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VARIOUS TOPICS OF INTEREST.

Under Hon. Dr. Fyne the Ontario Education Department is introducing modern business methods into its affairs. Among others is one that will commend itself to the thousands of candidates who annually write on the departmental midsummer examinations. Formerly a program was posted in the examination room and the rules read aloud on the opening day. Now a detachable slip is attached to every application form. This slip contains the rules and the program in full so that every pupil knows exactly where he is at.

The methods of the Dominion Government in bringing undesirable immigrants to Canada is receiving censure from more than the Conservative members in the House. The Windsor Record, Liberal, publishes the following: "The Record has long objected to Dominion Government methods as tending to bring in undesirable immigrants, and facts have justified that objection many times. General Booth of the Salvation Army said a few weeks ago that Canada should be glad to pay for immigrants coming out of his country. Canada has been paying for immigrants, but it is improbable that she will do so again. That graft has been punctured."

The St. Thomas Journal, one of the most biased and prejudiced Liberal newspapers in the province, at last has to admit that there is something good in Mr. Whitney. This remarkable turnover on the part of the Journal is only another evidence of the fact that Premier Whitney's policy of government is striking everyone as being the right kind for this province. In discussing the liquor bill the Journal says: "The Ontario Government has a clause in the new act that should meet with general approval, and which makes it an offence for the man, who is on the Indian list, to frequent or hang around bar-rooms. The Government should go further and provide a good stiff penalty for any person found in a bar-room or drinking during prohibited hours."

The fact that Mr. Whitney is devoting much time and study to the Niagara Power question has occasion some comment from a few newspapers to the effect that the question is beyond him, and that he does not care to enter into the scheme as far as his lieutenant, Hon. Mr. Beak, wishes to go. The following from the Toronto News may silence a few of these would-be critics: "Mr. Whitney denies the rumor that Mr. Beak has run ahead of the Government in his enthusiastic advocacy of publicly-owned power. The Premier announces that the policy of the Government will be made known in a few days, but by his endorsement of Mr. Beak he has already implied that a vigorous attempt will be made to reduce the cost of power to the consumer. The details of the plan will be eagerly awaited."

In regard to the question which has been asked frequently of late in regard to why licenses had been issued in the Township of Harwich, where local option had been carried by a majority of four hundred, it is explained that while local option was carried in the township the by-law was appealed at Osgoode Hall and upset on a technicality. The Council was warned promptly that if it did not again pass the by-law and again submit it to the people, licenses would be issued at the beginning of the license year. No notice was taken of the notification, and so the department has again granted licenses. This means that Harwich township will have hotels for another year, whether it wants them or not.

The people of the United States, says the Woodstock Express, show a commendable spirit in deciding to do without the contributions of other nations for the relief of San Francisco. The action of Canada, however, in promptly contributing to the relief of the unfortunate people is also to be commended. "He gives twice who gives quickly," and

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Black, Tan and White
The bootblacks all use
"2 in 1" Shoe Polish—
Pleased customers and
many of them.



It is better to risk having a contribution not accepted than to have delayed in a time of great need.

THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Grand—
The Yankee Consul—April 28.
Way Down East—May 2.
Richard & Pringle's Minstrels—May 8.
The Holy City—May 14.
The Tenderfoot—May 16.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

THE YANKEE CONSUL.
From a musical standpoint, "The Yankee Consul," the new comic opera, will present at the Grand Opera House, to-morrow (Saturday) night, is said to be the peer of all comic operas, or so-called musical comedies, and enjoys the distinction of possession one of the prettiest choruses on the road. In selecting the members of this chorus for the trans-continental tour, Lady of the prettiest and daintiest girls ever seen upon any stage are included in "The Yankee Consul's" roster.

Ain't it Funny What a Difference Just a Few Hours Make, Mr. San Domingo said, in the Olden Days, I'd Like to Be a Soldier, and in Old New York, have been whistled the length and breadth of the land and are only a few of the song numbers which will be introduced during the presentation of the piece.

Harry Short, the well-known comedian, who is playing the leading comedy role in "The Yankee Consul," is one of the foremost exponents of comic opera fun-making in the profession.

