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Our combined storm and screen door—a screen for summer, with removable panels for winter—two doors for the price of one, since sold at one bill for hardware and hanging, no trouble or storage. Saves its cost each year! Changed in one minute! With our castor door cannot break. Bowman & Co., 200 Clarence street.

Notice to Advertisers.

Prompt changes are requested from our advertisers. Copy must be handed in by 4 p.m. the day before to insure insertion the following day. We cannot undertake to make changes when handed in the day of issue.

Forty-four scorchers were fined \$5 each in the recorder's court in Detroit one morning last week. Very wives, mothers and daughters—tired nurses, waiters and help—women of all classes should take Sarsaparilla. It is the kind you need to give pure blood, firm nerves, buoyant spirits, and refreshing sleep. There is no tonic equal to Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Copper coins are not in use in Channahburg at all, the lowest place of money being the three penny bit—called "ticky."

ANGOSTURA BITTERS, the world-renowned appetizer and invigorator, imparts a delicious flavor to all drinks and cures dyspepsia, diarrhoea, fever and ague. Try it, but beware of counterfeits. Ask your grocer or druggist for the genuine Angostura, manufactured by Dr. J. C. B. Slegert & Sons.

The Schiller-Stiftung, in Germany, distributed last year more than 12,000 marks among the indigent families of authors.

Southern California has a population of about 20,000, comprising 64,000 families—and the railroad mileage is equal to one mile of road to about 60 families. The population is increasing at the rate of about 15,000 to 20,000 families a year.

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STEVELY'S,

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CLEARING AND MUCH WARTER.

Toronto, June 29—11 p.m.—The western low area which moved northeast during yesterday has today moved southward into the lower lake region, and heavy rain has fallen over a large portion of the Province of Ontario. It has, however, been heavier near Toronto than elsewhere, and in the southwestern counties there has been very little. A pronounced heat wave lies south and west of the lake region. Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Esquimaux, 54-56; Kamloops, 56-58; Calgary, 50-73; Prince Albert, 46-76; Qu'Appelle, 50-73; Winnipeg, 50-73; Toronto, 60-68; Ottawa, 54-72; Montreal, 58-72; Quebec, 46-63; Halifax, 50-72.

PROBABILITIES.
Toronto, June 30—1 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes region: Westerly winds; clearing and much warmer.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory yesterday were 75 above and 57.5 above.

Decorative Art

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In the Dining-Room.

THURSDAY, JULY 1.

BREAKFAST—Raspberries. Grapes. Ham, poached, cream sauce. Fried trout. Lettuce, Milk toast. Coffee.

LUNCHEON—Fricassee of cold meat. Cucumber pickles. Bread and butter. Sweet, strawberry shortcake. Chocolate.

DINNER—Tomato soup. Chicken stew with dumplings. Baked potatoes. Stewed green corn. Raspberry and currant ice cream. Tea.

Cut out these recipes and paste them in a scrap-book.

Fricassee of Cold Meat—Take one and one-half pounds of cold meat of any kind, one pint of warm water, one teaspoonful meat extract, two tablespoonfuls of butter, two of flour, one teaspoonful salt, three dashes of pepper, one teaspoonful of onion juice, if desired, slice the meat; season with salt; put the butter into a frying pan over the fire; when hot add the flour, stirring until smooth and brown; then add the water, stirring all the time; add the meat, put over the fire again; add the pepper and onion juice; simmer five minutes; add the cold meat and cook three minutes; pour on a hot dish with a border of toast.

Sweet Strawberry Shortcake—Two eggs, one-half cup of sugar, one cup of milk, two of flour, one tablespoonful of butter, one pinch of salt, one teaspoonful baking powder. Beat the butter and sugar together, add the eggs, well-beaten, and the milk. Mix the powder with the flour and sift; stir into the beaten eggs and sugar; mix well; add the water, stirring all the time; add the pepper and onion juice; simmer five minutes; add the cold meat and cook three minutes; pour on a hot dish with a border of toast.

