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## The Daily Planet

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FIFTH STREET APPROACH.

There is considerable objection being raised in reference to the action of the Council in taking the initiative for a new approach to the Fifth street bridge, without consulting the property owners in the matter at all.

While we endorse the necessity of the new approach, it seems that the Council has taken an unfair course. If they have the power to take the initiative on this work, it is within their province to exercise it, but it seems to be an unwise procedure to undertake the initiative without taking the matter up with the property owners.

The Council claims that they are not called upon to pay any of the cost of the new pavement, but will agree to bear one-third of the expense, as the work is necessary. In view of the fact that the new pavement will be of equal benefit to the property owners effected, and the citizens generally, the street being at one of the principle entries to the city, and the present one being sufficient to satisfy the needs of the property owners, the Council would not have been acting unwise if they had decided to bear a greater portion of the cost of the new pavement.

The average ratepayer does not look to the Council to take a course which will not commend itself to the citizens generally, even though they may be vested with special powers which will enable them to do so. It is surely unwise to take any course which places a hardship on any ratepayer or property owner, even though the city may gain money thereby. There are many instances where the Council would have a perfect legal right to do so, but the citizens do not grant such a wide scope to their representatives with the understanding that they must drive hard and fast bargains regardless of the moral rights of private citizens. The Council should not abuse the power and confidence reposed in them by the ratepayers of the city.

## A NARROW ESCAPE.

The intelligent young sleuths who masquerade around the city gathering stale items for the Banner, have evidently been travelling the back streets with their noses to the ground. It is said that this style of walking has been generally adopted by the people in the Banner office ever since Ald. Potter proclaimed their size from his place in the Council chamber.

It is an ill wind that blows nobody good, and the old saw evidently still holds the boards, for the Banner reporters have thus been enabled to count the holes in the sidewalks. One of these poor sidewalks was found during a meander down St. George street, and this is what the Banner says about it:

"Were it a person and consequently amenable to the law, the sidewalk

would have long since forced Magistrate Houston in the Police Court to answer to a charge of being a loose and disreputable character—a vagrant."

How fortunate it is that the sidewalk is not a person, and therefore not amenable to the law!

What a narrow escape for the Judge! We congratulate His Honor upon still being at large, even in spite of the fact that the St. George street sidewalk has such a poor opinion of him. We sincerely hope for the sake of the Judge's friends, that there are few such sidewalks in the city, and, if there are any more, we would go further, and hope that they will be "forced" to remain just sidewalks, and never become persons, so that this horrible and unjust charge may never be laid!

These correspondents for outside Conservative dailies, of whom the Banner evidently thinks so little, had the extreme pleasure of directly applying the information from which the Banner quill pushers wrote their account of the Wednesday deliberations of the Dominion Fisheries Commission! Too bad that the Banner's egotistical criticism should so soon fall back with humiliating force upon its own head!

## WESTERN FLOUR

Only by wisely adopting new discoveries can the farmers of this Province compete on even terms with the West, whose specialty is wheat. Western flour has invaded Ontario, and the decline in the demand for Ontario wheat is to-day a fact only too evident to farmers. Ontario agriculturists, in many instances, buy Western flour, raise little or no wheat, and for what they do raise, are not receiving a price commensurate with their labor—all, largely because they will not use the flour made from wheat that they grew themselves, owing to a mistaken belief that the Western flour is better. In addition to this loss of market, the loss of feed is too high to enable stockmen and dairymen to realize the profit which, under proper conditions, ought to be assured.

It will be somewhat of a surprise for most farmers, to learn that Ontario flour is a favorite in the Eastern provinces; and that in the face of strong competition, it has for several years been preferred in the Maritime Provinces, to the best Western brands. The discovery of flour-blending bids fair to re-open the demand for Ontario wheat; and this ought to attract the attention of Ontario farmers to a question of vital importance to the agricultural interests of the Province.

Blended flour is simply the best of Ontario's finely-flavored product to which a small proportion of Western wheat is added to bring up the percentage of gluten, or "strength." Freed from technicalities of chemistry and milling, it means both strength and flavor in the daily loaf. Viewed economically, it means an increased market for an Ontario-grown product which has won the unprejudiced favor of the East.

Whether this will prove true of Ontario, and whether such a demand will be created that the price of wheat will improve, and the cost of bran and shorts become lower, depends upon the individual farmer. Buying Western flour means a negative answer to the query; if, however, the Ontario farmer is alive to the situation, he cannot financially afford to neglect the latest discovery in practical economics, and will insist on buying only the flour milled in Ontario.