Miss Vera Mitchell, the beautiful and talented prima donna of the company, is possessed of a splendid voice, and the roster also includes Miss Hooper, Miss Botti, Jas. Tepleton, Jos. Ratcliffe, Linwood R. Jefferson, Wallace Jenkins, Margaret Flavin, Maud Resinger, Olga Kalmeng, Geo. Shields, Maud Beaumont, and a host of others.

The scenes having been laid on the Isle of San Domingo, splendid opportunity is given for a magnificent scene environment, gorgeous costumes and lavish effects.

Curtain held until 9 o'clock. Special cars from Wallaceburg.

"Way Down East," with its real people, its real story, and its almost real snow storm, is the announcement of the Grand Opera House for Wednesday, May 2nd.

The play has been seen in this city several times before, but it is an excellent repeater, as evidenced by its frequent return engagements in New York and Chicago.

"Way Down East" will be acted by a cast that is almost identical with that of last season. Many theatre-goers who have seen the play will be pleased at the opportunity of seeing it again, and those who have never witnessed it should certainly reserve May 2 for the Grand.

COD LIVER OIL.

It almost makes you sick to think of it, but it isn't nearly as bad as it used to be. The improved method of refining it makes it much easier to take, and when made into Scott's Emulsion almost every one can take it. Most children like it and all children that are not robust are benefited by it. When the doctor says "Take cod liver oil," he generally means Scott's Emulsion; ask him if he doesn't. They know it is more easily digested and better than the plain oil.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Toronto, Ont.

The surest way to fail is to imitate another man's success.

DEMOCRATS AHEAD.

Odessa's Election Returns, Repeat Tale Told Elsewhere.

St. Petersburg, April 24.—Returns of the vote cast in the election held on Sunday reveals the time of Democratic victory. The elections at Odessa were a repetition of those at St. Petersburg and Moscow.

The Constitutional Democrats elected 79 out of 80 electors and again carried Orenburg and Rostov-on-Don, where the Government quashed the first elections.

They also have invaded the Council of the Empire, the university professors choosing a solid block of six Constitutional Democrats. Besides M. Shipoff at Moscow, two other Otorists councillors were chosen.

Father Gapon Hanged.
London, April 24.—An extraordinary story was published by The Manchester Guardian yesterday from a correspondent in Russia, asserting that Father Gapon was hanged secretly on April 10 by four revolutionists who overheard him admit that he was spying on his former revolutionary colleagues in behalf of the Russian police.

St. Petersburg, April 24.—Friends of Father Gapon claim to have information that the priest has fallen into the hands of the Holy Synod, which condemned him for forsaking the priestly orders to indefinite imprisonment in a monastery.

GOOD PROMOTERS.

They Must Possess the Power of Inspiring Confidence.
A story is told about a young fellow who applied at a big banking establishment for a position and who upon being told that all the clerks were filled said quite confidentially, "I've never worked at the promoting business, but can't you send me to some friend of yours who needs a promoter?"

Strange indeed it is that almost every one of the successful promoters of the present day is a man who went into the exceedingly difficult work with scarcely more preparation than had gone the venturesome youth of this yarn.

Gifted with good address, control of the English language, fluency of speech and determination, a man who enters banks in the field has in his possession the qualities that have made many promoters rich and powerful. Many of them were lawyers to begin with. Others were life insurance agents. One or two sold stock in a small way. Gradually each of these men came to see that carrying out a new way for himself would give him a wider and more substantial future. And then at that moment the promoter was born.

But whether these promoters have won their spurs by organizing big concerns or corporations or by selling those already in the field there is not one of them but will tell you that most of his success was due to his power to inspire confidence. A promoter that can't make "the other fellow" believe in him and in his proposition might better be cleaning the streets. He never will succeed.

The successful promoter must be able not only to look men in the eye, but he must also be able to face the most discouraging circumstances and fight his way through them. "Fall" is a word the meaning of which he must never learn.

And the rewards? They range from millions to a fee of \$7 that was once paid to a promoter who successfully promoted the amalgamation of two competing bootblack establishments.

THE HINDOO FOOT.

It is Quite Different From Ours in Its Formation.

