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WIDENING THE DISCUSSION.

The question of bank clerks' salaries brings up that other question, whether it is cheaper to be married or single. This is a problem which defies statistics. The only thing certain is that the average young man who is about to be married always says he is going to save money by it. After that—it depends on the girl.

\$10 Atlantic City, Cape May \$10

Excursions to above points on August 15th and 22nd, via Lehigh Valley Railroad only \$10, for the round trip from Suspension Bridge. Tickets good 15 days. Good for stop-over at Philadelphia. Apply to Robert S. Lewis, Passenger Agent, 38 Yonge St., Board of Trade Building Toronto.

Aug. 4-14.
The Boston Bloomers came in on a fine special car, and leave this evening at 8.52 for the west.

Sanford, the rescued well-digger, is talking of going into the ministry. He can, at all events, assure people with authority that he has learned the danger of taking a downward course.—Leamington Post.

Some Truths

TENNISON could take a worthless sheet of paper, write a poem on it and make it worth \$65,000.

That's Genius!

VANDERBILT can write a few words on a sheet of paper and make it worth \$5,000,000.

That's Capital!

CHATHAM can continue to increase her business resources until she becomes a great city.

That's Enterprise!

A MECHANIC can take material worth \$5.00 and make it into watch springs worth \$1,000.

That's Skill!

A LADY can purchase a hat for 75c, but she prefers a \$17.00 one.

That's Taste!

A LADY or Gentleman can go elsewhere and pay two prices to have their spectacles, fitted, when they can get just as good work at home.

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Local Briefs

Est Richards' Bread.
Ben Eberts has gone to Toronto and Ottawa.
Mrs. W. H. Hunter left yesterday for Washington, D. C.
Miss Marie J. Leigh, is visiting her grandparents in Detroit.
Jos. Trocholski leaves to-morrow to spend a few days in Jackson, Mich.
Miss Bertha Johns, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Viola Nethercliff.
F. P. S. S. excursion to Port Stanley, Monday, Civic Holiday, Aug. 11.
Arthur Ness, of St. Catharines, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Colles, at Beresford.
Miss Jessie McGillivray, of Thamesville, is visiting Chatham friends this week.
M. Polson, of Wm. Gray & Sons' office, left to-day on a week's trip to Halifax.
Miss Maude Blake, Lacroix street, is spending her holidays in Toledo and Swanton, Ohio.
Dr. Sivewright is moving this week to his new suite of rooms next door over Backus' harness shop. 1w
Mrs. N. Brown and son, of Youngstown, Ohio, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Carter.
Mrs. Adolphus Renaud, and children of Delray, Mich., returned yesterday after a week's visit to her sister, Mrs. T. N. Leigh.
Miss Carrie McLeod, Wellington street east, leaves this afternoon to spend her holidays with friends in Woodstock.
S. O. E. excursion on Civic Holiday to Niagara Falls. Tickets good for three days; \$2.45. 1m
Mrs. C. Dooley, of Detroit, who has been visiting Mrs. Pat. O'Rourke, Edgar street, who has been quite ill, returned home to-day.
Dr. W. R. Hall has removed his office from Victoria Block to his new building on Sixth street, next to the fire hall. 1f
A lady from Ridgetown lost her purse yesterday afternoon. A reward will be given for its return to this office.
Mrs. Ton Wangelheim and children have returned home after spending a pleasant time with Mrs. Oscar Wangelheim, of London.
One dollar will take you to Port Stanley and back on Civic Holiday. You can't invest a dollar for pleasure in a better way. Children 50c.
Come along with the crowd on the S. O. E. excursion to Niagara Falls on Monday next. Train leaves G. E. R. station at 7.30 a. m.
Yesterday a line of weed tops marked the place where once the pathway was that had from the mainland to Skirving's Folly at Erieau.
Shinton is a superior preparation for cleaning silver, gold and glass. 1f
Mortons.
Wm. O'Mara's little girl fell off the fence and met with a nasty accident. Her arm was fractured and a blood vessel burst. Dr. Fleming dressed the wound.
For cleaning brass, copper and nickel, Shinton is what you should use. For sale at Mortons.
The weather man has promised good weather for Monday. If he sticks to his promise you should spend the holiday at Port Stanley with the F. P. S. excursionists.
Miss Kathleen Dooling and Miss Fairy Lambert, of St. Joseph's Hospital nursing staff, London, are spending their vacation with Mrs. D. Dooling, River Road.
Lost, yesterday, Friday afternoon, between Austin's dry goods store and the C. P. R. station, a purse containing between six and seven dollars and a ticket to Ridgetown. The finder will be rewarded by returning to Planet office.

