit, Mich.

W. M. S.

Mrs. W. D. Atkinson, delegate from TELEPHONE 11 M the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, is attending the annual meeting of the Teronto branch, which takes place May 27th, 28th and 29th in North Parkdale Church. A full report of the convention will begiven at the regular monthly meeting of the W. M. S., to be held in the school room on Thursday, June 5th at 8 o'clock. A very cordial invitation has been extended to all ladies of the W. M. S., and the Ladies Aid to spend a social hour at the parsonage at the close of their meeting.

METHODIST CHURCH

11 a. m .- "The Failure of the Brook." 7.30 p. m.—"Iron as a Tonic." A special invitation is extended to strangers and those without church affiliation.

A congregational gathering will be held in the Methodist School Room, at 8 p. m., on Wednesday evening, May 28th. Reports from the various church organizations will be received and these will be interspersed with musical numbers, after which a social time will be enjoyed. The members of the choir are invited to be present as the guests of the Congregation.

Officers L. B. C.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Bowling Club held at the home of Mrs. A. G. Savage, on May 16, the following officers were elected for the current

President-Mrs. Herrington. 1st Vice. - Pres. - Mrs. Fortner. 2nd Vice .- Pres .- Miss Endean. Secretary-Mrs. W. Trench. Treasurer—Miss Gibson.

Game Committee-Mrs. Savage, Mrs. Jackson, Miss Moodie, Mrs. Herrington, Mrs. Trench. It was decided that the fee for membership be \$8, the same as in former years.

A. M. TRENCH, Sec.

Horticultural Notes

The sprayer is making its second visit to the orehards of our members. Boy's and girls of the Public School will receive seeds donated this week. Mrs. R. B. M. Potts to whose ad-

dress our members listened with keen enjoyment last week, has sent the following recipe for Tomato Blight, in response to a question asked at the meeting. "Tomatoes respond to phosphoric acid, and tomato blight can be cured, as it is a disease of the foliage, at the time of setting fruit and seed production, (the plant is giving all in this effort and consequently is suffering and starved.) If phosphoric acid is used it can be cured almost at once. A plant which is a heavy seed producer needs phosphoric acid. It needs nitrogen only in medium amount or it will go to leaf instead of fruit. The quantity of phosphoric acid or bone meal to use is two ounces to each square yard."

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