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Local Briefs

Ed. Jones is preparing the plans for the Ursuline avenue sewer.
Matt Boyle, 7th concession, Dover, got 502 bushels of barley, off nine acres of land. Land Hinds threshed for him on Monday.
Harry Henderson, organizer for the A. O. F., accompanied by D. C. R. Ben. Longley, visited Court Pride of Dover last evening.
A full attendance is requested for the band practise of the 24th Regiment Band to-night. They will give another of their delightful band concerts to-morrow evening on Teumseh Park.

UGLY BLOW

Colored Man Received a Rock Hurling in his Face with Serious Result

As the result of a bar-room scrap last Monday night at the Park House a colored man named Siddals, is reported to be in a precarious condition, and the police are looking for his assailant. An eye witness of the affair tells the following: "I was standing inside the bar of the Park House a few minutes before eleven," said he, "and the bar was jammed full of colored men principally. Siddals was standing against the wall talking to some friends. Suddenly the little swing door facing Colborne street was pushed open, and a stout white man, taking deliberate aim at Siddals, threw a rock, as big as a large cannon ball, at him. It struck him right between the eyes, and he dropped like a log, while the crowd made for the doors. The colored man who threw the rock ran outside the hotel and was coming back to finish up on Siddals, as he said, but the crowd held him. Siddals was taken to the hospital. The colored man who threw the rock said that Siddals had kicked him in the stomach, and he wanted to get even. There were all kinds of fights and mixups on Monday night but that one was the worst."

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FOUL FIENDS

Robbers Tortured Detroit Woman at Midnight to Gain Booty

Detroit, Aug. 3.—In an encounter with two desperate burglars, Mrs. Difloe, wife of Patrolman Difloe, living at 1300 Joseph Campau Avenue, was brutally beaten and choked to force her to divulge a sum of money which was supposed to be in her possession. When Patrolman Difloe returned from his beat on Gratiot Ave., he found his wife in a dazed condition, her person bearing marks of violence.

The robbers appeared about one o'clock this morning, entrance having been effected through a side window. They had evidently mistaken the house for that of James Grant, living next door, who is a brother-in-law of Difloe, and is secretary of Court Kerby, Independent Order of Foresters. At the first of each month he usually has a considerable amount in lodge collections.

The burglars secreted themselves in the Difloe house and were prowling around when Mrs. Difloe came down stairs to secure some medicine, as she had been ill for the past few days. She was taken unawares and one of the desperadoes dealt her a blow on the shoulder with a "billy" or similar weapon, feeling her to the floor and rendering her unconscious. When she regained sensibility she found herself bound to a chair with a clothesline and staring into the face of a revolver.

One of the robbers held the gun close to her head while the other ransacked the house, securing \$17 in a miniature safe, which he pried open. This did not appease the burglars and they turned to Mrs. Difloe, who was still tied to the chair.
"We want the \$200 you collected from the Foresters," demanded one. "We know it is in the house."
"You are mistaken in the house," feebly murmured Mrs. Difloe, who could scarcely speak by reason of the fact that one of the cords circled her throat.

"No, we are sure this is the place. Where is the money?"
"I tell you it is not here," was the reply.

With that the robbers endeavored to force Mrs. Difloe to accede to their demands. They cruelly tightened the rope around Mrs. Difloe's neck.

"Now, will you tell us where the money is?" but Mrs. Difloe could give no audible reply. She was left in this state and another search of the house was made. The noise awakened Benjie Difloe, the 15-year-old son, who came down stairs. The robbers seized him and bound his hands after a struggle. After another search the burglars decamped.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Mrs. Dean and daughter, Miss Hazel, and Jerrald Wilson, of Detroit, are guests of Mrs. E. L. Smith, George and Gladys Kendall, of Wyandotte, Mich., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall here. Mr. and Mrs. A. Stewart, and little son are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Forbes.