In the native quarters of the towns of India the strange spectacle may be seen of a butcher using a piece of meat in his hands and cutting it in two with a stroke of his knife held between the first and second toes of his foot. The shoemaker uses no last, but turns the unfinished shoe with his feet, while his hands are busy in shaping it. So the carpenter holds with his great toe the board he is cutting, and the wood turner handles his tools as well with his toes as with his fingers.

This use of the feet to assist the hands in their labor is not, however, the mere result of practice, but is principally due to the fact that the Hindoo foot is quite different from ours in its anatomical conformation. The ankle of the Hindoo and the articulation of the back of the foot permit considerable lateral motion. Then the toes possess a surprising mobility. The great toe can be moved freely in all directions, and the first and second toes are separated by a wide space, sometimes as much as five-eighths of an inch across at the base of the toes and two inches at their extremities.

The articulation of the hip is also peculiar, and this renders it easier to use the toes in handling the objects by enabling the Hindoo to sit in a squatting posture much more comfortably than we can do. A similar formation of the feet and toes is found among the Anamese, but it is not, as might be supposed, a common thing among barbarous and savage tribes.

One naturally thinks of the resemblance to a monkey which a human being using both feet and hands in the manner described above must present, and yet the Hindoo foot is not at all like the foot of an ape or monkey. The great toe is not opposed to the other toes like a thumb, as occurs with the monkey, and accordingly the pedal dexterity of the Hindoos is not to be taken as an indication of simian descent.

Money always goes faster than it comes.

No man can be happy all to himself.

Minard's Liniment cures Burns,

DISTRICT

TILBURY

April 26.—Miss Alice Ludlam, of Leamington, was the guest of Miss Eva Stewart this week.
Thomas Horneck, of Quinn, is dangerously ill with appendicitis.
Misses Pilon and Lemais, of McGregor, were the guests of Father Parent this week.
The Rowland Stock Company are billed for Anderson Hall for three nights, commencing this evening.
Miss Gertrude Naylor, of Essex, was the guest of the Misses Jardine this week.
Misses Annie and Susie Miller leave to-day to visit their father at Port Arthur.
Mrs. D. Smith was a Detroit visitor yesterday.

That pain in the Back is Kidney Trouble

GIN PILLS WILL CURE IT

A strain or severe cold, or a dozen other causes may have started it, but the Kidneys are at the bottom of it. Backache (especially in the "small" of the back) means Kidney Disease. Plasters and liniments give some relief, but they never cure. Lots of people, with swollen hands and feet, are treating themselves for rheumatism, when, in fact, their sick kidneys are causing the pain and swelling. GIN PILLS cure that pain in the Back every time, because they cure the Kidneys.

OTTAWA, March 17th, 1905.
I had the honor of being appointed assistant to the chief artist of London "Black and White" to accompany him three years ago to China to help him get pictures of the Boxer Uprising. That is a hard country on the kidneys. I came back very much troubled, and have been ever since. My attention was called to GIN PILLS I have taken two boxes, and can positively say that I have never felt better in my life.
H. MANLY.

If you have tried plasters, liniments and doctors, save your money and try GIN PILLS. FREE. Write us your name and address, and in what paper you saw this offer, and we will send you a free sample box of GIN PILLS. These famous Pills for Sick Kidneys are sold by all druggists at 50c a box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50.

THE BOLE DRUG CO. - WINNIPEG, MAN.

DRESDEN

April 26.—J. B. Quesallen is in Toronto on business.

Dr. Colville, of Tupperville, was in town on Wednesday.
Monday morning, April 25th, Mamie Harvey, formerly of Dresden, and D. Swartz, of Sarnia, were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Brady, at Wallaceburg. On Tuesday morning, Florence Harvey, graduate of Grace Hospital, Cleveland, and Patrick Burns, of Dresden, were married at Wallaceburg by Father Brady. The happy couples spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ennelt.

Mrs. James McVein and Miss Eva McVein were Chatham visitors on Wednesday.

Mr. Brubaker and family, of Berlin, have moved into the house recently vacated by M. McGuire, North Dresden. Mr. Brubaker will take charge of the cheese factory for the season.

Charles Tague has exchanged his house and blacksmith shop, North Dresden, for the farm owned by W. Bryden, in Dawn. Mr. and Mrs. Gage will rent rooms in town for the summer months.

