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HERE AND THERE

Under the direction of the agricul-Under the direction of the agricul-tural experiment stations thousands of simple co-operative experiments in which the farmers take part are now annually carried on in different parts of the country. They consist princi-pally in the growing of different kinds of crops, such as wheat, grasses, sugar heets vegetables and fruit, or in the beets, vegetables and fruit, or in the testing of different kinds of fertilizer as applied to the soils and crops in dif-ferent localities.—The Forum.

The Meterological Institute of Budapest employs 125 guns last summer in making attempts to prevent hail storms. In one place the experiment-ers were convinced that they had averted six out of eight threatening storms The peasants, strange to say, are averse to the experiments, owing to superstition. One of them declared angrily that it was "a sin to fight against God.

There are many birds in the Philippines, though few songsters. It has been told how the martin was imported into the islands and royally receiv ed by the Spanish government. They have increased and multiplied, but they do not sing, but the warble of the North American songsters is missing from the piping.

There is in north Missouri at least one man who no longer cares to be "shown"-if it costs anything. He forwarded \$1 recently to an Eastern sharper who had advertised a willingness to explain, for the consideration specified, how to prevent a shotgun from scattering. The reply which came back was, "Use one shot."

A burglar has been caught in London and, according to the English Electrical Engineer, among his implements of trade was found a portable electric light set. It was undoubtedly intended to be used in his business, as could be easily switched on and off, and there would be an entire absence

Through the influence of the women who took up the matter of planting and cultivating trees on College Hill, Cincinnati, a dilapidated locality has become attractive, and property in that section has advanced 25 per cent. in value in two or three years.

The Houston and Texas Central railway has created the office of chief gar-This official will have charge of making and caring for the station grounds and flower gardens at all points along the line from Grosebeck to Dallas, Texas.

More than 13,000 Michigan farmers raised sugar beets for the first time last summer, the result being a crop large enough to keep ten factories busy, and it is expected that the state will soon be able to produce all the sugar it needs. -Germany's army is to have, shortly,

a number of automobiles that are to be used not only for the transportation of the baggage, provisions and ammunition, but also ransportation of detachments of sol-

The Daughters of the Revolution of Taeoma, Wash., have erected a handsome bronze drinking fountain in memory of Narcissa Prentiss Whimtan a missionary teacher and pioneer of western civilization.

A horse on board ship eats 10 pounds of hav, five pounds of oats, five pounds of bran and one-half sounce of niter. His drinking allowance is half a gill of vinegar and eight gallons of water. Russia's Asiatic possessions are three times the size of Great Britain's; but hold only 23,000,000 inhabitants, as compared with England's 297,000,000

on persons who have the right to vote, but do not avail themselves of it. The lumber consumed in the United States last year is estimated to aggre-

gate 9,800,000,000 cubic feet. Since the Tyrol first offered a bounty on poisonous snakes, in 1896, it has been paid on 3,171 snakes.

The world is calling for American manufactures at the rate of over \$1,-000,000 a day.

POPULAR MAXIMS

One bushel of coke weighs 32 pounds. For every foolish thing in law there is a wise reason

Make useful sacrifices enough to dispense with useless ones. Put your strength in your fight in stead of in your challenge. Some men are ever ready to do an

injury and to appologize for it. When one builds castles in the air he leaves out the troubles. Take care of your health while you

have it, not after it is gone. A delicate man at work accomplishes more than a giant in idleness. It is much harder to get a dollar into one's pocket than to take it out. Most men give up what they like to

The next best thing after not being pretty is not to know that you are

We will never have clean streets in a great city until somebody wants the One who spends money imprudently

is not apt to have money to spend pru Politicians are given appointments not for favors received, but for favors

Many waste their powers in getting wealth and then waste their wealth in

getting power. The politicians have a greater desire to rule badly than the people have to

It is strange how often some people prove themselves fools, and yet have no knowledge of it. Those who feel better on drinking first disqualify themselves by drink fo

The true lovers want to do something

for his beloved, and not merely to feel good over her. Many think women were made for men without thinking that men were made for women.

If you rise too early, you will be sleepy all day; if you retire too early you will be wakeful all night.

Easter Gifts In Precious Stones,

Easter Gitts In Dainty Jewelry, Easter Gifts In Watches of all kinds

Easter Gifts In New Buckles and Be Easter Gifts

In New Chatelaine Bags, Easter Gifts In New Chatelaine Purse Easter Gifts In New Leather Goods, Easter Gifts

In Domestic Novelties, Easter Gifts In New Silverware, Easter Gifts

In Rich Cut Glass Ware

In Imported Novelties,

Easter Gifts

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THE TORREY'S SYSTEM.

