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LAST EDITION

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BORN
FERGUSON—On Jan. 7th, the wife of
William Ferguson, 3rd con. Harwich,
of a son.

THE PROBS.

Fair; higher temperature; mild on
Saturday.

LOCAL BRIEFS

John Wright, Emma street, is ill.
Try Richard's Salve, 10c. a box. If
James Latimer is somewhat better to-
day.A child of David Watson, St. George
street, is ill with bronchitis.Miss Kins, Selkirk street, who has
been quite ill with bronchitis, is bet-
ter.Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Wm. Carlie, who
have been ill with bronchitis, are im-
proving.The thermometer this morning was
19 above zero, representing 13 degrees
of frost.Capt. George Irving, of Windsor, is
dead. He was one of the oldest sailors
on the lake.M. S. Andrew Smyth, who underwent
an operation in St. Joseph's hospital, is
doing well.The funeral of the late William Trotter,
of Mitchell's Bay, took place yester-
day, and was very largely attended.R. A. Hughes is able to be about
again and is receiving the congratula-
tions of his friends upon his recovery.The "Growler," edited by A. L. Sav-
age, announces editorially that one of
the aldermen-elect in ward No. 2 can-
not go.Wm. Harrison, corner of Prince and
Wellington streets, had an operation
performed on his eye yesterday for the
removal of a cataract.Pure Luck! On Tuesday night, be-
tween Ryan's corner and Centre street,
the finder will be liberally rewarded by
leaving it at Police's collection store
or this office.At the residence of Mrs. Game, Barrie
street, on Wednesday, the marriage of
Miss Ada Game and Frank Stromaker,
took place. Rev. H. W. Cross officiated.Roses, Carnations, Violets, Smilax,
and Asparagus Plumosa, in great
quantity at Tipton's Greenhouses,
Tel. No. 182, Headquarters for Floral
Decorations.Messrs. Cottart & Wilson report that
the roads are in a horrible condition.
They were once in a better state, but
today to a funeral and did not reach
town again until 9.30 last night.The prayer meeting this evening will
be held in the Methodist church, where
Rev. F. H. Larkin and Rev.
Robert Sims will be the speakers. Sub-
ject, Cooperation and Management of
Foreign Missions.The members of the Chatham Horti-
cultural Society are hereby notified
that the general meeting will be held
in the Old Town Hall on Wednesday
evening, Jan. 13th, at 7.30. W. E.
Rising, Secretary.Mrs. Alexander Burnett, of Edgar
street, who has been ill for some time,
this morning burst a blood vessel in
her head and as in a precarious con-
dition. Mrs. Burnett is well up in
years.Constable McGregor is out in Raleigh
today to bring in a man named Wash-
ington charged with common assault on
a girl, a relative. He is said to have
beaten her unmercifully and cut her
with a knife. He will be arraigned be-
fore Squire Forhan.A note has been issued against Chas.
J. New, of Thimmesville, to recover \$1
and for breach of contract. It is claim-
ed that the defendant subscribed for cer-
tain stock in the Farmers and Traders'
Life and Accident Assurance Co., re-
cently organized in St. Thomas, and that
he refused to pay the first instalment of
10 per cent.The 2 T's first green tag sale of un-
derwear commenced Saturday when they
will offer Men's half wool shirts and
drawers, 4c. quality, Green Tag sale
price, 25c. Men's natural wool shirts
and drawers, actual value 50c and 60c;
the Green Tag sale price \$7.12 cents.
Alfred Brothers' Australian striped wool
shirts and drawers, \$1 and \$1.25 quality,
Green Tag sale price 75c. Allan Bros.
unshrinkable health brand natural
wool shirts and drawers, 4 quality,
Green Tag sale price 75c. Men's finest
natural wool underwear, \$1.50 quality,
Green Tag sale price, 98c. Men's \$2.50
quality's wool underwear, Green Tag sale
price \$1.50.

