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## APPEARANCES

IF YOU WANT to make a presentable appearance at home or abroad you need the services of a good reliable tailor. Every man has a peculiarity of his own which, unless taken into consideration, his clothes cannot possibly fit him.

MORLEY &amp; CO. - The Leading Tailors

## THIS WEEK INFANTS', CHILDREN'S and LADIES' Whitewear and Embroidery Sale

Infants' Dresses and Slips from 45c to \$3.50 each. Children's Dresses and Slips from 45c to \$5.00 each. Children's Drawers from 25c to 50c. Children's Skirts from 25c to 75c. No room in our space for descriptions or prices of Ladies' Whitewear. Embroideries of fine quality and beautiful patterns from 25c a yard up this week.

Mrs. J. E. Weldon, King Street, East.

## Wide Awake

People are the ones who look after their own affairs. They know the quality of groceries without explanation. The price is the interesting point they look for.

McCormell will sell till Wednesday the 5th of February.  
Ginger Snaps, 5c per lb, crisp and fresh.  
Sodas, just in, 8c pound.  
New Dates, 5c pound.  
4 lbs. Prunes, 25c.  
25c bar Dishcloth soap for 20c.  
Pure Quebec Maple Syrup, 30c qt.  
New Cooking Figs, 5c lb.  
Broken leaf Japan Tea, 13c per lb.  
Black Tea Dust, taken from the best teas, 13c lb.  
8 lbs. Wheatlets, for 25c, a new delicious breakfast food.  
Jams, 9c per lb, assorted fruits.  
We have a new blend coffee at 20c a lb.  
Best Canadian Oil, 15c per gal.  
Genuine American Oil, best quality, 20c per gal.  
The quantity of dinner, tea and chamber sets we are selling speaks louder than words how pleased the people are with quality and price.  
China, glassware, lamps, and opal ware are moving out at reduced prices. Come and secure bargains.

**John McConnell**  
Park St. East  
Phone 190

**The Chatham Loan & Savings Co**  
Capital \$1,000,000  
Money to Lend on Mortgages. Borrowers wishing to erect buildings, purchase property or pay off incumbrances, should apply personally and save expenses, secure best rates and other advantages. Money advanced on day of application. All letters promptly answered. Telephone connection.  
**S. F. GARDINER**  
Manager.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

HEAVENS.  
"Great heavens!" cried the stranger.  
"Oh, Great!" said the Chicagoan, proudly contemplating the clouds of smoke that obscured the sky.

**A Scientific Voice Improver**  
Because of its strengthening influence upon the vocal chords, Catarrhoxone cannot be too highly recommended as a wonderful voice improver. It almost instantly removes huskiness or hoarseness, thus increasing clearness and brilliancy of tone. Catarrhoxone keeps the mucous surfaces in perfect condition, and its regular use absolutely prevents colds and throat irritation, thereby saving the singer's greatest source of anxiety, unfitness of voice. The most eminent speakers and Prima Donnas would not be without Catarrhoxone and credit in no small degree, their uniform strength and brilliancy of tone is its influence. The hard rubber inhaler fits conveniently into a purse or vest pocket, and may be used in the church, theatre, any place of time. Complete outfit \$1. Small sizes 25c. Druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

From antiquity the rose, the queen of flowers, has been regarded as the emblem of joy, love and prosperity. It is also the symbol of silence.

## A HEALTH POLICY

Mr. Rabin insures himself against the ravages of indigestion and dyspepsia. Dr. Von Star's Pineapple Tablets is a safe "policy" to carry. They prevent and cure, act quickly and a convenient "vest pocket" prescription.

"After trying nearly everything the Medical Men recommended for indigestion, I find Dr. Von Star's Pineapple Tablets to be the only absolute specific for this most distressing ailment. It certainly has proved so in my case. I give you authority to quote me if it will lighten some other poor sufferer's burden."—James F. Rabin, Secretary of Vermont Mutual Fire Insurance Company, Montpelier, Vt. 60 tablets, 25c a box.

Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

Probably the man who will end by coming the nearest to understanding women is Professor Garner.

## LONG AND FAVORABLY KNOWN.

The West Shore Railroad has been so long and favorably known, that any words of commendation would be superfluous, but new travelers are constantly cropping up, and last they have not read as they ran, this is to tell them that when they choose the Wabash-West Shore they do wisely.  
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Minard's Liniment Cures LaGrippe.

## OLD BOYS' REUNION PROJECT STARTS ON RIGHT ROAD

O. L. Lewis Elected Chairman of the Big Movement—Some Strong and Splendid Committees Struck—An Early Start.

A good representation of the citizens of the Maple City attended the projected Old Boys' Reunion meeting in the City Council Chambers of Harrison Hall last evening.

