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TO-NIGHT.

Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Maccabees Hall, at 8. St. Andrew's Church Y. P. Society, lecture hall, at 8.

Junior Lacrosse Club practice, Te-Senior Lacrosse Club practice, Te-umseh Park, at 6.45. Band Excursion to Ericau, C. P. R. Station, train leaves at 7.20.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League will meet in the S. S. Hall at 8. Young People's Society, lecture hall William St. Baptist Church, at 8. Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., in their rooms over Public Library,

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Girls wanted to learn weaving. Apply at the T. H. Taylor Co. Woolen Mills.

Miss Bertha Northwood, of this city, caught a large pike at the Eau yesterday.

Wanted!—Skirt, Waist and Sleeve Makers; also Millinery Apprentices. Apply to Thos. Stone & Son. 2d The reserve seat sale for "The Buf-alo Mystery" opens at Brisco's on

Time keeper and corn inspector ranted. Apply Kent Canning Co., Chatham.

Miss Pansy Pope, who has been visiting her grandmother in Detroit, has returned home. Miss Pearl Maggs will resume her

Residence, Joseph street. Wanted !- First class coat and waist hand and improvers on coats and skirts. See Miss Collinson. The Gordon Store.

W. H. Harper and family have returned to this city from their sum-mer residence, Sandaireau Cottage Ericau.

Wanted!-The whereabouts of Dan-Wanted!—The whereabouts of Daniel Noah, aged 14 years, who left his home on August 28th; was last seen on August 29th, on market square, Partly Indian, about five feet tall; wore a brown cloth suit and cloth cap that nearly matched. His parents will be thankful to any person who can give any information concerning him. Address John B. Noah, Park St., Chatham, or The Planet Office.

The councillors of Howard and Harwich held their annual picnic at Government Park yesterday. The outing was largely attended and all had a most enjoyable time. The Bonnic Belle sailed over from Ericau under command of Capt. Bert Jones. Mrs. Ed. Jones, Jr., and. Mr. and Mrs. Will Rutley were on the Bonnic Belle. At orchestra furnished music all day at the picnic, and a game of footballwas played between Harwich and Howard. wich held their annual picnic at Gov

WHAT ABOUT IT?

At no place in Ontario, perhaps are the game laws more consistently broken than at Ericau and vicinity. All during August you could hear people shooting ducks on the marshes and now a sunken duck hide has been discovered on the marsh west of the Eau. The Government should have an efficient game warden resident in Chatham and paid a salary to look after the protection of the game in this vicinity. Mrs Quallins is a good man, but he is too far away, and besides he can't be expected to patrol the earth for a salary of \$400. The Government gets thousands of dollars from the sportsmen of Ontario and should, in return, do what they tan to protect the game. The general disregard of the game laws bround the Eau is a source of annoyance to the sportsmen who obannoyance to the sportsmen who observe the game laws. port;"
The boat gave a lurch and was

FRIENDS WERE

But Skipper McGarvey Sailed his Boat Through the Storm to Safety.

Popular Conductor Turns Out to be an Old Mariner-Gave Baggageman an Awful Fright.

There's a certain sturdy Scottish trait in the character of the popular Conductor McGarvey, of the Ericau excursion train, that never says die. Other fellows may get discouraged at difficulties and quit—but not so Mac. He'll conquer or know the reason why Mac. He'son why.

So yesterday afternoon, during the wait of fits train at the Eau, no one was surprised when the genial conductor again offered to take the boys for a sail. Baggageman Fisher, they say, was

still suffering from occasional strokes of nervous prostration from his previous strenuous sailing experi-ences, but he wouldn't be bluffed and said he'd go along.

said he'd go along.

Engineer Charley Pink, who was never tired in telling of his love of sailing and his boating abilities, was also invited but explained that he wasn't well and regretted that he'd have to stay behind. But he said he'd take a stroll out on the pier and "encourage the boys."

Brakeman Bob Wardle looked first at the Skipper and then at the Bornel than the Bornel

at the Skipper and then at the Bag-gageman and shook his head. He'd added that he guessed he'd also stay

behind.

Nothing abashed the train started forth. A comely little single sticker was

A comely little single sticker was commissioned and the two marines headed for the channel. Gradually a spanking breeze sprung up and when the engineer and brakeman reached the piers the craft was bounding along in most seaworthy fashion. Conductor McGarvey sat at the tiller with a smile of serene complaisancy, while Baggageman Fisher huddled in the stern hanging desperately on to the main sheet.

All went well till the boat struck the head wind in the channel. Then there were doings.

there were doings.
Engineer Pink on the pier came to
the rescue with his nautical genius.
Taking a hitch in his trousers, he sang out:
"Ahoy! Ahoy! Take a tack, ye

landlubbers.'

landlubbers."
There was a moment's silence ere Fisher's agonized voice responded, "Can't find one. Ilere's a spike. Will that do?"
"Put your helm to starboard," shouted the engineer.
"Can't see any semaphore," was the anxious response.
"Come about, I say," shrieked Pink.
"Ain't that what I'm trying to do," came the indignant reply.
"Better gybe your sail," called Charley.

