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You may be in the same fix as a customer who asked us to overhaul his furnace. When our mechanics got there they found that the fire pot was entirely burned out. That man would have been in a bad fix had he put off the job until cold weather, wouldn't he?

We can give your order prompt attention.

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WEDDING DAY

—Is drawing nigh and still you are perplexed as ever over a suitable present. Why not come to us for assistance. Our experience should be of some use to you and our ample stock of suitable presents, particularly in the newest styles of silverware, is especially complete at this season of the year. Previous experience of course led us to suspect your difficulty and consequently we are fully prepared.

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PHONE 147.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

BORN.

PAKE—On Wednesday, 13th inst., the wife of W. R. Pake, of a son.

TO-NIGHT

Daughters of Rebekah, in their hall at 8 o'clock.

Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., will meet at 8.

Baseball practice, Tecumseh Park, at 7.30.

Band of the 21st Regiment will give a concert in Tecumseh Park at 8 o'clock.

Local Branch No. 21, Association of Steam Engineers, Eberle Block, at 8 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Wellington Chapter, No. 47, R. A. M., Masonic Temple, King St., at 8.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Sept. 14.—11 a. m.—Easterly winds, fine and cool. Friday, strong breezes or moderate gales, east to south; showers towards evening or at night.

The following figures were registered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 68.

Lowest during night, 57.

This morning, 41.

Barometer, 29.65.

Direction of wind, west.

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THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Wayward Son at the Grand tomorrow night.

A. I. McCall spent yesterday at his old home in Brussels.

J. M. Hess, of Wallaceburg, spent yesterday in the city.

Ald. Harry Westman is a visitor at the Fair in Detroit to-day.

Joseph Price, of Wallaceburg, called on his Chatham friends yesterday.

W. T. Campbell is still selling coal at the old stand, Victoria Block, Fifth street; phone 109.

A large number of Chatham people attended the State Fair in Detroit to-day.

Herman Schwemmer returned yesterday, after a six weeks' visit to his brothers in Chicago.

The C. C. I. Board is in session this afternoon for the purpose of engaging a new teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Parkins, of Dover, and Miss Clara Smith, of this city are Detroit visitors to-day.

Thomas Primeau, of Taylor Ave., is wreathed in smiles. It is a ten-pound baby daughter.

Miss Pearl Maggs, teacher of piano, will resume classes Monday, Sept. 18, Studio Joseph street.

Miss Nettie Leak left yesterday morning for London, where she will attend Normal school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson and daughter Marion are in London attending the fair to-day.

Miss Burns has reopened classes in China Painting at her studio on Thames street, opposite greenhouses.

Noble Garlinier has returned home, after spending the past three or four months with a surveying party in New Ontario and the Muskoka district.

Miss Nellie Richards, teacher of piano, will resume lessons on Tuesday, September 12th, studio Gerhard Heintzman rooms, over VonGutten's jewelry store.

The first auto fatality occurred yesterday, when one of the buzz wagons, driven by a fair chauffeur, ran over and instantly killed the dog belonging to Wm. Terry, Queen St.

Miss Alice Estabrook, of Merlin, has arrived in the city and has taken charge of the room in the Central School which is without a teacher.

Miss Estabrook was head student at the Model School three years ago.

We don't know—any more than you do—the name and address of the man who will buy that house of yours; but if he lives in this city he reads the real estate advertisements in this newspaper.

New York Sun—The audience at the Grand Opera House last night went wild with enthusiasm at the great mechanical locomotive rescue, and laughed uproariously at the clean, wholesome comedy in the Wayward Son. This attraction appears here to-morrow night.

A load of young people from Thamesville drove to the city last evening and spent a pleasant time with their former townsman, John Davidson governor of the jail. They were registered at the Rankin House as follows: E. Evans, L. Evans, Mrs. Pickard, Miss Davis, the Misses Caupers, Miss Mayhew, Miss Pickard, Miss Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Mills, Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Foides, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Watson, Mr. Blatchford, P. E. Mayhew and Charles E. Davidson.

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Turner's Drug Store. Phone 357

Guns and Ammunition at Price's.

