

# The Chatham Daily Planet.

VOL. XII

CHATHAM ONT., TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 1903

NO. 150

## Ladies' Waterproof Special.

Extra special line of Ladies' Waterproof Garments just from the manufacturers, all lengths, reg. price \$10, on sale at \$7.50.

### Ready to Wear for Summer.

Wash skirts made of twill duck in black ground with white dots, trimmed with black and white braid and self-strappings, very special value at \$1.50 and \$2.75.

### Wash Skirts.

Made of fine white pique, handsomely trimmed with insertion set in, special value at \$2.75.

### Wash Skirts.

Made of fine white duck, trimmed with 5 bands of insertion, very stylish, dressy and extra value at \$3.25.

### White Organdie Dresses.

Very pretty and stylishly made, handsomely trimmed with val. lace and insertion, special value at \$6.50, \$8.75.

### Sale of Trimmed Millinery at One-Half Price.

Some of the seasons most elegant creations will be placed on sale and in order to clear the stock up quickly we give your choice at 1/2 price.

\$15.00	Hats at \$7.50
12.00	" 6.00
8.00	" 4.00
7.00	" 3.50
6.00	" 3.00
5.00	" 2.50

This is a rare money-saving opportunity.

### Summer Capes.

We have just passed into stock a very fine range of Ladies' summer capes, made of fine black serge and trimmed with chiffon and black ribbons, special value at \$4, \$5.00, and \$6.00.

## Thos. Stone & Son.

One Thousand Dollars worth of

## English Cutlery

Just opened up at

## WESTMAN BROS.

BIG HARDWARE

Pocket Knives, from 5c. to \$4.00.

Table Knives and Forks, per set 75c to \$20

Warranted Butcher Knives, each 25c.

Eye Witness Razors, the best we can buy, \$2

The finest assortment ever shown in Chatham.

## WESTMAN BROS.

NOW READY FOR

## New Business-More Business-Better Business

Having our new mill machinery fully adjusted we are now prepared to offer our customers **Beaver Flour** better than ever before.

Farmers can now get their chopping done to their entire satisfaction as heretofore and with the greatest despatch.

Call and inspect our new plant. It will convince you that we have the equipment and facilities to turn out all products to the entire satisfaction of the most particular customer.

WHEAT WANTED. Highest prices paid.

Buy **Beaver Flour**. It is the cheapest because the best.

The T. H. TAYLOR CO., Limited  
Cor. William and Colborne Sts.

### TIME WILL REVEAL.

#### MR. GAMEY'S CLOSING WORDS IN THE LEGISLATURE.

Trusts to the Future to Substantiate His Charges—Compliments to the Judges—Mr. St. John Follows.

Toronto, June 23.—For another day the Opposition were given full swing in the Gamey debate in the Legislature. The afternoon opened with Mr. Gamey's concluding remarks, which lasted an hour, and the balance of the day was occupied by Mr. St. John in the commencement of his lengthy address. Mr. Gamey began with an effort to justify himself for his attack on the Judges, which, he said, was following the practice in the Court of Appeal, where the decisions of lower Judges were vigorously criticized.

"If I have used the word false in regard to the commissioners," said Mr. Gamey, "and that word is unparliamentary, then I want to get the next best possible word conveying the meaning of 'false.' I would be contented to have a change to meet the Chancellor, Boyd, anywhere, and if I cannot substantiate it, then I would leave public life for ever. And I repeat, and will repeat for months to come, that he is absolutely false."

Mr. Gamey said that he was well informed, and that he believed it had been mentioned in the past that Mr. T. C. Robinette, K. C., had been engaged on this particular case on the defence against him, and had withdrawn from it, and this man McEvoy from London had been substituted in his place. That indicated to him that at that time there was not enough life in the case for him to continue in it, and he was not prepared to do the character of work that this man McEvoy would do. That was the reason Mr. McEvoy was brought here to do the work.

Mr. Gamey, continuing, complained that the defence had gone to the Manager of the Confederation Life, with which he had been connected for fifteen years, and tried to get information from them against him, and they failed, because his past relations with that company had been such that they could not get anything against him. Then they went to the Canada Accident representatives, Medland and Jones, and said to Jones that Gamey's business connection with the Confederation Life Company was far from satisfactory. That was where the counsel came in who were prepared to do the dirty, low work that men like Robinette would not do. That was why such scoundrels and scamps as McEvoy had to be employed. Then they went to the Anglo-American Fire Company. That company could not say one word that was not in favor of him. They went further, and sent a man associated with the Government and paid by the Liberal party to Manitoulin, and they could not get anything out of him who had lived near him for twenty years to say one word against him. In the township where he lived he had received a record majority at the general election. "That shows that I am not such a peculiar monster as this head-headed editor of The Globe would have you believe me."