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Avenue

Williams Wants the County Council Silrred up to Introduce it.

To The Planet.—I beg of you to republish an article published in your paper a year ago calling attention of the new county council to introduce the Torren's System of land transfer. Why does that hon-orable body hesitate? Certainly such men as Mr. Hickey, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Stewart, the Warden and other members of that honorable body are aware that the present system is downright robbery. For instance, I had a lot and house in Chatham. I sold it, took a mortgage for \$120, with the below in cosh and another lot. Each he balance in cash and another lot. Each deed cost \$4, the mortgage \$3, registration \$4.65, making a total of \$15.65, on a piece of property I sold for \$200. I would suggest to the ratepayers and voters of the County of Kent to make this one of our planks and see that we as intelligent people vote for no commissioner that do promise to carry out this much needed re-

C. A. Williams Raleigh, April 9, 1900. WHY THIS DELAY?

The following is the article which Mr Williams refers to as published in The Planet some time since :

One of the first acts of the new county ouncil ought to consist in the introduction of the Torrens System of land transfer.

Our present method of setting and buying property is extremely crude. It seems to have been especially designed to incur expense. and encourage flaws in titles. The Torrens System, which originated in Australia, is ery simple. The seller or sellers produc he deed, and endorse it over to the buyer. He has it registered, pays for his property and it is his. The whole transfer is accomplished with almost as little trouble as if the article being transferred were a horse instead of a lot. When the Torrens Sys-Oliver Mowat was very cautious in permitting its introduction. Finally he decided to try it in the County of York. That was ten or twelve years ago. It was frank Mays, were charged before found all that its advocates expected. Magistrate Bartlet with borrowing a Therefore the Government made its adoption optional with the other municipalities And yet here we are in Kent still working under the old system, laying the foundation for law suits for our children and paying sary fees, when we want to

Backs That Ache

Kidneys That Won't do Kidney Work.

CHATHAM TALK

It is but a short time, (counted by days,) since Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets first came to Chatham. It was said they were something en-tirely out of the common as a spepific for Backache and kidney Complaints, and that they acted very quickly and made startling cures of cases that all other medicines failed to influence. Chatham people are quickly coming to the front to substantiate this statement. them is R. Hart, North Chatham, who relates his experience as follows:—

"I have always worked hard at day labor and odd jobs in different places. Have been wet through many times and had a lame, stiff back as a result. To this I lay my leidney trouble: the pain was bad, kidney trouble; the pain was bad, and the water troublesome and thick I could not rest at last in any posi-tion. I had been using different medicines without much re-hief until I got a bottle of Dr. Pit-cher's Backache Kidney Tablets at A. I. McCall & Co's drug store. They . McCall & Co.'s drug store. They did for me what other medicines could not; stopped the pain and soreness and cleared up the kidney trouble. I am grateful for this and will do all I can wherever I go

to let others know of my cure."

To prove the wonderful merits of Dr. Pitcher's Backache and Kidney Tablets, arrangements have been made whereby every reader of The Chatham Planet can obtain a sample package absolutely free by addressing The Pitcher Tablet Co., 48 Adelaide St. ast, Toronto, and enclosing two cent stamp for postage. Kindly mention the Chatham Planet when sending ad-

The Dominion parliament yesterday fixed the first Monday after Easter to debate the prohibition question.

Slater Shoe Polish in Black and Tan,

Khaki Neckwear for gents, at The 2 T's.

THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.

Toronto, April 10, 10 a.m.—Moderate to fresh north to northwest winds, winds, fine and cool. Wednesday, fine with a little higher temperature.

Bicycle repairs at Brisco's. A Turkish bath will do you good The spring fair will be held on the

Miss Nagle, Harvey street, is seriously ill with peritonitis. Divine service in Christ Church the

Walter Primeau, news agent of the ake Erie, is confined to the house Wilton Ball has returned from Ridle College, St. Catnarines, for the Easter hol

John Stover, of Brantford, spent few days with his parents. He leaves to-day for home. A real live countess is coming in the person of Mme. Sofia Scalchi, the world's

prima donna contralto. If you have rheumatism it will pay yo to investigate the merits of the baths on Sixth s'reet.

Willie Fleetwood and Horace Kearns two Peterboro' boys, slipped into the creek and were drowned. Miss Ada Alger will leave Friday morning to attend the B. Y. P. U. convention held there this week.

