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Walnut Maple Cream

The kind you buy at Richard's
is delicious. If you have not
had any of it, you should try
it. Come in and sample it.

W. S. Richards, Kent
Bakery

G. W. Cornell
Dentist

30 8th and King Sts.,
Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.
Toronto, May 7-10 a. m.—Moderate
easterly winds, fine and warm. Wed-
nesday, warm, local showers.

The following official figures were
registered at noon to-day at Burt's
weather bureau:—
Barometer, 29.10.
Thermometer, 55.
Highest yesterday, 75.
Lowest yesterday, 53.
Direction of wind, south-west.

TO-NIGHT.

Militia drill, D company, at 7.30.
Band practice at 8.
Public School Board, Council Cham-
bers, Harrison Hall, at 8 o'clock.
Clara Mathes Company in "South
Africa," Grand Opera House, at 8.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

M. Whitley, of Walkerville, is in
the city.

Neil Sinclair, of Blenheim, is in the
city to-day.

R. Eastlake, of Dresden, is in the
city to-day.

S. L. Wellwood, of Merlin, is in the
city to-day.

George Cartier, Joseph street, is
seriously ill.

Wm. Henry, Blenheim, was in the
city this morning.

Miss Margaret McGuigan, of Cedar
Springs, is a Maple City visitor to-
day.

Mrs. Chas. Atkinson, Jr., is so seri-
ously ill that no hopes are entertain-
ed of her recovery.

Ex-Ald. Walter Piggett returned
this afternoon from Warton, where
he has been since Saturday. He re-
ports the Georgian Bay clear of ice.

The examination of the defendant,
Wm. McVean, in Carroll vs. McVean,
is in progress today before County
Court Clerk Holmes. This is an ac-
tion very similar to the recent case
of Carter vs. Hadley.

Wm. Howard, a tramp, arrested
last night in a box car with a brand
new World bicycle, was before Judge
Houston this morning. He was given
a week to enlighten the chief as to
his antecedents.

The managers of the First Presby-
terian Church last evening decided to
increase the salary of their organist,
Wm. H. Brackin, \$25 per year annum
as a mark of their appreciation of his
excellent and valued services.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

William Remo, Victoria street, met
with a bad accident this afternoon
which may prove fatal. Mr. Remo
was shingling a house for Mr. Arnold,
Richmond street, when he missed his
footing and slipped. In falling to the
ground he struck his side on a nail,
fracturing several ribs and punctur-
ing his lung. Dr. McKeough was sum-
moned and superintended the removal
of the injured man to St. Joseph's
Hospital, where he now lies in a most
critical condition.

OUR OPTICAL DEPARTMENT

HAS CURED hundreds of cases of
headache where medical remedies
have failed. If the medicines you
use for your headaches do not give
you permanent relief, you may
reasonably expect that the trouble
arises in the eyes.

COME and have your eyes
thoroughly examined. A cure with
glasses means a permanent cure.

A. I. McCall & Co., Druggists and
Opticians

HANGED HIMSELF TO CELL BARS.

Accused Matricide Practically
Confesses his Guilt.

Significant Words Which the Sultan
Addressed to His Gaoler—Was
Worried About His Wife.

Halifax, N.S., May 7. — Archibald
McLeod, who was to have come up for
preliminary examination yesterday
before Magistrate Palmer, charged
with the murder of his mother, and
who is also suspected of having killed
his father, is dead. Yesterday
morning when the gaoler went to Mc-
Leod's cell he found his lifeless body
hanging to the bars. He had committed
suicide with a towel which he cut
into strips. The end of the rope thus
made he fastened to some of the slats
of the bed, which he placed on the
bars of the window over his cell door.
This elevation swung him about a
foot clear of the floor. The verdict
of the coroner's jury was in effect
that McLeod deliberately committed
suicide.

The evidence showed that he was
apparently in good spirits when lock-
ed up on Sunday night, and the idea
of suicide never entered the gaoler's
mind. On Sunday afternoon McLeod
heard from his lawyer that he could
not get out on bail. Consequently he
was in somewhat depressed spirits,
and remarked to the gaoler that "the
end would be the scaffold," and said
he feared "his mind would give way
under the strain."

