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If you have a sense of weakness and nervous exhaustion these days, it is quite sure to be due to a lack of iron in the blood.

DR. KLEIN'S ENGLISH IRON BLOOD PILLS

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We have light weight goods that have fashion and quality. The best we could buy. Really good material, worked into **First-class Suits** by workmen who know how to get fashionable effects, is what you want.

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TO-NIGHT.

Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Maccabees' Hall, at 8.
The Victoria Ave. Epworth League at 8 o'clock.
St. Andrew's Church Y. P. Society, lecture hall, at 8.
First Presbyterian Young People's Literary Society at 8.
Young People's Society, lecture hall William St. Baptist Church, at 8.
Peninsula Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., in their rooms over Public Library, Full parade of the 24th Regiment at 8 o'clock. All the ceremonial work for St. Thomas will be gone through.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, May 22—10 a. m.—Moderate to fresh northerly to easterly winds; fine and slightly cooler. Saturday, easterly winds; fair until evening.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:
Thermometer 56.
Highest yesterday 85.
Lowest yesterday 54.
Direction of wind, west.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. If Manson Campbell went to Detroit to-day.

Fire works of every description at Brisco's.

Capt. S. M. Smith was in Detroit yesterday.

A complete variety of fishing tackle at Brisco's.

W. M. Drader is in Dresden to-day on business.

David Wilson, of Morpeth, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Sam. Kennan is able to be out again, after a few days' illness.

Mrs. Wm. Potter, Queen St., spent yesterday with friends in Detroit.

A large crowd took in the Thursday excursion to Detroit yesterday.

L. J. Ferritor, Capt. of this division of the G. T. R., was in Chatham yesterday.

A. B. Carscallen, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday on legal business.

A Grand Trunk special train will carry the regiment to St. Thomas on Sunday, May 24th.

City Engineer Jones is staking off Cross St. for the new vitrified brick pavement to be put down there.

Jeremiah Kleborn, Foster St., fell down his cellar stairs yesterday and severely fractured a couple of ribs. He will be laid up for a few days.

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At the last meeting of Camp Carlyle, No. 82, Sons of Scotland, Past Chief John McKay was elected the delegate to the Grand Camp meeting, which will be held in Brantford next month.

Mrs. James Glasgow, of Chicago, who recently underwent a surgical operation at the Windsor Hospital, is now stopping at the residence of John Glasgow, city, and progressing favorably.

The complete renovation of Judge Bell's house, on the corner of Stanley Ave. and William Sts., is fast nearing completion. When finished the house will be occupied by Mr. Crombe, of the firm of Geo. Stephens & Company. J. L. Wilson & Son are the architects.

In the account of the ordination at William street Baptist church in last night's Planet the names of the delegates from the Thamesville church were inadvertently omitted. They were, pastor, Rev. W. H. Redmond; deacon Wm. Boam and deacon E. A. Jones.

Over 60 cars of live stock went through Chatham on the C. P. R. yesterday from the States to the Old country. "A notable fact about these cattle is that they are given room to lie down," said a citizen as he watched a train load go by. "That's something the Canadian shippers don't do. They just pack as many as possible into a car."

Chatham's Millinery Store!

WE ARE MAKING
Special Trimmed Hats
For this week from \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 up, in a large variety of shades in black, white and colors, trimmed with chiffon, velvet ribbon, lace, flowers, and foliage. Children's Hats a specialty.

C. A. Cooksley.
Opposite the Market Square.

Mrs. Craft, VanAllen avenue, is very ill.

John Flook went to Walkerville this morning.

J. D. Moir, of Ennett, was in the city yesterday.

Bicycles for sale at Geo. Stephens & Co.; all prices.

James S. Greenhill, of Leamington, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

James Sterling, of Blenheim, called on his Chatham friends yesterday.

M. S. Kennedy, V. S., of Wallaceburg, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

J. L. Campbell's three-year-old son fell off a fence yesterday and broke his arm.

O. L. Lewis was in London yesterday in connection with the Morris will case.

Prof. A. H. Welch, D. O., F. A. I. P., the celebrated Scientific Examiner, private readings 50c. Merrill Hotel.