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## DISTRICT

## BLENHEIM

Blenheim, August 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Saddington, who were married here on Wednesday, left on the 7:30 p.m. train from Ridgeway for Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cleveland, and other points, returning by Detroit. They will reside in Mull.

The bride's dress was white point de p't, daintily trimmed with white satin ribbon and Valenciennes lace over white silk. She held a bouquet of sweet peas. The bridesmaid wore a dainty dress of white moulin and Valenciennes lace.

The groom's present to the bride was a beautiful diamond ring, to the bridesmaid and pianist, pearl brooches, to the best man a pearl stick pin, and to the waiters pearl and ruby rings.

The bride was the recipient of a great many beautiful and useful presents, among which were a silver service, from her school; a unique and beautiful clock, from her sisters, Margaret and Carrie; a very handsome case of cutlery silver with pearl handles, from Miss Saddington, the groom's aunt; twenty-five dollars in gold from the groom's father; and others silverware, spoons, knives and forks, cut glass, hand-painted china, chairs, a parlor table, etc., too numerous to mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Saddington are both highly esteemed, and start out in life with bright prospects and the best wishes of all their friends and acquaintances.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## DRESDEN

Dresden, July 31.—Miss Miller, of Oil Springs, and Miss Kinder, of Strathroy, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Kinder.

A number of ladies spent yesterday afternoon on the bowling green. The game was a jolly one.

Mr. S. Campbell and Mr. Benedict, of Chatham, motored to Dresden last evening.

A number of Gypsies are camping just outside the town limits.

Mr. Sandy Wallen is visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. C. H. Hughes is summering at Sombra.

George MacIntosh, who has been working in Essex for the past year, returned to his home Tuesday, being ill with typhoid fever.

Miss Bessie Collins, of Chatham, is the guest of Mrs. E. Gonyou.

Dr. and Mrs. Webster, who have been visiting Mrs. I. B. Webster, returned to their home in Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Irene Mount returned to Chatham last evening.

Miss Rheta Bodkin is visiting in Wallaceburg.

Two rinks of Florence bowlers played in Dresden yesterday and were defeated.

## WHEN LONG BREATHS HURT.

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## SAW IT IN THE PLANET

Mrs. Gihula, of St. Thomas, wife of the Pere Marquette superintendent, was in the city yesterday endeavoring to look up a couple of the young immigrant English girls who arrived here recently. She has employment for a couple of them at home. She called at the office of the Chief of Police for information as to where she could find some of them.

"I saw a number of items in the Chatham Planet regarding a Great number of English immigrants which had arrived in Chatham," she told the Chief, "and as it was mentioned that there were a number of bright young English girls with them, I thought it might be a good opportunity to select a couple for housework."

The girls who may be so fortunate as to be employed by Mrs. Gihula are assured of a good home and a kind mistress.

Quail on Toast is the best 5 cent Cigar in the market—made by O'Brien Bros.

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Lord Lake is the best 10c. Cigar in the market—made by O'Brien Bros.

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# Specials at Northway's

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Here are but a few of the many special buying inducements that we have prepared for Saturday buyers. Many others equally as inviting await you at the store. The time to come for these goods is when they are advertised. Come Saturday.

