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Was sent with our shipment of Beef, both dried and canned. We mention this to show you that we are buying the highest grade of meat, and that you do not run any chances when you buy here.

SLICED DRIED BEEF, 30c a pound.

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Try Our English Breakfast Bacon, Sliced as you wish.

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Our workshop is in full swing and we shall be very glad to have your orders no matter how large or how small.

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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Lawn mowers sharpened at Briscoe's S. Rice, of Dresden, is spending the day in town.

H. C. Hocken, of the Toronto News, is in the city.

Miss Abbie Davis, of Dresden, is spending the day in the city.

Miss Mary Penon, of Dresden, is spending the day in the city.

Morley Carscadden, of Dresden, is in the city to-day on his way home from Toronto.

Misses Blanche and Carrie Easton, of Dresden, are spending the day in the city.

E. M. Bedford has 23 acres of good building property on Park avenue for sale in bulk or any part.

Beginning Monday, May 1st, borrowers will be allowed to choose their own books at Free Library.

Herbert Baxter, of Birmingham, and Norval Baxter, of Detroit, spent the day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baxter, Amels St.

Lost—A gold brooch on Wellington street, with the photo of an old gentleman in it. Finder will please leave it at this office.

Fawn covert spring jackets, the neatest and noblest yet, collarless, tucked sleeves, self covered buttons, lined throughout, for \$5.00 at The Gordon Store.

The Montreal-Quebec Line will commence running on or about April 27th. Steamers leaving Montreal at 7 p. m. daily, except Sundays, and from May 2nd daily.

While W. B. Wells was wheeling up the avenue a Collie dog ran out and grabbed him by the leg. The canine drew blood. Mr. Wells was taking no chances and had the wound cauterized.

The members of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of Chatham and vicinity will celebrate the 86th anniversary of their order by attending divine service in the William street Baptist church to-morrow evening.

Would you like to make an investment that will return the capital invested in a short time, and after that save money for you every month, and increase your comfort 100 per cent every day? If so, we would be glad to have you call and see our cooking appliances. Capital required \$1.00 to \$30.00. Gas Co.

American artists coming right to the front in every way; even to the clothing artists are breaking all kinds of records. This can be proven by visiting the Urban Store, where fashion reigns. I would call your attention particularly to the dainty shirtwaist gowns ranging from \$4.00 and up. Urban.

Clarence Laycock leaves for British Columbia this evening, where he has accepted a lucrative position as book-keeper with a large lumber company. He leaves by the Wabash, and will take a tour through Colorado and Northern California before reaching Vancouver. His many friends will miss him very much, and The Planet joins them in wishing him every success.

MORLEY'S BUSINESS SUITS

Good dressers always want something that is exclusive and different, that at the same time is correct and up-to-date in style, workmanship and material.

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THE GREY'S VISIT OVER.

Governor-General Plants a Maple Sapling at "The Grange" and Presents Cup to Caledonian Club.

Toronto, April 28.—Earl Grey will conclude his visit to Toronto to-day. At 9 a. m. he leaves for Niagara Falls in his private car Victoria, and will return in the evening, proceeding to Ottawa at 10 o'clock.

Yesterday he attended to some private matters and made a few personal calls. He sent a personal letter of condolence to the family of the late George Allen Payne, the Army and Navy Veteran who was stricken suddenly at the King Edward on Thursday, while waiting with his comrades to be presented to the Governor-General. He also visited "The Grange" the residence of Prof. Goldwin Smith and planted a maple sapling on the lawn.

His Excellency was up early, and with Capt. Newton walked to City Hall, where he was met by Mayor Urquhart and Ald. Graham and taken into the tower for a bird's-eye view of the city. Unfortunately the air was heavy with soft coal smoke and the only outlines of nearby buildings were visible.

The Governor-General's only official act in the morning was a visit to the Victoria Club, where he was presented with an address by the Ontario Curling Association, and presented the Governor-General's cup to the Caledonia Club.

The silver cup was received by T. Rennie, one of the skippers of the Caledonia Club.