Miss Forbes, who has been living in Detroit lately, is renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. Ed. Clark entertained on Thursday evening of last week.

Dr. Musson, of Chatham, was here on professional business last Friday.

Mr. Hartwell and two daughters have come to reside here. They will live in the house lately occupied by James Mason.

E. B. Stevens, of Chatham, was here on Monday.

Mr. Dobson, of Wallaceburg, was here Tuesday on business.

The Rev. Mr. Uren, of Tilbury, conducted quarterly services here on Sunday. There were four baptisms.

THIRD CONCESSION, HARWICH.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. McGeachy and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Wilson and daughter left Monday on an extended trip to Winnipeg and other points West.

Miss Jennie Ferguson and Miss M. Neilson are spending their vacation at Pontiac, Mich.

Mrs. G. Williams and children returned home Wednesday after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Jos. Zink.

Mrs. Polly, of Pontiac, Mich., is visiting her cousin, Millie Wildgen.

John A. McNaughton took in the Windsor races last week and reports some very fast heats.

Mrs. F. Campbell, Lawrence Stat., has returned home after visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. MacNaughton.

A very interesting and exciting foot ball match was played on our grounds Thursday evening, between the Emeralds and Shamrock and Thistle. The Emeralds line-up consisted of five players and the rest from the C. O. I. and Chatham League. Our boys had the best of the game throughout the whole match but neither side scored, although some excellent rushes were made on the goal. We think our boys should be congratulated on their excellent playing against such a picked team.

Stuart Campbell and Matt. MacNaughton spent Sunday at Kent Bridge.

EVERYBODY SHOULD TAKE A VACATION.

A few days among the pines and cedars, if not able to take time for longer rest, will do you good and enable you to do better work. Charming Muskoka, the Lake of Bays, Georgian Bay, Lake Simcoe, Kawartha Lakes, the Mackinaw or Duluth trip, or the seaside resorts, all are reached via the Grand Trunk Railway System, the tourist route of America. Call at city ticket office, 115 King street, for information.

SPECIAL at \$2.98

SATURDAY we place on sale 200 pairs Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes at \$2.98.

These are made by some of the best makers, including Geo. Slater and Jno. A. McPherson Co., Ltd. and are all up to date in style—all leather.

See East Window.

PEACE

The Bargain Giver.

UP THE CREEK.

John Drury and wife, of Irwin, spent Sunday at the old home on the Creek.

Mrs. Albert Purser and daughters, Pontiac, are guests of Mrs. Thomas Smyth.

Art Miller, of Rochester, was the guest of friends here for a few days this week.

Robert Houston has returned from a visit to relatives near St. Thomas.

A match between the Creek football club and the Thistle-Shamrocks will be played Saturday evening.

Reg. Jamison will occupy the pulpit of St. Paul's for the next four Sundays.

THE MARKETS

There was a very good Wednesday market this morning, with practically no change in prices.

Following is the price list:

IN THE SHEDS.

Eggs, per dozen, 15c.
Butter, per pound, 16c to 18c.
Chickens, each, 25c to 35c.

VEGETABLES.

Tomatoes, per box, 10c.
Red currants, per box, 5c.
Gooseberries, per box, 6c.
Black raspberries, per box, 10c.
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Black currants, per quart, 8c.
New potatoes, per peck, 25c.
Peas, per qt., 12c.
Beans, per quart, 5c.
Onions, 2 bunches for 5c.
Onions, 25c peck.
Savory, 5c bunch.
Cabbage, each, 5c to 10c.
Cucumbers, per dozen, 20c.
Lettuce, 2 heads for 5c.
Beets, 2 bunches for 5c.
Carrots, 2 bunches for 5c.
Apples, per peck, 15c.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker North Wood Block, Chatham, August 3, 1904—

Wheat	open	high	low	close
May	96 1/2	97 1/2	96 1/2	96 3/4
Sept.	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
Dec.	93 1/2	95 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2