Chicken Stew with Dumplings—One chicken, weighing about three pounds; one tablespoonful of butter, three of flour, one small onion, if liked, three slices of carrot, three of turnip, one teaspoonful of salt, three dashes of pepper. Cut the chicken in pieces suitable for serving, wash and put on to boil in a kettle with three pints of boiling water. Put the carrot, turnip and onion, cut fine, in a saucepan with the butter and cook slowly half an hour, stirring often; take up the vegetables with a strainer and with the back of a spoon mash as much as possible of them through into the kettle; skim two spoonfuls of chicken fat from the water and put in the pan where the vegetables were cooked; when boiling hot stir into it the flour and cook for five minutes; add the chicken and simmer until tender, which will take about two hours for a year-old chicken. Twenty minutes before serving put the kettle over the fire, boil up and put in the dumplings and cook twenty minutes; serve with the dumplings around the edge of the dish.

For the dumplings take one and one-half teaspoonfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder, one tablespoonful of salt, sifted together, with enough cold water to make a smooth batter, tolerably thick so it will drop from a spoon.

Raspberry and Currant Ice Cream—Take one quart of raspberries and two of currants, rub them through a strainer and add one pint of sugar and let stand for one hour; add one quart of cream and freeze. Serve with cake.

Wise Wheelmen.

The wise wheelman takes out a \$2 policy with the Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company of Montreal, so if his wheel is stolen, he gets a new one at once free. W. J. Hyman, agent, 5

MILITARY BOOTS

At Low Prices.

Keep a Complete Stock.

Infantry Shoes special at.....\$1 25
Cavalry Long Boots special at.... 2 50
Officers' Fine Shoes special at.... 3 00

Whiting and Black Heel Ball (for accoutrements) that will not rub off.

Special low prices this month for out of town buyers, as well as citizens. Such values are not known outside of this store. We do the trade, because we do it well.

POCOCK BROS

One Price Shoe Store.

Why Spend

Your leisure hours walking on the hot streets of the city when Springbank is so near, and the beauty of spring buds, and flowers of every nook with shrubs and flowers of nature?

London Advertiser.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS.

107.....Business Office.

134.....Editorial Rooms.

175.....Job Department.

Tomorrow's Advertiser.

Tomorrow, being a public holiday, all editions of The Advertiser will be printed at an early hour in the morning and mailed or delivered to agents in time for distribution before the day's engagements begin. The Advertiser's newsgroups and newswomen will please bear this in mind.

A Local Budget

—Ald. Bennett is expected home early in July.

—St. Paul's Sunday school pupils will picnic at Port Stanley on Friday, July 9.

—The Toronto fair management is already distributing its printed matter.

—All editions of The Advertiser will be printed at an early hour tomorrow morning.

—Mayor Little and family have taken up their residence for the summer at Hazelton.

—Mr. Andrew Patterson, Hamilton, and Miss Patterson were on a visit to London yesterday.

—M. C. Dixon, district passenger agent, G. T. R., was at the Tecumseh House yesterday.

—Mr. Walter Evans, of Jronyn & Betts, leaves on Saturday for a pleasure trip to California.

—Mr. M. MacMillan, Buffalo, general passenger agent of the M. C. R., was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. Pratt, city, have gone on a three months' visit with their son, Mr. Chas. A. Pratt, of Chicago, Ill.

—On Sunday Bishop O'Connor attended St. Joseph's Church, Stratford, and examined a confirmation class of 152 candidates.

—The latest in wedding invitations at Advertiser Job Department. Call and see samples. Orders by mail receive prompt attention.

—Mr. Philip Pocock, of Pocock Bros., has returned from a ten days purchasing trip to Montreal, Quebec and other eastern markets.

—On Friday the Y. M. C. A. bicycle club will hold a run, and on the return trip will partake of lunch at Mr. Roland Stevens', South London.

—Mr. Chas. R. Dunn, of Detroit, accompanied by his wife and son, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dunn, 56 Bruce street.

—Mr. George Robinson, of Robinson, Little & Co., will spend the summer in Southampton, and enjoy some of the excellent fishing to be had there.

—Mr. Wm. Wilson, formerly with the Stevens Manufacturing Company, has secured the sole right for the county of Middlesex to handle the great Moor-alph preventive.