For Incurables, and at 1 o'clock Earl Grey lunched at the Toronto Club.

Premier Whitney and Hon. Speaker St. John escorted Earl Grey and his wife to the Parliament Buildings at noon. His Excellency evinced much interest in the paintings and maps exhibited on the walls. All the Cabinet Ministers except Hon. Adam Beck were present and were introduced to the Governor-General.

The farewell visit of Vice-Royalty to the horse show was made the occasion of a very brilliant turn-out last night, and there were few empty seats at the Armories. The promenade was crowded all evening, and the appearance of the Governor-General and party to the city was the subject of much comment.

As usual the musical ride received the greatest attention, and the evolutions were performed without a fault on leaving the ring. The program was run off with splendid dispatch and the audience all waited for the jumping event, in which Sir Robert Borden and his wife were the guests of honor. Hon. Adam Beck was upon Merryweather and his mount was given second place, clearing the obstacles remarkably well.

CASH FOR HIS COURAGE.

Merchants' Bank Will Place Substantial Sum to Von Metzke's Credit.

Montreal, April 28.—At a meeting of directors of the Merchants' Bank yesterday, it was decided to present Her- man Von Metzke, teller of the Lancaster branch, with a substantial sum of money, to be placed to his credit.

Clues to Perpetrators.

Cornwall, April 28.—One of the clues to the Lancaster Bank robbery is said to be the appearance in a swamp near Summerstown of a tall man, who seemed anxious to avoid observation. He wears a long coat and is quite a large man.

Collier, of Summerstown, uncle of Harry Collier, arrested at Lancaster, says that the latter is the son of Rev. Mr. Gardner, of Prince Edward, a Baptist minister. They think that his reluctance to tell about his history is due to a desire to avoid bringing disgrace on his family. He had been in Summerstown for two or three days, and left there on Tuesday, walking down the G. T. R. to Lancaster. He had no money and his Summerstown relatives refused him a loan. He is looked upon at Summerstown as a quiet, inoffensive young man.

J. R. Kelly, who is being sought for, is reported to be the son of a druggist from Huntingdon. He worked for several Glasgow farmers and was not considered to be very clever.

Yon Metzke, who is now recovering from his injuries, is positive that he shot and wounded another of the burglars. The bullet in the waistcoat did not come from his gun.

WILL COST \$200,000.

Supplementary Estimates for Maintenance of Halifax and Esquimaux.

Ottawa, April 28.—(Globe Special).—The supplementary estimates will cost the cost of taking over and maintaining the fortifications at Halifax and Esquimaux.

Two companies of infantry, under the command of Major Wadmore, Fredrickton, will leave Quebec for Halifax to enter upon garrison duty. The infantry regiment there will number about 600 men. Some non-commissioned officers and men of the Royal Garrison Artillery, whose time has expired, will be enlisted for service under the Canadian Government at Halifax and Esquimaux. A number of them are anxious to do this, and it is not thought the British Government will object.

It has not yet been settled who will command the Royal Engineers at Halifax, but the name of Major Planet, empty carboil acid bottle, and the man's mouth was terribly burned, showing conclusively that he had committed suicide.

Cruisers For Newfoundland.

London, April 28.—The cruisers Rialto and Scylla sailed yesterday from Queenstown for Newfoundland to protect British fisheries there.

Great CORSET Sale!

SEE OUR WINDOW
THE GORDON STORE

WILL PLACE ON SALE.

Friday & Saturday, April 28-29

200 pr. White Coutille Corsets, straight front, bias cut, with elastic Hose supporters, worth double, on sale at **49c.**

200 pr. of Tape Girdle Corsets, regular value 50c, on sale at **34c.**

200 Dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, Sterling brand, special Heel and Toes, special 36c value, on sale at **24c.** a pr.

See Spring Specials all through our superb Spring stock, both saving and satisfactory to every purchaser.

May Standard
Designer 100

WILLIAM GORDON

May Standard
Fashion sheets

MINISTERS TRANSFERRED

The Transfer committee of the Methodist church, which met recently in Toronto, made a large number of transfers of ministers from one conference to another preparatory to their being stationed by the various conferences in June next.