Miss Beatrice Davies, of Tupperville, spent Tuesday at her home here.

Emerson Meadows has bought the house owned by Frank Ogletree and is moving in this week.

THAT STAB-LIKE PAIN IN THE SMALL OF THE BACK COMES FROM THE KIDNEYS

AND CAN BE CURED BY

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

It is not the back that is aching, but the kidneys which are situated beneath the small of the back.
Therefore, dull pain in the back, or sharp, quick twinges, are warnings of sick kidneys—warnings of kidney trouble. Plasters and liniments will not cure a bad back, for they cannot reach the kidneys which cause it. Doan's Kidney Pills reach the kidneys. That is what they are for and that only. So, if you would be free from backache, swelling of the feet and ankles, frequent or suppressed urine, painful sensation when urinating, specks floating before the eyes, frequent thirst, brick-dust deposit in the urine, or anything wrong with the urinary organs or bladder, you must keep your kidneys well. Help them to work freely, and help them to flush off all the body's waste and impurities.

Doan's Kidney Pills are made from the purest roots and herbs, and have a remarkable healing and tonic effect on the kidneys. Mrs. Barling, 26 Locomotive Street, Hamilton, Ont., writes: "I had been troubled considerably with my kidneys, using many remedies, but finding no relief. I tried Doan's Kidney Pills and found them to act directly on the kidneys, and making me feel strong again."
Price 50 cents per box, three boxes for \$1.25, all dealers or The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

THAMESVILLE

April 26.—Married, at the home of

Final Clearing
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Saturday at
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...SHOPPERS DAY...

Long Silk Gloves
16 to 20 Inch
Pure Silk, Black
and Cream, a Pair
50c, 60c. and 75c

As sure as the doors of this helpful store open every Saturday morning the crowds will come for the Saturday Bargains.

For the last Saturday in April we would like to double our Saturday's trade. These offerings will help a long way to that end. There is genuine merit in every item of this list, and genuine economy in all the prices. Shop in the forenoon if possible; we can give you better attention then than is possible during the afternoon rush. READ!

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| 50c Grey Tweed Suits 29c | New Cravenettes 88c Yd. | A Snap in Hose |
| 42 in. wide stylish grey mixed tweeds, spring weight, light or mid shades, reg. 50c values, Saturday | Fine shower proof wool cravenettes, 60 inch wide, in greys and fawns for rain-coats and short spring coats, Saturday a yard | A special purchase—70 doz. Ladies' fine full fashioned black cotton hose, seamless feet, fast dye, sizes 8, 8½, 9, 9½, worth 18c a pair, Saturday |
| 29c | 88c | 2 for 25c |
| 35c Dress Goods 25c | 75c Tweed Suits 49c | Ribbons—Half Price |
| 8 pieces new spring Dress Goods in spot and check brilliants and granite suitings, 42 inches wide, full range plain colors, choice values at 35c to 40c a yard, Saturday | In range of stylish grey blue and green mixtures, correct spring weight, 44 to 56 in. wide, reg. 75c and 85c yard, Saturday | Rich silk and satin Ribbons, 2 inch to 4 inch wide, in wide range colors, regular 10c, 11½c and 15c yard, Saturday |
| 25c | 49c | 7c |
| Shantung Silks | A Kid Glove Bargain | 15c Pearl Buttons 10c doz. |
| (Raw silks) 24 inch and 34 inch wide, fine all silk qualities in white and linen shades, at a yard | For 86 people. Just 86 pairs fine 2 and 3 dome genuine French kid gloves, standard makes, just slightly soiled, many perfect, colors greys and tans, good range sizes, regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 a pair, clearing Saturday at | 75 dozen genuine sea Pearl Buttons, assorted sizes in ball and 4 hole flat shapes, regular 15c and 18c doz. Saturday |
| 50c and 75c | 58c | 10c |

Special Millinery Values

For Saturday buyers. We have made special preparations, and have on hand the choicest assortment of stylish trimmed Hats we have ever seen. The styles are the very latest, and the prices will please you.