Among those present were Mayor Sulman, O. L. Lewis, Geo. Fielder, W. G. Richards, Ward Stanworth, J. M. Pike, Geo. W. Cowan, Harry Hall, Jno. Northwood, Jos. Tilt, Richard Pritchard, W. S. Marshall, C. E. Lister, Chas. Baxter, Jas. Robinson, Ald. W. J. O'Brien, Thos. E. Fielder, George Jacques, George Moore, W. S. Richards, J. L. Wilson, R. O. Springer, J. J. Ross, S. Stephenson, Frank Tschirhart, P. K. Morley, E. Berube, Geo. W. Cornell, Mr. Dunn, F. Trudell, A. L. Shumblau, Walter Piggott, W. Potter, Neil Gibson, Jno. Waddell, D. A. Hutchison.

Chairman O. L. Lewis in opening the meeting said that other towns and cities had had Old Boys' Reunions and had made them a success, and there was no reason whatever why Chatham's should not be. He also stated that a number of the places who had had these reunions had been communicated with and a good many valuable hints and much information had been obtained. He suggested that the members of the Finance committee be of the best calibre of the citizens and good live men.

Ward Stanworth suggested that a general committee be appointed to appoint the working committees.

O. L. Lewis was appointed as permanent chairman.

The provisional secretary J. M. Pike gave a plan of what had been proposed to be done, viz., in the first place it is to be a four days' celebration, a street fair to last the four days. The first day, horse racing, music and fireworks; second day barbecue on the park and other sports; third day trip to Erieau with aquatic sports; last day convention, grand carnival and banquet. The secretary then read communications from Port Hope, Woodstock, and Brantford, where they had Old Boys' Reunions, containing valuable information.

Mayor Sulman spoke very highly in favor of the reunion and said the success of the whole thing depended on those selected to carry out the project and especially with the permanent secretary.

The chairman asked if it was the intention of the gathering to go on with the reunion. W. G. Richards moved that the project proceed and he heartily endorsed it. S. Stephenson seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Mayor Sulman moved that the committee for organizing the reunion be composed of the following fifteen members: O. L. Lewis, J. M. Pike, Ward Stanworth, W. G. Richards, Wm. Potter, S. Stephenson, Ald. W. S. Marshall, A. C. Woodward, Walter Piggott, Harry Hall, Ald. Jno. Waddell, F. F. Quinn, Ald. Wm. J. O'Brien and Ald. Cowan.—Carried.

Mr. Dunn moved that there be sixteen on the committee and nominated the Mayor.—Carried.

The meeting was then adjourned but the appointed committee thought it best to do their work while they were assembled.

Ald. Marshall recommended Henry Robinson in high terms for the office of secretary, at the same time stating that that officer had to be paid as it was a job.

Ald. agreed on this point and the chairman and provincial secretary were appointed to see Mr. Robinson.

The following committees were then named:

Finance—Wm. Ball, W. D. Sheldon, W. E. McKeough, W. S. Richards, and Chas. Hadley.

Printing committee—J. M. Pike, S. Stephenson, W. G. Richards, Ward Stanworth and A. C. Woodward.

Sports and music committee—Dr. Cornell, Ald. O'Brien, Wm. A. Seane, W. A. Hadley, and Wm. Potter.

Banquet committee—Mayor Sulman, L. Eberts, Jno. Pleasance, Jno. McCoig and Ald. Marshall.

Erieau committee—C. C. Greening, Harry Hall, S. B. Arnold, Jas. Brackin and F. Stevens.

Barbecue committee—Ald. Mounteer, F. Goodland, Ald. Taylor, F. E. Quinn and W. R. Peck.

Transportation committee—J. J. Ross, Ald. Jno. Waddell, Robt. Gray, Manson Campbell and N. H. Stevens.

Decorations committee—Ald. Cowan, Ed. Snook, Jos. Tilt, I. E. Brock and Spencer Stone.

Fireworks committee—E. B. Jones, Ald. Fleming, Fire Chief Pritchard, C. Austin and Geo. Heyward.

