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## LOCAL

P. C. Fox, of Ruthven, spent yes- liam structured in Chatham.

Thomas N. Wells, of the Dresden Times, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. Wm. Anderson, Grant St., is spending a few days at the Eau. Miss Cecile Burns, of Detroit, is ne guest of Miss Hattie Mount, of

Mrs. Weir, Grant St., has returned from a holiday visit at the Eau.
She was away for a week.

Mrs. (Dr.) W. R. Hall and daughter and Miss Mary Shannon are expected home from Muskoka Saturday.

Mrs. W. Heddle, Prince street, left this morning on a visit to friends in Detroit and Port Huron.

Mrs. A. T. McDonald, of Louisville, Ky., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Blight, Wellington street.

M.ss. Rose Couzens, Colborne St., left this morning for Rossland, B. C., where she will visit her sister.

James Santry is visiting friends in Erie, Penn.

The Chippewas will practice on the Park to-night at 6.45.

Winnie Colville, Hillyard street, is the guest of the Misses Sultzer, of

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Bosworth, Wil-am street, are spending the day in ketroit.

Mrs. R. Martin, of Wallaceburg, the guest of her sister, Mrs. W.

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Art Green, of the post office staff, has returned from a two weeks visit to Windsor and points in Michigan.

Miss Edna Smith, of the post office staff, is spending her vacation in Windsor, Detroit and Michigan towns.

Advertisers will now be able to find a place to drop cuts and copy for changes through the centre door at The Planet Office.

John Oliver, of London, who has been the guest of Miss Mary Kerr for the past week, returned home this morning.

Health and were greatly benefited by their extended trip.

They visited all the capitols of Europe excepting St. Petersburg, and took in all the places most noted in history and fiction. Mr. Sulman was too busily engaged with business affairs to give an interview this morning, but he has very kindly promised to prepare an account of his interesting trip for The Planet. The article will appear in this G. H. J. next Tuesday.

FOR SALE BY TENDER

this morning. John and Frank Lee, of Toronto,

formerly of this city, are spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. P. Blonde, Violet street. P. Blonde, Violet street.

The Blonde Lumber and Manufacturing Co. are decorating the Ursuline Academy exterior. When the work is completed the institution will present a very fine appearance:

The Blonde, Violet street.

S.de of William street next to the St. Andrew's church, and now used as a boarding house. Builders and combinators will do well to look this building over, as the same must be removed to clear the land for other proposers. C., where she will visit her sister.

Bert Reid returned to his home in Cleveland this morning after visiting his relatives on Stanley avenue.

Mrs. J. A. Ouellette and daughters, Minta and Myrtelle, of Detroit, are visiting Mrs. James Rankin, of Josenh St.

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For automobile at a bargain; good
reason for selling. Apply Planet Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kellar, William street, have left on a two
weeks trip through Montreal, Quebec
and Portland, Maine.

Miss Pansie Barfoot, Dufferin avenue, left to-day for Pincher Creek,
Alb., where she will spend several
weeks with friends.

Miss E. M. Blake, Queen street,
left this morning for Toledo, Ohio,
where she will spend several
weeks will rrive in the city tomorrow. He has sold his other one
to Alex. vonGunten. The new auto
is a 40 horsepower machine and
will be the finest in the city. It
is said that O. L. Lewis is contemplating the purchase of the same
kind of machine.

In the report of the Council proceedings appeared a letter from a
man famed Keeley in which he
charged a man with calling him vile
neads it might be taken that the
City Engineer is the man charged,
but this is not the case. Mr. Keeley
does not complain of the Engineer's
treatment.

Sherring, the hero of Marothan,
the winner of the World's Chapus

where she will spend several weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. (Dr.) Radley is reported to be improving nicely. The recent operation was performed successfully, and hopes are now entertained for her recovery.

A despatch from Dresden says a special meeting of the ratepayers and citizens was called on Saturday evening to consider a proposition from the Keystone Sugar Company of Totionto. After some consultation a bonus of \$25,000 was asked for and a by-law will be submitted at once.

