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TO-NIGHT

Skating at the Rink.
Masculine Club, in their rooms, at 8 o'clock.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Feb. 17.—11 a. m.—Moderate winds and fine weather. Sunday, southerly winds and cloudy, and comparatively mild.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

MARRIED.

WARD-STEVENS.—On January 31, at the residence of Mr. E. G. Morrison, River Road, Raleigh, by the Rev. T. E. Higley, rector of St. Thomas Church, Dover East, Miss Rose Stephens to Mr. Wm. Ward Edmondson, of Chatham.

DIED.

SLOCUM.—At Detroit, Mich., Feb. 16, 1906, Elizabeth Slocum, aged 37 years.
The funeral will take place Sunday at 12.30 from the residence of her father, James Rabel, 6th division, Chatham Township, to Bethel Cemetery, Harwich.

LOCAL BUDGET

Hockey Tuesday next, 8.15: Essex vs. Chatham. Border League team. John White, Esq., was in Ridgeway on business Friday.

Music and skating Monday, Feb. 19th, auspices Park Street League. Here's where we save you money—\$14 Astrachan capes for \$9.99 at the Urban bankrupt sale, Garner Block.

Skate Monday night to music at the rink. Beautiful ice, excellent music; auspices Park Street League. Selling at the Gordon Store, on Saturday night, from 8 to 10, their Ladies' Fine Mocha Kid Gloves, \$1.50 quality, for 98c.

The funeral of the late H. Snell will be held to-morrow at two p. m. from the family residence, Queen street.

Mr. Ross Weaver attended the box social at Thorncliffe last night, where he very ably assisted in the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Lucas, Hilliard street, were in Blenheim Thursday attending the wedding of their cousin, Miss Ross.

F. H. Brisco and little son, Master Beverly, leave for Napes this evening, where they will spend Sunday.

Everybody take in the excursion to the Urban bankrupt sale to-night. They are selling everything at excursion rates—\$1.50 kid gloves for 65c; \$1.00 kid gloves for 50c; \$3.50 golf coats for \$1.48, Garner Block.

Mr. H. B. Graham, collector of customs, Brandon, Manitoba, who is visiting his son, Mr. Gordon Graham, of this city, is the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. J. B. McKellar, of Thames street.

J. M. Pike has received an invitation to attend the big annual banquet of the Board of Trade, which will be held in the Cadillac Hotel, Detroit, next Monday evening. The United States Secretary of War will be present at this event.

Two musicals, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society, will be held at the home of Rev. Mr. MacGillivray on Monday evening for the North Chatham people especially, and on Tuesday evening for the South Chathamites.



A SPLENDOR

THAT CHARMS—Distinguishes the lady who indulges her taste for fine jewelry purchased at my store from others that are merely dazzling. My jewelry is noted for its standard of artistic elegance, which never varies. Only the finest Diamonds and Gems are used, and all mountings are of the very finest quality.

E. J. MacIntyre,
Leading Jeweler and Optician
Marriage Licenses...

SUCCESSFUL CONVENTION

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position he is so eminently qualified to fill—Premier of this grand Dominion.

That we the Conservatives of West Kent desire to express to H. S. Clements, M. P., our appreciation of the energy and ability which have thus far characterized his public career, and to assure him of our continued confidence and support, so long as that energy and ability are exerted on the side of honest and progressive Government.

Dr. Thornton took up the matter of the constitution and by-laws, which was read at the morning session.

The constitution was read clause by clause and offered for adoption. In appointing an Executive committee some free discussion took place. It was decided to appoint an Executive committee composed of one representative from every municipality in the riding.

The election of officers then took place and resulted as follows:
Hon. President—R. L. Borden.
Hon. Vice-President—Hon. J. P. Whitney.President—Dr. A. W. Thornton.
First Vice-President—J. T. O'Keefe.
Second Vice-President—C. S. Coats.
Secretary—S. B. Arnold.Treasurer—Arthur J. Dunn.
The following will be the representatives from the different municipalities:
Chatham Township—Mr. Abraham Dover—Henry Clements.
Romney—J. M. Edwards.
Tilbury Village—W. C. Crawford.
Raleigh—Robert Mason.

The Shamrock Hockey Club of this place was defeated yesterday at Wallaceburg. Score—3 to 2 goals.

Mr. and Mrs. Nap. Pinsonneault co-entertained a number of friends at supper last night at their home on Thames street.

Through an oversight, the name of W. C. Crawford, of Tilbury, was omitted from the list of Normal school delegates, Thursday.

Mrs. Askel Egeland is expected to sing, by request, Lloyd's beautiful sacred solo, "The Way of Peace," in Christ Church to-morrow evening.

G. K. McBeth, formerly of this city, has been appointed secretary of the Day Metallic Manufacturing Co., Detroit.

The sketch of the Howell, Mich., murderer, which appeared in yesterday's Detroit Free Press, was drawn by Raymond Peck, formerly of this city.

Ex-Ald. W. T. Piggett, of this city, appointed director of the Sun Portland Cement Company at their annual meeting. Mr. Piggett will act as local representative for this firm, which is one of the largest of its kind in the country.

The Mutual Improvement Society of St. Andrew's church held a meeting last evening in the S. S. Hall. The subject for the evening was "Life and Works of Jean Blavet," and it was ably handled by Dr. Bateman, A. P. McKishnie and Dr. D. E. Russell. There was a good attendance and a pleasant and profitable evening was spent. The society will hold their next meeting on March 9th.