The reception committee will consist of the following and suggestions as to any one else who ought to be on this committee to be sent in before next meeting night. The following and those suggested—

P. D. McKee, Dr. W. E. Hall, Frank McKee, Jas. Birch, Fred. Stone, Ted. Reardon, John M. Northwood, Henry Smith, T. A. Smith, Thos. Brady, Hugh Macdonald, Jno. Piggott, Dr. Fleming, Dr. Holmes, Dr. Witherspoon, Jno. Turner, Warren Lambert, Frederick Bates, A. Jahnke, M. Houston, Judge Woods, Wm. Rabin, Chief Young, Robert Mercer, J. Massey, James Cleave, Jas. Holmes, J. R. Gemmill, Wm. Douglas, I. M. Taylor, Chas. Williamson, Jas. Watt, Jas. H. Olgershaw, Robert Cooper, J. McKee, Perry Chase, Rev. Dr. Battisley, Jas. C. Weir, W. H. Harper, Capt. S. M. Smith, J. B. Rankin, C. R. Atkinson, J. B. Stringer, Capt. Stringer, Chas. La France, Kenneth Campbell, Chas. Baxter, W. R. Baxter, Isaac Smith, A. McDonald, Ald. Hester McKay, Jas. Dillon, D. W. Crow, Jno. McKerrall, S. T. Martin, G. G. Martin, O. J. Dolson, W. B. Wells, L. L. Nicholl, Hugh Murphy,

## No Argument Needed

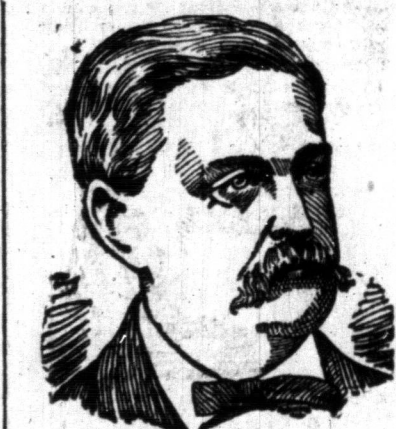
Every Sufferer from Catarrh Knows that S. Jves Lotions Washes, Sprays and Douches do not cure.

Powders, lotions, salves, sprays and inhalers cannot really cure Catarrh, because this disease is a blood disease, and local applications, if they accomplish anything, at all, simply give transient relief.

The catarrhal poison is in the blood and the nose, throat and trachea tries to relieve the system by secreting large quantities of mucus, the discharge sometimes closing up the nostrils, dropping into the throat, causing deafness by closing the Eustachian tubes, and after a time causing catarrh of the stomach or serious throat and lung troubles.

A remedy to really cure catarrh must be an internal remedy which will cleanse the blood from catarrhal poison and remove the fever and congestion from the mucous membrane.

The best and most modern remedies for this purpose are antiseptics scientifically known as eucalyptol, guaiacol, sanguinaria and hydrastin, and



while each of these have been successfully used separately, yet it has been difficult to get them all combined in palatable convenient and efficient form.

The manufacturers of the new catarrh cure, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, have succeeded admirably in accomplishing this result. They are large pleasant tasting lozenges, to be dissolved in the mouth, thus reaching every part of the mucous membrane of the throat and finally the stomach.

Unlike many catarrh remedies, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, contain no cocaine, opiate or any injurious drug whatever and are equally beneficial for little children and adults.

Mr. C. R. Rembrandt, of Rochester, N. Y., says: "I know of few people who have suffered as I from Catarrh of head, throat and stomach. I used inhalers, sprays and powders for months at a time, with only slight relief, and had no hope of cure. I had not the means to make a change of climate, which seemed my only chance of cure."

"Last spring I read an account of some remarkable cures made by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and promptly bought a fifty-cent box from my druggist, and obtained such positive benefit from that package that I continued to use them daily until now consider myself entirely free from the disgusting annoyance of catarrh; my head is clear, my digestion all I could ask, and my hearing, which had begun to fail as a result of the catarrh, has greatly improved until I feel I can hear as well as ever. They are a household necessity in my family."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents for complete treatment and for convenience, safety and prompt results they are undoubtedly the long looked for catarrh cure.

In Germany the periwinkle is the flower of immortality, but in Italy it is the flower of death. Catarrh is made of it and placed on the tier of children.

## Some Startling Facts

That should be considered at this season of the year, when colds and influenza are so prevalent, is the fact that Catarrh which usually ends in consumption. From reports by physicians there are ten million consumptives in America, and constantly being added to by neglected colds and grippe.

## The Prussian Oil

Medicine will cure bronchitis, catarrh, grippe pneumonia, colds and colds very quickly and surely if used as directed internally and externally. It is in universal use all over the Maritime Provinces and New England States, called there Dr. Newberry's Wonderful Prussian Oil, being such a curative medicine, for a little money—25c a bottle—use it and prove it. Sold by all druggists.

## YOUR CLOTHING IDEAS

Speaking of clothing stores, it may be bad form to boast, but as the candid man said, "what is a fellow to do?"