Mr. Gamey went on to point out the evidence which he believed proved that Frank Sullivan was the first one to commence the negotiations. The fact was, however, that there were negotiations, and that on a particular day in September Sullivan introduced him to the Provincial Secretary. He contended that from that stage on the negotiations were continued, but the Provincial Secretary contradicted this.

He had noticed from the newspapers that the Premier would not expel him from the House. Awful kind, wasn't it? Kind-hearted fellow he was! The Premier knew that if the commissioners had done their duty he and his associates would not have the power, would not be in a position, to expel or talk an expelled man out of the House. Considering the minority vote, considering the West Elgin ballots, considering the Manich confession, considering the recent developments in the Crown Lands Department, with the Sullivans and the Taylors stealing our timber, considering the corroborative evidence, if the Premier had any respect, if he had a particle of that theological garb that he had thrown around himself for years, if he had any pride he would stick out like a man and appeal to the people and ask what party should rule. But he dare not do it. He was afraid to do it.

"Talk about expelling me, sir, that would expel him so quick, sir, that he would have thought he never was in the House." (Applause.)

Mr. Gamey said friends of his in the southern States had written telling him the kind of force that would be used down there against such a Government as we had here, but he would not tell the House what it was. (Laughter.)

"My conduct will be just the same in the future," said Mr. Gamey in conclusion. I make my charges again, sir, that I made on the 11th of March. I am not afraid to make them outside the House, sir, and will take an early opportunity to stand right up in this Province and make these charges again, and then I will defy the Provincial Secretary to take any action against me, and if he does I will then have the case tried where I want it, and before a jury of my own countrymen, not a jury of paid Government officials. (Applause.) Let me tell you, sir, that I

would rather be R. R. Gamey to-day than the hon. Provincial Secretary. Minister of the Crown, recipient of pyramids of roses from his dependent officials, with their souls polluted with perjury. (Applause.)

"To the Hon. Chancellor Boyd I say this: when he, sir, will surrender back the money that he has received from this Government for work when he was drawing his pay as a Judge, when he will return back to this Province the fees that he will receive, sir, for this

commission, when he is drawing his pay as a Judge—and big pay at that—I tell you, further, sir, when he will surrender back the money he received as arbitrator for this Province when he was a Judge, and drawing the judge's pay every day, sir; I tell you, sir, if he will let his sons earn their livelihood in the independent walks of life instead of in the Government—when he does that I will consider something about whether his report is fair or impartial. I might go on and say something with regard to Chief Justice Falconbridge along that line, but he is so infinitesimally small and insignificant to me that I will not refer to him at all. (Some applause.)

"I say again, when these gentlemen act independent, as the average man has to, and not as pensioners on the Government, and fathers of pensioners on the Government—that is what they are, pensioners on the Government of Ontario, and fathers of pensioners—let me repeat that, with their progeny and the social conditions of their progeny staring them in the face when they are writing a report to condemn me; when they stand out like men, then I might consider their report. But until then I will not consider it at all except in this way: that I will analyze it, as I have done, show that it is false and wrong, sir, and when I can do that, sir, I have perfect confidence in the people of this Province, when the time comes, to say who is guilty or not."

"But I just want to close by saying that I will fight this case. I will not stop. Evidence will come out later on; I have evidence now, sir, but I will not tell you of it. I will go home from this House, proud of the fact that I have told the truth, proud of the fact that no man will ever have to accuse me of asking a man to be a perjurer. That is what I will do. And, sir, let me tell you, there is a God in heaven; I believe in Him, whether the Provincial Secretary does or not. Some day, sir, he has got to reckon with that God, and let me tell him before this House and before the people of this Province, sir, that he knows, God knows, what I say is wrong and false, and I leave it to the future and to that God to judge who is right and who is wrong." (Loud Opposition applause.)

### GLASS WAS MURDERED.

Jury Says Alfred Kennard Inflicted Knife Wound.

Toronto, June 23.—A score of employees of the Davies packing house related to Chief Coroner A. J. Johnson's jury last night the circumstances under which Willie Glass was stabbed on December 10 last. Glass was struck with a piece of fat, and thinking Arthur Kennard threw it, went towards him. "If you do that again," exclaimed Glass, "I'll knock the head off you." As Glass was going back to his place in the shop a knife was thrown. The knife struck Glass in the left shoulder and dropped on the floor.