The committee, composed of Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, as chairman, and the President of each of the thirteen annual conferences in the Dominion, following from the London conference, Rev. G. H. Cobblestick to the Hamilton conference, Revs. C. T. Scott and Dr. W. R. Young to the Montreal conference, and Rev. G. J. Bishop to the Bay of Quinte conference; Rev. W. L. Routledge was transferred from the Hamilton to the London conference; Rev. Mr. Cobblestick's transfer is made at the request of the Central church, Woodstock, to which he is invited, and Rev. Mr. Routledge's transfer is at the request of Park street church.

The conference met the first of June and moved moving exchange for July 1st.

THE MODERN MOTHER

Children shudder at castor oil, and with good reason. Castor oil is a relic of old-time barbarism. Not only is it repulsive to the taste, but it grips and tortures delicate children.

Modern mothers use Baby's Own Tablets, a gentle laxative which does not gripe; a comforting medicine which may be given to a newborn babe without fear of harm.

These Tablets cure all the minor ills of little ones, and promote natural sleep and repose. Mrs. R. H. James, Fenahville, Ont., says:—"I find great satisfaction in the use of Baby's Own Tablets, and do not know how I could get along without them. They make children well and keep them well." And you have a guarantee that there is not one particle of opiate or harmful drug in this medicine. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box by writing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

PARK ST. CHURCH MUSIC TO-MORROW

Following is the music for Park street Methodist church to-morrow:

MORNING.
Anthem—He is Risen.
Contralto. Solo—God Shall Wipe Away All Tears.

EVENING.
Anthem—Lift Your Glad Voices.
Tenor Solo—The Holy City.
Contralto Solo—The Better Land.
Theme—A Scriptural presentation of "Our Heavenly Home," by twenty boys and girls.

Adam and Eve Cooked with a Wood Fire

No wonder there was trouble in that family. The way to have peace, comfort and cleanliness in the home is to do away with the drudgery and dirt of cooking with wood and coal, by using a Gas Stove.

We have them in up-to-date patterns, cheap and efficient, \$1.00 to \$30.00, and are always glad to show them.

GAS COMPANY.

We are advised by W. E. Rispi, City Passenger and Ticket Agent Grand Trunk and Wabash Railways that the sale of Thursday excursion tickets will be resumed on Thursday next, May 4th, for the present season, fare \$1.00. Tickets good to go Thursday and return any time Friday.

Minard's Liniment for Sale Everywhere.



Bissell's Steel Land Roller

The frame of Steel Angle Bars, reinforced by Hardwood Stringers and Double Truss Rods, carried by the heavy steel axle, which runs in Roller Bearings, makes a Land Roller well.

Farmers say there is nothing can touch it. Enquire of Chatham Agency for full particulars; the good points can't all be told here.

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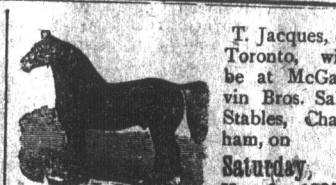
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HOTEL SANITA, just completed, new and modern, every particular connected with the most complete Mineral Bath House in Canada cheerfully situated, facing Tecumseh Park.

The Mineral Water

Supplied from a deep rock flowing well, is pronounced by expert chemists to be equal to the water of Carlsbad. We are constantly receiving testimonials from people the Baths have cured of Rheumatism in its worst forms, Gout, Uric Acid, all diseases of the kidneys, Bladder, Blood, Skin and nerves. MODERATE RATES.

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Three Cases of Ladies' Linen Collars, Stocks, Ties, Turnovers, etc., the latest production of the best Eastern Manufacturers. Just the styles for your new shirtwaist suits. Don't fail to see them.

New Millinery Opened Daily.

See our Milliners before ordering your new Spring Hat.

Our Dress Goods Section

Is being continually replenished with new Dress Goods, Silks and Trimmings.

Our Staple Department

Is full of good things in Wash Goods. Come in and see what we are showing.

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