B. W. CORNELL NEW LIBRARY DENTIST

Corner Sixth and King Street, Over the Bee Hive.

Mrs. Dimond, West St., continue

Mrs. John Piggott left this after-noon for London and other eastern sities.

Wanted—A good girl for general house work. Apply to Mrs. John Waddell, Water street.

MR. KNOWLES GOES

The Chatham Presbytery met this morning in the First Presbyterian Church and decided to accept the resignation of the Rev. W. E. Knowles from the pastor-ate of the First Presbyterian church.

CHICAGO MARKETS

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Dec	38	388	37 h	381	
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Sept	1350	1352	1362	1367	
Oct	1380	1387	1365	1365	
Jan	707	727	737	737	

EXCURSIONS TO LONDON DURING WESTERN FAIR.

For the 36th annual Western Fair, the Grand Trunk Railway have arranged special low rates of single fare for round trip, good going Sept. 42th to 18th inclusive, and a very low rate, good going Sept 15th and 17th. All tickets valid returning until Sept. 21st. Splendid train service and good accommodation will make this an enjoyable visit, and the many attractions and features of this great Fair promise to make it the best yet in point of excellence. Further particulars and tickets from agents.

NOTICE

Two story brick house and one acre of land just outside of the city limits for sale. Nine rooms—bath, furnace, city water, large verandah, fine stable, hen house, etc. The above is a most desirable pro-

perty.

The house having been built two years ago, is modern and up-to-date in every way. The owner is auxious to sell as he is leaving Chatham. Better look this up soon as it will not be in the market long.

Money to Loan on Real Estate.

DUNN & MERRITT.

Union Made Shoes..

Our shoes are union made shoes. We want the trade of union men, and we want them to know that we sell union made shoes. The best manuand the best shoes are union made. They are made honest and upon honor by skilled

Union made footwear is here and it is the best footwear in the land. We invite the union workingmen of Chatham to this union shoe store.

TURRILL

THE SHOE MAN.

Repairing done at the store

of them as possible this week.

defines the word as 'continual application.' Michael Angelo says it is infinite patience and Sydney Smith—and I am sure Dr. Charteris will donate his works—Laughter—says it is quality for hard work. Stick to your aim. 'The mongrel's hold may slip but nothing but crowbars can loose the bull dog's grip.'

"Dr. Johnson took eight years to write his dictionary—I am sure Judge.

Woods will donate this work. Mott-ley's Dutch Republic—Dr. Holmes will donate this—was written after ten years of hard labor. And Carlyle's French Revolution was written in fourteen years

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"In poetry Tennyson, Burns and Moore should not be overlooked in the selection of books. Goldwin Smith's works should also be here as also should the works of Parkman and Thomas Darcey McGee's History of Ireland.

"In rural libraries we have been doing a great work, and \$7,000 was spent the first year in grants to public school libraries, and I am pleased to say that the County of Kent stood first in the list of grants received.

to say that the County of Kent stood first in the list of grants received.—Applause. I am a minister and not a politician, but our great problem is to make rural life more enjoyable to keep the boy on the farm. What we need is good roads, rural mail delivery and rural telephone."

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Mr. Harcourt closed his address by wishing the people of Chatham much enjoyment from their magnificent DR. MAY.

Dr. May, inspector of public lib-raries, was then called upon and he dwelt on the history of libraries in Ontario.

Dr. Holmes moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Harcourt and Fred. Stone seconded it. Both mover and seconder spoke in high terms of Mr. Harcourt and his excellent address.

A tour of inspection of the city schools was then made.

AT SEPARATE SCHOOL.

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A chorus of welcome by the pupils of the senior form greeted the Minister of Education at the Separate school after that worthy had been most hospitably received by several members of the School Board, Father James and Mother Geniveve.

After looking over some composition and drawing work of the pupils, the honorable visitor made a very suitable reply to the children's most hearty welcome and highly complimented them upon their work. All the rooms of the school were visited and presented and are excellent expects. and presented an excellent appearance. The trustees and teachers were most courteous in their usage of the visitors.