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| Lace Curtains at \$1.50 pair | Print Wrappers | Stunning Silk Waists |
| Saturday we offer 60 pairs handsome lace curtains, 3½ yards long, 54 to 58 in. wide, good value at \$2.00 a pair for | Good quality dark print, fast colors, flounced skirts, waist trimmed and lined, at each 89c, \$1.00 and | The prettiest styles we have ever shown and lots of them—fine India wash silks elaborately made and trimmed, black and ivory at each \$2.00, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and |
| \$1.50 | \$1.25 | \$5.90 |
| Children's Cambric Drawers | White Lawn Waists | Northway Made Spring Coats |
| Lace trimmed, assorted sizes, slightly soiled, regular 35c and 40c, Saturday | The largest and choicest range you will see hereabouts, perfect fitting waists, beautifully made and trimmed, at each 75c, 89c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and | That means they are "RIGHT" in every particular—fine fawn covert coats, loose or fitted styles at each, \$5.50, \$10.00 and |
| 25c | 35c | \$12.50 |
| Ladies' 50c Cambric Drawers | | Black Coats |
| 39c | | Fine Kersey and Box Cloths, handsomely tailored, perfect fitting, at each |
| Fine cambric, wide lace frill and 3 rows torchon insertion, reg. 50c, Saturday | | \$10 and \$8.50 |
| 39c | | |

50c. Linoleums 39c.

7 pieces heavy English Linoleums 3 yards and 4 yards wide, choice floral and tile designs, regular 45c. and 50c. yard, Saturday 39c.

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| 75c and \$1.00 Corsets at 48c | Special Values | Soiled Lace Curtains |
| Pair | | Sample Pairs, no two alike, slightly soiled, but otherwise perfect, clearing Saturday at |
| A mixed lot, but all up-to-date styles in corsets and girdles, sizes 18 to 27, reg. 75c and \$1.00 a pair, Saturday | in Carpets and | One-Third Off |
| 48c | | |
| White Lace Muslins 4c. Yard | Rugs Saturday | New Prints |
| 200 yards white lace stripe muslins, assorted stripes, reg. 7c. yd, Saturday | | An immense pile to select from, hundreds of choice patterns, fast colors, at a yard 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c and |
| 4c | | 12 1-2c |

The Northway Co., Limited

the bride, Wednesday, April 25, Miss Kate Kryderman to Edward Dickson. Rev. Mr. Aycraft officiated.
Married, at the bride's home, by Rev. Mr. Orton, Miss Maude Welsh to Wm. Jackson.
D. McCulloch, from Ridgeway, spent yesterday in town.
John Goutis is in Chatham to-day on legal business.
Walter Ferguson and David Wallace have bought a timber farm near Walkerville. They will go there shortly to look after the timber.
Mr. and Mrs. Pie attended the tea meeting in connection with the re-opening of the Deceps Church in Ridgeway this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Huffman, from Ridgeway, spent Sunday with friends in town.
Mrs. Raisin has returned to her home in London after spending some time in zone.

The firemen were called out at three p. m. yesterday, the McGaffey house being on fire. The fire was soon put out, however, with slight damage done.
Rev. Arthur Hare, from Botany, is in town to-day.
Carpenters are building a high board fence at the back of the school grounds.

Misses Jennie and Fern Harmer returned from Chatham to-day.
Mr. Mallet is spending some weeks in town in the interest of the "Chosen Friends." He also visits surrounding villages.

CALIFORNIA EXCURSIONS.

Via Chicago, Union Pacific and North Western Line. Meeting Imperial Council, Nobles Mystic Shrine, Los Angeles, California, May 7th to 10th. Official route of the Imperial Potentate's Special train. Round trip tickets at very low rates will be sold April 24th to May 5th. Final return limit July 31st, 1906. Choice of routes going and returning. Favorable stopover arrangements. Full particulars furnished on application to B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 East King street, Toronto, Ont.

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Do not let this go by. Very low rates will be in effect via Grand Trunk Railway good going April 24th to May 5th, returning until July 31st, and good going June 24th to July 7th, returning until Sept. 15th. Choice of any direct route going and returning, and certain stop over privileges allowed. Call on agents for full particulars or address J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Room 305, Union Station, Toronto.

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