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SERVICE TO THE PRESS

The Chatham Planet makes the following editorial comment on a recent City case:

"The Chatham Planet has done a very good job in this case. It has shown the public the substance of the evidence and the substance of the evidence. The bandmaster sued for libel. The Planet reported the meeting of the bandmaster and the report of the jury only seven minutes after the verdict of the newspaper."

A BELATED CONVERT

As a source of keen satisfaction to read in the Banner of last night.

In this on correspondents and are asked not to mutilate that word Christmas by spelling it "X". The miserable abbreviation recognized at this office, and is rewritten by somebody who can ill spare the time. It is the old, at last, Banner. Three years ago, when Planet appealed against the irate and offensive contraction, most persistent and vigorous adobe and practitioner of its use, our unfortunate contemporary, present change of front is highly commendable and congratulations are in order. It takes time, of course, the Banner usually dwells into in the long run.

STRATTON—NOT GAMEY

Referring to the Result of the Municipal election, the Montreal Star recently observes:

The defeated Liberal candidate that Gamey hurt him. Would not have hit the nail on the head more deftly if he had said that Stratton hurt him? Gamey is more best reporter in politics on doings of Stratton. If Gamey hurt any Ross candidate it is by telling the people what he is about Stratton. It is Stratton—Stratton!—Stratton!—he before their eyes; not Gamey

people who voted against the candidate in Muskoka were not confident in Gamey, but a full want of confidence in Stratton. It is not gratitude to Gamey that he has done that gives the power; but his ability to tell the hand and with dramatic what Stratton has done. The might be quite different if he were asking for public confidence. But that is not what he is doing. He is demanding rather withdrawal of public confidence in the Stratton-Ross combination.

There is nothing unhealthy in attitude of the Ontario public. They have the curiosity of the well-advised Mr. Gamble and why should they? Then he tells them what he knows Stratton and Sullivan and the points out to them that he is suing him for libel, though has been telling this story for years, they go away and vote for Stratton, Sullivan, et al. If it is a sign of anything, it is a live public conscience and a sign of political independence."

GIVE A CHANCE TO DISCOVER IT

Pittsburgh Dispatch.
Under the existing conditions the course will be to let Canada cool about any irritating attempts at prohibition. Perhaps also it we are, truthfully ignore for a decade the possibility of Canada joining the United States that ambitious wholly of convenience as an idea exclusively her own.

LOOK BACKWARD.

The fact that this is the five hundredth anniversary of the North American continent is the Ontario Government less the other fact that it is also the fifth day since their man was better Muskoka.

WHICH WAS INSURED?

London Daily Mail.
A private of an infantry battalion stationed at Mhow, India, was sentenced to 168 hours' hard labor for calling his lance corporal a "drunken." The private, after being sentenced, asked whether he was being punished for insulting the secretary of state for war or the lance corporal. The court remained silent.

100 Doses

For One Dollar

Economy in medicine must be measured by two things—cost and effect. It cannot be measured by either alone. It is greatest in that medicine that does the most for the money—that radically and permanently cures at the least expense. That medicine is

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It purifies and enriches the blood, cures pimples, eczema and all eruptions, tired, languid feelings, loss of appetite and general debility.

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THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At the Chatham Grand:

McKeough School Concert—Nov. 12.
Guy Bros.—Nov. 14.
Real Widow Brown—Nov. 17.
Liquid Air and Wireless Telegraphy, Lecture—Nov. 20.
"The Burglar"—Nov. 27.
Lycum Course No. 2—Nov. 30.

GUY BROS. MINSTRELS

The attraction at the Opera House Saturday, Nov. 14th—matinee and night—will be Guy Bros' Big Minstrels. The Guy Bros. have been identified with the minstrel business for over thirty years, and through the entire length and breadth of the country their names on a show bill means to the show-going public a first-class entertainment. Guy Bros. come this season with an entire new cast of all new people in new acts. The press and public say it is the best they ever had. Don't miss seeing them; you will get your money's worth.

They appear at the Opera House, matinee and night, Saturday, Nov. 14th.

Township Councils.

DOVER COUNCIL.

The Council met Oct. 26; members all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.
J. W. Shackleton reported re matter of a steel bridge over Bear Creek.
Mr. Boyer reported re A. Burkley's grievance.