H. Dennis is spending the day in Detroit on business.

Miss Fernie Harmer, of Thamesville, is visiting Mrs. John Davidson, Seventh street.

CHILDREN'S AID

The regular monthly meeting of the Advisory Board of the Kent Children's Aid Society was held on Monday afternoon, with the following members present: Messrs. Wad-

dell, Stephenson, Fraser, H. D. Smith, Sheldon, Goddard, W. E. McKeough, Williams, H. H. Malcolmson, Malott and Young, and Messrs. Paterson, Baxter, S. M. Thompson, secretary of the Brantford Children's Aid Society, and Dr. R. V. Bray.

The executive officer, Dr. Bray, reported visits made 11, letters written 16, cases reported for investigation 6, embracing 11 children, cases investigated 4, embracing 5 children, cases still under observation 2, interviews 10, applications for children 2, children made wards of the society 1.

After the executive officer had explained the different cases, the report was adopted.

Accounts to the amount of \$4.40 were ordered paid.

The matter of canvassing the city for membership was brought up and the same ladies who canvassed last year will take the same districts this year.

S. M. Thompson gave a short but very interesting and encouraging address, dealing briefly with the closing of boys' reformatories and placing them in good homes. He also dealt with the work which is being done by the Brantford society, and the help and encouragement given the society by the Council, the press and the citizens generally. He also spoke of the growing interest in the work of the Children's Aid Society as evidenced by the formation of new societies throughout the province.

Mr. Thompson closed with the hope that the future would enable the society to do more for children than they have done in the past.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Thompson for his excellent address.

It is hoped that when the ladies call on the citizens asking for membership there will be a hearty response. The fee is only 25 cents a year.

Any donations of clothing, suitable for children, will be gratefully received for the society by Mrs. W. D. Sheldon.

The Question of the Hour

IS UP TO US TO PROVE (AND WE CAN DO IT) THAT

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IS THE HEAD CENTRE THIS SEASON AS USUAL FOR

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STYLISH COATS

Of heavy, homespun, taped seams, fly fronts, trimmed collars, only \$3.00

Heavy Frieze Coats, fitted backs, fly fronts, fancy collars, mercerized lined, only \$3.75.

Reversible Dark Tweed Coats, self pleid lined, fancy collars and cuffs, belt on the back, a Fall special only \$5

Heavy Black and Grey Homespun Coats, Applique Collar and Cuffs, double breasted, loose and fitted backs only \$5.00

Heavy Basket Cloth Coats, military cape and collar, self pleid lining, a German special, \$5.

Covert Cloth Coats, stitched, strapped, self buttons, rolling cuffs, very nobby.

Black Kersey Cloth Coats for matrons.

The Empress Coat, fit for an empress must be seen, description fails us. It is a prominent leader this season and suited to stout or slight figures.

Take Notice.

We open up a new special Skirt Manufacturing Department this Fall, and will measure and make to your order on shortest notice.

Ladies' Tailor-Made Tweed Skirts

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Good heavy Skirt for market wear, Black or Grey, \$1.75

Navy and Black Cloth Dress Skirts, braided and button trimmed, each only, \$2.50.

Tweed Dress Skirts, Dark, Black and White, braid and buttoned trimmed, \$2.98.

Black Cloth Dress Skirt, silk and satin braided, strapped and buttons, only \$3.50.

Finest Black Skirts \$4.50, \$5, \$6, \$7 to \$10

Misses' Cloth and Tweed Dress Skirts

WILLIAM GORDON

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Lower and Chicago

Lost Ground—Live Stock Markets

—The Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Sept. 13.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to play 1/4d lower to 1/4d higher and corn futures unchanged.

At Chicago Sept. wheat lost 3/8c from yesterday; Sept. corn, 1/2c and Sept. oats gained 1/8c.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

New York Sept. 88 1/2 May 89 1/2

Detroit Sept. 87 1/2 May 88 1/2

Chicago Sept. 86 1/2 May 87 1/2

St. Louis Sept. 85 1/2 May 86 1/2

Minneapolis Sept. 84 1/2 May 85 1/2

Duluth Sept. 83 1/2 May 84 1/2

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Grain: Wheat, white, bush . . . \$0.78 to \$0.80

Wheat, red, bush . . . 0.78 . . .