Young Kennard was present at the sitting, but did not testify. He was represented by Mr. T. C. Robinette, K. C. Mr. McGregor Young appeared for the Crown. The jury found that Glass came to his death from a knife wound inflicted by Alfred Kennard.

### SIR A. COOPER DROWNED.

Fell Overboard From the Treasure Steamer.

Halifax, June 23.—A letter was received here to-day from a member of the party of treasure-seekers who sailed from Halifax on March 17 for the south seas in the schooner Hattie L. M., commanded by Capt. C. H. McLeod, announcing the drowning of Sir Astley Cooper, Bart., of England, who was second in command of the expedition. Cooper tripped on the deck, fell overboard on April 8th, and, being unable to swim, was drowned before the vessel could be brought about. Sir Astley Cooper was a grandson of Sir Astley Cooper, the famous Court physician. He met Capt. McLeod in Vancouver a year ago and then formed the plans to join the expedition. He was a man of wealth and high social position.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Hon. L. O. David was introduced in the Senate yesterday.

Reports of a recent attempt to kill the Czar are officially denied.

Mr. James Linton, boot and shoe manufacturer, Montreal, is dead.

Dr. Arthur Jukes Johnson has been appointed Chief Coroner for Toronto.

Mr. Douglas Plumb, stepson of Mr. Justice Nesbitt, was drowned at Lower Rideau.

A general strike involving thirty thousand men has been declared at Barcelona, Spain.

The body of W. A. Sanderson of Peterborough, drowned in Stony Lake, has been recovered.

### WALTER CROWE DEAD

Well Known Revenue Officer Expired Suddenly Last Night.

Walter Crow, well known to most of the citizens of Windsor, and especially to the business interests, was found dead in bed at noon to-day.

Deceased had been ailing for some time with tubercular troubles, but was able to be about and was on the street yesterday with no apparent thought that his end was so near at hand. He retired about half-past six last night at the home of Joseph Pepin, 14 London street west, with whom he lived. He was heard to cough violently several times during the night and when he had not arisen at noon an investigation was made and he was found in bed partially disrobed and with his hands folded across his breast.

The late Walter Crowe was a man of many friends. He made friends rapidly wherever he went and his legion of acquaintances in this city will regret to learn of his untimely end. He was a special class revenue officer of long and varied experience, having filled many responsible positions in distilleries and revenue offices in Chatham, Petrolia, Guelph, Brantford and other places. Deceased entered the service of the government twenty-five years ago in Chatham. He was a bachelor, fifty-seven years of age, and has no relatives here, although a sister and niece live in Chatham. No arrangements for the funeral have as yet been completed.—Windsor Record.

The late Mr. Crowe was born in this city and went to the old Grammar School with Judge Houston and other of the older citizens. In company with his brother Allie he built the first opera house in Chatham. He was a civil engineer here for many years, but later was appointed to the Inland Revenue Department, Windsor and Walkerville. Mrs. William Gordon, who lives on King St., opposite the Gas Office, is a sister, and Miss Gordon, of the Central school staff, is a niece.

### BOYS STARTED FIRES.

INDIAN LADS ARRESTED AT BRANTFORD.

Roy Wilson Confesses to Having Set Fire to the Mohawk Institute—Implicates Companions in Other Fires—Sunday Night's Blaze.

Brantford, June 23.—Indian boys, who were arrested, have confessed that they started the blaze that destroyed the Mohawk Institute on April 19, and that they were also responsible for the destruction by fire of the barns of the New England Company on June 6, and the playhouse and adjoining buildings, which were burned last night. Four of them were arraigned before Magistrate Woodruff, and, although no very complete evidence was taken, enough was learned to show that all the fires were of incendiary origin, as the police supposed. The boys who are charged are Roy Wilson, Jesse Debo, Isaiah Antoine and Alexander Maracle, and four others are held as material witnesses. The youngest one, Wilson, is twelve years old, and he told his story with apparent unconcern, not realizing the enormity of his offence. He said that the other boys suggested the firing of the buildings, and that he was the one who started the fires. On the night when the institute was destroyed two boys helped him to climb into the attic. He took with him an old coat stuffed with shavings which had been saturated with coal oil from a lamp. He set fire to the bundle and placed it in a corner of the attic. Then the boys helped him down again, and they all went to bed and remained there until the general alarm of fire was given, and he helped to carry out some of the contents of the building. He denies having had anything to do with the second fire, when the barns were burned and a number of valuable cattle perished, and implicates another boy named Winnie, who has not yet been arrested. Wilson was concerned in the fire last night, but he lays the blame for it on Maracle. Debo and Antoine were the boys who helped Wilson to climb into the attic, but they claim that they did not know what he intended to do. The boys say that they had no grudge against anyone, and the only reason that they give for starting the fire was that they wanted to see how the buildings would burn.

