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If you call at the Grand Trunk City Office, 115 King St., Chatham, illustrated folders, guide books, etc., may be obtained, giving full information as to hotels, boarding houses, fishing resorts, etc. Round trip tickets, Chatham to Jackson's Point, \$10.25; Barrie, \$10.15; Orillia, \$10.15; Penetang, \$11.00; Muskoka, \$10.55 to \$13.55; Huntsville, \$11.95; Burk's Falls, \$12.95; North Bay, \$15.20. Fine day and night service, leave Chatham at 8.32 a. m., connecting for all points on Lakes. Leave 5.08 p. m., connecting at Toronto with train carrying Pullman Sleeper to Muskoka Wharf, and connecting with morning steamers for all points on Lakes. Also carries Sleeper to North Bay. td

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TO-NIGHT.

Prayer meeting, city churches, at 8 o'clock.
Court Hope, No. 6244, A. O. F., Odd-fellows' Temple, at 8.
Juvenile Branch, No. 9, A. O. F., I. O. O. F. Temple, at 7.30.
The Grays and McKeough & Trotter's nine will occupy the Tecumseh Park diamond at 7.
Tigers and Briscoes will occupy the Athletic ground diamond at 7.

PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.
Toronto, July 9.—10 a. m.—Light to moderate variable winds; shower; fresh northwesterly winds to-night. Thursday, fresh northwesterly winds, cool and cloudy to fair.

The following figures were registered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner & Platt's weather bureau:
Thermometer 72.
Highest yesterday 91.
Lowest yesterday 67.
Direction of wind, west.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Excursion to Port Stanley July 10. Mrs. Edgar Putnam is spending to-day in Detroit.

Mrs. Ernest Graves, Adelaide street, of a boy yesterday.

Mrs. E. Jones and family will move to the East to-morrow.

A. Meretsky, of Windsor, is in the city to-day on business.

Chambermaid wanted at once. Apply at the C. P. R. Hotel.

Fred Stevens, Adelaide St., is spending to-day fishing at Erieau.

Dr. Meek, of London, was in the city Monday on professional business.

Press feeders—Two press feeders are wanted at The Planet office.

Miss Annie Clements, Joseph St., is the guest of friends at the lake.

Mrs. V. C. Mounter and son Harold, Lorne Ave., are visiting relatives in Bradford.

Dr. Rijnhart, who has been visiting her sister, Dr. Carson, left last night for Windsor.

S. O. E. excursion on Civic Holiday to Niagara Falls. Tickets good for three days, \$2.45. Im.

James Watt & Sons have the contract for the plumbing of the Wallaceburg sugar beet cottage.

The Misses Kitchen, of Toronto, and Miss Jarvis, of Galt, are the guests of Miss Edith Holmes, King St.

Miss Bertha Birch, who has been visiting friends in Tilbury for the past week, returned home yesterday afternoon.

Miss Addie West left this morning for Cobourg, where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. (Dr.) Mallory, also Mrs. (Col.) Roger, Cobourg.

A. F. Falls gave a party an outing yesterday on the Baden-Powell, at the Eau, and W. J. Taylor caught one of the biggest bass ever seen there.

J. F. Wilson, formerly employed by his brother, J. A. Wilson, the Queen St. grocer, and who has been employed as book-keeper with the London Hardware Co., London, has accepted a more lucrative and important position with the consolidated Plate Glass Co., Toronto. His many Chatham friends will be much pleased at his success.

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We are selling for this week ONLY our 25c, 35c and 50c Cushion Tops for 15c.

We have still a large stock of Children's Hats and Fancy Muslin Bonnets which we are clearing this week at HALF PRICE.

Mrs. J. E. Weldon, King St. East.

To the heights of Port Stanley July 10th.

A good man is wanted by an advertiser in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Stephenson left for Chicago this afternoon.

Chief Holmes and his staff began the collection of poll tax this morning.

Choice lot of 50c, 75c and \$1.00 straw hats for 25c each at The 2 T's.

Charles J. Johnson, of Wallaceburg, called on his Chatham friends yesterday.

Chas. Crozier and daughter leave to-morrow for their home in Niagara Falls, Ont.

Chief Engineer Owen McKay, of the Lake Erie, passed through the city yesterday.

Mrs. and Miss Abram, Grant street, are spending a few days with friends at Erieau.

Roadmaster Harry Morris, of the Lake Erie, was in the city yesterday on business.

Wanted—Four pipe fitter's helpers. Apply to F. W. Smith, Hotel Merrill, 730 a. m. Thursday.

Came Merritt, daughter of Willard Merritt, severely out her chin while playing last evening.

W. B. Bamford, the recently appointed travelling freight agent, for the C. P. R., is in the city to-day on business.

Mrs. F. Stevens and daughter Myrtle have returned from Mitchell's Bay, where Miss Myrtle has been visiting Mr. Campbell for the past two weeks.

Work on the Stanley avenue sidewalk has been stopped owing to the scarcity of gravel. High water is blamed for this.