McLeod worried considerably about
his wife, who, he said, was nervous
and could not bear up. He left no
papers or writings of any sort. His
bank book showed deposits amount-
ing to \$270. Yesterday afternoon the
body was taken to Rose Valley for
burial.

The prisoner, when visited by a
friend Saturday evening, was found
reading the Bible, and appeared to
think he would clear himself by his
own testimony at the examination
which was to have been held yester-
day. The suicide is generally regard-
ed as a practical confession of guilt
in a crime almost without precedent
in Canada.

A brother of the murdered woman
is R. D. McLeod, vice-president of the
Whitney glass works, New York, at a
salary of \$10,000. Angus McLeod, an-
other brother, is one of Kansas City's
leading merchants, and also conducts
trading on a large scale. Malcolm
McLeod, a third brother, deals ex-
tensively in merchandise, is ex-Mayor
of Prince Albert, and is now M. L. A.

Archibald McLeod, the suicide and
murderer, lived on the old homestead
at Rose Valley. The only apparent
motive that could connect her son
with the crime lies in the fact that
Mrs. McLeod retained a life interest
in the old homestead.

TELEGRAPH NEWS

A by-law to purchase the electric
light plant for \$27,000 was carried at
Perry Sound.

A Quebec deputation is in Ottawa to
urge the Government to purchase the
Plains of Abraham.

The annual meeting of the East Hur-
on Liberal Association will be held at
Brussels on May 28.

Capt. Edouard Charles Paradis of the
5th Battalion has been appointed In-
spector of Mounted Police.

By-laws to install a waterworks sys-
tem and to take over the electric light
plant were carried at Midland.

The steamship Sussex has sailed
from Victoria for the 1200 horses de-
signed to reinforce Lord Kitchener's
forces.

Rev. Dr. Ramsford, of St. George's
Church, New York, may go to Minne-
sota as coadjutor to Bishop Whipple.

Drayton ratepayers have carried a
by-law to lend \$10,000 to encourage the
establishment of a shoe factory.

Archbishop Duhamel has decided
upon the erection of a new Roman
catholic church in Hull, to cost \$30,-
000.

Robert Watson was seriously injur-
ed by a dynamite explosion at Arn-
prior. A drill was driven through his
body.

Archie McLeod, who was in jail at
Charlottetown, P. E. I., on a charge of
murdering his mother, hanged himself
in his cell.

Rev. Dr. Scadding, the author, and
antiquary, is dead. He was the first
"head boy" of Upper Canada College
71 years ago.

A contract has been let by the Cana-
dian Niagara Power Company for the
development of 25,000 horsepower at
the falls, 10,000 horsepower to be
brought overland for use in Toronto.

Mr. Calvert's dwelling, at Petrolia,
was destroyed by fire, and all six of

10 Cent Specials

Five patterns in Heavy Gilt
Wall Papers that are extra good
value at 10c per roll have been
good sellers with us. Colors
are green, blue, cream and buff,
in floral and set designs, suit-
able for any room in the house.
These would be 12 1/2c paper; it
bought in the regular way, but
we saved by buying in quantity
and are offering these papers to
you at the special price of 10c
per roll.

Dingman's
Books & King St.
Stationery Chatham.

the occupants had a hard time get-
ting out, and were more or less burn-
ed.

The officers and men of Walsley
Barracks, and other friends, gave Col.
Buchan a warm farewell at London, on
his departure for Toronto.

The city council has ordered that
flags be hoisted on all public buildings
in Toronto on May 15, the date of the
assembling of the first Australian par-
liament.

PLANET ADLETS.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

HOUSE TO RENT—On Adelaide St.:
all in good repair. Apply to F. W.
Kogelschatz, Victoria avenue, 10t

TO CONTRACTORS!

Scaled tenders, addressed to the un-
derdesigned and endorsed, "Tender for
Factory," will be received up to noon
on Thursday, May 9th, 1901, for the
several works required in the erection
of a brick building for a Binder
Twine factory. Building to be ready
for machinery by June 15th, 1901.
Plans and specifications can be seen
at the office of T. J. Rutley, architect,
on and after Saturday noon, 4th May.
The lowest or any tender not neces-
sarily accepted.