Mrs. (Dr.) Radley is reported to be made to the World's Ohamponship, will give an exhibition of his provess in the same costume as worn in Greece, at the Annual Catholic picnic, to be held in St. Thomas on Wednesday, Aug. 15. An excellent program of sports and amusements are provided. Last year 10, 600 people attended this picnic. S.n. gie fare Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from Chatham and all intermediate stations on M. C. R., Wabash and P. M. Railways.

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Engaged In Illegal Work. Ark to-night at 6.45.

Max McCornock has returned from visit to Port Huron, Mich.

Miss Georgia Morrison, of Ericau, s spending the day in Chatham.

Herbert M. Avichouser is spending few days with Iriends at Ericau.

The Espana Neuva resterday morning publishes a despatch from Barcelona containing a startling statement to account for the wreek of the Sirio. In this communication it is asserted that the Italian steamer was engaged in the clandestine embarkation of Spanish Survivors assert that passing vessels paid no attention to the Sirio's signals paid no attention to the Sirio's signals Herbert M. Avichouser is spending the state of the Italian steamer was engaged in the clandestine embarkation of Spanish enigrants along the coast, and that for you.

Walter Peck, of Howell, Mich., is spending a few days with friends in the city.

Took Life-Belts From Women.

Cartagena, Aug. 8.—One of the surgests by adoption.

ENJOYED THEIR TRIP

Ex-Mayor and Mrs. George W

purposes. No tenders will be re-ceived later than the 25th. For fur-ther information apply to E. E. PARROTT & SON,

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Scaled bulk or separate tenders will by received up till 7 p. m.,

arily accepted.
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Madrid, Aug. 8.—According to the statements of some of the survivors of the wrecked Italian steamer, Sirlo, the captain of the vessel came from his cabin immediately following the first shock, hesitated whether to go to the bow or stern, or mount the bridge, and then turned and jumped into a lifeboat, crying "Everyone for himself!"

I mous crowd of women rushed forward and struggled fiercely and desperately to obtain possession of life-belts. Frantic men approached and felled the women with repeated and violent blows. They then selzed the life-belts, leaving the women senseless on deck, where they were drowned. On the other hand, one man refused to be saved until all the women had heep rescued. His refusal were drowned. On the other hand, one man refused to be saved until all the women had been rescued. His refusal among the passengers for possession of the boats and lifebelts. The crew, with knives between their teeth. and officers, with revolvers in their hands, saved themselves.

Wild Shrieks of Despair.

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WANTED-Dining room girl at Hote

WANTED—By a young lady and child two years of age, rooms and board in a private residence. Ad-dress "F. M.," Planet Office.

AGENTS WANTED—Liberal pay and first class goods guaranteed. After you have thoroughly mastered the business we will start you on your own account. Write quick. Alfred Tyler, 355-7 Clarence St., London, Ont.

The undersigned will receive sealed tenders up to the 25th of this month for the sale and removal of the large frame dwelling situated on the east side of William street next to the St. Andrew's church, and now used as a boarding house. Builders and contractors will do well to look this building over, as the same must be

MAN WANTED-Near Chatham, to show and assist us to sell proper-ties. No experience necessary, if you are willing to let us teach you the real estate business; salary \$60.00 a month to start. Steady position to good man, who is will-ing to devote part of his time to handling customers. Address S. handling customers. Address Security Land & Commercial Co., Andrus Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

## FOR SALE OR TO RENT

will be received up till 7 p. m., Thursday, Aug. 16th, 1906, for the complete renovation of the old mar-FOR SALE OR RENT—House and barn on Emma street, rent \$10.00 per month. Apply George Wardle, Emma street. Plans, specifications, etc., can be seen at the offices of the architects after Thursday, Aug. 9th.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. ROOMS TO RENT-Suite of rooms in the Glenn Block, William St., with

all modern conveniences. Apply to S. Glenn & Son. FOR SALE — Summer Home and Shooting Lodge at the Mouth of the Thames for sale. A rare chance to get a valuable property. Apply to James B. McKay, Detroit Mich.