—Miss Ferguson, Miss Blanch Ferguson and Miss Liddle Young, of this city, are the guests of Mr. Will McPherson, 122 Centre street, St. Thomas.

—Mr. Frank Plant, president of the London Trades and Labor Council, is gazetted a member of the Ontario Board of Arbitration for the settlement of labor disputes.

—Mr. S. R. Marlett, of Portage la Prairie, formerly of this neighborhood, has received notice of his appointment as inspector of Indian agencies for the Lake Manitoba inspectorate.

—Misses Annie Hemsworth and Maggie Shane, of Ingersoll, and Miss Girardot and niece, the daughter of Mayor Girardot, of Sandwich, are attending the Roman Catholic retreat in progress at the Sacred Heart here.

—Daniel Riley, a young man, who was brought to the city for trial on a charge of stealing a horse from J. H. Aldridge, station master at Middlemead, was honorably discharged by Squire J. B. Smyth. Mr. Hume Cronyn appeared for the prisoner.

—Mr. John D. Pigott, Oxford street, has received news from home of the

Humphreys' Homeopathic

Specifics

Cure the Sick

We have received a fresh and complete assortment of these famous homeopathic remedies. We also have a new stock of their well-known "Veterinary Specifics."

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W. S. B. Barkwell,
DISPENSING CHEMIST,
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Our Latest Offer!

CORN COB PIPE
FOR ONE CENT.

SAM. K. STEWART, 202 Dundas St.

death of his mother, Mrs. John D. Pigott, wife of Rev. John D. Pigott, pastor of St. James' Presbyterian Church, and also of his brother, Geo. H. Pigott, late of the royal navy, who was thrown from his horse and killed ten days afterwards.

—At a meeting of the water commissioners yesterday afternoon it was decided to request the Springbank railway to stop their cars at the pavilion on the way down, and at the same time to have the water supply. The chairman was authorized to finally sign the agreement made with the company permitting the recent extensions.

—No. 2 committee of the board of education met last night and opened tenders for the year's supply of coal and wood for the city schools. Nine being the lowest was accepted. The prices were: Hard coal, \$5 20; grate, \$5; soft, \$3 10; maple wood, \$4 30 (long), and \$5 (short).

—The pupils of the second and third grades of the Maple avenue school picked at Springbank Saturday afternoon, and had a most enjoyable outing, going and returning by the steamers Thames. The children desired that the proprietor of the boat, who so kindly placed it at their disposal, for the excellent care that was taken to insure their pleasure and safety. All expressed their delight in having such a pleasant trip.

—Owing to the fact that the great Scottish demonstration will be held at Port Stanley on Tuesday, July 20, the annual gathering at Queen's Park on Wednesday, July 21, to the following Wednesday, July 28. This is a reciprocal move that will be much appreciated by the St. Andrew's Society, which on previous occasions changed the date of the Scottish outing so as not to conflict with the grocers' annual picnic.

—The annual strawberry festival, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. James' Presbyterian Church, was held last night. It was intended to hold the gathering on the church grounds, but the rain prevented this, and the school room was resorted to. There was a good programme of music was featured by the band of the Twenty-eighth Battalion (Stratford), under W. H. Smith, and refreshments, including ice cream, berries and cake, were served by the following ladies: Mrs. McLennan, Mrs. Barrell, Mrs. (Rev.) D. C. Johnston, Miss Campbell, Mrs. Duff, Mrs. McKellar, Miss M. Grant, Mrs. T. A. Rowat, Mrs. McNeill and Mrs. (Rev.) Talling. The festival will be repeated tonight.

I. O. O. F. ELECTION OF OFFICERS.
On Monday evening Forest City Lodge, No. 38, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers: N. G., C. W. Belton, M.D.; V. G., W. A. Wilkins; recording secretary, J. W. Fletcher, P.G.; secretary, A. Ferguson, P.G.; treasurer, Thos. Rowe, P.G.; physician, C. W. Bolton; trustees, Wm. Weir, Wm. Macdougall and Robt. Wonnacott, P.G.s; officers for district committee, George Shaw, Thos. Rowe and Wm. Tanner; representatives to grand lodge at Belleville in August, Thos. Rowe, P.G., and Alex. C. Blair, P.G.