John Dolson says that one time when he was farming down the river, the potatoes were so large that a crow-bar had to be used to get them out of the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hanford and family have returned home to Detroit after spending a week with Mrs. Merriam, corner of Harvey and Centre street.

On Wellington street, between Prince and Princess, the water is 3 feet 9 inches deep in the ditch and boys have been in swimming there in the garb they were born in.

Judge Bell has appointed Saturday, July 19, as a day on which to hear appeals against civic assessments. M. Wilson, K. C., is the only one who has yet put in an appeal.

If an industrious party of men is noticed driving around in a motor car, citizens must not be surprised. It will only be the Board of Works out looking after the city's sidewalks.

Major Fleet, who had his hand severely chewed by his pet dog last Friday night, is getting along nicely. Dr. McKeough dressed the wound. The major said the dog was never bite again. The funeral was very quiet.

Mr. Yott, of Melbourne, Australia, who has been visiting friends in the city and vicinity for some months, is having a sample of the Gray buggy sent out to his place of business. He may handle the buggy. He leaves on Monday for his home.

William Campbell, Raleigh street, is spending his evenings with his family, who are now residents of Erieau. He says that the rain storm this morning was the heaviest he has ever known. Mr. Campbell has seen tropical rains in Central America and on the west coast of Africa, but the storm this morning beat them all.

A lawn social will be held by the Salvation Army on the grounds in front of Mr. Silas Knott, Queen street, near the Fair Grounds, to-morrow, Thursday, evening at eight o'clock. Ice cream and other refreshments will be served, and some special visiting officers will also take part in the special jubilee that will be held. Admission 10 cents. Don't fail to come.

Contractor J. A. Dart, formerly of this city, who has the contract for building the extension of the T. L. E. & P. from Tilsonburg to Ingersoll, and who did the grading on the L. E. & D. R. R., has been awarded the contract of building the earth work on the proposed divergence of the main line of the Grand Trunk from Bradford to Lynden. Mr. Dart's tender was accepted over that of several competitors from Montreal and other places.—London Free Press.

Holy Trinity Sunday school's excursion to Belle Isle yesterday was fairly well attended. After paying all expenses the school will have about \$10 to their credit. Mrs. Frank D. Laurie, Miss Skeg and Miss Bella Elberts presided at the refreshment stand. Miss Edith Tackaberry and Miss Bertha Northwood had charge of the ice cream booth. The peanut butchers were Will Stevens and Sidney Northwood. The ticket takers were Thos. Scullard and W. R. Baxter.

Still they come, communications from all parts of the world, inquiring for native herbs, Sandwich Islands, Pretoria, Manila, New Zealand, and other places too numerous to mention, who wish to locate in the manufacture of herbs. Here is a chance for our industrial committee and the city engineers to make their mark by recommending the city of Chatham, where we have abundance of all kinds growing on our streets and cannot find time to cut them, at least the city engineer can't.—Today's "Grower."

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The Gordon July Sale

To do a cool bit of July shopping, no place like The Gordon Store. The salesman is a blessing to the store and the customer who helps you to select what you want, pleasantly, patiently, politely, promptly and profitably. We can suit you to a T. Make any comparison you wish and you'll find it to your advantage to do your trading early and often at this store.

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| 2 ONLY Ladies' Pongee Silk Shirt Waists, size 34—regular price \$5.00, July Sale Price \$3.25 and | \$3.50 | WHITE GOODS NEWS Fine Egyptian Dishties, 20c, 18c, 15c goods, July Sale at..... | 12½c |
| 2 ONLY Ladies' Pongee Silk Dress Skirts—regular value \$10.00, July Sale Price..... | \$7.00 | Victoria Lawns, 40c and 45 inches wide, out July Sale, 8c, 10c..... | 12½c |
| DRESS GOODS Navy blue and white, red and white, lawn and white checks, regular value 50c, July Sale, per yd..... | 25c | Plain and dotted Swiss Muslins just opened for July Selling, 8c, 10c..... | 12½c |
| 6 pieces Summer Dress Goods, grey and white, blue and white, helio and white checks, plain red serge and Broche, regular value 25c, July Sale Price..... | 10c | LADIES' BELT LINES Tucked, Mercerized and Satin Belts, all the new styles, 25c, 30c, 75c, \$1.00 to..... | \$1.50 |
| WASH DRESS SKIRTS 6 only, Ladies' Linen Skirts, nicely made, regular value 50c, July Sale, for..... | 35c | Tucked Satin and Mercerized Belting for 25c to 50c Rolling Pique Collars..... | 35c |
| 12 only Ladies' White Duck Skirts, plain or striped with blue, \$1.00 and \$1.50 goods for July Sale..... | 60c | LADIES' NECK TIES Summer Muslin Stocks, 15c—White silk long ties, colored borders, newest..... | 18c |
| 12 only Ladies' White P. K. Skirts, insertion trimmed, nicely made, \$2, and \$3 goods for July Sale..... | \$1.50 | Black and white taffeta silk ties, 50c—New Ascot and Coronation ties, 50c..... | 10c |
| PRETTY WASH FABRICS 30 pieces American Ginghams, plain or striped, fast colors, July Sale..... | 10c | White muslin wash ties, shell tucking and knots, stylish, 25c and 35c. Girls' or Boys' wash silk ties in red, white, pink and blue..... | 10c |
| 20 pieces fine corded ginghams and chambras plain striped and plaids, July Sale..... | 12½c | MEN'S SOFT FRONT SHIRTS 4 doz. only, of these dollar goods, sizes 15 to 18½, July Sale..... | 50c |
| 50 ends dimities, batiste foulard, lawns and muslins reduced, July Sale..... | 12½c | Regular fifty cent soft front shirts, sizes 16 to 17, Sale Price..... | 25c |

