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Our Sable Neckwear

cannot be matched elsewhere, as well as other neckwear, which we cannot mention owing to our small space, but our best advise to you is don't spend your good money or valuable time elsewhere. Come to us. . .

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Corner Sixth and King Street Over the Bee Hive. Phone 317.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. w.

Toronto, Nov. 17.—11 a. m.—Strong winds and gales, westerly to north-westerly; local snow falls and flurries; becoming much colder. Wednesday, strong with west winds and quite cold.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather *ureau:

Barometer 37.56. Thermometer 36. Highest yesterday 29. Lowest yesterday 23. Direction of wind, west. Rainfall, 107, tons to the acre.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Keep in mind the Dress Goods Sale at Thibodeau & Jacques'. Mrs. A. C. Woodward and daugh-ter and Miss Bessie McKeough re-turned from Dutton last night.

The Planet's new serial story, "Abner Daniel," will commence in next Saturday's issue. Watch for it. Ex-Ald. John Liddy has returned

Ex-Ald. John Liddy has returned from a visit to St. Thomas. He says that diffen his visit to a quiet place like St. Thomas he feels a hundred per cent better.

Park Brost received a car of excellent quality seemless drawn boiler tubes direct from Austria this morning. They also received a car of pipe and two cars of steel beams from Pittsburg and a car of fire brick from Oakville, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Milner are in Loydon to-day. A. H Patterson is able to be around

gain, after a few days' illnes "Mac." Edmondson, son of Ald. Ed-nondson, is a little better to-day. airs. Allen Riply returned home yes terday, after visiting for a few days with her parents in Dresden.

Albert Perry, of Sarnia, was in the city to-day on his way to Bienheim to attend the wedding of Frank Brundage, of this city.

S. B. Arnold, Chas. Dunn, Andrew Thomson and wife, Mrs. Thos. Brun-dage and Claude Brundage went to Blenheim this morning to attend the wedding of Frank Brundage and wedding of Frank Bru Miss Mildred Broadbent.

Miss Mildred Broadbent.

Geo. Smithson, a carpenter and Oddfellow, well known about town, who but recently left the hospital after a several weeks illness, leaves on Thursday for his old home in Lincolnshire, England. Mr. Smithson received word about six weeks ago whitte in the hospital of the death of his father in England, and is going home to settle up the estate and look after the welfare of his aged mother, who is now alone. Mr. Smithson may not return to Canada. In conversation with a Planet reporter this morning he said he had formed quite an attachment to Chatformed quite an attachment to Chat. ham and Chathamites and was sorry at leaving.

FARMS FOR SALE.

50 acres in 3rd Concession Chatham Tp., 2 story brick house, granary, stable, etc., good orehard, well drained and fenced60 acres, river road Chatham Tp., all cleared but 2 acres, frame house, barn 30x50, farm well fenced.

100 acres in Raleigh Tp, large frame stable and granary. drilled well, plenty of water, good fences.

50 acres in Harwich Tp., house and out buildings in good repair.

100 acres in Harwich Township, good house, barn, s'able and other buildings. Within five uninutes walk of store, post office, 2 railway stations, school, hotel, etc.

DUNN & MERRITT,

Chamois Vests

If you have weak lungs or if you are subject to colds and coughs we advise you to wear during the winter months, a chamois vest or chest protector. A small expense in this way may save you a "Doctor's Bill."

Chamols Vests, \$1.50 to \$3.00. Chast Protectors, 250 to \$1.50.

A. I. McCall & Co., Ltd. DRUGGISTS and OPTICIANS.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Westmore, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday and Mon-day in the city.

Fred. Stone has generously donated a fine photo of the Roman Forum to the Central school picture gallery.

One of the best serial stories ever published will commence in The Big Saturday Planet this week. It will be well worth reading. Manager F. H. Brisco is circulating

a petition to-day so as to arrange a date for the appearance here on Dec. 15 of the great Irish comedian, Joseph Murphy.

Murphy.

Samuel O. Simmons will attend the funeral of the late Jumes Talbot, which takes place in Dresden to-morrow. Mr. Talbot worked for three years in Mr. Simmons' tonsorial establishment in this city and was well liked by all the customers, being a quiet man and expert barber. Besides the widow, seven children survive.