CENTRAL SCHOOL.

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Principal Plewes and the managers of the Central school gave the visitors a hearty handshake and welcome to Chatham's largest educational institution. Soon after the arrival 800 pupils were ensembled in the lower halls of the school and a welcome chorus rang out. Principal Plewes then asked Mr. Harcourt to say a few words to the children.

He had spoken to many audiences but never mere magnificent than the present one. There was none more fortunate than these children, and he hoped they would make the best of their opportunities. He spoke of the teachers and their salaries. He said they were far from overpaid and they were not like Carnegie in that they couldn't find a place for their surplus cash. There was great applause when the Minister announced a holiday for Friday next.

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a holiday for Friday next.
At the conclusion of the address little Miss Beatrice Westman, a beautiful little girl, presented the Honorboquet on behalf of the school.

Miss Gertrude Potter, a former pupil of the school, sang very pleasingly "O Listen to the Band," the pupils joining in the chorus.

McKEOUGH SCHOOL.

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As in the other schools, a song of welcome awaited the visitor, the pupils on this occasion being assembled in the auditorium of the school.

Mr. Harcourt's address at the McKeeugh school was a fine one and inspiring one to the young folks. Very pretty boquets of flowers gathered from the gardens of the school were presented to both Mr. Harcourt and Dr. Charteris, the latter for the Library Board. A very pleasing address accompanied each boquet, the first read by John McCorvie, Jr., son of the school trustee, the presentation being made by Miss Eunice Paxton, and the second address being read by Miss Georgia Baines and presentation by Master Garner Scullard. Before leaving the building the visitors were all asked to sign the wisitors were all asked to sign the visitors.

Amateur Photographers

Albums for amateur photos at a discount of 10 per

cent. These albums were bought at special sale and are good value at regular prices. We purchased a

large number of them and want to dispose of as many

A. I. McGALL & CO., LIMITED

DRUGGISTS AND OPTICIANS DRESDEN

We offer during this week a fine collection of

tors' book and give their impressions of the school. Mr. Harcourt met all the teachers and had a very pleas-

the teachers and had a very pleasant chat with each.

A quick return to the Hotel Garner was made, where in the halls of his splendid hotel Mine Host John McCoig had prepared a sumptuous little banquet, which was done ample justice to by all present. On Mr. Harcourt's right were Dr. Charteris, I. L. Davis, A. P. E. Panet, chairman of the of the building committee of Windsor Library Board, J. W. Humphrey, A. Sheldrick, J. L. Wilson, architect, Miss Rutherford and Mrs. Thos. Robinson. On his left were Dr. phrey. A. Sheldrick, J. L. Wilson, architect, Miss Rutherford and Mrs. Thos. Robinson. On his left were Dr. T. K. Holmes, Fred Stone, S. M. Smith, J. J. Spearman, secretary of Sarnia Library Board, J. U. Thibodeau, Warden Thos. Robinson and newspaper representatives.

It had been intended to have toasts, but owing to Mr. Harcourt's engagement at the convent they were dispensed with.

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AT "THE PINES."

Probably the event of the day, and surely the event that will remain longest in the memory of the honorable minister of education for

main longest in the memory of the honorable minister of education for Ontario, was the reception tendered him by the ladies and lady students of the Academy of Ste. Ursula. It was exquisite.

Welcomed at the entrance by the sisters of this splendid institution, the visitors were led through the spacious corridors to Ste. Cecelia's hall, where on the platform, which was most tastefully decorated in the colors of the academy—pale blue and white—arranged very prettily were a number of the pupils ranging from the cute little tot to the fair young lady. It was a sight most pleasing to the eye to see the smiling countenances of a score or more of pretty girls daintily dressed in white and wearing the colors of their school, bow low as their visitor entered the hall.

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The stage was girded with a wreath of flowers and foliage, and the spectacle was an imposing one.

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the young ladies on the platform, an exceedingly pretty young lady, with much feeling and effect read a carefully worded address of welcome, at the close of which she presented Mr. Harcourt with an artistically illuminated address, the handiwork of the scholars of the academy.