THE C. P. R. PICNIC.
The employees of the C. P. R. held a meeting in the Richmond street depot to make arrangements for the annual picnic to be held at Guelph on July 24. The city council of Guelph have granted the games committee \$100 and given them the free use of the park, etc., in fact they have given the picnic to the C. P. R. for that day. Mr. Dan Bowman was elected chairman of the games committee, and J. Houston chairman of the printing committee. This will be one of the best picnics of the season and will undoubtedly be well patronized. Special rates will be issued to railway employees.

FORMER LONDONERS JUBILATE.
The Winnipeg Tribune of Friday last contains a lengthy account of the celebration of the diamond jubilee of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hooper, of Emerson, Manitoba, both of whom are former residents of London. It says: The residence of Mr. T. C. Tennant, corner of Balmoral and Notre Dame streets, was the scene of a very happy gathering Wednesday afternoon and reception in the evening. It was the occasion of the diamond jubilee of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hooper, of Emerson, who came to the city on Monday for the Queen's jubilee and to celebrate their own jubilee. There were four generations present at the family dinner, which took place at three o'clock in the afternoon, and the party numbered some fifty souls, and all were not present then. Among those present were: Mrs. M. J. Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. J. McCall, Emerson; Samuel, James and "Mart" Hooper, and Mrs. T. C. Tennant, of Winnipeg. These, with their children, made up the dinner party. Sergeant Tennant, who is in the old country, the jubilee celebration is a son of

Mrs. Tennant, and it is his children that make the fourth generation. There were four toasts brewed. "Our Parents" was proposed by Mr. Samuel Hooper; "Second Generation," by Mr. James Hooper; "Third Generation," by Mr. E. Tennant, and "Mart" Hooper proposed the toast of the "Fourth Generation." At the reception in the evening among those present were: Ex-Mayor Taylor and Mrs. Taylor, Miss Seaton, Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks, and Miss Seaton, Emerson; Misses Whiteley, Mr. and Mrs. Little, Miss E. Little, Misses Gamble, Miss Maden, Mr. and Mrs. Killar, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, and Mr. McCallum, inspector of schools. A very pleasant evening was spent and Mr. and Mrs. Hooper were showered with the heartiest congratulations, which also took tangible form. The list of presents was numerous, and included a heavy purse of gold from the family.

BUSY BEES.
The Busy Bees of the First Methodist Church gave their closing entertainment for the season at Wesley Hall last night before a large audience. Rev. Dr. Daniel presided, and with him on the platform were Councilor Bee McCormick and Queen Bee Miss A. Allen. A choice programme was presented, and the work of the bees was as usual excellent. A most agreeable feature was the presence of Miss Eastman, of Detroit, the niece of Mr. Thomas McCormick. The young lady vocalist completely charmed the audience, and was most heartily applauded. Other numbers on the programme were as follows: Recitation, Pansie Gerry, singing, "Love is the Key," Louis Elliott and Fieda Tamlin; recitation, Dorothy Belton; kindergarten, "Three Little Kittens," Busy Bees dialogue, "An Old Couple," Nina Harrison and Percy Crouch; recitation, Minnie Mara, singing, "Five Little Chickadees," Busy Bees; instrumental solo, Master George Phelps, singing, "Home Again," Eva and Lily Harding; recitation, Edith and recitation, Nina Harrison; kindergarten song, "This is the Way the Clouds Come Down," Busy Bees; instrumental solo, Florence Johnston, singing, "Only Tired," Eunice and Lottie Vaders, singing, the Misses Wilson.

The Wool Flurry.
Local Excitement Over the New Duties in the States.

Big Purchases This Season—When Will the New United States Tariff Go Into Effect?

The flurry in the local wool market is now a thing of the past, and the local dealers are anxious as to what is to become of the stock they have on hand. United States buyers have gone back, claiming that it is now too late to buy wool and get it over the border before the United States tariff bill is passed. They fear to take the risk of being caught.