C. W. Rekowski, of the Wallaceburg Beet Sugar Company, is in the city to-day on business.

The sidewalk on Prince St., by the jail, which has caused much annoyance is being repaired.

W. M. Drader shipped two cars of stock to-day, one to Montreal and one to Cote St. Paul, Que.

Herb Mount, of the Klondyke Hotel, cut his hand very badly yesterday morning. He required the services of a surgeon.

Victoria Day will give you an opportunity of consulting the celebrated Phenologist, Merrill Hotel, Special hand readings 50c.

Refrigerators, screen doors, ice cream freezers, lawn mowers, hose, hammocks and bicycles. Full and fresh assortment at low prices. Geo. Stephens & Co.

Mrs. John R. Snell has returned from Cleveland, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Couzens, who has been very ill.

Fred. Thibault appeared before Judge Houston this morning charged with assault. He paid the costs, \$7, and the case was dismissed. O. L. Lewis defended.

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Wanted—A good salesman, wanted for selling machinery, etc., in the country; one who can speak French and English. Apply, addressing A. H. Patterson, Box 232, Chatham, Ont.

The Rev. Rural Dean McCosh has lodged a complaint with the police against John Curtis, who is training a colt for John Mount. Mr. McCosh says that both the man and horse got angry with each other in front of the fire hall and the language and abuse was awful. He also states that the firemen, who are constables, witnessed the whole escapade without interfering.

"The attention of the humane officer should be called to this matter," said a Queen St. resident to a Planet reporter this morning. "Yesterday was hog shipping day at the G. T. R. and there were many loads of live hogs taken down this street. In some of the wagons the hogs were packed so close together and the day was so hot that several of them were smothered to death. I think the humane officer should look after this cruelty."

Capt. McDonald brought his schooner, the Kelfage, into port this morning. The boat is loaded with a cargo for the Blomde Co. The Kelfage met with an accident on her up trip. In the rapids on the St. Clair river the towline slipped from the tug that was towing the schooner up and, drifting down stream, the tug Boeco Bell ran into the Kelfage, breaking her bowsprit. The wind was fair in Lake Huron and the Kelfage proceeded to Johnston's harbor for her cargo. The damage was repaired while the boat was being loaded. The Kelfage was rebuilt this spring and is now in the A2 straight class for insurance.

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Some Saturday Items on Sale

AT THE GORDON STORE.
Don't Miss These Prime Values and Many More Like Them.

21 pieces Navy Blue and Garnet, Black and White Serges, Polka Dots, Stripes, etc., extra wide, fit for men's, women's and children's wear, warranted colors, and will not fade, at 12½c. per yd.

50 pieces fine fancy Dimity Lawns, 10c.

100 ends of 20c. and 25c. Gingham, heavy yard wide, new weaves, warranted at 12½c.

Shirting and Apron Checks, warranted fast colors, 6c., 7c., 8c., 10c., 12½c., from one yard to 40 in. wide.

Sun Umbrellas—every one a special bargain, \$2.00 to 75c.

DRESS GOODS.

See our window filled with special cuts number one dress materials, all colors, in all wool Canvas Cloths, Albatros, Serges and fancy weaves, 50c. and 60c. values at 25c., 32c. and 36c. per yard. Don't Miss these.

JAPANESE WASH SILKS.

Cream and Black for Summer Waists, 36c. yard.

OUR TAILORED SUIT SALE CONTINUES.

Note the prices: \$6.50, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$10.50, \$13.50, \$14.50, \$15.00, \$16.00 and \$18.00.

Suits on sale..... \$4.98
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"..... 9.98

GREAT TOWEL VALUES.

Two special lines Saturday, 2 for 20c. and 2 for 25c, large—linen.

A 5-4 Damask Towel, fit for stand cover, at 25c.

A bale of that Crash No. 1 Rolling just in—at 5c.

Russia and Scoured Crash—8c., 10c., 12½c.

Sterling Value—White Cambrics—yard wide, just the thing for skirts and covers—a few pieces left at 8c.

MAY SALE WHITEWEAR.

A big success, especially for the buyer, who saves money and time with every purchase—Robes, Skirts, Covers, Drawers, &c.