Charley.

"You can do all the jibing you like," responded the skipper. "It don't bother us."

Finally the cowcatcher bumped against the pier. Both mariners clung to the uprights and began to pull themselves along by their hands. "Now I understand it," said Brakeman Bob Wardle, laughing. "They're reaching."

reaching."
"Oh, I don't know," replied Engineer Pink. "I'd call it sailing close

Finally they struck the lake, where a smart wind was blowing and a choppy sea was in evidence. The sails filled and the boat bounded over the billows at wonderful speed. The swell was a heavy one and the craft rose and fell and rocked and plunged.

Out, out, they headed. Fisher was now clinging to the mast and the popular conductor looked a bit anxious himself.

The engineer made a funnel of

"Make your mainsail fast," he shouted.

"Great Scott," came the response, "aren't we going fast enough new factors, but didn't intend to have any expense about it, and would be glad to hear Mr. McPherson's suggestions.

The Kent Canning Co.'s application for the factors of th The engineer made a funnel of

"aren't we going fast enough now."
And the boat sped on towards the horizon.

"Port your helm," screamed the man on the pier. + And the winds wafted back an agonized, "Where in helm's the

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borne about.

Gradually it again neared the piers, where quite a throng of interested spectators had joined Charley and Bob ready to extend congratulations.

"I tell you how it is," exclaimed Fisher, as he bounded ashore, "Mac's so used to the tail end that he couldn't handle the front end."

The conductor wined the persuits.

The conductor wiped the perspira-tion from his forehead. The conductor wiped the perspiration from his forehead.

"The difficulty was with poor Fisher," he said sympathetically. "The poor fellow was so frightened that I couldn't do a thing with him. Simply had to manage the boat alone. There's no doubt it's a great mistake for an old salt like me to take a poor fellow like him out and get him both frightened and seasick. It was too much for him. Next time I go for a sail I'll take Alex. Bartlett and Archie Skirving along. It will add much interest to the spectators."

"All aboard," cried the conductor. "Cast the buoy, Charley, and throw out your sails."

"Ay, ay, sir," answered the engineer and the train moved off for Chatham.

DISPUTE IT

Water Commissioners Repudi ate the Statements made by a Citizen to the Planet.

The regular monthly meeting of he Water Commission Board the water Commission Board was held last evening, with Messrs. Chair-man Dr. Bray and W. D. Sheldon present. Only routine business was dealt with by the Board. The following accounts were pass-

ed:—
Blonde Lumber Co., \$1.92.
James H. Oldershaw, \$5.38.
Scavengering, 50c.
Walworth Mfg. Co., \$4.50.
Lake Eric Coal Co., \$528.40.
A communication was read from F.
H. McPherson, who is auditing the city's books, stating that he could offer some suggestions regarding the waterworks business. The Commis-

waterworks business. The Commissioners said they were open for suggestions, but didn't intend to have

or a water main was granted, water to be used in cooling the cans of he Co's works. About 3,000 gallons a day will be used.

A communication from I. L. Davis invited the commissioners to the op-ening of the new Library on Sept. 14. The cash statement for the month was very satisfactory. It was:— STATEMENT OF CASH ACCOUNT.

To cash bal. in bank, \$3,617.23. City of Chatham, \$2.10. Albert Knott, \$12. John Simpson, 15c. M. Robinson, \$1.25. City of Chatham, \$140.24. City of Chatham, \$140.24.
Westman Bros., \$1.25.
Wm. Yeomans, \$12.
Meter rentals, \$7.50.
Turning off, 50c.
Water sales, \$784.44.
Water sales paid bank, \$12.13.
Total-\$4,590.79.

Contra. By operating, \$1,027.73. By maintenance, \$73.14. By extensions, \$50.78. extensions to house services

By extensions to house services, \$117.59
Cash in Bank of Montreal, \$3,321.55,
Total-\$4,590.79.
Chairman Dr. J. L. Bray, just before the meeting broke up, produced from his vest pocket a clipping containing an intervview from The Planet, and read it out.
"There's not one word of truth in it from beginning to end," commented the chairman. "There's no friction between the Council and the Water Commissioners, and the Dowsley people have never been asked for a cent. In fact we havven't been in a position to render an account to them. Just lately we have put a meter on their main and expect shortly to be able to estimate the amount of water that has been used."

Commissioner W. D. Sheldon said:

Commissioner W. D. Sheldon said "The city as a whole voted free water for the Dowsley Works, and it is only fair that the city as a whole should pay for it and not place it all on the shoulders of the water patrons." SPECIAL VALUES IN

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