A report was read from Mr. Lewis, re repairing bridge on Dover East and West town line, over Ravard drain outlet.

Moved by the County Clerk, a resolution of the committee of the County Council appointed to adjust claims of interest due the local municipalities.
Moved by King and Lewis, that E. Jubinville's account, \$228, be paid, for running the Dolsen Creek drain pump.
—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and Boyer, that the statute labor grievance of Cyrille Thibodeau be referred to Mr. King, and report.—Carried.

Moved by Boyer and King, that the Treasurer be instructed to credit each of the four divisions with the following respective sums, being the statute labor tax collected in each division in 1902:—Div. No. 1, \$34.20; No. 2, \$22.14; No. 3, \$75.77; No. 4, \$23.65.—Carried.

Moved by Boyer and Crawford, that

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Rich blood, healthy flesh, resistive force, more and better nourishment are what Scott's Emulsion supplies to the convalescent.

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If there is a class of men that this store strives hard to please with good dependable clothing, it's the mechanic and workingman.

We have suits made specially for workingmen—made from stout, serviceable mixtures that will not soil easily and

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Seams sewed with the best of silk and buttons put on with strongest linen thread. Our workingmen's suits are cut to be roomy and easy—and still retain an appearance of style and gentility.

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\$5, \$7.50, \$9, \$10 for a Suit.

Meynell,

4 Doors West from Market,
King St., Chatham.

this Council find, by the computations of interest made by F. H. McPherson, municipal auditor, due by the county on the arrears of taxes due to Dover, is the sum of \$208.21; therefore this Council now ask the County Council to pay over said interest to the Treasurer of the Township of Dover.—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and King, that the grievance of John W. Ward be referred to Mr. Boyer, with power, and report.—Carried.

Moved by Crawford and King, that Ben Taylor's account, \$7.75, be paid or survey of the proposed 3rd Con. Drain, Dover West.—Carried.

Moved by Boyer and King, that the matter of filling up the culvert leading from the east side of Baidoon St. to the 10th Con. road be referred to Mr. Crawford, with power, and report.—Carried.

Moved by King and Boyer, that Park Bros' account, \$16.25, be paid for work re Dolsen Creek Mechanical drain engine.—Carried.

Moved by Crawford and Lewis, that Wm. Gordon, Anthony Banoit and William Parish be each paid \$1 for pathmasters' returns.—Carried.

Moved by Boyer and Crawford, that Phillip Bourassa's account, \$11, be paid for time and expenses re taking Elizabeth White to London asylum.—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and Crawford, that Wm. King be paid \$10 on salary as commissioner on Front Con. Mechanical drain.—Carried.

Moved by Boyer and Crawford, that Francis Dunn's account, \$63, be paid for 1250 eight-inch tile and 375 brick for the drain on Winter line in 8th concession.—Carried.

Moved by Boyer and King, that the reeve be appointed to attend to the matter referred to in the notice of Wm. McAdams re ditches and watercourses act.—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and Crawford, that G. F. Crow be paid \$50, being the part of the cost of running the ferry for the second term, 1903.—Carried.

The Council adjourned and met at the clerk's office Oct. 31st.

The members were all present—W. G. McGeorge's report to repair the Collop Drain and Cat-tail Creek branch was read.

Moved by Lewis and Boyer, that the reeve and clerk be a committee to attend to matters re suit Chatham against Dover on repair of Bear Creek drain bridge.—Carried.

Moved by Crawford and Boyer, that Calvert Harper and Adolphus Charbonneau be each paid \$1 for pathmasters' returns.—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and Crawford, that W. G. McGeorge's report to repair the Collop Drain and branch be adopted and the clerk prepare a by-law for next meeting of council.—Carried.

Moved by Boyer and King, that A. McDonnell's account, \$60, be paid for survey, plans, etc., for a drain on 3rd concession road in Dover West.—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and King, that W. G. McGeorge's account, \$30, be paid for survey, plans, etc., to repair the Collop Drain and branch.—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and Boyer, that Alex. Longmore be paid \$1.50, Wm. Brooks \$1.50, R. Brooks \$1.50 and Walter Walker \$3 for assisting in surveying the Collop Drain and branch.—Carried.

