VICTORIA DAY

served by Appropriate

Exercises.

and Memorial Doings.

Empire Day is being very patrioti

cally celebrated in the schools this af-

At the Central school all the children

will be seated in the hall. Rev. Dr.

Hannon will be chairman. Speeches

will be made by Rural Dean McCosh,

Dr. Thornton, Inspector Park, and the

managers of the schools. Solos will be rendered by Misses E. Drader and Belle Riddell, ex-pupils of the school. There will also be the singing by the

At McKeough school there will be patriotic addresses by Dr. W. R. Halll,

Judge Houston, Rev. Mr. Locke, and Inspeator Park.. The new flag will be

raised this afternoon.

At Payne school patriotic songs and

poems by the children will be the

patriotic songs.

the schools this afternoon.

At the Separate school there will be a general talk on Empire Day, and

The souvenirs will be given out in

THE PROPOSAL

His Honor Judge Bell Points Out That City Council is not Act-

ing Within Legal Rights

By Attempting to Close Stanley Ave They Jeopardize Legality, Injure

Property and Inflict Injustice

Upon the Whole City. Speaking of the proposal of the

City Council to close up that part of

Stanley avenue extending from Wil-

iam street to the river in the inter-

ests of the Mineral Co., to The Planet

this morning, His Honor Judge Bell

expressed the opinion that the pro-

ceeding was entirely wrong and could not be justified upon legal grounds, "In my opinion," said His Honor, "any ratepayer could issue a bind-

ing injunction. It would be mani-festly unjust and totally without

precedent, could a private enterprise engaged in private speculation take

is now the only spot on that side of the river bank where cargoes can be

properly landed, and such a proceed-ing as proposed will doubtless de-

preciate the value of adjoining pro-

perty. In this, of course, I am per-

sonally interested as I own the house

"The Council, in my opinion, are seriously overstepping their rights

and placing themselves in an inde-

fensible position by their action."

The views held by Judge Bell are

ndorsed by many other citizens and

the matter should receive attention

Barrister Scane and Judge Bell

Have a Lively Tete-a-Tete

On the Streets.

The Former Threatened to do Things,

But Trouble was Fortunately

W. W. Scane and Judge Bell had

His Honor met the barrister and

desired to know what the Mineral

Water Company meant by closing up Stanley Ave. It was, he said, noth-

ing but an effort of a city alderman

to get a good big figure for his prop-

"Look here," said the Maple City humor manufacturer, who had become suddenly serious, "You are mistaken

in several places. George Taylor wasn't at the Council meeting and, in

the second place, he doesn't want as

The Judge thought that if h

wasn't there, Ald. Taylor should have

been, as his absence made the major-ity for the resolution closing up

Mr. Scane answered that no mem ber of the Council had opposed the resolution, and further the mineral

baths would prove a benefit to the

city and nearly every citizen had stock in the company. The Judge characterized the last

statement as a gross exaggeration, and said that the whole council were

mixed up in a scheme to steal the

street from the city.
This was too much for Walter and

Stanley avenue all the greater.

omewhat of an argument this morn-

at the hands of their civic repre-

on the opposite corner.

TACKLED

ing on the street.

to the city.

public property and public

The foot of the avenu

ernoon Set Apart for Patriotic

# Specials for

# Saturday

### Wash Stuffs

Some dainty wash stuffs get their marching orders Saturday. A big slice of the price should make them

American percale, 36 inches wide, an stripes with small figures on each stripe, in colors mauve and yellow, regular at per yard 45c, Saturday for

4 pieces print, 32 inches wide, in stripes, in colors mauve, black, blue and pink, and in blue and black stripe, regular at per yard 12 1-2c, Saturday at per yard

1 piece Scotch gingham, in colors emon with small black figure, regu-Mar at per yard 20c, Saturday

1 piece linen union damask 72 inches wide, very special at per yard,

### Household Linens

Special selling of linens, Saturday A good chance to replenish your liner

3 pieces of 'inen, unbleached, por-traying snowdrops, ho'ly, and pansy, 64 ins. wide, warranted every thread pure linen, extra value at per yard

1 piece Linen, unbleached, 56 ins wide, all pure linen, special at per

I piece linen union damask 64 inch-

es wide, extra special, Saturday at per yard 4 Towel Specials - 4 hemstitched

towels at each All linen huck towel, fringed, at Huck towel, fringed, red boarder,

Huck towel, 21x45, value, at each 12 1-2c.