Our three stores are good stores; customers affirm it, opposition dealers know it, and we cannot help being somewhat aware of it ourselves.

But then it wasn't only T. & D. ideas that made this business grow and succeed. To the customer belongs a big share of the credit. We must meet your notions of the best storekeeping, or you would not come here so confidently and continuously. We make a careful study of what men are looking for and what prices they are most willing to pay. Then the only question is how to give a little more value for the price than we—or anybody—ever did before.

And the money-back guarantee suits both you and us.

## THORNTON &amp; DOUGLAS

## The Letter-Box

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To the Editor of The Planet:

Don't you think that criticisms and counter criticisms re Tyeon have gone far enough. They may interest a score or so of individuals, but to the general public they are neither important nor interesting; not sufficiently, at least, to account for the space they occupy, which could be more profitably filled.

GENERAL PUBLIC.

TIP FOR JOHN.

To the Editor of The Planet:

Sir—In a late issue of The Planet appeared a letter from Alderman John Waddell, justifying his vote at the council board re police commissioners. He evidently thinks the legislature should not have the appointing of the fact that the Legislature have left very little for the councils to do as they in their supreme wisdom have assumed control and centralized everything in the big council at Toronto. I would like to ask the worthy alderman if he had to get a seat at the council to find that fact out. If so he is not endowed with the keen discernment that I gave him credit for. The fact of the matter is that John is only now finding out that as a representative of the people of this great and glorious city, his hands are tied. He

may have the power to vote a crossing, or remit the assessment on a dog that died six months before the assessors put in an appearance, but the larger questions are managed by his masters in Toronto. Now, John, be a good boy, and "go way back and sit down," or first thing you know you will be read out of the party. You are not supposed to have an opinion, and if you have one, you as a dutiful follower of the great and noble gratus at Toronto, are expected to keep mum.

Yours,

MAPLE CITY.

GIN IS GOOD FOR WOMEN.

If pure and well matured, Gin is a fine tonic, especially beneficial to women. It tones up the entire nervous system, and aids in regulating nature's work. Melchers Red Cross Canadian Gin is the only Gin recommended by physicians for medicinal use, because it is the only Gin known and guaranteed to be absolutely pure and thoroughly matured for years in bonded warehouses. It is soft and mellow to the palate, and has not that burning effect and disagreeable after-taste of imported gins.

Quality, Age and Purity guaranteed on every bottle, by an official government stamp. Melchers Red Cross Canadian Gin is the only Gin having this guarantee.

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Glean & Company, William Street Import direct from London, England, the finest Ceylon, Assam and China Teas. Try Our English Breakfast Tea 35c and 40c

Happy they, who soon detect the chasm that lies between their wishes and their powers.

## Are You A Mason?

Its New York and Chicago runs, during which it made thousands of people laugh and declare it the best given fair warning of the good things that may be expected to-night. The farce, which Leo Dietrichstein adapted from the German, is constructed with much skill and is a rarely harmless source of reckless fun. Every Free Mason will want to see the farce. The rites and secrets and aims of that universal body of mystics are in every way respected, and its members will revel in the jokes and situations

and playwright. His masquerade as a woman in this piece is said to be perfect. A more agreeably feminine creature to see or a more aggressively masculine person to study could not, it is said, be imagined. A charming dialect adorns this pretended shop girl and Dietrichstein's impersonation is made the central feature of the performance. John C. Rice, Thos. A. Wise, Chas. Edwards, Geo. Richards, Mattie Ferguson, Esther Tittell, Sally Cohen and others are also seen to fine advantage in this farce.

Andrew Robson in "Richard Carvel" at the Grand on Monday evening, Feb. 3rd. The popularity of the play,



which give the play its name. Some

of the climaxes are indescribably clever and a little intricate effects in counterpoint and complexity are delightfully funny. The dialogue is said to be the capital and each character to have a pleasant force and an attractive originality. The fame of this farce spread last spring, when it was first put on at Wallace's, forced by its splendid run there by the theatres contract with Henrietta Crossman, to finish its season in Chicago. Mr. Dietrichstein is apparently a clever combination of actor

"Richard Carvel" is even greater than that of Winston Churchill's novel upon which it is founded. It reflects all the attractive and interesting phases of the book and Andrew Robson's impersonation of the romantic young gentleman who is the hero of the story is a perfect embodiment of the intense lover and impulsive partier that Mr. Churchill has so charmingly created. It is one of the most attractive roles in which Mr. Robson has ever appeared and he has convinced everybody by the spirit and dash and heart and force with which he invests the character that he must hereafter be reckoned as one of the leading romantic actors of the American stage.