The Council adjourned.
J. WELSH, Clerk.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

Nov. 11.—Last Thursday we published in these columns an item re Captain Davidson's refusal to pay the five cents advance in the bus fare. The busman has since informed our correspondent that his information was not correct, and that Captain Davidson did not refuse to pay the increase, simply because he did not tell him of the advance in the fare, and, of course, the Captain tendered the same amount he had paid all along, which was accepted by the driver, and the Captain went on his way, ignorant of the special rate which had been given him.

Arthur Parrott, of Napanee, who is visiting relatives in Chatham, spent yesterday with Dresden relatives and friends.

Miss Dottie Lawrence, of the Central school kindergarten staff, Chatham, was in town last night.

To ramble around our counters and take advantage of the many opportunities for saving, which we offer every day. Whether you desire to buy or not you'll always receive a hearty welcome and courteous treatment by our salespeople. If you appreciate value you will have no fault to find with our prices—you wouldn't wish to buy such goods as we offer at lower prices than we ask.

75c. Homespun at 49c.—Heavy Oxford Grey Homespun, 54 in. wide, firm quality, sponged and shrunken, reg. 75c. a yd., special at 49c.

35c. Serges and Cloths at 25c. Yard—10 pcs. heavy all wool serges, 42 in. wide in range of colors, bright finish, also heavy Habit Cloths, 43 in. wide, fine finish, in good range of colorings, regular 35c. a yd., special at 25c.

\$1.75 Waists at \$1.25—5 dozen Ladies' Waists, fine quality Canvas Cloth, medium weight, silky finish, made with plated front and back, trimmed with small buttons and fancy stitching, colors white, black and navy, sizes 32 to 40, reg. \$1.75 value, special at \$1.25.

Ladies' Flannelette Waists, 50c. Each.—6 doz. Flannelette Waists, good quality in range of pretty patterns and colorings, prettily made, sizes 32 to 42 in., worth 65c., special each 50c.

Black Mercerized Waists at \$1.00—Rich black satena waists, made with rows of cording, stitching and straps on back and front, trimmed with silk crocheted buttons, sizes 32 to 44 in., good value at \$1.25, special at \$1.00.

Eider Dressing Sacques.—Fine quality, in range of pretty patterns and colorings, trimmed with fancy braids, cords and wool trimmings, special at each \$1.50. 1.25 and \$1.00.

Black Underskirts.—An immense range of handsome styles, in rich black mercerized satena, beautiful styles, trimmed with flounces, tucks, frills, ruffles, cordings, hem-

stitchings and braid stitchings, assorted lengths, matchless values at each 98c., 1.25, 1.50, 1.89, 2.25, 2.50 and 2.89.

29 inch Flannelette at 50c.—Fine heavy quality, 29 in. wide, in large range of fast color stripes, worth 70c. yd., special at 50c.

33 inch Flannelette at 75c.—Large range of pretty stripes, light and dark colorings, fast dyes, fine heavy quality, full 33 inches wide, special per yd. 75c.

15c. Fancy Waists at 12c. yd.—10 pcs. fine quality wrapprerie cloth, in pretty waisting designs, choice colorings, over a yd. wide, regular 15c. yd., special at 12c.

Large Linen Towels at 12c. each.—10 doz. large size, fine quality linen huck towels, fringed or hemmed ends, special at each 12c.

THURSDAY SPECIALS.

SEVEN STORES The NORTHWAY COMPANY, Limited TWO FACTORIES

The "Feast of Music" to be given by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church, next Friday night, promises to be an unusually good entertainment, and should be well patronized by the music lovers of our town.

The date of the Geo. Fox entertainment to be given under the auspices of the Parsonage Guild of Christ Church, is Friday, Nov. 20th.

Mr. Battersby, teller of the Dresden branch of the Bank of Commerce, is working for the Sugar Co., after six o'clock in the evenings.

THE WORST KIND.

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It will cure the most stubborn case in existence and a bonded guarantee to that effect goes with each package. Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co., Central Drug Store, Chatham.

WALLACEBURG

Nov. 11.—A pleasant evening was spent by the Presbyterian young people on Monday evening last, when a social was given in the basement of the church.

Mr. Ernest Fairfield was the prize winner in the guessing contest, which was one of the features of the evening. Refreshments were served by the young ladies.