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Gray, son of James Mitchell, corner
of Baxter and Park streets, underwent
an operation yesterday.Applicants for the membership, are
said to be numerous, both white and
colored being well represented.Mrs. Shannon Ward's son in the con-
tagious part of St. Joseph's hospital,
when said son was administered
for diphtheria, is doing well.R. H. Montgomery, Ogilla, represent-
ing the Grifflin Coy., Dundas, is in the
city on an inspection of the Cuban stock,
that will be sold on Wednesday next.The Central drug store will sell
Saturday only, a magnificent lot of
Analgesin at the very low price of 9c. T.
The plants are cheap at \$1.50. Come
early and secure the best.The school board will meet on Wed-
nesday the 20th inst., when the chair-
man will be appointed and committee
arranged. Dr. Fleming will likely be re-
appointed to provide; there will be sev-
eral changes in the committee.There was no gas on at the county
jail last night after seven o'clock.
Governor Mercer says that the old
fashioned tailor would give good
satisfaction and be more reliable than
the dominating article now furnished.Augustus Peterson, the tramp who
stole waste from the journals of J. T.
B. came Wm. B. Davis, from Wallace-
burg, and John Jones from Ridgeway,
were removed from the county jail to
the Central prison, where they will be
held until they can be sent to the
Reformatory, who also had fifteen
prisoners from Windsor.The Roman Catholic Separate school
board of trustees held a meeting last
night and transacted considerable busi-
ness. Trustees present were: Geo.
Chairman Dillon, Messrs. Blouin, Ger-
ard, Jacques, Dandurand, O'Neill, Taff,
Finistere and McQueen. Trustee King
was absent. Joe P. Finn's salary was
on motion of O'Neill and Jacques, in-
creased by fifty dollars.Several bad leaks have been found in
the Lacroix street water mains. A
sewer near the main absorbed the water
and the leak remained undiscovered for
a long time. Then Superintendent
Jones devised a gate to put in the
mouth of the sewer leak which the leak
and its extent was ascertained. Re-
pairs will probably be started to-mor-
row.The greatest colored shirt sale ever
started in Chatham commences to-mor-
row at Ridley & Co.'s. Cambric shirts
of all kinds with collars attached, 75c.
collars and cuffs separate, 75c. 100,
\$1.25, \$1.50, and \$1.75 goods all to go
at the same low price, 68c. spot cash.
The lowest price ever named in Chatham
for the same quality of stock. We
have only about two hundred, so come
soon, if you want one.The creditors of A. Cohen apparently
intend to make matters quite interest-
ing for our former townsmen, and un-
less he pays them at least seventy-five
cents on the dollar of his indebtedness
an effort will be made for his extradi-
tion. It is claimed that they have sev-
eral cases of fraud against him, and have
no doubt but that their application to
would be promptly entertained by the
United States authorities.E. W. Drake, district Supt. for the
York County Loan and Savings Co.'s
of Toronto, has "come up" his residence in
the city and in view of once to engage
a number of canvassers and collectors
for this county, Essex and Lambton.
The company has a sales territory of
\$1,000,000 and its plan of doing
business appears to commend itself to
borrowers much more readily than
many of its competitors. The money
borrowed can be repaid at the rate of
one dollar on each hundred each
month, and the loans can be repaid in
full at any time without extra charge,
and without previous notice. Mr. Drake
will call upon parties desiring to bor-
row money upon receiving a request
by addressing Chatham P. O., until he
secures suitable office rooms.

DOUBLE BARRELED AFFAIR.

The friendly rivalry which has long
existed between two of the leading
sportsmen in the west, W. B. Wells,
of this city, and T. G. Davey, of London,
today fair to develop once more before
the public in a series of interesting con-
tests. These matches will be the re-
sult of a challenge received by Mr.
Wells yesterday from the little London-
er, in which the latter expresses his de-
sire to bring down a company of four,
which he will captain, to compete with
him in a running contest, and a team
in a live pigeon shoot, to meet a simi-
lar number of Chathamians under the
captaincy of Mr. Wells. It is needless
to say the challenge will be promptly
accepted by Mr. Wells, who will at
once proceed to prepare his men for
the brush.

I. O. O. F. INSTALLATION.

At the regular meeting of Chatham
Encampment No. 10, I. O. O. F. F., held
last evening, the following patri-
archs were duly installed into their re-
spective offices for the ensuing term
by D. D. G. P. John Houser, of Wal-
laceburg, assisted by Past Chief Pa-
triarchs Wm. Foster, G. J. Wm.
H. Carwell, F. Phelps, Thos. V. Chal-
linor, Wm. Wing, Chas. Ayers, Dr.
Hall, Thos. Kins, Alex. McDougall and
Wm. H. Turley.

C. P. A. H. White.

S. W. A. Heath.

Fin. Secy.—A. M. Lafferty, P. C. P.

Scribe—Wm. W. Mitchell.

Treas.—John Turner, P. C. P.

High Priest—Wm. Fullerton.

J. W. H. Wiggins.

O. S.—Wm. Moore.

I. S.—H. Garrett.

Guide—Geo. Young.

1st Watch—Thos. M. Kane, P. C. P.

2nd Watch—Alex. McDougall, P. C. P.

3rd Watch—S. Tilley.

4th Watch—S. McGrogan.

J. P. C. P.—Amasa Kelley.

Chatham Encampment has been ex-
tremely prosperous during the past
term. After the installation of officers,
Bro. Houser complimented the En-
campment on the great progress they
had made during the past term, and the
worthy patriarch was highly compli-
mented for the able manner in which
he conducted the installation ceremony.
P. C. P. Dr. Hall also made a few inter-
esting remarks.