Dressing Sacques Reduced, All our 50c. and 60c. Muslin Sacques, Saturday 39c.	15c. and 18c. White Spot Muslins, 11c. a yard.
All our 75c. and 90c. Dressing Sacques, Saturday 68c.	10 Pieces White Swiss Spot and Figured Muslins, small and large patterns, reg. 15c. and 18c. a yard, Saturday 11c.
All our \$1 to \$1.25 Sacques and Kimonos, Saturday 83c.	12 1-2c. Long Cloth Cotton 10c. yd.
All our \$1.50 Kimonos and Sacques, Saturday \$1.19	600 yards Extra Quality English Long Cloth Bleached Cotton, the best in Canada, at 12 1-2c. Saturday 10c.
All our \$1.75 to \$2 Dressing Sacques, Saturday \$1.39	Spool Thread. All numbers in white Thread again in stock at Old Prices.
All our \$2.25 and \$2.50 Long Kimonos and Sacques, Saturday \$1.83	10c. Pure Linen Towelling 7 1-2c.
Net Waists, \$3.50 Each. 12 only handsome fine Net Waists, wash silk foundation, prettily trimmed with fine lace and insertion on yoke, neck and sleeves, sizes 32 to 42 in., Saturday each, \$3.50	485 yards Fine Pure Linen Scotch Crash Towelling, the best 10c. quality, Saturday 7 1-2c.
Parasols Reduced. All our Fancy Parasols and Sunshades, Saturday at Special Clearing Prices Embroidery Sale.	Millinery at Half-price. Your pick of any Trimmed Hat in Stock, Saturday Half-price.
800 Yards Embroidery and Insertion, reg. 5c., 6c., 7c. and 8c. a yd., Saturday 4c.	\$1 to \$2.50 Shapes for 23c.
Prints and Muslins 5c. Yard. 690 yards Light and Dark Prints and Muslins, fast colors, Saturday a yard 5c.	Your pick of 4 dozen Dress Shapes, all new styles, reg. up to \$2 each, Saturday 23c.
12 1-2c. and 15c. Muslins 9c. yd.	Children's 25c. and 35c. Wash Tams, Saturday 19c.
\$40 yards Fine American and English Dress Muslins, all new patterns and colors, worth up to 15c. yard, Saturday 9c.	Girls' White Linen Hats, Saturday 19c.
20c. Muslins for 14c. yard.	Ladies' Wash Suits Reduced, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3 Lawn Crash Duck and Percale Dresses, pretty styles, Clearing Saturday at \$1.89.
All our Fine Dress Muslins, worth up to 20c. yard, Saturday 14c.	\$1.50 Black Underskirts 98c.
	7 dozen handsome Black Mercerized Underskirts, reg. \$1.50 each, Saturday 98c.
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# The Northway Co., Limited

## MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

A sensational runaway occurred at Mount Pleasant cemetery, London, on Tuesday, when a party of mourners were being driven home from attending the funeral of the late George Jones. The powerful hack team ran away with serious results. Mr. Wm. Jones, of Bothwell, who was attending the funeral of his brother, was more painfully injured than any of the other members of the party. He had his collarbone fractured. His brother, John Jones, of Bothwell, escaped uninjured, as did Mrs. Kelly, of Lambeth. Mrs. George Carruthers suffers severely from a sprain of the back, and will be confined to her bed for a week. Her husband, Mr. George Carruthers, well known as a lodge member and post office employee, had the top of one of his fingers so badly crushed that it will have to be amputated. The members of the party say that the only thing that saved them from more serious injury was the fact that when the hack struck the obstacle the top split open and they were not thrown violently against it.

The mother wants a medicine for her children which will cure croup, whooping cough, diphtheria, sore throat, toothache, cuts, burns, whooping cough, etc., and which does not contain any poison, alcohol or opiate. She will find this list filled to perfection by the Veteran's Sure Cure. A trial will prove our claim. Grown people want an absolute cure for rheumatism, backache, sciatica, dyspepsia, kidney and liver diseases, weak heart, and the system generally. A trial will prove that V. S. C. is the cure wanted. It is the cheapest and best home medicine on earth. Price—Mailed anywhere, 35c. doses for \$1.00; 150 doses for 50 cents. The V. S. C. Medicine Co., Limited, Scane Block, W. K. Merrifield, Manager, Chatham, Ont.

## TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED—Teacher for S. S. No. 6 Tilbury East; duties to commence after holidays. Apply to H. Atkinson, Sec. Treas., Stevenson, Ont.

TEACHER WANTED. — Wanted Teacher for English School No. 6, Harwich. Duties to commence Aug. 19. Experienced Teacher preferred. Apply, stating salary, to M. H. Newcombe, Secretary-Treasurer, Blenheim, Ont.

## WANTED.

COOK WANTED—Apply Tecumseh House.

WANTED—Nurse girl at once. Apply Mrs. Milton Johnson, Victoria avenue.

GIRL WANTED—One who can go home evenings. Apply Mrs. R. M. Brisco, Lacroix St.

WANTED—Girl to assist with housework. Apply to Mrs. George H. Wanless, Lacroix St.

WANTED—Local organizers and route men. Apply Alfred Tyler, wholesale tea importer and spice grinder, London, Ont.

WANTED—Girl for light housework, must go home nights. Apply to Mrs. E. M. Coyne, opposite Opera House.

## FOR SALE OR TO RENT

TO RENT—House on Grant street. Apply to James Fleming, of Fleming, Tillson & Co.

## House and Lot for Sale

HOUSE FOR SALE—Situated on Victoria Avenue; all modern conveniences. Price \$2,300. Easy terms of payment. Apply James Fleming, of Fleming & Tillson, King Street West.

FOR SALE—Moderate sized house with modern improvements, for sale, on Victoria avenue, at a bargain. Apply to Jas. Fleming on Planet Office.

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