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THE LOCAL BUDGET

E. H. Chapman, of Thameville, was a Chatham visitor to-day.

C. B. Jackson, of Wallaceburg, is spending the day with his Chatham friends.

Miss Jean McDonald, of Ridgeway, is the guest of Miss Gertie Somerville to-day.

The Misses Hekey, Detroit, have returned home after spending Christmas with their mother Mrs. J. P. Hekey, Chatham Township.

Letters of administration of the estate of the late William E. McKie, Wallaceburg, have been granted to Janet B. McKie.

Mrs. Chas. Butler, of Thameville, and Mrs. J. C. Ellis, of Florence, are visiting at the residence of James Rheinboldt.

The Women's Folk will give a ground time on the eve of the 22nd of January at St. Andrew's Sabbath school, what wai Scotch airs and songs and oak cake forebye.

The death occurred in Kingsville of Henry Wees, of Louisville. The remains will be brought here and interment will be made in the Louisville cemetery.

George Connear, of this city, has received a letter from his brother Walter, who is now living at Sedro Woolley, Washington Territory. Walter has a position as attendant in the hospital.

Mrs. N. Massey entertained a number of her lady friends to a sleigh ride last evening. After driving around the city they returned to Mrs. Massey's home where the rest of the evening was pleasantly spent.

Alex. Bellamy, while working for his brother, Fred Bellamy, Dover Township, met with a bad accident. He was hauling logs and one of the logs rolled on his head. Bellamy was brought into the Public General Hospital.

A full attendance is expected for the practice of R. B. Hood Monday night, as the management desire to get measurements for the costumes. A complete set of new costumes will be secured so as to obviate the necessity of the chorus making their own. The members of the chorus will be under no expense or trouble in the matter of costumes.

The funeral of the late Melvin Carter, which was held yesterday was very largely attended. The Rev. Mr. Malott conducted the funeral services. The floral tributes were very numerous and included an anchor, from the employees of Austin's store, where the deceased's brother is employed. The pall bearers were Percy Morley, Garret Bracken, Herb Side, Ralph Ingalls, Wilfred McCorvie, and Tom Morrison.

A sleighride party was given to the teachers and officers of the Park St. Methodist Sunday school last evening. Three sleighs drove to Sydney White's residence at Chatham Cross, in charge of Mr. Westman, Mr. Bellamy and C. Austin. A very pleasant time was spent. The evening was spent playing Euchre, Pitt and other parlor games, after which an oyster supper was served. Speeches were made by Mr. Austin, Mr. Harrington and Rev. Mr. Cobbley. The party returned to Chatham in the wee sma' hours of morning.

Fred. Flosse, concessioner, of Dover Township, met with a nasty accident yesterday. He was assisting Robert Barr to fell a tree when he received a nasty blow in the face from the handle of a mallet, inflicting a bad wound. Mr. Flosse was only married a short time ago to one of the nurses in the hospital. A year ago Mr. Flosse was taken to the hospital to undergo an operation for appendicitis. There he met Miss Hutchinson, one of the attendants. It was a meeting that resulted in a little romance and the two were married a few weeks ago.

W. H. Irwin, who made such a splendid run for Councillor in Raleigh Township, was in the city today calling on his many friends. He made a friendly call at The Planet office. Mr. Irwin was a member of the Council last year and his work was thought so much of by the electors that he headed the polls this year with 415 votes to his credit. Edward Dillon came next with 337 votes. J. Chapman next with 296 votes. J. Chapman defeated R. J. Morrison for Reeve by a majority of 223 votes. Mr. Irwin wishes to thank his electors for their confidence in him.

The novelist's wife doesn't believe half the stories he tells.

CHILBLAINS....

Why suffer from Chilblains when one bottle of our Chilblain Cure will relieve the trouble at once, and will cure it in a day. Price 15c

A. I. McCall & Co., Ltd.,
Chatham and Dresden. Druggists.

SHOE PIO-NIO

On Monday morning—as will be seen by the announcement on another page—Turrill, the enterprising King street shoe man, will open a mammoth shoe picnic and special sale, which bids fair to eclipse anything of the kind ever held in this city.

Mr. Turrill has a stock of \$11,000 value which he proposes reducing for the spring trade and the public are reaping the benefit of this decision.

The prices quoted for the goods to be disposed of in this sale are such as will delight purchasers.

This is Mr. Turrill's first year in business, and it has been a record breaker.

A NEW OAFE

That Chatham is going ahead is being realized more and more every day by observant people. New industries are coming in, and merchants generally are experiencing success and branching out and enlarging their establishments.

William McKay, the popular confectioner, is one of the merchants who are realizing that they must increase their stock to supply the demand. During the holiday season Mr. McKay's confectionery store was the centre of fancy candies. His trade was so successful that he decided to add a cafe. He has done so, and to-day he opened up in full swing, serving dinners and lunches. Although the fact that dinners would be served was practically unknown, generally the day was opened up with a rush, and everyone who got served went away looking pleased and satisfied.

Mr. McKay is not a novice at this business. He has followed it for the past eleven years, and there is no doubt that he will do a good business in Chatham. His dining hall will seat 36 people comfortably, but in event of a banquet 50 people could be accommodated. The store will be kept open until 2 o'clock every morning, and later on it will be kept open all night. He serves hot sodas, oysters, beef tea, etc., home-made pastry and bakery, baked pork and beans by the pan, dinners and lunches, and all kinds of candies and confections. If you want a dinner like mother used to serve, go to McKay's.