The honorable gentleman's reply was evidently from the heart. He was deeply thankful for the address and welcome and felt highly honored. The reader of the address he complimented in the highest manner and appreciated the words of compliment and honors tendered him.

The speaker dwelt on the work of the school, on the languages taught, and concluded a masterly address by expressing the great pleasure it gave him to visit such a fine institution.

expressing the great pleasure it gave him to visit such a fine institution. The musical program which followed was consummate in its entirety. Misses Spereman and Surby as violinistes captured the audience with their selection.

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Miss Gavin, as always, sang superbly. Miss Gavin possesses an excellent
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voice and her effort met with applause.

The instrumental selections of Misses Carson and Edmondson were well up to and above the standard, delicacy of touch and fullness of feeling was well attributed to their playing.

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"A Dream," the song rendered by Miss Olive Mather, was all the title called for in Miss Mather's rendition. The program: Words of Welcome-Miss Helen Ris.

Intermezzo—lst violin Miss K.
Spereman, 2nd violin Miss F. Surby.
Vocal solo, selected—Miss Gavin. Piano, Serenade—Miss Edmondson Orchestral acc., 2nd piano — Miss

An Evening Hymn-Misses Gavin, Mather, Carson, Wilson, Hall, Rispin, McDonald, F. Miller, McVean, Adair, Post, E. Miller and I. Mount.

Piano, Selected—Miss Carson. Vocal, A Dream—Miss Olive Mather God Save the King.

All men may be born equal, but they don't stay that way long.

Auction Sale of Livery Stock

John Hendershot has instructed Andrew Thomson, Jr., to sell without reserve all his livery stock on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6th, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at his livery stock on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6th, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at his livery stables situated at Rankin Dock, sale to continue all is sold. Consisting of the fo-lowing:

1 Rrey mare 6 vrs. old; 1 bay mare 6 yrs old; 1 bay horse 6 yrs old; 1 bay mare 6 yrs old; 1 bay mare 6 yrs. old; 1 bay mare 9 yrs. old; 1 brown mare 7 yrs. old; 1 brown mare 7 yrs. old; 1 brown mare 9 yrs. old; 1 brown mare 9 yrs. old; 1 brown mare 10 yrs. old; 1 brown horse 10 yrs. ol

AUCTION SALE

Household Furniture

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Frank Mulligan formerly of St. Catharines, has instructed Andrew Thomson Jr., auctioneer, to sell his homsehold effects at his residence, on Edgar Street, (back of the G. T. R. station, on TUESDAY, SEPT. 22, 1903, at T. R. station, on TUESDAY, SEPT. 22, 1903, at T. R. station, on TUESDAY, SEPT. 22, 1903, at T. R. station, on TUESDAY, SEPT. 22, 1903, the profile of the following:

1 Dominion piano, upright, nearly new: 1 partor suite (5 pieces); 1 parfor table; to large parlor pictures; 1 parlor lamp; 1 large bevel plate looking glass; 1 sideboard; 1 extension table (solid black walnut); 1 set diming room chairs; four rocking chairs; 1 couch; dining room pictures; 1 dinner set; 97 pi ces; 1 lemonade set; 1 wine set; 0 linger sewing machine; 1 betroom suite, one bedstead; 2 bedsprings; 2 mattresses; 1 chamber set; 1 Happy Thought Range, new coal or wood; 1 coal stove; 1 oil heater; 1 copper boiler; 1 set inckel plated smoothing iross; tea kettle, pots, pans, and a lot of cooking utensils, coal scuttle, 23 laughts stovepipe and elbows, 2 clocks, 23 laughts stovepipe and elbows, 2 clocks, 23 laughts stovepipe and elbows, 5 clocks, 23 laughts stovepipe and elbows, 5 clocks, 24 laughts, 1 dropper laught of the states, and 1 the states, 1 me above articles are practiced the states. The above articles are practiced the states, 1 me owner is moving to the States, F *NK MULLIG* N, Prop; A. *HOMSON.