Geo. Turrell's many friends are pleased to see that he is able to be out again after his recent illness; The S. S. choir of the William St Baptist Church, will meet for practice Wednesday night at seven o'clock in

the church. Orville Harvey, who was so dangerously burnt at the Kent bakery and was removed to the St. Joseph's Hospital, is resting easily and is somewhat better. Mrs. Richard Pritchard is recover

ing nicely from the effects of her recent operation and will leave Joseph's hospital on Thursday. Two barber chairs and a marble top cheap. 'Address, Box 338, Chatham, P.

Tennent & Burke claim to have shipped the first carload of mangolds that ever went out of Chatham. The

W. Frank Smith to-day took out let ters of administration of the estate late Mrs. Jos. Bullis, of this city. The estate is valued at \$3,000 and consists of real and personal property. Rev. Dr. Livingstone, medical missionary

from South Africa, and who was a prisone in Ladysmith, will lecture in Christ Charch
S. S. Hall Friday, the 20th. The doctor
has told his thrilling story to large audiences in Toronto, Hamilton, etc. Don't fail to hear him

Azaleas, Easter Lillies, Spiraeas, Dycletras, Cinerarias, Cala Lillies, Hyacinths, Palms, Ferns, Roses, Carnations, Tulps, Daffodils, etc., in great quantities—and good condition at the Victoria Ave. Green Houses.

A meeting to conclude arrange-ments for the Indian Famine Fund tea will be held on Thursday afternoon at 3 p. m., in the board room of the First Presbyterian Church, A attendance is requested. We have just received a line of all

wool serges in cardinal, navy, brown, an dblack. These were purchased beem was first advocated in Ontario, Sir fore the advance and are worth today, 40c, per yard. We are selling them at 25c. W. Foreman & Co. At Windsor, George Langlois and horse from John Harmon and trading it to George Simpson for another horse and \$5. They were remanded until next Saturday.

We have in stock a splendid line of all wool French poplins in greys, modes, reds and navy blues, at 50c a Those -popiins at the present vard. state of the wool market are worth 75c. a yard. William Foreman & Co.

Gen Agent Tillson, of the Lake Erie, has asked the management to run a train to Ericau on Good Friday providing the day is fine so that owners of cottages can go down and see how their places have wintered. Mr. Tillson has not yet received an answer but will know in good time if a train will

To Rent !- Two flats, corner King and Forsythe Sts., suitable for two ruoms; each supplied with city water and modern conveniences. Rent rea-sonable, or these two flats could be rented to one party, and would suit very nicely for boarding house. Ap-ply, D. McLachlan, Canada Business College.

A good sight into the futuee often beneficial in curing the ills of the present. It is so in the op-tical world. We should look ahead and avoid the dangers of misuse of the eye by securing the right glasses at the right time—at the right place. the right time—at the right place.
None can give you better service than I offer, few as good. Examination free. E. J. MucIntyre, leading optician, opposite Grand Opera House,

Chatham.
Orders for bookbinding should be left at The Planet Office. It is surprising how nice a volume can be made of magazines, even though they are somewhat soiled from much handling. Books, magazines, or periodicals bound or rebound in any style at very

Wear The 2 T's \$10 New Method

A YUKON DESERTER.

Victoria, B. C., April 10.—Corporal Watson, of the Yukon force, whose wife resides at London, was found near Dawson, with a bullet in his hip, which was self-inflicted. He deserted from the force, and will be courtmartialled. Watson will live.

Money to Lend on Mortgages—Farmers and others wanting to borrow money on mortgages at best rates and save expense and time, and secure other advantages, should apply personally to the Chatham Loan & Savings Company.

See the Patriotic Neckwear for Easter in The 2 T's window.

All the newest creations in Patri-

This Store Is a Store

A store is a store, -so they say, and, taking one store with another, one is cheap, the next one cheaper, the next cheapest and, so on, down to shoddy.

This new store of ours that you are soon to know so well in goods and methods is not like other stores and will not be-except, of course, our two successful stores at Stratford and Guelph.

Our stores are no more like other stores than the clothing we make is like the clothing you usually expect to find in the ready made.

It is pleasant to know one has saved a dozen dollars more or less, and still feel that the merchant tailoring look and "hang" is ever present in ones garments.

That look is in the garments we make, sticks to them and stays there, they are no more the everyday shop-garments than all tailors are six-footers.

With these ideas in mind come to the store with very little money and let us fit you out for Easter-we can do it all except the

Shop around a bit, see quantities and get, prices, then run in here and see the difference.