Wilhard McKay, King street confectioner, has on exhibition in his window a unique novelty in a peculiarly shaped hammer. The hammer Mr. McKay bought from Geo. Washington, the favorite slave of the late President of the United States, Geo. Washington, in the year 1862. The hammer is a very ancient one The hammer is a very ancient one and Mr. McKay has had many tempting offers for it, including that of \$500 at the time of the Chicago World's Fair.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

At Park street Methodist Epworth league last evening in charge of Miss Irwin, a debate took place on the subject. "Resolved that Joseph was a greater prophet than Daniel." Messrs. H. Westman and Fred. Sheldrick spoke for the affirmative and Messrs. W. Shillington and A. A. Hicks, negative. Such strong points were brought forth on both sides that the judges decided the debate a tie. Misses A. Mounteer and E. Lafferty were the judges decided the departs and the strong points. the Misses A. Mounteer and E. Laf-ferty were the judges. A pleasing musical program was given: Soko-Horace Davis. Piano solo-Miss Minnie Cummings. Duett-Misses Edith Dolsen and Pearl White.

CALLED AT SUNSET

A particularly sad death occurred in t. Joseph's Hospital last evening, when Miss Bella Weldon, daughter of Mrs, Weldon, King St., passed peace-fully away, after a lingering illness, extending over four months. Miss Weldon was one of Chatham's fairest and most esteemed young ladies and ber death is universally regretted. She was especially popul or with her many girl friends who vere so constant in visiting her throughout ner illness, and by them she fill be greatly missed. Deceased was 19 years and five months old.

She leaves a widowed mother and a brother, Chaile, and sister, Mrs. J. De Kay, of Roadhouse, Ill., to mourn her untimely end. Mrs. Weldon, who is one of Chatham's most popular business women, has hid more than her share of trouble during her life, her share of trouble during her life, and she has the sincere sympathy of the community at large. Her husband's death was followed a short after (about three years ago) by the sad death of her youngest son, Clarence, who died from the effects of an accident. Eight months ago her eldest son Edmund, who was a popular young Chathamite, died from typhoid fever. Now she is called upon to mourn the death of her second daughter.

ter.
The funeral will take place to-morrow from the home of Mrs. Weldon, King St., to St. Joseph's Church, and thence to St. Anthony's cemetery.

Dropped Dead at Owen Sound

Owen Sound, Nov. 16.—Alex. Kennedy, aged 65, a member of the Wm. Kennedy & Sons, Ltd., dropped dead from heart failure this morning while superintending the erection of an elevator at the fruit packing warehouse.

INJURIES TO HORSES.

Militia Department has Issued a Stringent Notice.

Ottawa, Nov. 17. - The Militia Department has issued the following notice, signed by the Adjutant-General: "It is noticed that many claims for injuries to horses arise from the fact that due presautions are not taken in picketing horses on the lines in camp, and officer commanding corps frequently certify to accidents being unavoidable when in reality they are the result of negligence. It is notified for the information of all concerned that in future, when claims are made in such cases, they will be disallowed." Department has issued the fol-

A POPULAR HEALTH RESORT.

OLD OFFICIAL HONORED.

Mr. J. Black, Montreal, G. T. R. Boiler Inspector.

Toronto, Nov. 17. - A ant event occurred at Webb's last evening, when the Grand Trunk Railway and the fire brigades employed by the company throughout its entire system united to honor Mr. J. Black of Montreal, who is retiring after forty years' service as boller inspector for the company. The company showed their appreciation of a valued official by announcing through Mr. W. D. Robb, superior and the company of t preciation or a valued official by announcing through Mr. W. D. Robb, superintendent of motive power, that Mr.
Black would be granted a life annuity,
and the firemen, who valued Mr. Black
as a comrade and as timekeeper at their
annual speed contests, gave testimony of
their esteem by presenting their guest
with a handsome gold watch, chain and
locket, valued at \$150. Representatives
were presents from the entire system from
Chicago to Portland, numbering 110 in
all. The event was a happy reunion, as
well as a tribute to a popular officer.
The proceedings took the form of a
banquet, presided over by Mr. W. Kennedy, master mechanics from other cities:—Messrs, R. Patterson, Stratford; J.
McGrath, Fort Gratiot; N. B. Whitsen,
Allandale; J. Jamieson, Port Huron; T.
McHattle, Montreal; also Mr. T. Treleaven, master car builder, London; Mr.
George Powell, chief draughtsman, G.T.
R., Montreal; Mr. John Dodds, Dominion
steamboat inspector, Toronto. Messrs, G.
C. Jones, superintendent middle division,
and M. J. Mitchell, master of bridges steamboat inspector, Toronto. Messrs. G. C. Jones, superintendent middle division, and M. J. Mitchell, master of bridges and buildings, were unavoidably absent. The banquet and presentation arrangements were in charge of Messrs. W. Kennedy, J. C. Garden and G. Baldwin, Toronto. Music was rendered by Mr. James Fax, Mr. A. T. Craig and others.