Col. Jacks, the United States consul in this city, expressed the opinion that the tariff bill would not come into force for some weeks yet, as the bill, after passing the Senate (which he thinks it will) has to go back to the house for ratification of the amendments. If these should not meet the views of the house, then the bill will be referred to a conference committee from the Senate and Congress, and when they have ratified it the bill will be signed and go into effect.

Owing to these facts, there has been a material change in the views of buyers here regarding the market value of new clipped. The prices have ranged from 17 to 18 and 19 cents.

Mr. Wrighton yesterday received a telegram from Thameville offering 42 sacks at 20 cents per pound, but this with the present price on the United States markets, could not be considered. During the past month there have been 247 pounds of wool shipped from this port, representing a value of \$89,055.57. A large quantity of this has not been offered for sale in the Buffalo and Boston markets, but has been shipped and stored, to await a rise in price looked for in consequence of the tariff bill, which, it is claimed, will cause a prevalent scarcity.

The Boston Commercial Bulletin says of the wool market: "The market continues active. Foreign wool is still being bought largely for speculation, but the sales include a larger proportion of domestic wools. The rates of last year are fully maintained. New fine medium territory is selling on a basis of 35 to 37 cents clean. In the west it is being held at 40 to 41 cents clean, delivered in Boston. Receipts of foreign wool continue heavy, and storage for it is being sought as far as Lowell. The sales of the week are: 2,800,000 pounds domestic and 3,896,000 pounds foreign, against 2,941,000 pounds domestic and 4,890,000 pounds foreign last week, and 1,857,000 pounds domestic and 633,000 pounds foreign for the same week last year. The sales to date show an increase of 41,851,800 pounds domestic and 72,532,700 pounds foreign from the sales to the same date in 1896. The receipts to date show an increase of 2,243,465 pounds domestic and 286,526 bales foreign.

The sales since Jan. 1 in New York, Boston and Philadelphia aggregate 24,825,500 pounds against 100,538,915 pounds for the same period of 1896.

In some of the cities of Europe the cost of putting out a fire is made a charge upon the property of the person for whose benefit the fire department is called out.

Going

Away

This

Summer?

If you are going to take that trip this summer that you have been talking about all spring you will need a new Trunk or Valise.

Don't stay at home when you can buy a

Trunk, with lock, for.....\$1.00

Valise, with lock, for......45

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—are these American Prints—light and dark colors, perfectly fast—dark colors reversible..... 7c

GREPONS "Crinkled loveliness" is the term that best describes these airy, fairy crepon weaves—all colors, light and dark, especially light green—28 inches wide— 8c

AMERICAN LAWN. It was our mistake when we bought so many of these American lawns, for people love variety. But we must clear them out during the hot spell, so we have disregarded cost and will sell them at 9c—principally blacks, with figures and flower patterns 9c

HOLLAND Striped Holland DUCKS. Duck—25 inches wide—light and linen shades—always neat, dainty and chic—warranted to withstand the terrors of the wash tub..... 9c

ENGLISH PRINTS Only a very few of these English Prints left—we had a full range of colors, but now only blue, green, pink and heliotrope are left—full 30 inches wide—were a York shilling..... 9c

SATEENS. These are wash goods that will stand the washing—many colors that are advertised as "fast" prove their "fastness" only by "running" the first time they're introduced to a wash tub. But our guarantee goes with these sateens. All the newest checks full 32 inches wide, cheap at 15c..... 10c

KINGSMILL'S

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Keep cool

and buy one

of our

Light Weight

Straw Hats.

STRAW

HATS...

GRAHAM BROS.

ARRESTED IN ST. THOMAS.

FORTUNE IN A WHALE.

Capture of a Supposed Bicycle Thief—He Will Be Taken to Seaforth.

Detective Thomas Nickle has another suspect under lock and key. On June 13 a car was received concerning a stolen wheel. It stated that a man giving the name of Trace Jackson had stolen a wheel from Mr. Mustard, of Brucefield, and had taken it to Seaforth, where he exchanged it for another one at the store of Arnold & Hare. He afterwards brought the bicycle to London, where he disposed of it to Frank Radway, Richmond street, for \$15. Detective Nickle happened to be in Radway's at the time, and as Jackson gave a good account of how he came into possession of the machine, he told Radway he thought no