Better to

Have

Looked

Wish

Than to

such a calamity to happen, but there The Occasion Being Fittingly Obwas a divorce between the relative positions of the two that widened at every step.

#### Dover Council.

The council met May 13. An opin-ion was read from Wilson, Kerr & Pike re allowing a wire fence across

G. K. Atkinson was heard in re opening the read between cons. 5 and 6 from lots 5 and 6 to Dover East and West Dover Line. An application was read from Edward Burke to close the part of Big

Point Road from the twelfth concession road northerly to middle of twelfth concession. A report was read from Mr. Wright on the grievance of Napoleon Bruin referred to him for investigation.

Wright—Trudell. — That the account of Doctors Holmes and McKeough \$6.00, be paid for medicine
and attendance on the late Mrs. Tur-

cotte.—Carried.
Crawford — Grant—That W. E.
McKeough be paid \$31.80, being interest due the McTavish estate for 1900, and charge to general account.

Carried Grant-Trudell-that Walter Fos Grant—Trudell—that waiter Foster be appointed pound keeper in the First Division.—Carried.
Crawford — Trudell—That N. H. Bechard, collector for Divisions two and three, having accounted for the total amount of his Roll for 1900, as per certificate and statement of the Township Treasurer, be paid his salary \$90, and \$5, for postage and stationery.—Carried.

tationery.—Carried.
Wright—Trudell—That the applieation of Edward Burke to close part of Big Point road be entertain-ed and the clerk be appointed to post up and give the necessary notices required in the matter.—Car-ried

ried.
Wright—Trudell—That the grievance of Albert Trotter re statute labor be referred to the commission-er of the 4th division with power and

report.—Carried.
Trudell—Grant—That the matter of disposing of certain trees at lots 16 and 17 in fifteen concession be referred to Mr. Crawford with power

and report.—Carried.
Grant—Wright—That J. Tiffin's account \$3 be paid for repairing a wheel scraper.—Carried.
Crawford—Trudell—That William Asher be paid \$1. for returns for 1900, to place of a previous order lost. in place of a previous order lost, and charge to pathmaster's account.

-Carried. Grant- Trudell- That Wright's report re Napoleon Bruin's.
grievance be adopted, and that
George Kime be re-appointed commissioner on the Raymond drain.—

Wright-Grant-That the Statute labor grievance of John Stacey and Peter Labadie be referred to the ommissioner of the second divisio with power and to report.—Carried. Wright-Trudell-That the griev ances of Jacob Lebombarbe Caleb Montgomery, and also the matter of selling a part of the Farlane drain embarkment to Bud Gibson, be referred to the commissioner of the first division with power and report.—Carried.

Wright —Crawford — That two drag scrapers be purchased for each division.-Carried Crawford-Trudell-That the ap-

plications of Charles King, Murdock McKenzie and Isaac Richey for alterations in the boundaries of certain school sections be entertained, and the clerk be instructed to notify the secretary of each school section to be affected, that the council intend to pass a by-law on May 27th, making the proposed alterations.

Crawford-Grant-that account of Wilson, Kerr & Pike be referred to the Reeve and Clerk with power and Grant-Wright-that the clerk ex amine the assessment rolls and cor-rect any errors in the discriptions of

lots he may find.—carried.
Wright—Grant—that James Rankin, collector for divisions one and four having accounted for the total amount of his roll for 1900, as per the certificate and statement of the township treasurer, be paid his salary \$90.—carried ary \$90.—carried.

