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Fashion Sheets
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To-night and Monday

Exceptionally good opportunities are here for you To-night and Monday. At this time of year we have many lines of goods we are anxious to clear up and they are just the goods you want for immediate wear.

Muslins 10 pieces of new American Organdie Muslins, in very desirable shades of pink, sky, rose, helio, etc., in neat designs, good value at 15c yard, our regular price 12 1/2c yard, very special to-night and Monday. 9c. Very special values in India Linens and Victoria Lawns, particularly suited for waists, at per yard, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c.	Skirts \$6.50 skirts for \$4.88, made of all wool coating serge, trimmed with taffeta bands, perfect fitting and latest style. Others at Half-price.	Shirt Waists Continued clearance sale of our entire stock of shirt waists, including white, lawn, percale or print waists—50c. waists for 35c. 75c. waists for 48c. \$1.00 waists for 72c. \$2.00 waists for \$1.20. \$1.50 waists for \$1.12.
Rugs and Curtains For to-night and Monday we will continue our sale of Ascot Jute Rugs, 27 in. wide, 64 in. long, fringed at both ends, on sale, very special, for 39c. 3 1/2 yards long, 50 in. wide, fine, lacy designs in Nottingham Lace Curtains, excellent value at \$1 a pair, very special to-night and Monday. 78c.	Silks 10 pieces Japan crystal corded wash silks in very neat checks and stripes, in colors sky, pink, cardinal, helio, etc., regular price 50c a yard, on sale to-night and Monday, very special at 34c.	Dress Goods Eight pieces double width cloth suitings in colors navy, black, green, brown, fawn, etc., especially suited for bathing dresses, very special, sale at per yard. 15c.
	Bed Spreads Full double bed size white honey comb bed spreads, fringed, regular \$1.00, special to-night and Monday \$84c.	Ginghams Continued sale of very desirable stripes, checks and plaids in fine American and Scotch ginghams, regular 12 1/2c quality, for 8c.

THOMAS STONE & SON

Bargains in Tan Footwear

Men's Tan Calf Lace Shoes, new round toe and Goodyear welted soles, regular

\$3.00 Reduced to \$2.50

Ladies' Tan Vic Kid Lace Shoes, latest style, regular

\$3.50 Reduced to \$2.50

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Fruit Season and Preserving Time!

Do You Require any Preserving Kettles and Fruit Jars?

Complete stock of Enamelled Preserving Kettles, 20c, 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, 60c, 70c. Ask for the 8 qt. special at 40c. Sauce Pans, handled and lipped, 10c, 12c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c. Enamelled Spoons, large size, 8c. Fruit Jars, (Crown Brand) the best—pints 70c per dozen, Quarts 80c per dozen, 1/2 Gallon 1.00 per dozen. Best Rubber Rings for jars, 8c per dozen.

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Glen & Company, William Street
Import direct from London, England, the finest Ceylon, Assam and China Teas. Try our English Breakfast Tea, 35c and 40c.

—That tired feeling is a burden you need not carry. Hood's Sarsaparilla will rid you of it and renew your courage.

MYSTERY AT THE CAPITAL

Anna Morrison the Victim of a Foul Murder—One Blow was Sufficient.

Had Death Been Caused by a Fall the Skull Would in all Likelihood Have Been Fractured.

Ottawa, July 20.—The more the river mystery is probed the more evident it appears that Anna Bella Morrison was the victim of a murder most foul. Her relatives confidently assert that her life was blameless and she was of a cheerful disposition. It now remains to follow up the clues and discover how the girl came to her terrible death. Dr. Mayhew and Coroner Bapiste, who made the post-mortem, are positive Miss Morrison was dead before her body reached the water. There is hardly a chance in a thousand that she could have gone to the cliff and thrown herself over and got into the river and thus drowned herself. All the facts point to her having been brutally murdered and her body dragged to the cliff and thrown into the river. The doctors say the blow on the head with a blunt instrument was sufficient to cause death. Had death been caused by falling over the cliff the skull would in all probability have been fractured. There are many circumstances all confirming the theory and none pointing to any other solution. The detectives are hard at work on the various clues this morning. What appeared to be large clots of blood were found on the rocks at the foot of the cliff, where Miss Morrison was thrown or threw herself into the river. These have been analyzed, and are pronounced to be human. The doctors have added to the information respecting the post-mortem on Miss Morrison's body, previously given out, that the stomach was empty. As she was known to have taken her usual supper the night of her disappearance, a considerable time must have elapsed between the supper hour and her death.

