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MOST CONVENIENT, MOST ECONOMICAL SUMMER FUEL.

Bros. Westman King street, Chatham.

Miss Maggie Jackson, of this city, is

Miss Irene Sylvester, Poplar St., is spending a few days with friends in Ridgetown.

Boyd Parnall, Lansdowne avenue

has returned from a visit with his

Miss Lena McKie, Lansdowne ave-

Miss Florence Clapp, of Mt. Forest, is the guest of Miss Flo. Coltart, Wil-

of Thomas Stone & Son, leaves to-day on a visit to his brother in Mon-

Miss Pearl Thompson, Sheldon ave-

nue, has returned from a week's visit with her uncle, Mynard McBrayne, in

Clarence Tilt, who has been spend

ing a couple of week's holidays at his

home in this city, returned to New

Mrs. W. J. Laird, Grey street, has

returned home, after spending a month with her cousin, Mrs. George

William Clements and his son Henry

leave for Brandon, Manitoba, to-

morrow. They expect to remain in the

The band concert at Port Lambton

last evening was very largely attend-

ed. There were about 400 people from Chatham, Wallaceburg and Dresden

Sep. lons, of this city, received work

this morning of the death of his bro-ther Joseph in Brantford. He left for that place this afternoon to attend

the funeral which takes place on

Mrs. Caspar Schwemler and her me ther, Mrs. J. V. Dolsen, left this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs.

Willotts, stepmother of Mrs. Dolsen,

at Birmingham, Mich. The deceased

Mr. and Mrs. John Payne, of An-

derson, Indiana, arrived in the city this morning, and will spend a couple

of weeks with friends and relatives. Mr. Payne is an old Chatham boy and his many friends in the city will be

E. H. Bath, who ten years ago was

a clerk in the John Wall Dry Goods

store in this city, and is now a mem-ber of the firm of Rohrs & Bath, Mun-

sey, Indiana, is in th ecity spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Nash,

St. George street, on his way to New

York. Mr. Bath is greatly interest-

ed in our hospitals, and has been get-

ting together considerable informa-

tion with a view to placing a plan, before the people of Munsey, ir the

hope of inducing them to erect a simi-

The new exercise, wagon for the fire

hall was put into use for the first

event of a fire. If the alarm rings

while the horses are exercising, they can proceed directly to the fire, while

W. P. Nellis, representative of the

Canadian Birbeck Investment and Savings Co., Toronto, is at the Garner House, and will spend the

Thursday afternoon.

lady was in her 99th year.

pleased to see him again.

lar institution.

Prairie Province about a month.

liam street, for a few days. James Luce, an employe of the firm

s spending the day in Detroit.

sister in Stewart.

Detroit.

York last evening.

Smith. Montreal.

on board.

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PROBABILITIES.

(Special to The Planet.) Toronto, Aug. 6.-10 a. m.-Mode rate easterly winds, fair, not much

change in temperature.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Mrs. Deshardines is visiting friends in Windsor for a week. Ed. Brown and W. McEwen leav

to-day for the Northwest. Miss Muriel Pierce, of Montreal, visiting friends in the city.

Miss Mabel Smith, of Windsor, visiting Mrs. F. Frear, of Dover. Matthew Wilson, K. C., is in Wallaceburg to-day on professional busi

The work on the new sewer at the Collegiate was commenced yesterday

morning. Miss Tillie Fitzer, of Toro guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. Dezelia,

Barthe street. J. Wilson, of the Aberdeen House, leaves this afternoon for a short vacation in Strathroy.

Miss Eva Grace Kennedy, of this city, is visiting friends and relatives in Detroit this week. Geo. Rutland moved into the city

from Blenheim to-day and has accepted a position at Drader's mill. J. D. Stark, the popular St. Clair street grocer, leaves on Saturday for

the Pan-American Exposition. Contractor Ray Winters is in Dresden this week finishing off the residence of A. Tyhurst, of that place. Miss H. Baxter, of Thomas Stone & Son's, is spending her holidays in Hespeler, Hamilton and other eastern

Geoffrey O'Hara, of the Bank of Commerce at Ottawa, is spending a couple of weeks' vacation at his home in the Maple City.

