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and well. Next year will be another lose its force. instance of history repeating itself and the tree planting resolution will be The Government has been favored again forgotten till the neglectful by fortunate circumstances. It has "resolutionist" is again reminded by proved itself strong, but its strength the burning sun of dog days. "Thus is magnified in the public eye by the on till wisdom is pushed out of life. weakness of its opponents. The con-Procrastination is the thief of time," dition of the Liberal Opposition has as the poet beautifully expresses it. been sadly unsatisfactory. The im-Seriously now, since re-foresting is be- pression grows that Mr. Ross has failcoming a live issue would it not be well ed in his leadership. His forces are for citizens of town and village to wake not only small, but they have been up to the importance and comfort hopelessly divided. The young memcaused by a little exertion or a little bers were not satisfied to accept a expense in tree ornamentation. * * *

the station and along Bruce street is Mutterings of discontent have been only the beginning of a great work yet heard the session through and the before the town. To have water con- ruction of its final days, over the Beck venient and to have it always is ex- Power Bill, was only the appearance ceedingly important, and to have good on the surface of the commotion which water that any person can drink with had heretofore been effectively resa feeling of safety will do much to les- trained. way to a nearby well and disease will their own following. The parting of

follow in its train. We think it is high time for the council to take this mat- minds of every unbiassed onlooker. exception of Mr. Beck's power measure, ter up, even at considerable expense, and devise some means by which the health of the community will not be names of Ross and Harcourt. endangered from this source at least.

We have often referred to the im portance of a fountain at the main cross streets of the town or at some convenient place along the front street Many a time a person goes thirsty rather than go into a crowded barroom to ask for a drink of water. The hotel in any case is not obliged to act as free dispensers of water and when the ba is lined with drinkers as it may be found sometimes there are women and children who would suffer before ask ing for a drink. How would it be for the council to erect a nice little drinking fountain for the good of the public? We believe it would be a proper thing to do, and many a person would thank them in their hearts for so generous a blessing. Let the council of 1906 consider the matter at once and once the drinking place is established the only cost would be for a supply of water in the summer season. This, we think, would not be very much.

The obituary poetry business still runs in some of our exchanges. We'll still publish the stuff at ten cents a line when cash accompanies the order, but the orders are not coming in very rapidly since we fixed the price. Cross roads poets in any line are not usually literary prodigies and their strained effusions to become Tennysons and Longfellows and Whittiers and Shakespeares and the rest of them are laughed at by themselves as well as every other reader. While we can tolerate what the author himself puts in as four-line chunks of nonsensical jingle, we hope not to be asked to give place to a class of doggerel that brings reproach upon the departed as well as upon his living ton; 1st. Vice-Pres. Mrs Jce. Clinrelatives.

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(Toronto News.)

Looking back upon the busy session of the Legislature just closed-the business in many moons-the general public verdict will be that the Whitney Government has made good.

reins, coaching the backward members of Cabinet, restraining those who chafed to dash forward. Every Minis- line, met with a bad accident on Fri- Mrs. M. Gillespie of this place lost ter who had Government legislation to day last. In the barn she slipped her valuable cow a week ago. Havintroduce was summoned down to and fell to the feed room floor below ing lost a cow a short time ago the share his leader's desk while he pro- a distance of about ten feet sustain- loss of this one meant very much to pounded the new policy. If the debate ing severe injuries internally and her, but it has, we are pleased to grew warm or acrimonious, Mr. Whit- also concussion of the spine. Dr. learn, been made good. Through the ney jumped in with relish to clear the Carter is in attendance and we trust kind offices of Mrs. Andy Wilson a The tree planting season is now on way for his associate; if the criticisms and we would like to see the property or queries were embarrassing he unholders take a hand in ornamenting dertook to answer them; while, if the their properties. As pointed out a few weeks ago the cost would be but a trifle and the pleasure resulting to the Premier rushed into the trifle and the pleasure resulting to times, the Premier rushed into the go lived here for some time and was many of the present and to all future fight. Mr. Whitney is always earnest, a very highly esteemed young womgenerations would be incalculable always emphatic—so much so that he an. Her numerous friends regret on an extended visit with her mother Many who give this subject only a sometimes endangers the destruction her early demise due to typhoid and Mrs. Wm. Wright, back line, returnpassing thought now in the cool days of his emphasis. When every word pneumonia. of spring will be found at midsummer, fall with the momentum of a sledge perhaps, making good resolutions as to hammer, there is a sameness about the here with her daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) Miss Vina who will visit a few what they will do next year if alive sound which may cause it in time to

A WEAK OPPOSITION.

standard which included the vast "has been," with its somewhat tortuous The extension of the water mains to course and its lost public confidence.