Millinery Blooming and Booming.

Order your Holiday Hat here now. **Travelling Hats** now in order, prevailing colors Burnt Straw and Navy. **Bridal Hats** a specialty. See our White June Hats with June Roses for next month. Pretty Black Chiffon Hats for dress occasions. See our White and Black Plumes.

JUNE STANDARD
DRESS-
A BRIGHT
NUMBER, 100ts

and M. Kelly, of Fletcher, for Lethbridge, Alta.

DRESDEN

May 22—Mr. J. C. Tassie met with an unfortunate accident on Wednesday which will disable him for some time. He was standing on a ladder when he fell, dislocating his ankle.

The many friends of Mr. R. T. Mussen regret to learn that he will leave Dresden shortly for Dunville, where he will assume the management of the Canadian Bank of Commerce there. Mr. Mussen has been in Dresden for five years, during which time he has made a large number of friends both in town and the surrounding country.

Miss Mary McPherson is in Blenheim visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. C. Gordon, of Winnipeg, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallen, North Dresden, left for home on Wednesday. She was accompanied by Miss Edna Huff, who will make an extended visit to the Northwest.

Wm. McLean, of St. Thomas, was in town on business Wednesday and Thursday.

Robert Aikin is having an acetylene gas plant installed in his store.

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May 21—Mr. E. J. Buzzard, proprietor of the Erie House, who bought the Hall Block recently, has fixed it up slick, both outside and inside. A large dining room in the centre of the building and several sample rooms on the ground floor and the upstairs are made into bedrooms.

Mrs. G. B. Merritt will hold a sale of her household goods on Saturday, May 30th, at one p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sheldon have returned from Winnipeg.

The annual East Kent Teachers' Convention is being held at Bothwell to-day and Friday. The teachers from the town, Samson, and Fourth Line schools drove over. They started not long after the fire alarm sounded this morning.

All Blenheim was astir at 2 a. m. this morning, the fire alarm and school bell being rung. The fire was at Chris. Williston's property at the east end. It soon got under the barn and was all burnt, and the greater part of the house.

Mr. J. B. Coates, of Ridgetown, was in town this week.

Miss Mabel Hall has returned from Detroit and is likely to remain home for the summer.

Dr. S. G. Story, who is taking a post-graduate course in the John Hopkins Hospital at Baltimore, will be home on Saturday and will be ready for practice next week.

Mr. Geo. Bounnell is staying at Erieau for a few days painting his best Erie B.

Mr. Donald Cameron, of Detroit, visited friends and relatives in town and vicinity on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Collar moved into their new home on Hall street last week.

Mr. Fred. Treadgold, of London, has been visiting his sister, Miss Libbie Treadgold here.

The Salvation Army will hold their self-denial week from May 24th to 31st.

Sheriff Gemmill, of Chatham, was in town yesterday serving papers in connection with the trial of Joseph Hamilton on the charge of perjury, which comes up for hearing at the June sessions.

The final arrangements are being made for the monster celebration on Victoria Day. In the morning there will be a calithumpian procession and slow horse race. In the afternoon the horse races and good show at the Opera House.

Bill Dodge, an Indian very well known in this section of Kent, was found dead on the roadside in Tilbury East. It is supposed he was drunk and fell out of the rig.

Mr. R. T. Williamson left for Midland, Ont., this week on an extended visit.

Mr. Ed. Hamblly, of Cedar Springs, left last Thursday for Victoria, B. C., for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Drew, of Bothwell, are visiting the latter's brother, Mr. O. Vansickle, Centre Line.

FIRE WORKS

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Bicycles for pleasure.
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Cushion frame wheels.
Massey-Harris—best in Canada.
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Cheaper wheels, all prices, good stock of Second-Hand Bicycles.

Complete assortment at all prices—
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Lace Curtain Week.

We have secured a large consignment of Lace Curtains at manufacturers' cost, and will sell them this week at regular wholesale prices.

224 pairs of Lace Curtains, ranging in price from 35c to \$4.25.

This Week Sale Price 25c. to \$3.50...

Come early and secure first choice.

Ask to see our **White Counterpanes**, grand values at **75c., \$1, \$2 and \$5.**

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