BAND CONCERT EXCURSION.

Over 400 people from Chatham and about 200 from Ridgeway attended the band concert at the East last evening. The music by the band was the best yet furnished. One of the half-way officials, jokingly remarked afterwards that the 24th Regimental band is becoming far too popular. They certainly deserve a great deal of credit for the playing last evening. A number of pieces including "The Grotto," and "The Battle of the Waves," were played for the first time. These pieces are played by over 2,000 bands in the United States, and it speaks well for the 24th band to be able to play them at sight so perfectly. The train was an hour late in returning home.

UNINTENTIONAL

The Ignorance of a Lad Causes Court Charge of Cruelty to Animals.

William Martin, Chatham Township, appeared before Judge Houston yesterday in the County Court charged with cruelty to animals.

William Hackney, Taylor Ave., put his horse out to pasture on Mr. Martin's farm on Tuesday. Wednesday he went out and found the shoulders of the horse badly used. The horse was a driver and unaccustomed to a collar. Mr. Hackney was very angry that his horse had been even worked, but more angry when he saw the way it had been abused. He at once laid a charge of cruelty to animals against Martin. The latter proved that the horse had been worked by a lad named Rice while the defendant was away from home. The case against Martin was dismissed. A charge of cruelty to animals would have been laid against the lad Rice, only it was proven that the boy had no intention of wrong-doing, and Dr. Radley said that the animal was not seriously injured and would soon recover. Mr. Martin made monetary amends for the damage done the horse.

A. O. U. W.

Men join our fraternal Order with confidence in its security. They believe "in union is strength," and that co-operation is more powerful than competition. The greatest achievement of this world success because men bind themselves together for mutual benefit. The motto of every A. O. U. W. Lodge should be, "At it, all at it, and always at it." This course promotes life insurance and protection to the family.

Warren Martin.

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ROSEBURY'S LAST APPEAL

If Liberals Cannot Undertake a Stern Task Another Party Will be Formed.

But he has not yet lost hope of seeing the Liberal Party Purged of its Anti-National Element.

London, July 20.—Speaking at the City Liberal Club, Lord Rosebery remarked that his recent manifesto, in which he said the Liberal party could not exist under the present conditions, had been followed by such an extraordinary hullabaloo that he felt convinced he had expressed in this manifesto the clear and exact truth in respect to the situation, and that not one of his allegations had been disproved or challenged. The speaker said he wrote the manifesto because, after the meetings in Queen's Hall and at the Reform Club, unless some clear repudiation of the statement regarding the war was made, it was impossible for the Liberal party to continue to exist as a sound force, appealing to the highest sympathies of the country. On the question of the war, his Lordship said his starting point was that, in spite of the Jameson raid; and in spite of the South African Committee, the Boers had invaded the dominions of the late Queen, and from that moment, although he had criticised the methods of the Government, yet on the main issue, to carry the war to a triumph.

HEWED LANE ALL THROUGH

British Guns Belched Case Shot at the Boers—Fate of the Train Wreckers.

Thought Armored Train had Been Disabled and Rushed Within Ten Yards of 3 g Guns.

Cape Town, July 20.—According to details which have been received here of the Boer attack on the blockhouses at Brugspruit on June 20, it appears that the enemy consisted of 200 men of Viljoen's commando, who were attempting to cross the railway northwards. They attacked with great determination, and one blockhouse fell, but the other resisted until the arrival of an armored train, which was partly derailed by the explosion of a mine laid by the Boers. The enemy, thinking the train was wrecked, made a rush for it, but when they were within ten yards, its guns fired case shot, making a lane through the Boers, who fled terror-stricken. They lost heavily in killed and wounded, and abandoned part of their transport.

PRETORIUS WOUNDED.

Edenburg, July 20.—Some days ago a squadron of Rimington's Guides attacked Pretorius' commando, which was about 200 strong, and held an exceedingly difficult position near Kotzeport. Fighting, which was carried on among the bushes and rocks at close quarters, lasted

The Pace That Kills

Two Days Ago The Planet chronicled the successful assay of the product of the Sovereign Gold Mine. Its BOILER-PLATE contemporary reproduced it yesterday.

Two Days Ago The Planet told its readers of the arrival of the first of this season's new wheat in Chatham. Its BOILER-PLATE contemporary reproduced it yesterday.

Three Days Ago The Planet announced the fact that the government agent was in quest of 20,000 men for the Manitoba harvest. Its BOILER-PLATE contemporary reproduced it yesterday.