J. WELSH; Clerk.

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#### Career and Character of Abraham

An address by Joseph Choate, Am-bassador to Great Britain, on the career and character of Abraham Lincoln—his early life—his early struggles with the world—his charstruggles with the world—his character as developed in the later years of his life and his administration, which placed his name so high on the world's roll of honor and fame, has been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway and may be hid by sending six (6) cents in postage to/F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

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### Dr. A.W. Thornton A Last Word of Holiday Outfittings

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# Hugh McDonald

MITCHELL'S BAY

joyed at the Bay. The editor of the Dresden Times, and wife had a fine atch of fish one day last week. Mr. Wilber speared 21 fine carp in

Mr. Lawrence has a very fine steam launch. Success to Lawrence. The Methodist Church is having a picnic in Allen's grove on the 24th

Everybody come. Col. Sam Holmes dreamed that the stage driver speared fifty carp on his his farm at the Bay. We are very sorry to hear that Rev Mr. Sims is going to leave. Mr. Sims was the originator of the church at Raymond's Hall. He was so well liked that he had a full house every Sunday

Everyone will be sorry he is going to leave. TOWN HALL, DOVER.

The recent rains have livened up all the crops and it looks as if the farmers will have a prosperous year. If frost does not come now there will be abundance of small fruit, but apples will not be plentiful in this

vicinity. Jos. and John Cadotte were the guests of Thos. Bechard Sunday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Emery of the Sixth con., was very largely attended. She was interred in St

Joseph's cemetery.
Mr. Leigh, our esteemed teacher, suffered another very serious attack of nervous prostration Saturday even-ing, but we are pleased to say he is

recovering.
TUPPERVILLE.

Farmers are busy corn planting. Mr. Gatzke, of Wyandotte, Mich. is visiting his brother, C. A., here.

Johnston Bros, are busy drawing
hickory bolts for shipment to Walker-

ille, also spokes. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ruttle have Sunday School Convention is to be held at Louisville May 30. Miss Vine Morrison and Miss Sible Simpson are delegates for Zion.

Miss Hattie Pearson is the guest of Miss Jean Armstrong.

Miss Jean Armstrong. Rev. Knowles preached at Louisville Sunday.
Miss Vine and Kate Moorison spent day at Dresden.

### Supposa

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street, city. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifica-tions may be seen at the office of the office of the Architect, J. W. Carswell, King street.

J. W. CARSWELL.

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The growth of this institution during the last two years has been wonderful. The attendance has been doubled on account of the thorough course of training which we give. One of our young men is new drawing a salary of \$1,800 a year; another \$900; others from \$400 to \$300. Within the last month two of our students have gone direct from the College to positions paying \$500 a year. WE QUALIFY OUR STUDENTS TO FILL THE BEST POSITION.

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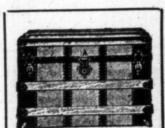
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G. P. SCHOLFIELD, Manager, Chatham Branch Ask for Minard's and take no other,

#### Township of Dover--Court of Revision.

Notice is hereby given that Dover Township Council will hold its first sitting as a Court of Revision at the Town Hall on Monday, May 27th, 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to hear and try complaints and appeals made against the assessment rolls for 1901, and to revise the same.

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Very lowest rates.
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This was too much for Walter and he was as ready to resent the insult to his father as he had been willing to disagree with the Judge.

"Look here," he cried, vehemently shaking his hand, "my father is in that Council and don't you be casting any reflections on him. If you repeat your insult I will hit you so hard that you will never come back."

There was no waiting around for J. W. WHITE, Barrister, King St. West, Chatham. Old Pipe and tea lead wanted The Planet Office, immediately.

## much for his property as you do for the land across the road."

J. WELSH. Township Clerk. May 13, 1901.