C.P.R. ELECTRICAL ENGINEER. Mr. Charles H. Hines Appointed to the New Office.

Montreal, Nov. 17 .- Mr. Charles H. Hines has been appointed electrical engineer for the C.P.R., a new office, with headquarters at Montreal. His duties will include a general super-vision over all electrical matters, in-cluding power and lighting circuits, generators, motors, are and incandescent lamps, and other electrical machin ery and apparatus, as directed.

LOOKING TO CANADA.

A Resolution Passed by United States Reciprocity League.

Chicago, Nov. 17. — A conference called by the Minnesota branch of the National Reciprocity League at the Auditorium Hotel Saturday considered subject of how to realize reciprocity with Canada. Former Governor John Miller

subject of how to realize reciprocity with Canada. Former Governor John Miller of North Dakota was chosen Chairman, and T. N. Knappen of Minneapolis Secretary of the meeting.

A committee of five or more, to be appointed by Governor Miller, was authorized by the conference, the committee to push the campaign in favor of Canadian reciprocity and in the furtherance of that end to work in conjunction with the National Reciprocity League.

The conference adopted a resolution as follows:

"Whereas, in our opinion, the movement in favor of reciprocal trade relations with foreign countries, which has been repeatedly indorsed by the large commercial organizations of this country, should to be effective, take on a more facility and special form; and, whereas, Canada is the greatest foreign country near to us, a country constantly growing in population and commerce, whose people are closely allied to us by blood, language, institutions, customs and instincts; and, "Whereas, the time is now opportune for making a reciprocity treaty; be it "Resolved, that we should, for the mutual benefit of the people of Canada and this country, encourage closer and more harmonlous relations, and for this purpose we ask such action by this Government and its representatives on the Joint High Commission as will bring about ilberal and fair reciprocal trade relations with Canada.

The fifty odd men who composed the conference all are strenuous advocates of the reciprocity idea.

THE GALLANT DUBLINS.

Return to Ireland After Fourteen Years of Foreign Service.

Dublin Nov. 17 .- The Dublin Fusiliers, who had the brunt of the fighting in the Tugela campaign of the Boer war, and were not mentioned by Gen. Buller, have returned to Ireland, after ourteen years of foreign service. Of the 1,100 who then left only two-both officers—have returned.

A DIGNIFIED PROTEST.

Colombia's Pathetic Note to United

States Government. New York, Nov. 17.-The New York Evening Post publishes the text of the Colombian protest. It is addressed to the United States Senate, May and is signed by President Marroquin. "To his Excellency, the President of the Senate, Washington:

"Excellency,-The Government and people of Colombia have been painfully surprised at the notification given by the Minister of the United States to the effect that the Government at Washington has hastened to recognize the government consequent on a bar-racks coup in the department of Pana-ma.

A Grand Trunk official stated today that the mineral waters of St. Catharines. Ontario, are becoming renowned throughout the country, as is demoastrated by the large influx of people to that city during the past year. The water is like that of the great Kreutznach springs of Prussi, and is claimed, if anything, to be even more effective in cases in which it is used. The business at the resort at St. Catharines has increased about 100 per ceat. over last year.

SEFTLERS LOW RATIES WEST.

Via the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, every day from September 15th to November 30th, settlers oneway second class tickets at very low rates from Chicago to points in Utah, Montana. Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Washington, California, also to Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Nelson, Rossland, and other points in Kootenny district. Correspondingly low rates from all points in Canada. Full particulars from menerest ticket agent or R. H. Bennett, general agent, 2 East King street, Toronto, Ont ma.

"The bonds of sincere and uninterrupted friendship which unite the two Governments and the two peoples; the solemn obligation undertaken by the American Union in a public treaty to guarantee the sovereignty and property of Colombia in the Isthmus of Panaama; the protection which the citizens

d stout-wear shoes. For hard wear you need good stout shoes, not too heavy theavy enough, at easy prices. We have medium weight men's shoes. Good to keep the feet dry in all kinds of weather, warm, comfortable and wear-resisting; easy on the feet, easy on the purse. Nobody need go without shoes at these prices, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, 2 and \$2.50.