Four Days Ago The Planet noted the business transfer of a leading city grocery. Its BOILER-PLATE contemporary reproduced it yesterday.

Five Days Ago The Planet recorded the proposed cable connection to Pelee Island. Its BOILER-PLATE contemporary reproduced it yesterday.

One Week Ago The Planet told of the diamond wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Charron. Its BOILER-PLATE contemporary reproduced it yesterday.

One Week Ago The Planet furnished its readers with the first full account of the death of McKay, of Formosa. Its BOILER-PLATE contemporary reproduced it yesterday.

And this is only a partial record for one day. Other days are like it.

Yesterday The Planet published many exclusive local articles of interest. The Market Guide condensed them for to-day. You will find them in our hypenated BOILER-PLATE contemporary next week.

These are Facts and Facts speak for themselves.

Compare The Planet any evening with any other evening paper published in the district.

Secure a service which gives you the news first-hand, the day it happens and while it's news—full and complete, careful and accurate.

The Planet alone gives such a service.

ant close they would have his warm support. The failings of the Government should be the opportunity for the Opposition. If the Liberals could not undertake the task, another party would be created for the purpose. Lord Rosebery said, however, that he did not despair of seeing the Liberal party purged of all its anti-national elements, that the country was ripe for a domestic program, and that he believed the revolutionized Liberals would yet breathe life into the dry bones of public office.

As to the statement that he would not voluntarily return to the political arena, Lord Rosebery explained that that had been his attitude since his resignation. His Lordship concluded by saying that at present he must proceed alone and plough his furrow alone; but that before he got to the end of his furrow, it was possible he might find himself not alone. Lord Rosebery said the vote of confidence in Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Liberal leader, passed at the Reform Club meeting, was in the "sanitized hypocrisy," and that his reason for disturbing the Olympian repose created by a vote of confidence was that the position was as perilous to the party as to the present Government, and there was no impartial observer to remember any Government which had crowded such a frightful assemblage of error, weakness and wholesale blunders into its administration.

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All Sizes

Lowest Prices

Ladies' Canvas Eau Shoes only

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SHOE STORE
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CRICKET TOUR

The Local Gents are Making Preparations for an Extended Trip—Will Play Many Matches.

The splendid successes which have been attained by the Maple City cricket club in their series of matches so far this season, have proved a big impetus to the proposal to make a tour during next month, playing in all the leading cricket centres throughout Ontario.

The project is now assuming definite shape. Eight of the players to form the eleven have been selected and have expressed their willingness to devote two weeks to the trip. J. W. Aitken is in receipt of a communication from a member of the Gordon-McKay club of Toronto, which played here recently, extending the most cordial hospitality to the local club when they visit the Queen City. And other clubs are similarly anxious for a visit from their Chatham colleagues.

A meeting will shortly be held to make definite arrangements for the tour. It should meet with every encouragement from the citizens.

SAVED FROM DEATH

Kitchener Commutes the Sentence Passed on 34 Prisoners of War

London, July 20.—A despatch says: Cape Town, July 19.—Lord Kitchener has commuted the sentence of death passed on 34 prisoners of war to penal servitude for life at Bermuda.

Cecil Rhodes and Dr. Jameson landed at Southampton this afternoon from Cape Colony. They were met by Alfred Beit, the financier, and B. A. Hawkesley, counsel for the British Chartered South Africa Co., and other friends. Messrs. Rhodes and Jameson declined to discuss South Africa, saying they were no longer public men.

THE CORONATION

The Colonies to be Represented in the Royal Procession.

London, July 20.—Much interest is aroused by the statement that the gathering at the coronation may have important results for the Empire. It is practically certain that the precedent of the jubilee demonstration will be followed to the extent that representatives of all the colonial governments will be asked to take part in the procession, and the prime ministers of the different colonial states will likely be invited. There will probably be a conference and a number of questions of general interest, especially concerning the commercial relations between Great Britain and her various dependencies.

GERRYMANDER.

Toronto, July 19.—James Clancy, Conservative M. P. for Bothwell, who was in the city to-day, expressed the opinion that the redistribution following upon the census would wipe out his constituency. The Liberals were pledged to return to county lines. "John Bell, you know, who died the other day," he said, "expected soon to be out of politics, anyway. I expect those Quebec fellows will pad out their population for all they are worth, and the Liberals, in reducing Ontario's, will combine some of those Eastern Ontario ridings, and Addington and Lennox will probably be combined." Mr. Clancy had a talk with Mr. Foster during his stay.