T. C. SMITH,
Secretary: The Chatham Binder
Twine Co. Limited,
Chatham, May 1st, 1901.

READ IT WELDON'S Down at
Low Prices

Down Cushions, extra quality, 50c
each.

Cushion Covers, all new patterns,
machine and hand made, from 25c each
to 50c each.

Hdkfs. from 5c. each to \$6.00. See
them.

High class hand-made ladies' and
children's wear, at low prices.

Full lines of fancy hair and hat-pins,
buckles and buttons, laces, ribbons,
braids, belts, collars, ties, white-
ware, corsets, bustles, bust forms, hip pads,
etc.

Specialties in children's hats, bon-
nets, underwear, dresses, aprons, etc.
All kinds of stamping done.

Weldon's

Fancy Store and Women's Exchange
Tat's stock, King St., East

A Gas Range

WHAT
WILL IT DO?

It will cook, bake, boil, broil,
roast, toast, simmer, stew,
poach or fry anything and
heat water. It will do all
things that any other cooking
apparatus will do. It will do
them more quickly, more
easily, more promptly and
more cheaply. It will do
away with coal, ashes, dirt,
bother and worry.

Chatham Gas Company
Limited

IN ANY WALK

Of life the apparel of the man is of importance. It either en-
titles him to, or debars him from, the consideration of good
society. Our

SUITS TO ORDER

Demand respect for the wearer. Stylish, well made, fitting per-
fectly, they leave nothing to be desired.
We can suit the taste of the young, middle aged or old man,
in fabric, cut, color and price.

Morley & Co.

Fine Tailors, King Street

Wednesday Specials

Crowding on full sail now.
Every day this week must be a
record breaker. Big business
in May last year, but this year
it must be bigger. Come any
day and you will find big in-
ducements why you should pur-
chase your spring outfit here.
Wednesday's programme in-
cludes the following in its offer-
ings:—

Wash Goods Special

LOT 1—125 yards American and French Organdies, fancy colors, dark grounds,
beautiful patterns. Were originally sold at 20c, 30c, 35c and 38c per
yd., to clear out this lot we place them on our counters for Wednesday,
May 8th, at a clearing price per yd. 10c

LOT 2—8 patterns Fancy Striped Muslins, American designs, very pretty color-
ings, also plain pink, navy and light blues, stripes 1 in. wide, reg. 25c
and 22c value, for Wednesday, May 8th, at a clearing price per yd. 15c

LOT 3—2 pieces Open Lace Lawns, reg. 12 1/2 value for per yd. 10c

Also 3 pieces Satin Cheek Muslins, reg. 10c value for per yd. 8c

LOT 4—6 dozen Solid Huck Towels, 19x27 size, plain or colored borders, hemmed
ends, guaranteed pure linen. If bought at present prices they would be
worth 25c each, on sale Wednesday, May 8th, at 18c each, or per pair... 35c

Children's Jackets

Children's box pleated Figue Reefers with square yoke and bishop sleeve, fancy
sailor collar, trimmed with insertion or star braid and frill of embroidery,
sizes 2, 3 and 4, reg. price \$1.25, special for Wednesday 89c

Dress Goods Specials for Wednesday

1 pc. Black Poplin, Priestly's, 44 in.
wide, pure wool, medium cord, reg.
price \$1.00 per yd., for Wednesday
only, per yd. 75c

Corset Specials

P. D. Corset made of best French Cou-
telle, medium waist, closely striped,
filled with best quality steel, neatly
trimmed with silk embroidery, a
very comfortable fitting Corset, all
sizes, in white or drab, reg. price
\$1.25, sale price per pair \$1.00

Six Remnants Of Carpet to Clear as Follows

33 only yards, green or crimson, for per yard 25c
19 only yards, red floral, for per yard 30c
20 only yards, light floral, for per yard 33c
11; only yards, dark floral, for per yard 40c
15; only yards, Dark green, for per yard 39c

Bring the measure of your rooms and see
if we can make these remnants suit your needs.

C. Austin
& Co., The Bargain
Centre