A man often imagines he acts when he is acted upon, and while his mind aims at one thing his heart insensibly gravitates towards another.

Up till Saturday night no earnest effort appears to have been taken to capture Mr. Rowley. A warrant was issued charging him with stealing \$4,000 from one account, and the police searched his residence, but that was all that was done. However, on Saturday County Attorney Donahue was asked to confer with the Attorney-General's Department and secure the assistance of the Provincial detective force in locating the fugitive.

At Osgoode Hall yesterday Mr. Justice MacMahon granted an order to wind up the Elgin Loan & Savings Company, appointing the London & Western Trust Company liquidators, and directing that Judge Hughes of St. Thomas take the accounts. The application was made on behalf of John McLean, a depositor, and a shareholder to the extent of \$4,000, of which \$2,000 has been paid up.

The hearing postponed till the Fall Assizes.

Napanee, June 23.—The Lennox election bribery case was thrown over until the Fall Assizes. This is the case in which Homer Miles and E. P. Smith of Napanee were charged with alleged corrupt practices in the recent election in Lennox. Summonses were taken out at the instance of Bristol, Bayley and Armour, under an order given by Mr. Justice Osler.

### TOURING CLUB

The 'Varsity baseball team stopped over night in Chatham and left this morning for Aylmer, where they play a game to-day. Joseph Robert, son of Peter Robert, is playing a great game with the 'Varsity club. He left at noon to join the team at Aylmer.

"We have been playing in very hard luck and the rain has been stopping our games. We only played four games during our trip through the States, the others being postponed on account of rain. So far we have broken even, winning five games and losing five. During our tour across the line, we won one game and lost three. The Ohio State University defeated us at Columbus 5 to 2. We defeated the Delaware State College at Delaware by a score of 4 to 2. The next day they turned the tables and won from us by a score of 6 to 5. The Delaware Stars in the same place defeated us on the following day by a score of 5 to 3. In Canada, so far, we have won four and lost two games. We were defeated at Windsor and Lucan and won at Chatham, St. Thomas, Ailsa Craig and Niagara. We have yet to play games at Aylmer, St. Thomas, Ingersoll, Norwich and Hamilton."

### WORSE FOR ROWLEY.

MORE UNENTERED DEPOSITS AND SHORTAGES.

Revelations of the Elgin Loan Books—Stories of Forgeries Which Are Not Officially Confirmed—Order to Wind Up the Company.

St. Thomas, June 23.—The investigation into the affairs of the Elgin Loan Company as it proceeds discloses further defalcations on the part of the late Manager, George Rowley. Several additional cash deposits not entered and shortages in accounts have been discovered, and the total so far will probably reach to between \$25,000 and \$30,000. John Taylor of this city says that while he had \$4,000 deposited there is only \$667 to his credit. The balance is reported to have been checked out. Mrs. Lizzie Baker of Littlewood denies signing a receipt on October 30th, 1902, for \$1,720.

There are stories of forgeries being circulated on the street in connection with this and the Taylor case, and Mr. Moore, who represents the liquidators of the Western Guarantee Co. of London, was seen by The Globe correspondent. He states that so far no forgeries have been discovered. He admitted that things were in a bad shape, but said he expected that every depositor would be paid in full.

Up till Saturday night no earnest effort appears to have been taken to capture Mr. Rowley. A warrant was issued charging him with stealing \$4,000 from one account, and the police searched his residence, but that was all that was done. However, on Saturday County Attorney Donahue was asked to confer with the Attorney-General's Department and secure the assistance of the Provincial detective force in locating the fugitive.

At Osgoode Hall yesterday Mr. Justice MacMahon granted an order to wind up the Elgin Loan & Savings Company, appointing the London & Western Trust Company liquidators, and directing that Judge Hughes of St. Thomas take the accounts. The application was made on behalf of John McLean, a depositor, and a shareholder to the extent of \$4,000, of which \$2,000 has been paid up.

## "JUST LIKE PAPA'S"

The shoes we are offering for the "Little Men" are made just like the grown up's. Same style, lasts and patterns, same good leather (for the little fellows are very hard on their footwear) and same small prices. Sizes 8 to 10 1/2, at

\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

PEACE & CO.