The Ladies of the Maccabees held an entertainment and tea in their hall last evening. A most enjoyable time was spent by the large number present.

The death of George Christian, who has been confined to the house through illness for the past few months, took place yesterday afternoon. Mr. Christian was 50 years of age. He was well known and respected.

Specified being a resident of Wallaceburg for a number of years. He leaves a widow and six children. The funeral will take place to-morrow, Thursday, from his late residence.

Mr. B. Hurdle, of the Soo, has returned.



When the Lamp of Life Burns low

the strain on all the delicate organs of the body is very great. The stomach and bowels are weaker—the liver more sluggish. Constipation paves the way for decreed kidney and liver diseases.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt

Nature's own aperient, is extracted from the pure juices of fresh fruit. It is not a purgative but a gently effective and insistent laxative. It relieves the system of all impurities and acts upon the most sensitive organ without discomfort. Abbey's cleanses and purifies the blood, regulates the bowels and brings sound refreshing sleep. It cures constipation by removing the cause, and brings the system back to healthful vigor. Directions on the bottle. At all druggists etc. and food.

Millard's Lincture Cures Colds, etc.

EXECUTORS' SALE

of Valuable Farm Property

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in the last will and testament and Codicil thereto of John Joseph Walrath, late of the Township of Hurwich, in the County of Kent, in the Province of Ontario, Farmer, deceased, there will be sold by public auction at the Rankin House, in the city of Chatham, in the County of Kent, on Saturday, the 21st day of November, 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following lands:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situated, lying and being in the Township of Hurwich, in the County of Kent, and being composed of the northeast half of lot number sixteen in the River Thames, in the said Township of Hurwich, containing 130 acres more or less.

This is one of the best farms in the County of Kent, lying on the south side of the River Thames in the Township of Hurwich, about seven miles from the city of Chatham and five miles from Kent bridge. On the premises there are two good frame houses, two barns, a granary, implement shed and other small buildings. The land is all cleared except about one and a half acres on which there is some valuable timber. The farm is well fenced and the are all in first class repair. It is a clay loam of the best there being no waste land, whole farm. A church and house lie within one mile of the premises.

Terms of sale—Ten per cent money will be required at the time of the sale and the balance 14 days thereafter. Arrangements may be made by which a portion of the purchase money may be secured by mortgage on the land.

Further particulars and conditions may be learned from Mrs. Mary Walrath, on the premises, or on application to

W. F. SMITH, Vendors' Solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

or to MCGOIG & HARRINGTON, Auctioneers, Chatham, Ont.

Auction Sale

Farm Stock and Implements,

On Lot 9, Con. 4, Township of Dover, on MONDAY, NOV. 16th, 1903, commencing at 1 p.m.

One bay mare, 10-year-old; one bay mare, in foal; two 2-year-old colts; one spring colt; three milk cows, supposed to be in calf; two 2-year-old heifers; three yearling steers; four spring calves; 15 store hogs; 13 shoats; one Massey-Harris binder, nearly new; one Frost & Wood mower, nearly new; one drill; one roller; one Fleury riding plow; one walking plow; two sets harrows; one double cultivator; one wagon and box; one hay rack; one top buggy and pole; one canopy top family buggy and pole; one fanning mill; one set double harness; one set single harness; and numerous other small articles.

Everything must be sold without reserve as proprietor is giving up the farm.

Terms—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount 11 months' credit will be given on approved joint notes. A discount of seven per cent. will be allowed for cash on credit amounts.

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INITIATIVE NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Municipal Council of the City of Chatham will proceed, under section of the Municipal Act, and under General Local Improvement By-Law No. 377 of 1899, to construct an asphalt Block Pavement on a concrete bed with sand cushion and concrete concrete curb and gutter (to be width 21 feet over all) on St. Charles street, from Head street to Court street, after the expiry of one month after the last publication of this notice for two weeks in the Chatham Daily Planet and the Chatham News newspapers, and the assessment of costs of such work made upon real properties to be benefited by, unless the majority of the owners of such real properties according to the last Revised Assessment Roll, petition the Council, at a meeting thereof, within one month after the last publication of this notice.

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W. G. MERRITT, Clerk of Chatham.

Dated Nov. 4th, 1903.

All reading notices of local assessments must be received at this office not later than noon of the day on which it is desired that they appear in The Planet.