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perty known as Mrs. Jarvis' residence on west side Victoria avenue, corner of Barthe street, Chatham; also for sale, the Eberts lot, nue and Forest street. Apply James Soutar.

FARM FOR SALE IN RALEIGH-75 acres, N. E. hf. of S. W. hf. and S. E. hf. of S. W. hf. of S. W. hf. Lot 9, Concession 7, Raleigh. Good land; almost all ready for cultiva-tion; immediate possession. Apply to J. Frank Mount or to Houston & Stone, Chatham, Ont.

FARMS FOR SALE—I have for sale 50 acres of land, part of lot 17, concession 5, Dover Township, owned by Albert Laprise: 40 acres, River Road, Dover, owned by John David: 50 acres, concession 5, Dover, owned by Julius Bechard. I have money to loan at very lowest rate of interest on land mortgages. Henry Dagneau.

FOR SALE-A nice brick house an drive barn and two acres of land for just what the buildings cost. A beautiful residence adjoining the city limits and one acre of land. Apply to M. H. McGarvin, in Neil Ruthven's office, or at residence, Baldoon street Baldoon street.

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Special stove Gasoline 20c. per gal. Special auto and launch Gasoline 25c. per gallon.

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Our Big Mid-Summer Clearance has left as with many small lots of odds and ends in Boys' Wash Suits, which we will clean out Saturday at the ridiculously low price of 89c a Suit. Wherever there is only one or two of a line, they are put in the lot regardless of the cost. We are bound to get our shelves in shape for Fall goods. Any Wash Suit in the house on Saturday, your choice for ages 2½ to 9 years. Regular values at \$1.00, 1.50 up to 2.25. See East King

# August Showing

New Fall Household Linens

Extraordinary Bargains all through our Linen Section Table Linens, Towels, Rollerings, Napkins, Linen Sets, etc., both in the finer as well as the cheaper grades. Our showing of Pattern Cloths and Napkins to match, also Separate Cloths and Table Napkins is out of the ordinary value, which the Bargain Centre is famous. Ask to see these Special Lines.

### Pattern Table Cloths At \$1.35—Pure Bleached Table

Cloths, assorted patterns, hemmed pure Linen Crashes at 6, 7½, 8, 9, 100 ends, handsome designs, extra fine yard. inen, 8/10 size.

At \$2.00—A 3 yard cloth, pure bleached, hemmed ends, choice de-

## Table Napkins

Imported direct from the manufacturers, all pure linen, special finish, assorted patterns, 5/8 and 3/4 sizes, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 dozen

Extra special Bleached Table Napkins, ready hemmed, assorted pat-terns, 19 x 19 in., regular \$1.25 value at \$1.00 dozen.

Linen Sets Table Cloths and Napkins to match, Irish and Scotch makes, rich satin finish, beautiful designs, extra heavy and fine, unmatchable, values \$5.50, \$6.50, or hemmed ends, Crepe, Damask or \$7.25, \$8.00, \$8.25, \$8.50 and \$9.00 Huck Weaves—10c,  $12\frac{1}{2}$ c, 20c, 25c.

### Table Linens 56 in. Cream Damasks, very heavy, ood patterns, 25c, 3oc, 3

Roller Towellings Values always up to the standard,

Extra heavy makes at 12½c, 15c.

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Bleached Cotton Towelling, 5c. yd.

Yard wide Plaid Tea Cloth 19c yd.

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Damask at 40c, 45c and 50c. Extra special Pure Linen Cream Damask, choice designs, 62 and 64 in. wide, 50c. and 60c. yd.

Extra values in Bleached Table
Damask, new deeigns, satin finish, 72 in. wide, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25 and \$1.50 yard. Napkins to match.
Special large sized Napkins at \$3.50,

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\$6.00 THE AUSTIN SPECIAL—Combination Mattress, made for and sold only by us.

Made in five layers curled wool fibre, then two layers
African fibre and white cotton top and bottom and
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