Misses Pearl and Ruby Maggs, Jos Mich., where they have been visiting their brother Ernests

Mrs. N. J. Bogart and Mrs. H. G. Reed, of this city, left this morning for Hespeler, where they will be the guests of Mrs. John Morley. Mrs. Lewis, of Aylmer, and Mrs

(Dr.) Stevens and daughter, Frances Eleanor, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. Harry Stevens, Dover St. The "Wandering Willies," a junior baseball team from this city, will

play a game of baseball with another junior team at Thamesville this af-Dr. Knight, wife and family, Belleville, are registered at the Hotel

tion of those desiring to invest their surplus cash. The total savings for the period are \$74,091.66, or an in-crease of over \$14,000 over the previous year. The paid up capital stock of the company has been increased to \$752,959.27. Rankin. They are en route for Wallaceburg, where they will in future reside. The doctor will resume his old practice at the 'Burg after an ab-George Sail, of St. Josephburg, Assa. has been arrested, charged with at-tempting to poison Paul Wagner. sence of some ten years.

NEW FACTORY

ike ihood that the Maple City will short ly be the Pessessor of Large Sugar Beet Industry.

To-day representatives of large sugar beet manufacturing interests

It is understood that the visit is made with a view to establishing a large factory in the Maple City, al-though nothing definite has yet been made public in view of the keen com-petition existing over the location of

the works.

This afternoon in company with Geo. Stephens, M. P., Wm. Ball, John Piggott, president of the city Board of Trade, and other prominent citizens a representative of the com-pany is visiting various parts of the adjoining district to ascertain the possibilities of the soil for the grow-

ing of sugar beets.

If the decision be favorable it is likely that President Piggott will immediately call a meeting of the Board of Trade to enter into formal negociations with the company. A factory such as is mentioned would be a big acquisition to the nue, is spending a short vacation with her aunt, in Blenheim. Maple City.

Mr. Shaffer has not yet ordered a general strike of the Steel Trust em-ployes, although he has served no-tice on the companies of his intention

NEW SCHOOL

Report to Separate School Board Shows Its Progress to be Satisfactory.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Joseph's Separate school was held last evening. Those present were E. Reardon, chairman, and Trustees Robert, O'Brien, Gordon, Blonde, Welsh, King and Gerber.

Teachers salaries were ordered to be paid for the month of August. Bills from A. Harbert, scavenger and \$2.29 from Blonde Bros. were ordered to be paid.

After the meeting of the Board of Health yesterday, the members of the Board inspected the Payne school re its sanitary condition. They will present a report to the Public School The Finance committee were authorized to advertise for tenders for sale of debentures. Chairman King, of the Building committee, reports satisfactory progress in the building of new school

POTATO BUGS

The Sugar Beet Pests the same species that Haunt the Vegetable.

This morning R. C. Burt received the following letter in response to bug and specimens which he forward-

Guelph, Aug., 2nd 1901, R. C. Burt, Esq., Chatham, Ont.

Dear Sir,-Your letter and specimen of the 20th uit., addressed to Dr. Mills have been handed to me. In the absence of Prof. Lochhead, I may say that the pest on your sugar beets in known as "the old-fashioned potato bug" (Epicauta vitața). The insect preys upon many kinds of plants, but potatol and the beet are the chief sufferers. The beetles appear quite suddenly in large numbers and some species disappean quite as suddenly The eggs of this insect are laid on a plant or on the ground, from which hatch active little creatures with time this morning. It is a very fine one. It is large enough to hold 900 very long legs, prominent jaws and large heads. These are the feet of hose, and can be used in the larvae, which have power of existing without food for several days while hunting for grasshopper egg pods. When such pods are found, their wanformerly it was necessary to come derings are over, and the insects begin back to the hall and hitch on to the feeding at once. In this stage they hose wagon. The new exercise wagon are beneficial in so far as they feed carries enough hose to furnish two upon the eggs of grasshoppers; but streams of water fit overbalances the injury done as adults. They remain over winter in the resting stage; and in spring or early summer, when suitable conditions occur, they assume the beetle