Thornton & Douglas

Victoria Block

King and Fifth Streets

Was The First Presbyterian

Church Ladies' Aid Concerti-Music From Rocks-A Substantial

Balance Over All Expenses, The concert given last evening by the Rock Band in the First Presbyterian Church was exceedingly novel and afforded the greatest of pleasure to the large number present. The concert was under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society and they certainly deserve credit for presenting such a high class entertainment. The program was varied in its nature and those who attended learned that in addition to

ons in stones there is also the sweetest The Rev. F. H. Larkin briefly introduced William Till, master of music, and his two accomplished daughters.

Miss Mildred Till sang in a rich contralt voice, "Only Dreams," and "Bonnie Sweet Bessië." Miss Esther Till is an elocution-ist of more than ordinary talent and de-lighted the audience with her renditions. The other numbers on the program consist The other numbers on the program consisted of selections played on rocks, glasses, and swinging harps. Mr. Till, who is organist of the First Reform church of Bayonne, New Jersey, is making a tour of the Dominion. His birth place was in the lake district of England and the late John Ruskin was an intimate friend of the family. Mr. Ruskin was greatly interested in the musical instrument being maile from in the musical instrument being maile from rocks obtained in the Skiddan mountains and he encouraged Mr. Till to exhibit the instrument in the Crystal Palace, London, Eng. Since then it has been played all over Europe, the United States and Canada. Age is improving it and the tone is becom-ing sweeter all the time. At the request of the Ladies' Aid Mr. Till played a selection

on the pipe organ.
J. S. Black, Wm. Robertson, W. F. Cornish and Alex. Hall acted as ushers and S. Glenn and Alister McKay had charge of the tickets. The ladies worked hard to make the concert a success and they were well rewarded. Last night they had \$25 clear of all expenses. In addition, however, there were a large number of tickets sold from which returns had not been received so that the total profits will make a tidy

A BICYCLIST'S FATE.

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New York, April 9.—Al special to the World from New Haven says:—Wm. B. Lawler, of New Haven, one of the best known amateur bicycle riders of this State, left home yesterday and started northward on the cinder path of the railroad. He rode between the tracks and got into a picket. A freight train was being switched toward him on one side and on the other a train of grain cars was standing on a siding. The freight tore off his right arm. His body and the bicycle were drawn under the freight and ground to pieces.

BY CHEERING CROWDS

The Queen Was Greeted on Her Drive

Through Dublin. Dublin, April 10.-Queen Victoria took her usual drive in the vice-regal grounds yesterday and paid her promed visit to the city in the aftern leaving Phoenix park at about four o'clock. Large crowds of people witnessed Her Majesty's departure and the route followed was thronged. The weather was splendid, and the brilliant sunshine and yari-colored decorations gave the city quite a carnival appearance. Thousands of people gathered from early morning and the state of the carnival appearance. ined the route thickly. about O'Connell street, Sackville St., and College Green were enormous. Her Majesty was cheered with great en-

THE BAPTISTS IN SESSION. The Baptist Ministers' and Deacons Alliance held its second quarterly session at Shrewsbury, on April 6, with Rev. J. W. W. Brown, of Chatham, in the chair. This was one of the most appreciative and successful sessions ever held by the Baptists of this province. Over 15 of the ministers of the Shrewsbury and other Baptist churches joined the Alliance. At this by the following ministers: Rev. J. M.

Holt, of London; and Rev. J. H.

Thompson, of Sandwich. Rev. J. H. Penick, pastor, and his good people highly entertained the delegates. The sum of \$11.26 was raised during \$1.26 was raised during of this amount was the session, and \$9 of this amount was donated to the Shrewsbury Baptist church. An able resolution tendering a vote of thanks to church and community for the hospitality shown to the delegation, which was read and adopted by the Alliance. The constinembers in good standing in Regular Baptist Churches to membership in the Alliance. The next quarterly session will be held with the First Baptist Church of North Buxton, on Friday before the second Sunday in July. Rev. T. F. Bowers, of Amherst July Rev. T. F. Bowers, of Amherst-burg, Ont., will preach the introduc-tory sermon; Rev. J. A. Holt, of Lon-don, will preach a special doctrinal sermon; Rev. J. H. Thompson, of Sand-wich will read a paper on the duties of dencons to the church; Rev L. Ward will read a paper on ministerial dig-nity; Rev. J. H. Penick, of Dresden, will read a paper on, how shall memwill read a paper on how shall mem-bers of other denominations be receiv-ed to membership of Baptist churches. Rev. J. T. Henderson, of Windsor, will read a paper on public church offi-cers, and their duties to the church. Deacon R. Bradby, of Chatham, will read a paper on members duty to the church.

A Dressy Couple — a pair of \$3.50 Slater Shoes and a \$2.50 Barrington Hat. The 2 T's.

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