Removal Sale

Watch this space for great bargains in ladies' and children's wear, cushion tops, stamped linens and other fancy goods.

Mrs. J. E. Weldon, Kt. St. East.

MISS DOYLE

Ladies' Hair Dressing and Shampooing, Manicuring, Face Massage and scalp treatment a specialty.
BAILEY'S DRUG STORE.

Mrs. Hearst, Gravel road, Raleigh, is very ill.
D. W. Stringer went to Jeannette Creek to-day.
Capt. Mowbray has returned from a visit to Toronto.
Capt. A. Ribble, of Dresden, was a city visitor to-day.
Will Underwood and Frank White left to-day for Detroit.
Augustin Macdonell, returned last evening from Cornwall.
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barassin leave on Monday for Winnipeg.
The civic pay sheets for the past week amounted to \$277.89.
Neil Watson, mayor of Mull, arrived in the city last evening.
Miss Kate Campbell is spending a week with Erleau friends.
Jasper Wilson has returned from a two weeks' visit in Chicago.
Douglas Kerr, the infant son of J. G. Kerr, is now out of danger.
Girls Wanted—Two good girls are wanted in the Planet Bindery. 2
Miss Serby, of the Hadley Co. office, is spending a few days in Detroit.
Mr. Elsie, manager of the Dresden sugar factory, was in town to-day.
M. Wilson, K. C., returned from Cornwall and Toronto last evening.
Wm. McInerney returned to Milwaukee to-day, after a visit with his mother.
Paul Bodder, of Cleveland, O., is the guest of John R. Smith, Queen street.
The Misses Greaves, of Sarnia, are the guests of E. R. Putnam, Queen street.

Miss M. Todd, of Wm. Gray & Sons' office, left to-day on a two weeks' trip to Halifax.

Chas. Ladd, Adam Taylor, and Jos. Turner will spend the holiday fishing at the lighthouse.

Daniel Ross and wife, of Exeter, were in the city yesterday on a visit with John P. Ross.

H. Hutchinson, buyer of the Northway Company, returned last evening from his European trip.

Dr. C. Alvin Snell and wife, who have been visiting in the city, left to-day for their home in Essex.

Miles O. Young, and son, who has been visiting his brother-in-law John Blake, Sr., Lacroix street, has returned home.

Misses Minnie and Marion Stewart, of Blenheim, returned last evening, after spending their civic holiday in the city.

Captain Wm. Allen, wife and children, Pearl and Stanley, of Walkerville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stephenson, Joseph street.

Tickets for the First Presbyterian S. S. excursion to Port Stanley can be had at the offices of Thomas Stone & Stone and William Foreman, & Co's dry goods stores.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chapman, nee Miss Clara Gammage) were in the city to-day on their way to Macatawa Park to visit Mrs. Dr. Baker (nee Miss Shaw, formerly of this city).

Harry Stevens says that a great deal of the wheat coming in is wet and not in as good condition as former years. It weighs very light. The majority of the deliveries range from 57 to 59 lbs. per bushel. Some samples go 60 lbs, but these are the exception.

A. P. McKinnis, for the past year the local agent of the International Correspondence school, has been appointed assistant superintendent of the institution. Mr. McKinnis is an energetic and popular young man and well deserved his promotion.

The conductor of the "All Aboard," at 7.05 a. m. on Monday. Be on hand, everyone and get the use of your ticket. F. P. S. S. excursion to Port Stanley on Monday, Civic Holiday, Aug. 11.

Miss Claire Shambelan is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Frazer, Wallaceburg. Miss Shambelan will also visit Mrs. S. Gurd, Sarnia, before returning home.

Organizer Chas. Kelly of the A. O. U. W., this city, paid a visit to Sandwich this week, where he added a number of new names to the local lodge roll. He will visit Ridgetown next week, and will also attend the district meeting next Friday evening at Thamesville.

Jos. Marten, formerly of Owen Sound, has been appointed manager for the Deering Manufacturing Co. for this western peninsula, and has taken up his residence on Wellington street. The Planet extends a very hearty welcome to Mr. Marten and family, and we bespeak for them a host of friends.