next week in this city with a view to interesting investors in the purchase of scock. He brings with him the seventh annual report, and the statement is such a one as will at once commend itself to the consideration of these of these designs to invest their stage. As regards treatment, I would recommend adding a little lime to your Paris green solution, which will make vent any injury to the leaves. Trusting this information may b satisfactory, I am

Very truly yours, T. G. JARVIS,

MUSIC IN THE PARK.

The second band concert of the sea son will be given by the Excelsion Band to-night in Tecumseh Park. The band has an excellent program tore for the citizens.

To-morrow the band runs an excur

sion to Port Stanley over the L. E. & D. R. R., the proceeds of which will be aid of new instruments. As the public has never been called on before for any assistance from this organiza-tion, it is hoped they will avail themselves of the opportunity and take in what will no doubt prove to be one of the most delightful trips of the sea

Watch Lost.—On Sunday last between Wallaceburg and Mitchell's Bay, a gold watch, hunting case. A reward will be paid by leaving it at the Planet Office, Chatham, or by addressing Claud Simpson, Wallaceburg.

GOOD GIRL WANTED for general MRS GOODLAND, Victoria Ave.

In reply to a communication from Mayor Prefontiaine, Andrew Car-negie offered to give \$150,000 for the erection of a free library in Mont-

ammocks

Balance of our stock of Hammocks . .

Clearing at Reduced Prices

The Crisis Tarry Thou Till I Come

> Are two books that are good sellers. All the new books worth having are



SPED HOME

Frightened Horse Left Driver Buggy on Victoria Ave., En Route

A very exciting runaway occurred on Victoria avenue yesterday affter-

A horse attached to a light buggy and owned by a young farmer in Chatham Township became frighten-ed when passing McKerrall's laun-dry and bolted down the avenue. When they reached the residence of William Wells the buggy struck a post and stopped, but the horse continued its journey down the street

The man who was in the rig at the time was thrown out but was dventure. The buggy, however, was

When the farmer reached home that evening he found his house wait-ing for him at the gate.

TOUR IS A GO

Cricketers Decide to Solicit Assistance for their trip-Will visit Toronto and Hamilton.

M meeting of the cricketers and ricket enthusiasts was held last evening in the drawing room of the

the cricket tour fund were read and was found that about \$100 had been subscribed. It was discussed whether it would be advisable or not to have a couple of outsiders put on the team, such as Stuart, of Detroit, and Horstead.

It was decided that the secretary write to several outsiders to see it they could come on the trip, as a change of bow'ers was needed. It was also decided that a thorough canvas of the King street merchants be made. The meeting was then adjourned till Saturday evening.

...... TELEGRAPH

Boer Commandant Froneman's son was killed near Winburg: The Kosta Glass Works, the larges

Corp. Goulding, of the Royal Cana-dian Regiment, Halifax, was drowned

Frau Von Isacescu, will make another attempt to swim across the English Channel: Old Boys' reunions were held at London, Bowmanville, Orangeville, and Cobourg.

The infant child of Arthur Resenthal, of Ottawa, was drowned near Toronto, Ottawa, Hamilton, London

and Kingston held their Civic Holiday The British have captured a Boer convoy of 70 wagons near Boschf, Orange River Colony.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY Picturesque

Pan-American Route Special Excursion to Buffalo

Wednesday, Aug. 14, 1901 Train service and fares as follows:

Chatham, \$3.25, 10.32 a. m.
Louisville, \$3.10, 8.36 a. m.
Thamesville, \$3.05, 8.46 a. m.
Bothwell, \$2.90, 10.59 a. m.,
Newbury, \$2.85, 9.05 a. m.,
Lawrence, \$2.75, 8.40 a. m.
Buffalo, arrive, 4.30 p. m.
Returning by any regular tree Returning by any regular train up to and including August 16th, 1901. For further particulars apply to Agents Grand Trunk Railway System

W. E. RISPIN, C. P. & T. A., Chathe M. C. DICKSON, District Pass. Agt., C. AUSTIN & CO.,

Mid-Summer Clearing Sale of

Dress Goods And Silks

Just this week for clearing up, and then for New Fall Goods. Many were pleased with last week's bargains. We promise you better ones for this week, some lines, too good to sacrifice, have been added to replace sold outs. Half-price or less is what we ask for many lines. Come and see them, there is sure to be something that will interest you.

98c Lanvas Cloth for 50c

4 pieces all wool canvas cloth, 44 in. wide, reseda, fawn, bluet, and pearl grey; pirle finish, guaranteed not to spot or mark with water. Regular price 98c yard, clearing price

40c Black Figure Lustre for 25c

4 pieces figure lustre, '44 in. wide, bright fast black, wear guaranteed; very pretty for separate skirts. Re-gular price 40c yard, sale price. '25c yard.

50c All-wool Plaids for 35c

pieces, all wool plaid dress good 42 inches wide, clan and fancy plaids pretty for children's wear. Regular Oc, on sale this week at

50c Fancy Dress Goods for 25c

10 pieces all wood dress goods, fancy tweed effects, stripes and checks, in light and dark colors, regular price 50ct yard, your choice for

90c Plaid Taffeta Silks for 25c

4 pieces plaid taffeta silk, green and cardinal, blue and cardinal, brown and green and fawn and green, 21 inches wide, regular price 90c yard, clearing sale price 25c yard.

85c Black Sura Silk for 60c

1 piece black sura silk, 21 inches wide, pure silk, wear and color the best, regular price 85c yard, clear-

\$1.25 Black Boloroes for 25c

Your choice of the balance of our stock of black and fancy colors and Boloroes, worth from 50c to \$1.25. each for

Dress Goods Remnants

black and colored, displayed on centre tables, lengths from 1 to-2 1-2 yards, worth from 75c to \$2.00

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

The Store that Leads While Others Follow.

Gentlemen!

Our Big Sale of Clothing And Everything in Men's Summer Wearables

Goes or with a rush. The extraordinary values we have offered during the past four weeks have astonished the most skeptical of our visitors. Piles of goods have gone to clothe our customers in all parts of the country.

Chances for Careful Buyers

Boys' 2 Pc. Suits, Special

····· We have gone thoroughly through our stock of boys' 2 pc. suits and have put prices on them that are bound to clear them out with a rush.

Regular \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.50 Suits Sala Price \$1.19, \$1.98, \$2 50 Made from nice weight serges and

honest wearing tweeds, nicely pleated and strongly made, for ages 5 to

Boys' 3 Pc. Suits, Special

We are clearing all lines of boys' 3 pc. suits at big reductions to make room for the fall lines which will arrive this month.

Boys 3 pc. serge suits, all sizes, 28 to 33, regular \$3 and \$3.50 lines Sale Price \$2 48 Boys 3 pc. tweed suits, all sizes, 28 to 33, regular \$4.00 8ale Price \$3,48

Boys fine tweed suits, nobby pat-terns, sizes 28 to 33, regular \$5.00 Sale Price \$3.95 Boys worsted and tweed suits, sizes

Sale Price \$4.95

Men's Suits, Special

On Rale \$3.95 Men's special fine tweed suits, sizes 34 to 44, \$6.50 to \$7.50 suits

On 8ale \$4.95 Men's nobby pattern suits and worted serges, sizes 34 to 44, \$10 suits On Sale \$7,50

Gentlemen! We are selling all our Men's Fine Diess Straws, 50c

Centre

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We will examine your eyes, give advice, select the proper lenses or order them for you if we do not have them in stock.

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