FROM 1000 PULPITS.

Eccelesiastical Thunder is Ex-
pected Next Sunday.

The Dominion and Manitoba Governments

Will be Condemned for the School

Settlement. It is held—Lord Aberdeen

said to have given advice to Mr. Laurier

Before the Montreal Banquet, which

Caused the Premier to Modify His

speech—His Excellency also Reminded

to have Requested the Home Authori-

ties to Ask Rome to Ask Manitoba

Catholics to Accept the Settlement.

Montreal, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—It is

understood that the ecclesiastical pul-

pit will fall from a thousand pulpits

on Sunday next, and that the set-
tlement of the Manitoba school
question, as entered into between the
Ontario and Manitoba Governments,
will be emphatically condemned, as
being at variance with the judgment
of the Queen's Privy Council and a
cowardly sacrifice of Roman Catholic
interests in the Prairie Province. The
condemnation will come in the shape
of a mandement signed by every arch-
bishop and bishop in the Province of
Quebec, the signature of Rev. Mr.
Gourmont, Vicar-General and Admin-
istrator, being affixed for the Diocese
of Montreal. It is also expected that
the mandement will be accom-
panied by a letter written by Mr. Faure
a few weeks before his death,
in which the prelate concurs in the
views of his episcopal confreres in the
matter of the Manitoba schools.

La Patrie and other French Liberal

newspapers, as well as their support-
ers, declare that the episcopacy is di-
vided on this question, and that, al-
though a mandement will be forth-
coming on Sunday next, it will lack
the signatures of Mr. Edmond of Val-
leyfield, Mr. Larocque of Sherbrooke
and another bishop, whose name has
not transpired. This, however, is a
vain hope, as our correspondent has
learned from the authorities of Mr. Ed-
mond and another bishop, that the
entire episcopacy is thoroughly united
on this question. There is, however,
some little difference of opinion among
the hierarchy as to the advisability of
censuring public newspapers, and this
fact may possibly prevent any further
episcopal utterance on the subject of
the public press. It is quite proba-
ble that Mr. Edmond and one or two of
the other prelates are against con-
demning La Patrie, Le Cultivateur and
Le Signal, but there is no authority
for the statement that these bishops
will not follow their confreres in the
general bombardment of Sunday next.
Windsor's Quebec correspondent
mentions a rumor to the effect that
after the issue of the mandement con-
demning La Patrie, the Governor-
General called Mr. Laurier and had
a long interview with him, the result
being that the Premier's banquet was
greatly modified from what it was origi-
nally intended to be. The same rumor
adds that Lord Aberdeen has sent a com-
munication to the British Minister for
the Colonies, for the purpose of
securing for the Premier's banquet the
appointment of an archbishop who may be
personally acquainted with the Federal Gov-
ernment, and also to prevent the con-
demnation of the school question set-
tlement.

Mr. Charles M. Hays, General Man-

ager of the Grand Trunk system, in-
forms that if the city would grant to her
the company the land, the general of-
fices might be removed from Point St.
Charles to a more convenient place
in the city.

There is a good deal of interest these

days over the Tariff Commission evi-
dence given by Mr. Edgar Judge,
President of the Corn Exchange. Mr.
Alex. Mitchell, President of the Re-
form Club, has stated to Sir Richard
and the Finance Minister, that the Na-
tional Policy was ruining the country
and that the duty should be taken
off American flour and that the big
Canadian millers were monopolists.
Mr. Edgar Judge followed, saying,
among other things, that when Mr.
Mitchell had been manager of the
Lake of the Woods Company he had
put his list of the duties on the
company, and that the capital of the
company had been depleted one-half.
Mr. Mitchell, having reproached Mr.
Judge for the language used, Mr.
Robert Meighen, the President of the
Lake of the Woods Company, came
forward and manfully assumed the
responsibility of the statement. Mr.
Mitchell also had some words with
Mr. W. W. Orville, and how he de-
clared that if Messrs. Ogilvie, Meighen
and Judge do not offer an apology he
will enter an action for damages
against the whole three.

OVER 100 CHARGES OF BRIBERY.

Bill of Particulars Filed Against Hugh

John Macdonald—Mr. Boyd Admits

Bribery by Agents.

Winnipeg, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—The

bill of particulars on which the peti-
tion to unseat Hon. Hugh John Mac-
donald is based, was filed today. It
contains over one hundred charges of
bribery by agents, but there are no
personal charges against Mr. Macdonald
aid. Several of Winnipeg's most
prominent citizens, including J. H.
Brook, Thos. Kelly, Dr. D. Wood, E.
H. Gilmour, W. H. Hastings, E. L.
Dewey, William George, Daniel
Sprague, Frank Boyd and Dr. En-
gels are charged with wrongful acts
in Hugh John's interests. It will take
a month to hear evidence on all the
charges. The Tariff Commission
publishes to-night the complete bill
of particulars, which occupies two pages.
It is stated to-night that Hon. Hugh
John Macdonald will resign the seat
for Winnipeg, and announce himself
as a candidate for re-election.