THE 2 T'S

The stock reduction sale put on by the 2 T's for the balance of January opened to-day and has been the most successful in the history of this firm. During the eight years they have been in business they have never had such a splendid sale, one so well patronized and one at which such values were offered. After stock taking the 2 T's found that their stock of winter goods was too large. They at once decided on a reduction, and have sacrificed prices in order to accomplish a quick reduction. In overcoats, suits, underwear, gloves, neckwear, hats, and capes, wonderful bargains are offered. Prices have been cut in two. The sale will last till the end of January, but it will be best to visit the store early and see the prices offered.

WOULD ROB THE DEAD.

Human Hand Cut Off to Obtain the Rings.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—A human hand and some money and jewellery have been found in the debris of the Iroquois Theatre. The hand was that of a man, and apparently had been severed from the wrist in an attempt to get possession of the rings. The police found thirty dollars in bills encased in a chamois skin bag and a five-carat opal among the fragments of broken glass and charred wood.

PRICES OF RAW COTTON.

Meeting at Manchester Postpones Discussion of Important Resolution.

Manchester, Eng. Jan. 15.—A meeting of the Federation of Master Cotton Spinners yesterday discussed a resolution recommending that members and ex-members discontinue buying or selling cotton futures. The resolution was put forth that the present condition of the cotton trade has been caused by "the gamblers using futures in the market to artificially raise the prices of raw cotton," which makes trade practically impossible except at a heavy loss.

The vote was postponed for a week.

Many men think nothing matters except financial matters.

A NURSE'S SUICIDE.

Death of Miss McGrath at Brandon Hospital.

Winnipeg, Jan. 16.—Nurse McGrath, aged about 28, died in Brandon Hospital yesterday apparently from the effects of self-administered poison. She arrived in Brandon from England a few weeks ago, and had just finished nursing her first case. Late last night she received news from England that her brother had gone blind and her sister was insane. This is supposed to have affected her mind, with the above deplorable result. It is not thought she has any relatives in Canada. An inquest will probably be held.

COPPER CLIFF RIOT.

Trouble With Italians Looked Threatening.

Sudbury, Jan. 16.—On Friday last a number of Italians who had been employed by the Canadian Copper Company at Copper Cliff quit work because they had been put at contract work instead of regular wages. They started in to stop others from working, and succeeded with quite a large number. They fired several shots at Constable Storie and some special constables, but ten of the ringleaders were rounded up and landed in Sudbury jail. At the preliminary investigation before Police Magistrate Brodie the men were discharged, and the others will be tried to-morrow.

PRESIDENT DRUMMOND.

Montreal Board of Trade Elections by Acclamation.

Montreal, Jan. 16.—Mr. George E. Drummond, President of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, will be elected President of the Montreal Board of Trade by acclamation. The nominations closed at 6 o'clock yesterday, and he was the only person nominated for first place on the board. The next three positions will be filled in the same way, as but one man was named for each, as follows: For First Vice-President, Mr. W. I. Gear; Second Vice-President, Mr. Robert Munro; Treasurer, Mr. James Thom. The retiring President is Mr. Arthur J. Hodgson of Hodgson Bros.

OFFERED TO PROF. MILLS.

Guelph Principal Invited to join Railway Commission.

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—Professor James Mills, Principal of the Ontario Agricultural College, has been offered a position on the Railway Commission created under the statute of last year. If he accepts, as he doubtless will, the constitution of the commission will be complete. The other members are Mr. Blair, Chairman, and Mr. Bernier. The office of Secretary is as yet unfilled. Prof. Mills is in every way qualified to fill the position which the Prime Minister offered him last night. He is thoroughly in touch with the great agricultural industry and is a man in whom the farmers have every confidence.

THEY KNOW IT.

Thousands of people throughout this country know that the ordinary remedies for piles—ointments, suppositories and appliances—will not cure.

The best of them only bring passing relief.

Dr. Leonard's Hem-Roid is a tablet taken internally that removes the cause of Piles, hence, the cure is permanent. Every package sold carries a guarantee with it.

It is perfectly harmless to the most delicate constitution. A month's treatment in each package. Sold at \$1.00.

Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co., Central Drug Store, Chatham.

THE MARKETS

There was a very fair market this morning. Vegetables have gone up in price owing to their scarcity. Cabbages sell at from 5c to 15c each, potatoes at from 20c to 25c a peck, apples at from 10c to 25c a peck. Chickens sell at from 25c to 40c each, butter at from 19c to 20c a pound, and eggs at 30c a dozen.

Following is the price list:—

IN THE SHEDS.
Butter, per lb., 18c to 20c.
Eggs, per doz., 30c.
Chickens, each, 25c to 40c.

VEGETABLES.
Apples, per peck, 10c to 25c.
Potatoes, per peck, 20c to 25c.
Cabbages, each, 5c to 15c.
Squash, 3c to 25c.
Pumpkins, 10c.
Onions, 25c peck.
Savory, 5c bunch.
Celery three bunches for 10c.

CHICAGO MARKETS.
Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker Northwood Block, Chatham, Jan. 16, 1904.

Wheat—	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE.
May.....	87 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
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