We regret that owing to a misunderstanding the Rev. Mr. Colles was announced in our church notices to preach in Christ Church on Sunday last and on the preceding Sunday, when in fact he had not engaged to do so. On Sunday next, however, God willing, Mr. Colles will conduct the services and preach in Holy Trinity Church for the Rev. Mr. Smith, and on the Sunday following, that is, on the 17th inst., he will conduct the services and preach both morning and evening in Christ Church, for the Rev. Mr. McCoish.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

THAMESVILLE.

Aug. 6.—Tom Syer and Orval Hubbell are spending a few days in Tolson, Garden Smith, of the Central Drug Store, is holidaying in Detroit.
Miss Grace Gillies, of London, is the guest of Mrs. C. A. Mayhew.
W. Wipberley and Ed. Dalong were in Rothwell yesterday.
Jos. Trudell and family, have moved here from Sombra.
Mrs. W. F. Lawrence is recovering from her severe illness.

BLENHEIM

Aug. 9.—Yesterday being civic holiday, all the townspeople went to the Eau for the day.
The public library bowlers came from London yesterday, and defeated the home team.
Thomas and George Higley went to Cleveland yesterday, where they will spend a couple of days.
The public library excursion to Port Stanley yesterday, was a success.
G. Crookshanks and E. Higley left this morning for Niagara Falls.

TILBURY

Aug. 9.—The exterior of the International hotel is being painted by John Foreman.
Albert Stenson, of the M. C. R. R. track tank department here, received a diploma as a first class mechanical engineer from the Mechanical School, Scranton, Pa.
P. Shaw and Miss Bell Shaw will spend Sunday and Monday in Leamington.

Two bus loads drove from Wheatley the other evening, thinking that the new Oddfellows' lodge here was to be instituted on that occasion. They took their disappointment good naturedly, and said that when the postponed date comes around they will be on hand again.

All the shops and stores here will be open on Tuesday next.

Masonic lodge meets on Tuesday evening, the 19th inst.
Leamington bowlers will play here next Tuesday afternoon.

Wm. Sloan, of Stewart, had a valuable horse killed by lightning this week. Another horse in the same field was badly stunned.

W. C. Crawford has part of the material on the ground for another large warehouse on Prospect street. He also adds an extensive cold storage building to his premises.

DRESDEN.

Aug. 9.—Mrs. James Kimmerly has returned from a trip up the lakes.
Miss Carmen MacIntyre, of Chatham, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. James Stephens.

On Wednesday evening last at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nelson, North Dresden, a pretty event occurred, it being the marriage of their daughter Laurel to Ernest Green, Sarnia. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Stevens, only the immediate friends of the couple being present. The bride and groom, together with their many friends, wish the young couple every prosperity.

Mr. J. MacIntyre, of Chatham, arrives in town this evening to spend a short time with his mother, Mrs. James Stephens.

Miss Cora Kaake is visiting in Sarnia.
The Dresden band gave one of their much appreciated concerts in the band stand last evening.

Mrs. John Tiffin, of Vancouver, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. Kimmerly, and other relatives in the vicinity of Dresden.

Ernest Sharpe, of Leamington, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sharpe, who are known to the residents of Dresden.

Thursday's issues of the "Standard" and "Times" contain an account of the accidental death of Will McLaren, a former well known and popular resident of this town.

On August 12th, civic holiday, the Dresden firemen will give an excursion to Sarnia. The change of price from cents of last year to 95 cents this year is due to the raising of rates by the L. E. & D. R. B. and not by any desire of the firemen.

Mrs. E. Irish is offering for sale her residence on Hughes street, also the furniture. After this month the sale will be withdrawn.

Miss Jennie Slater is ill with the mumps.

GREAT VALUES

The interesting and enterprising advertisement of the large dry goods establishment of Thos. Stone & Son, which is usually found on the first page of The Planet, appears to-day on page 8. None should miss reading it and the special offers and great values recorded.

Here We Are!

We have opened up a Bake Shop back of Fred. Wood's grocery, and are ready for business with a full line of Bread, Cakes and Pastry.

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30 only, Fancy Colored Shirt Waists, reg. price \$1.75 to \$3, Saturday Sale, to clear.....**95c**

22 only, Women's White Underskirts, extra value at \$1.00 and \$1.25, Saturday Sale, each.....**75c**

30 only, Summer Muslin Wrappers, well made, fast colors, half price, Saturday's Sale, each.....**75c**

Children's Hermsdorf Black Cotton Hose, double knees, cream soles, all sizes, reg. 30c and 40c goods, Saturday's Sale, per pair.....**25c**

Just in—a case of Beautiful Wrapperettes, at per yard 10c, 12½c, 16c and.....**20c**

William Gordon

"DE FISH DO GROW"

An Account of an Important Meeting of the Rond Eau Bass Club.