Corn	open	high	low	close
May	48 1/2	49 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Sept.	53	53	51 1/2	51 1/2
Dec.	49 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2

Oats	open	high	low	close
May	36 1/2	37 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Sept.	35	35	34 1/2	34 1/2
Dec.	35 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2

Pork	open	high	low	close
Sept.	1290	1295	1280	1282 1/2
Oct.	1295	1295	1285	1287 1/2

Lard	open	high	low	close
Sept.	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Oct.	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2

Ribs	open	high	low	close
Sept.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Oct.	770	770	762 1/2	762 1/2

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4 sheets for 10c

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Pads

5 and 10c pkgs.

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TASTE FOR COMFORT

In this age of hard fact, the house beautiful yields to the house comfortable to a great extent. Perhaps it would be better to say that in this age of nerves and tastes and distaste, the house must be beautiful in order to be comfortable.

This store, at any rate, includes both comfort and taste in its house-furnishing work.

Wish everyone knew how fine a stock of Furniture we have here, subject to your approval. There is, perhaps, just the least bit of enthusiasm in the statement that you can't afford to furnish your home without coming here to see.

It's one of the coldest of facts that the choicest things are always where the power of collection is greatest.

One can afford to miss almost anything—if they want to. But we're not talking of those who just buy things, but to those who shop, who count the cost, weight, qualities, styles, appearances, and all the little round of thinkings that come up at such a time when what you have to look at and live with and be sociable to for years is to the fore

A Corset Convention

Here's a list of Corsets that will give women an idea of the standard lines of corsets we carry. One model of each is described—merely a delegate representing the full range of prices and styles. It may serve as a hint that the

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is a very satisfactory place to come for your particular brand of corsets.

At 50c—D. & A. Summer Corset of excellent netting, long and short hips.

At \$1.00—B. & C. Corset of fine Batiste, long hip, loop eyelet, straight front, low bust.

At 75c—E. F. Straight Front Corset, made of fine Batiste, long hip, lace trim.

At \$1.50—D. & A. Corset of fine French Batiste, long hip, front and hip supporters, taken from American Lady Model.

Cream Dress Goods

We are showing a splendid line of Cream Dress Goods suitable for Ladies' Waists, Skirts and Shirtwaist Suits, in Lustres, Crepe de Chines, Canvas Cloths, Voiles, Figured Lustres, Cashmeres and Bedford Cords.

42 inches wide in White and Cream Lustres, price per yard, 50c

42 inches wide Crepe de Chine in Wool and Silk and Wool Mixture, price per yard, 75c and \$1.00.

42 inches wide Cream Canvas Cloth, Price per yard, 60c

40 inches wide Figured Lustres and Fancy Spot Effect, price per yard 40, 50 and 60c

Wrappers and Dressing Sacques

The Wrappers are the little priced kinds, and under-priced besides—cool, neat, desirable, well-made garments, while the Dressing Sacques are of Muslin or Lawn, neatly made, comfortable, yet pretty and at tempting prices.

Print Wrappers Grouped at 75c, 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.50

98c—Light or dark colors, made with yoke or frill from the collar, fitted lining to waist. Some are trimmed with ruffles over shoulders.

\$1.25—Of Navy Blue and White, Black and White or Cardinal and White Print, Stripes or Floral Designs, trimmed across bust and shoulders with ruffles and braid, pleated back.

\$1.50—All the higher priced lines go to make up the group, light and dark colors are shown in various designs, skirts are extra wide and finished with deep flounce.

Dressing Sacques at 50c 95c and \$1.25.

50c—Of Muslin, Black and White or colors, frill front, fitted back, trimmed around bottom, sleeves and collar with ruffles.

95c—Of White Lawn or Fine Muslin with light Floral Design, the large fancy collar is finished with Valenciennes insertion and ruffles.

\$1.25—Full length Dressing Gowns of Muslin, white ground with fine design, sailor collar is finished with wide stitched band of plain blue or pink.

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