TURRILL The Shoe Man.
REPAIRING DONE AT STORE.

THE MARKET REPORTS.

Grain is Easier-The Live Stock Trade-Latest Quotations. Monday Eve., Nov. 16.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The bad weather resulted in light receipts at St. Lawrence Market to-day, and trade generally was quiet. Only 20 bushels of grain were on the street.

Wheat—One hundred and fifty bushels of red soid at 81½c per bushel.

Oats—One hundred bushels sold at 33½c are hundred. Oats—One hundred bushels sold at 30/20 per bushel.

Dressed Hogs—Trade was quiet, and the market is unchanged at \$7 to \$7.50 per cwt. for lights and \$1.75 to \$7 for heavies. Hay—Two loads of No. 1 timothy sold at \$10.50 per ton.

Straw—There was none offering, and prices are unchanged at \$10.50 per ton.

British Cattle Markets. Nov.16,'03 Nov.17,02 Nov.18,'0

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Duts increased 547,000 bushels. A year ago wheat increased 1,94,000 bushels.

Cheese Markets.

Utica, N.Y., Nov. 16.—At the Dairy Board of Trade to-day the offerings of cheese were 49 lots of 3.233 boxes. Quotations were 94c and 10c for both large and small, 10c rules Creamery butter reported at 22c, 23c and 24c. The board will close for the season on Monday, November 23. The Visible Supply.

London, Nov. 16.—American cattle, 5%d; Canadians, 5d to 5%d; sheep, 5%d. Trade Feceverine: Weather cold. Liverpool, Nov. 16.—Canadian cattle, 4%d to 5%d.

Montreal Live Stock. Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Nov. 18.—At the East End Cattle Market to-day trade showed a slight improvement over last week's markets. Ite-ceipts to-day included 900 head of cattle, selling from 4c to 4½c for the choice animals, from 5c to 3½c for good cattle, and 7c to 1½c for common stock. The choice and 1c to 1½c for common about 100 remained was fair, and at noon about 100 remained were offered, shout 500 sheep and lambs and 1½c b. Offerings of calves were 1½ch, only 50 head being on the market. Prices ranged from \$1.50 to \$11, according to quality.

East Buffalo Cattle Markets.

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East Buffalo, Nov. 16.—Cattle — Receipts, 6.800 head; desirable, butchers' grades 10c higher others steady; springers and steers, \$2.50 to \$4.65; heifers, \$2.25 to \$4.65; butchers', \$3.60 to \$4.65; heifers, \$2.25 to \$4.65; butchers', \$3.60 to \$4.65; heifers, \$2.25 to \$4.65; butchers, \$2.50 to \$4.65; butchers, \$2.50 to \$4.50; butchers, \$2.50 to \$4.50; butchers, \$2.50 to \$4.50; butchers, \$2.50 to \$4.50; to \$4.60; cows, \$2.25 to \$2.75; fresh cows and springers, steady to strong; good to choice, \$4.5 to \$5.35; medium to good, \$30 to \$40; common, \$20 to \$22; veals — Receipts, 77.500 head; active; heavy \$5.05 to \$5.10, few at \$5.15; mixed, \$5.50; yorkers, \$4.98 to \$5.5; mixed, \$5.50; yorkers, \$4.98 to \$5.5; mixed, \$5.50; yorkers, \$4.98 to \$5.5; mixed, \$5.50; yorkers, \$4.98 to \$5.99; \$3.50 to \$4.50; yorkers, \$4.98 to \$5.99; \$3.50 to \$4.50; sheep and lambs—Receipts, \$3.50 to \$4.50; sheep, mixed, \$1.50 to \$5.75; where \$5.50; yorkers, \$4.98 to \$5.99% yearlings and wethers, \$4 to \$4.25; ewes, \$3.25 to \$3.60; sheep, mixed, \$1.50 to \$5.75

CHICAGO MARKETS Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker North wood Block, Chatham, Nov.17, 1903.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. SALESMEN WANTED—To look after our interest in Kent and ad-jacent counties. Salary or com-mission. Address The Victor Oil Co., Cleveland, O.

Tenders Wanted

Sealed, bulk or separate tenders will be received by the undersigned at their offices, King street, Chatham, until seven p m. Saturday, Nov. 28th, for all the several trades required to erect a brick and shingle residence for Miss F. Tissiman, in the city of Chatham, conner Victoria avenue and Thames street. Plans and speciglications to be seen at the architects offices. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAS. I. WILSON & SON, Architects.