(From The Planet's Special Bismarck Correspondent.)

Lone Tree Point, Aug. 9, 1902.—To-day at Lone Tree Point, Erieau, there was held a special meeting of all the bass, pike, pickerel, and others, barring mudcats and seascorpions, to consider the heavy fish question. The meeting was called to order and a chairman appointed.

The chairman announced the object of the meeting:—Whereas it has been rumored that sundry Archies, Maos, Vitals, Geordies and other crack angle worm stringers, have been unlawfully stretching the fish caught by them, and otherwise, painfully increasing their natural dimensions, and as the aforesaid crack reel twisters have been further accused of mathematical distortion when the number of the catch in question was made public, we feel it to be our duty to take some action in the matter. It is now in order for our much maligned brethren to give their evidence in the case. I will now ask brother Rock Bass to relate his experience.

R. B.—As I was sauntering past Capt. Post's Point I grabbed a fine minnow sailing by, and got hooked slightly and drawn to the top and made a leap out of the water and escaped. I distinctly saw and heard one of the Archies say to him, "Did you see that five pounder I lost?"

Mate—Now; that's a one-pounder. A.—I'll bet you five hundred dollars that—

Chairman—It seems to me I have heard the same fishermen say the same thing before. What next?

R. B.—I heard him say the Alliance people did not cut any figure with him as he caught his fish very—very late on Saturday night, and very—very early on Monday morning.

Mr. Black Bass will now please state his experience.

B. B.—When I was a year old I was caught by three others, all of a kind. In the evening papers it came out that Mr. So and So (referring to the crack who captured us) caught a very fine and numerous string of bass, the smallest of them not less than eight pounds. I knew at once that a large quantity of concentrated lie had been maliciously used in the concoction of this yarn, with a view to whet the appetite of fishermen less fortunate and to our great and lasting injury.

Chairman—What became of you?

B. B.—I was eaten for breakfast.

Chairman—I cannot understand how you can be with us if that was the case.

Well, your honor, I cannot understand it either, but I suppose it is all due to an overdose of lie in that fish yarn.

Chairman—Well, Mr. Pike, what have you to say?

Mr. P.—Why, I was the fellow that walked all around the Eau with that new Centerville skiff in town. I then escaped losing a small piece of my stiff upper lip in the fracas.

Chairman—How much do you weigh and what is your length?

P.—Two and a half pounds and 18 inches long.

C.—Did you hear anything particular?

P.—Yes, I learned I was four feet long and weighed forty pounds.

C.—How do you account for it?

P.—That's easy. There were a couple of the old-timers in the skiff.

C.—Now, Mr. Pickarel, will you favor us with your experience?

Pie.—I am the finest, largest, and the ladies who caught me decided I

was just the loveliest fish they ever saw, and really the most delicious eating, and—

C.—Hold, sir, before you further perjure yourself.

Pie.—Well, your honor, I only used a license that is quite customary and allowable at the Eau during the season, and I shall always defend the ladies in the moderate use of the same.

C.—Brethren, I am of the opinion that we have sufficient evidence to convict the several parties who are undoubtedly guilty of having, at least, in past masters in the art of "Pie Perjury," or, in plain English, telling a good fish story. But we are disposed to be lenient with the culprits, as the weather during this season at the Eau has been so rascally bad that the Eauies had little other amusement, barring several epistolings and sundry notices served by the—

so, under the circumstances, while they are undoubtedly guilty, we withhold sentence for the present.

HAY FEVER SUFFERERS.

You may escape this annoying disease by going to the Highlands of Ontario. No hay fever can exist in the pure atmosphere of the Muskoka Lakes, Lake of Bays or Georgian Bay. The Grand Trunk have issued a pamphlet entitled "Hay Fever," which may be obtained at principal offices or by addressing J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Toronto, 1d.

Frazer Shambelan is visiting his grandparents at Wallaceburg.

Samuel I. Slade

(Soloist at First Presbyterian Wood-ward Avenue Church, Detroit, Mich.)

Director of the Vocal Dept., Krause Conservatory of Music, Chatham.

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