There is now little doubt that Mr. Martin

will be the Liberal candidate. Another
battle royal may be looked for soon.
In the election trial for the Macdon-
ald constituency to-day proceedings
were brought to an abrupt termination
by the adjournment, on the part of
counsel for Mr. Boyd, the member-
elect, of bribery by agents. The
Judge then declared the election void,
pending judgment by the Ottawa Su-
preme Court on the appeal respecting
extrajudicial objections. If the judg-
ment at Ottawa favors Mr. Boyd he
will retain the seat, as all the petition
proceedings will fall.

Scalplings are down.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 7.—(Daily) The result

of the second big scalping sale in London
is known, few if any of the best remaining
pieces were left for the buying crowd,
as the owners are determined to take no
more long chances. The sale takes place
on the 10th, when 300 skins will be
tossed, and unless an improvement is had
on the London prices, upwards of 25 Vi-
ctoria scalpers will not go out.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the part-

nership existing between the under-

signed as grocers in the city of Chatham
will be dissolved by mutual consent on
February 1st, 1897, by which time
all accounts and past due notes must
be paid to firm of Hayward & Kitchin,
40 S. BAYVIEW,
J. B. KITCHIN.

Hayward's Liniment for sale every-

where.

DRESDEN.

Jan. 7.—Miss Murtich, school teacher,
is confined to the house through ill-
ness.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Austin, of Dakota,
are here on a visit.
The benedictine hold an assembly next
Friday evening in the Grand Opera.
C. Tassie returned from London
last evening.
Sam'l Cowell, of Detroit, arrived
here last evening.Come to the big sale of Colored Shirts,
commencing to-day at Ridley & Co.—
75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75, collar at-
tached, and cuffs and collars separate.
Spot Cash! The price only 68c. 11-21

SUNDAY.

Jan. 8.—Conductor Snyder will lec-
ture in the Methodist church on the
evening of January 18th next, on the
subject, "Queer People." Next, on the
subject, "Herbert Wilson and children,"
Mrs. Herbert Wilson and children, of
Detroit, are visiting at her father's, Mr.
Joe Wilson.

Mr. D. McLaughlin spent Thursday in

town, returning last evening.

Mr. O. B. Sheldon's live pigeon shoot
begins at 10 o'clock this morning on
the gun club grounds.On Tuesday evening Rev. E. I.
Steeves united in marriage Mr. Edwin
Bunnell, barber, and Miss Haley Anger,
daughter of Peter Anger, of Raglan.
The Planet wishes the young couple
every happiness and a long and pros-
perous life.Mr. Hall and son left last even-
ing for Toronto. Mr. Hall, as assignee
of the insolvent estate of Sales & Hall-
iday, will meet the various creditors of
the firm there.

The Daily Planet is on sale at the

stationary stores of Robert Cooper,
James Holmes, C. C. McPhee, and
Burt's Drug Store.

THE TARIFF COMMISSION

elicits some strange and curious facts,
but more more true than the good
most spoken by both Free-Traders and
Protectionists for MINARD'S LIN-
IMENT.They are our BEST ADVERTISE-
MENT, and we esteem them of more
value than all the fences and barns in
the country covered with posters.Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Straw-
berry cures Diarrhoea, Dysentery,
Colic, Cramps, Cholera, Cholera infantum,
Cholera morbus and all summer
complaints and fluxes of the bowels in
children and adults.

COLLECTORS AND CANYASSERS WANTED.

For East and West Kent, Essex and
Lambton Counties, and Villages of
Chatham, Kent, address (P. O. No. 260)
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Will exchange a half section in Manitoba
that is within half a mile of a good market,
for a farm in Kent or will buy from 5 to 25
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The Williams Mfg. Co. Ltd. Montreal, P.Q.

Friday, January 8th

Will arrive to-morrow, five hundred
of the choicest fish we can buy. Pike,
Pickeral, Bass, Lake Shad, Mullet,
Carp and Purr. Choice cuts Meat.
Fine Vegetables. Prices reasonable.
We can deliver a nice fresh fish to any
part of the city, cleaned and dressed in
a few minutes. Good goods at reason-
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Loans can be repaid in part or in full with-
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York County Loan and Savings Co., of Toronto,
P. O. Box 300, Chatham, Ont.
Residence—11 Lorne Avenue.

Agents Wanted.

Candies, Nuts and

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