POWERS OF THE AUDITOR.

CREDIT IMPORTANT.

The Auditor-General's Statement on the Difference Between Him and Mr. Fielding-New Senators for the Northwest.

repetition of frauds of the Martineau kind, are refused, and because, while Mr. Fielding refuses them, he declines to give the Auditor-General his reason for doing so. The power of refusal to sign letters of credit is, Mr. McDougal maintains, "such a vital one to enable the example. to enable the carrying out of a proper and sufficient audit that I feel compelled led to give my statement of the facts that have apparently induced this extraordinary action of the Minister of Finance." think," declares the Auditor-Gen

"I think," declares the Auditor-General, "it would be a most dangerous practice if every month great bundles of checks representing the expenditure of millions of dollars should be transported from one department to another, and finally to the audit office, without being accompanied by a stateanother, and finally to the audit office, without being accompanied by a statement showing exactly the checks included in these bundles. If any checks should be mislaid or abstracted between the time they were returned by the bank and the time they were finally audited by the audit office, it would be impossible under the present arrangement to locate where the loss had taken place."

Mr. McDougall claims that in the present case he has been carrying out the regulations of the treasury minute of the 23rd July, and of the audit act, and if there has been any breach of either it has been by the Minister of Charles and the company of the compan

and if there has been any breach of either it has been by the Minister of Finance, who has, unconsciously he hopes, failed to observe them.

"As an honest official of an honest country, I could not pass an application for a credit if I knew that I would not be in a position to repay the bank. I am, however, quite certain that the bank would have the sympathy of the public, under our banking system, in its effort to get its pay from the Government, if the checks were signed by the persons in whose names the credit had been issued, always assuming that the checks were properly filled up."

The Auditor-General contends that he has, presumably, the right to get what he claims, and that it is for the person who contends that he has not

case he has not the right.

"I speak freely and without circumlocution in regard to Mr. Fielding, because my dealings with him have been so pleasant, so far as my feelings go, that I cannot imagine anyone supposing me affected by anything but the highest respect for him. The Governor in Council might, and should, I think, have called me in Mr. Fielding's presence and found out where we differ the and in presence and found out where we fer in recollection of facts and views."

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Batteries—Pardee and Thomas; Burchell and Ahearn. Umpire—Cauliflower. Attendance—600. Jersey City 100004101-711 2 Rochester 203000100-810 5 Batteries—McCann and Dillon; Becker and Steelman. Umpire—Brown. Attend-ance—600.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS. At Pittsburg-

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AMERICAN LEAGUE SCORES At Washington-At Boston-

REBUSAL TO SIGN LETTERS OF

eral last evening sent a letter to the press, justifying his action in refusing to sign letters of credit to the Government departments. He takes it for granted that the object of Mr. Fielding's bill is to take from the Auditor-General the power of refusing to sign letters of credit, in order to remove the difficulty which now exists in having departmental credits stopped. He states, however, that no act can remove the present difficulty. It arises, he claims, because the facilities for the audit of the checks by the departments, which, it appears to Mr. McDougall, ought to be provided, to prevent the

taken place."

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person who contends that he has not to prove that from the nature of the case he has not the right.

At St. Louis (first game)

Boston 02000000000000 88 New York 00001300048 Batteries—Dineon and Stahl; Cheebro and Beville. Umpires—Hassett and Kearns. Attendance—4.021.

Leading Wheat Markets,

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Fashionable C. AUSTIN & CO. ... Dressmaking

SeptemberCarpetEvent

Our object is to make room for fall carpets soon to arrive. This sale as comodates every sort of purse-for the showing is wide and the price reductions the most important so far in this economical September event, Details tell the story.

Ottawa, Sept. 15 .- The Auditor-Gen-Best English Body Brussels.—Borders to match in a choice variety of patterns and orings, reg 1.00 quality, Sept. sale price 89e a yd.

2 Ply Ingrains.—Pure wool construction in best patterns, full 36 ins inwidth, regular and 85c quality, Sept. sale price 65c yd.