We have already referred to the improvements that are being made by Mr. James Waterhouse, the Park street baker, in his appliances for turning out better bread than can be obtained elsewhere. The new mill by a Toronto firm will be the first of its kind in this city. It will not only give increased capacity, but will also make his bread even better than it now is. He reports a steady increase in the sales of Aunt Mary's Home Made Bread. Our readers will find his advertisement in another column.

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THE NEW LEADER

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Mrs. R. V. Bray, whose place Mrs. Cooper will fill, has resigned, owing to the fact, that she found she had not the time at her disposal which she would have liked to have devoted to the work. Mrs. Bray was

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BIG SHOWING OF

Household Linens, &c.

Table Cloths, Napkins, Table Linens, Towellings, Shirt Waist Linens, Drawn Linens, Centre Pieces, Carvers, Doylies, Towels, Runners.

This Spring we are showing better values in standard qualities than ever before, and at the lowest prices ever quoted in this city. Splendid assortments in all lines. Don't miss seeing our Linens. A few Sample Items:—

16 inch pure linen Crash Towelling, red border, 50 yard.

80 yard for 174 inch pure linen Crash, red or blue border.

100 yard for the best all pure linen crash in this city. See them.

Special—56 inch Cream Table Damask, assorted patterns 25c yard.

Our all linen Hemmed Towels, red and plain borders at 12 1/2c each, are good ones.

Our pure bleached Turkish Towels, usually 15c each for 12 1/2c each.

A new lot of bleached Table Cloths just in. 66x83 inch, usually \$1.75 each, for \$1.35 each.

25c each for extra large bedroom towels, red or plain borders.

Splendid pure linen Crash Towelling, plain or red borders, 17 and 18 inches wide, 10c each.

20 inch hygienic Crash Towelling, for hand or dishes, 15c yard.

27 inch check glass cloth, red or blue, usually 15c, for 11c yard.

10c each for large special bleached cotton Towels, fancy weave, usually 12 1/2c each.

Remnants and short lengths of Table Linens, marked low for quick selling.

Don't miss seeing our spring stock of Fancy Doylies, Trays, Carvers, Centre Pieces. We show a big range of different lines.

New Shirtwaist Linen, fine or heavy make, 25c, 35c, 40c to 90c yard.

17 inch Turkish Towellings, assorted patterns and colors, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c yard.

60c yard extra heavy Cream Damask, pure flax, 3 designs, 64 inches wide.

75c yard for special Bleached Damask, 2 patterns, 70 inches wide, reg. \$1.00 value.

\$2.00 dozen for 3 Table Napkins, pure bleach, ready hemmed.

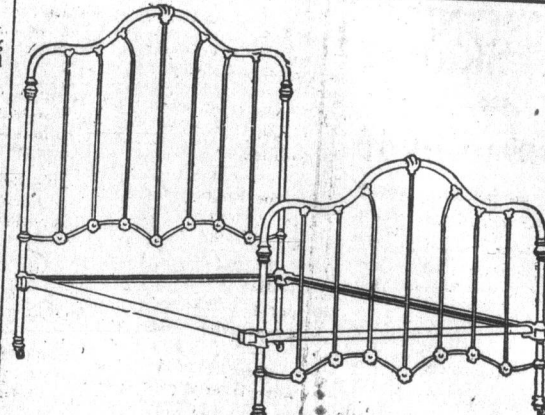
\$1.25 dozen for all pure linen Table Napkins, 8 size.

Pattern Cloths and Napkins to match. New lines just in.

Special values in Bleached Damasks at \$1, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.50 per yard. Napkins to match.

New Bath Towels, for spring, right prices, 12 1/2c to \$1.00 each.

Hemstitched Damask Table Cloths, very special values, 8-10 and 8-12 sizes, \$2.75, \$3.50 and \$4.25 each.



High-Class Bedroom Furniture....

New designs in Bedroom Suits, Dressers and Stands, Dressing Tables, Chiffoniers and Iron Beds.

Bedroom Suite, solid quarter cut oak, golden finish and highly polished. The Dresser has two short drawers and two long ones, fitted with large solid brass pulls on both dresser and stand, at \$38.50.

A large assortment of Dressers and Stands, quarter cut oak and mahogany, also birch, mahogany finish, the prices range from \$30 to \$50.

Iron Beds. In White, Green, blue, English Ivory and many different combinations of these colors. Prices range from \$25.00 to \$24.

Another Lot of Odd Dressers at \$5.00 Each—Genuine hard wood, golden finish, 16x20 in. mirrors. The highest class goods to be had at this price.

Saturday Feb. 17
IN THE AUSTIN MEN'S STORE

THAT great sale of Men's Regatta and Negligee Shirts for which we have been preparing for weeks past, ready now.

A sale that will add further proof to the fact we have so often demonstrated—that Austin & Co.'s is a men's store as well as a store for women.

It is the greatest display of High Grade Shirts we have ever put on sale. See East King Street Window. \$1 and \$1.25 Shirts, your choice—

79c.

We want men who are particular as to style and quality to investigate these assortments—want the men who think because the haberdasher asks funny prices his products must be worth the difference, to lay aside their prejudices against low prices long enough to see what kind of shirts these are.

February
Clearing Sale
—OF—
Men's Neckwear

Men's 50c. High Grade Neckwear on sale at 25c.

We place on sale Saturday over 5 dozen of men's high-class Silk Neckwear, four-in-hands, flowing ends, Puffs, Tecks, all the popular shapes, handsome effects.

Sale Starts
Saturday Morning
At 8.30 sharp

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