Wheat, spring, bush . . . 0.78 . . .

Wheat, goose, bush . . . 0.70 . . .

Barley, bush 0.46 . . .

Oats, bush 0.34 1/2 to 0.35 1/2

Heads, bush 0.90 . . .

Rye, bush 0.72 . . .

Peas, bush 0.67 . . .

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, Sept. 13.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 68 1/4d; futures, quiet; Sept. 68 1/4d; Dec. 68 1/4d.

174d. Corn—Spot, quiet; American mixed, 4s 10 1/2d; futures, quiet; Sept. 4s 9 1/2d; Dec. 4s 9 1/2d.

Barley, 4s 6 1/2d; malt, 4s 6 1/2d; short cut, easy, 4s 2d; Bacon, short ribs, 47s 4d; long clear middles light, quiet, 47s 4d; heavy, quiet, 46d; fat, quiet, 46d; Lard, American refined, in pails, dull, 30s.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Sept. 13.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 10,500; street prices, extra creamery, 24 1/2c; official prices, unchanged.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 3,344.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 10,500.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steadily Firm—Buffalo Firm, But Prices Unchanged.

London, Sept. 13.—Cattle are quoted at 10 1/2c to 12 1/2c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 9 1/2c to 9 3/4c per lb.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Sept. 13.—(Special).—The receipts were 700 cattle, 800 sheep and lambs, 20 milch cows, 100 calves, 500 hogs. There were no choice cattle offered and 4 1/2c was the highest price paid and from that down to 2 1/2c per lb. for pretty good animals, while the common stock sold at 2 1/2c to 3c. The rain helped to make trade rather dull. Milch cows were in poor demand at from \$25 to \$35 each. Calves sold at from 2c to 5c per pound; really prime veals would bring up to 5 1/2c per lb., but few of this kind are brought to the market. Sheep sold at 3 1/2c to 4c and good lots of lambs from 5c to 5 1/2c per lb. The market for hogs was weaker and prices slow at a further decline of 25c per cwt. The demand was fairly good from packers, and sales of good straight lots were made at \$6.50 to \$6.75 per cwt, weighed off cars.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

East Buffalo, Sept. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, light; market firm, prices unchanged. Veals, receipts, 125; steady, \$3.50 to \$3.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 250; fairly active, for low 17 heavy, mixed and Yorkers, \$5.80 to \$5.90; pigs, \$5.75 to \$5.85; roughs, \$4.50 to \$4.65; stags, \$3.25 to \$4.25; dairies, \$5.50 to \$5.75; grassers, \$5 to \$5.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 600; slow and steady; lambs, \$5.75 to \$7.25; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$6; wethers, \$5 to \$5.50; ewes, \$4.50 to \$5; sheep mixed, \$2.50 to \$3.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Sept. 13.—Beef—Receipts, 2470; good steers, steady to strong; medium and common, slow to 10c lower; bulls, slow and easier; thin cows, steady; others, slow; steers, \$3.80 to \$5.85; bulls, \$2.50 to \$3.25; cows, \$1.40 to \$3.25; exports, 73 cattle, 35 sheep and 2800 quarters of beef; four-draw, 625 cattle.

Calves—Receipts, 2657; veals, steady; grassers and buttermilks, 25c lower; westerns, 50c off; veals, \$5.50 to \$5.75; throat-cut, \$4 to \$5; grassers and buttermilks, \$3 to \$3.75; westerns, \$3.75 to \$4.75; light do., \$6.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4792; good lambs, firm to 25c higher. Sheep, \$3.50 to \$5; few choice, \$5.25; culls, \$2 to \$3; lambs, \$5 to \$7.25; culls, \$4 to \$4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 6710; market lower; state and Pennsylvania hogs, \$6 to \$6.50.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; steers, \$3.25 to \$6.35; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; shipping and selected, \$5.