4 Frame English Body Brussels, in eandsome effects, good value at 90c per yard,

4 Frame English 1963 States., t. sale price 68c yd.
English Tapestry Carpets.—Finely wooven in good shadings, some with border to ch, reg. 75c and 85c quality, at our Sept. sale, price 68c yard.

OIL CLOTH OPENING.—All our fall patterns of Oil Cloths are here, including every width, made fresh from the mill. Priced at 12½c, 17c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 40c per yd. ************************

Staple Department,

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Big opportunties for early buyers of

DOMESTIC STAPLES

A complete assortment in all staple lines.

Shaker Flannels—30 pieces, heavy quality fancy striped shaker flannels, dark, medium and light colors, wide width, suitable for quilt and comforter linings, 5c yd.

Plain shaker flannels, in pink, blue, white hades. 6c vd.

30 inch plain cream shaker flannel, good firm quality, special 5c yd.

Extra value plain shaker flannels, 29 ins. wide, in pink, light blue, cardinal and white, extra heavy and wide, soft wool finish, special per yd 8c.

15 pieces special shaker fiannel. 33 inches wide, extra heavy, in fancy colored stripes, for night gowns, etc, reg 12½c for 10c yd.

30 pieces, heavy quality, dark checked shirting fiannelettes, good colorings, reg. 12½c, special 10c yd.

Table Linen.—5 new patterns of our 58 inch half-bleached table damask just in, the best cloth in the trade for the price 25c yd.

New Dice Pattern Table Linens just in, the kind that wears well, plain and broken check, 58 and 66 inches wide, per yard 40c,

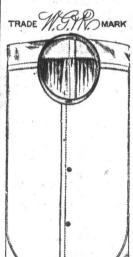
Sheetings.—8.4 plain or twilled factory sheeting, reg 20c for 16c yd; 68 in. English twill bleached sheeting, heavy quality 25c, for 19c yard.

Apron Ginghams.—Small checked aprongingham, fast colors, assorted patterns, 25-nches wide, per yd 5c.

Special 40 in apron gingham, small dark and light blue and white check, pure Indigo-blue, perfectly fast colors, 15c yd. Table Napkins.—25 doz pure bleached table napkins, assorted patterns, pure linen, \$\frac{2}{3}\$ size, reg 1.25 value, to clear 1.00 doz.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

Men's Shirts and Other Furnishings



The new supplies of the famous Austin & Co.'s. dol-lar high class colored shirts are ready, and scarcely any-thing in our stock is more popular at this season than these shirts that stand unmatchable elsewhere for any-price below \$1.50. But this week there is special news of lower-priced shirts that are wanted at this time.

Men's High Class Colored Shirts at 75c.—These shirts are made by the celebrated W. G. & R. makers, and are regular \$1.00 and \$1.25, made to sell just at these figures, made of excellent English Cambrics and Scotch Madras, genteel colorings, with separate outs, every color warranted, sizes 12½ to 17½, while they last at 75 cents.

Men's Night Shirts at 75c.—Made from imported extra quality English flannelette, pretty shadings, big full shirts, extra heavy cloths, all sizes up to 18.

Autumn Suits for the Young Men.

Young men between the ages of 15 and 20 are interested. It is the common custom to pattern "youths" suits on entirely independent lines. which give them the requisits, slightly more juvenile air, so that the tall, tall slender fellow, who hasn't caught up with his height, can be fitted as well as though his suit was made to order. Fall styles are now ready, a fine colloction for business or school wear, single and double breasted sack suits,

\$5.00 TO \$15.00.

Hats and Capes Fall Styles for Men and Boys.



You're not going to an exclusive hatter and part with \$2.50 or \$3.50 for the identical sort of a hat you can get here for \$1.50 to \$2.50, are you? The season past has taught you the fall-acy of it. Pin your faith on our assertion that at no point do our styles falter, either in shape or material, or the wear they'll give.

ool Caps and Tams, -Boys' school caps in yacht, chiefton and golf shapes 25c, Children's Tams, in blue and red, pretty styles, 25c and 50c ****************

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