C. AUSTIN & CO.

Fashionable Dressmaking.

A Fortunate Purchase.

Last week we secured from a wholesale jobber, who had bought too heavily, another lot of those SPECIAL WRAPPERETTES which have caused such a sensation in the trade this season. This lot are, if anything, in prettier patterns than the first were. We purpose giving our customers the advantage of this bargain and put them on sale to-day at the special price of 8 1-2c. a yd. Over 75 patterns to choose from.

GREY FLANNEL SPECIAL.-A good cloth at a moderate price. In looking over our stock of grey flannels we came across a number of pieces; more than we should have at this season of the year. As every one knows good flannels are much higher this season than last. We are very in one line particularly. It comes in plain or twilled, light and dark shade of grey, PURE ALL WOOL, guaranteed if washed properly will not shrink, full 27 inches wide, soft finish, good va'ue at 35c, our special price 30c yd.

******************** Rug and Carpet

Opening.

We have just placed in stock some unusually fine designs in English Brussels, Velvet and Wilton Carpets, body and borders, inclusive, also complete range of Rug Carpets in Tapestry, Brussel, Axminster and Wilton Weaves in all needed sizes.

English Brussel Carpets. In this season's choicest designs and most dependable weavings, 20 patterns in extra good values at \$1.25, \$1, 75c and 68

English Wiltons. This weave is represented by some of the nicest effects ever shown in the West. In a large variety of colorings. A plea-sure to show this line. At \$1.50, \$1.40 and \$1.25 per yd.

All Wool Ingrain Carpets. 50 patterns all wool, reversible, carpets full weight and width, in best yarns and colorings; at from \$1, 90c, 85c, 75c and 65c. per yd.

English Velvet Carpets

Are a specially strong feature of our Carpet Department. Our range of patterns and colorings have been selected with a view of satisfying the most exacting demands here a plenty at our low price of \$1.15 per yd.

Are shown in a yariety of prtterns that speak convincingly of the care used in their selection, and, coupled with the values offered, we feel assured that we can supply your Tapestry wants. Marked to sell at 75c, 6oc, 5oc, 4oc, 35c. and 25c per vd. Union Ingrain Carpets

In every needed quality, all full standard width in good reverse and patterns, at

Made in any size or color with dispatch at very modest prices. Get our estimates when in need of shades. Regular sizes, in all colors, well mounted at 25c each; regalar sizes, in all colors, Hartshorn m't'd, at 45c each; special rimmed shades at 35c, 45c and up.

Clothing Department...



IT'S THE HAND-WORK THAT TELLS IN MEN'S CLOTHING. And the unusually large amount of hand-work on AUSTIN CLOTHING is what distinguishes it from other ready-made clothing. It is shapely in the beginning, and it keeps its shape. Hand-padded collars, hand-made buttonholes, all seams sewed with silk thread-details, but not trivial, by any means. These are the things that make a man's clothes look well as long as they are worn. These are the things that are lacking in the clothes that get out of shape and tempt a man to throw them away before they have finished their rightful service. Such things do not happen with AUSTINICLOTHING, it is made on a different principle.

See our Men's Tailor-Made Overcoats, \$72, \$10, \$12, \$15 See our Men's Tailor-Made Suits, \$10, \$12, \$13.50, \$15



More News of Boys' Suits and Overcoats.

We are devoting a week to special selling and displaying of Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, See Rast Show Window for samples, then come in and see our immense stock.

Rectars—Boys' storm and dress reefers in Cheviots, Chincillas, Friezes and heavy Blue Cloths. Range \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Overcoats for Boys, ages 3 to 16 years, in plain Grey and Black, and

Ragianottes, nobby Tweeds, full long coats, ages 4 to 16, \$3.00 to \$6.50. Russian—The swell garment for the boys, 3 to 9 years, heavy fancy Blue Cloths, button close to neck, velvet collar, prices run \$4, \$5 to \$6.50

Suits-4 very nobby range of Boys' 2-pc. in Norfolk single and double breasted

Middy Norfolk—The very new style in Blue Serges, full sailor collar, y trimmed, neat belt, for ages 4 to 8 years, swell, \$5.00. Boys' 3-Po. Suits in Middy Suits, for the little fellows, neat vestee, for ages 3 to 9 years, prices \$1.98 to \$5.00, and for the larger boys in short pant suits, ages 9 to 16 years, prices \$3 to \$6.50.

Austin & Company

Market Square Corner.