sen the diseases that have visited this But, apart from the onus of the past, town too often. It may not be easy to the session would suggest that the demonstrate, but there are many who parties should soon swap names. The believe firmly that instances of typhoid Whitney Government has proved itin this very town have had their origin self nothing if not progressive, liberal But in contaminated wells and similar and advanced. Its legislation has been sources. The very nature of the soil the most radical ever placed upon the in Durham is conducive to the promo- Provincial statute book in one session. tion of disease from effete matter of On the other hand, Mr. Ross stood any kind, and we believe that ordinary typical of old, conservative Toryism. cesspools are a menace to the commun- Considerations of caution always charity who have to depend on ordinary acterized his criticism, nothing was wells for their water supply. We do sound without precedent, and, even not condemn the householder who in more remarkable, the Liberel leader the absence of a proper system of sew- evidenced a continuance of that close age takes the cesspool method of dis- consideration of corporate and capitalposing of his night soil. But then, let | istic influence that so many think asus think of the sequel in a loose gravely sisted in his downfall. In this position least will percolate the gravel, and, it been gradually, and, mayhap, uncon-BARCLAY & BELL, Implement Agents, DURHAM.

the ways has been reached in the sion, every important bill, with the tario is no longer associated with the

GOVERNMENT PARTY A UNIT.

It is this weakness and dissension in the Opposition ranks which had done Mr. Beck has accepted with good grace. so much to glorify the Administration. The secret is leaking out, moreover, Notwithstanding the unwieldy bulk of that the energetic member from Lonporters have hung together with a fealty perhaps born of the tribulations of long years of Opposition. The Premier has done wisely in this: He has propounded to all his supporters in the House the doctrine that they must freely express their opinions on all public questions and Government measures submitted to the caucus, and that these opinions must be the result of conscientious conviction rather then political exigency. "The Cabinet is liable to err." he is said to have frankly told them, "and in the multitude of councillors there is wisdom. Let each member study every measure as though it were his own and the result of a free general discussion must then be greatly beneficial."

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At the last regular meeting of the | At the Quarterly Official Board elected for the ensuing year as fol representative to the District Meetlows: President, Mrs W. H. Thurs- ing at Owen Sound on the 29th. inst. ton; 2nd, Vice-Pres. Mrs. Fred Nicholson; Rec Sec., Mrs. Geo. Mitchell; Cor Sec., Mrs. W. A. Armstrong; Caidwell. The Society has 24 mem bers on the roll and raised \$55 00. during the past year. A barrel of clothing was sent to Mattawa and a box of fruit to the Deaconess Home,

Mrs. W. Petch, who moved from here last fall to T ronto, met with from an extended visit with her sore bereavement on Sunday when her youngest child John, aged 5 yrs. died after a brief illness with pneu-It is well to call it the Whitney monia. The remains of the little Government. The Premier's personal- fellow will be brought here to ity has dominated every department morrow (Tuesda,) to be interred beof it, the session through. He has in- side his father who died nearly five sisted on handling and controlling the years ago. Mrs. Petch has numerous friends here who deeply sympathize with her in her sorrow.

Wilson, died at the parsonage, Mark- weeks. dale on Wednesday of last week aged Mrs. W. A. Armstrong and Miss

Women's Missionary Society in the meeting of the Methodist church last Methodist church here officers were week Mr. Joseph Blakely was elected

Mrs. (Dr.) Murray, who under went a critical operation in Toronto two nel which enables us to turn our months ago, returned home on Fri- stock over many times a year. day last much improved in health. Trea, Mrs. W. H. Bunt; Pres. of Mrs. Murray's friends are pleased to Systematic Giving, Mrs. (Rev) J. T. see her home again and wish her continued improvement until perfectly

Mrs. Geo. Mitchell is spending a Our 75c and \$1.00 clearing snaps are few days at Palgrave where she at- chances we turn up, and lucky hits ten ed the funeral of her aunt Mrs. for you. Take advantage of them.

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Mrs. Andrew Shields, of Detroit, is visiting her sister Mrs. Jane Thompson who is ill.

Mr. R. J. Sproule was at Feversham on Monday conducting an

Professor Joseph Stafford and children of Montreal, are visiting the

soon to learn of the patient improv- number of friends contributed sufficient to purchase a fine cow which Numerous friends sincerely sympa. has been done and the animal presen-

to her home at Owen Sound on Fri-Mrs. Marr, who formerly lived day last accompanied by her sister

83 years. The remains were taken Wass went to Dundalk on Friday to Omemee for burial on Saturday. night to hear Saul of Tarsus render-In the absence of Rev. Mr. Wilson ed by the choral class there under on Sunday, Mr. M. K. Richardson of the leadership of Mr. Newton Large this place supplied his pulpit at and were very much pleased with the contata.

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