JULY MILLINERY SALE—20 Choice Hats for \$1 each—Recreation Hats from \$1.00 up.

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BLENHEIM

July 7.—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mowbray, of Eagle, were guests at Trinity church rectory to-day.

Rev. Mr. Edmunds, of Preston, was in town to-day.

Rev. Mr. Collins, of Wardsville, spent to-day in town.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rowe died Sunday. The funeral services were conducted to-day by Rev. T. E. Higley.

Rev. T. E. Higley and children left this evening for Chatham to attend the annual excursion of Trinity church to S. S., Chatham and St. Thomas church, Dover, to Belle Isle to-morrow.

Quite a number of our citizens spent Sunday at Erieau.

Geo. Hagley, of the steamer Urania, spent a few hours in town to-day.

E. A. Higley spent to-day in Wallaceburg.

Mr. J. Blewett resumed his duties at W. D. Samson's to-day.

The mother who would be horrified at the thought of letting her daughter wander away to a strange country without guide or counsel, yet per mits her to enter that unknown land of womanhood without counsel or caution. Then, in utter ignorance, the maiden must meet physical problems whose solution will affect her whole future life. Dr. Pierce's favorite Prescription has been well named a "God-send to women." It corrects irregularities and imparts such vigorous vitality to the delicate womanly organs as fits them for their important functions. Many a nervous, hysterical, peevish girl has been changed to a happy young woman after the use of "Favorite Prescription" has established the sound health of the organs peculiarly feminine.

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Try a cup of Red Rose Tea, the tea which was used by our future King and Queen. If you do, you will perhaps enjoy your dinner better.

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One of the most widely current and inexplicable fallacies that are generally believed is called to mind by the coming of the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Enormous Shows United. It is the silly twaddle about big shows dividing and showing in small cities and towns in different sections of the country on the same day and then coming together again in the large cities and showing as one exhibition. It is, as a matter of fact, one of the most absurd ideas in the world, and persons ordinarily sane upon every other subject will persist in believing that such things are done, notwithstanding the fact that it is also utterly so much without foundation in fact that such a thing has never even been attempted much less being done as a regular custom. It would be just as easy to cut a horse in two and send him up two roads at one time and then when a main road is reached put him together again. It is simply a physical impossibility for such shows to be first divided and then united, and keep the public ignorance of it. Any man who could invent a system that would make such a thing possible would have a fortune. It never has been done, it is not done nor will it, in all human probability, ever be done by these shows or any others. So when the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Shows come here they will be exactly the same as they were in New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia and all the cities they have visited this season, and if anyone wants to gamble on it there is no possible chance of losing any money wagered on that proposition, no matter what anyone says or believes. They will be here in all their entirety on Saturday, July 19.

Dr. Sivewright will remove from 115 next door west, to 117 King St., on or before the 1st of August—the rooms of the late Dr. Backus, adjoining the Bank of Montreal.

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LOST.

WANTED—A good, steady, single man to work around barn and house. Apply at Planet Office.

DOG LOST—Cocker Spaniel, answering to the name of "Paddy." A liberal reward will be paid for his return to Manson Campbell.

GIRL WANTED—Apply to Mrs. T. K. Holmes, Chatham.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. A. McCallum, corner of Adelaide and Water.

WANTED—To purchase a cottage or small, modern house. Address, with particulars, W. C. M., Planet Office.

WANTED—Healthy girl, competent to assist at operations and attend office. Enquire Dr. Sivewright, at 115 King St., or Hotel Garner.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework; modern conveniences. Apply Mrs. John Gordon, 2 Riverside Terrace.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Middle aged woman wanted to keep house in country; good wages; widow preferred. Apply at this office.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework; every convenience. Apply Mrs. A. H. VonGutten, corner of Harvey and Centre streets.

TEACHER WANTED—For School Section No. 14, Township Raleigh, Co. Kent, Ont., for balance of year 1902; duties to commence after holidays. Apply, stating salary, to Jas. Reid, Oury, Kent Co., Ont.

TEACHER WANTED—For S. S. No. 6, Dover; duties to commence immediately after summer holidays. Testimonials required. Apply, stating salary and qualifications, to John Covey, Sec'y-Treas. S. S. No. 6.

ACTIVE AGENTS WANTED FOR "THE WORLD ON FIRE" by Murat Halstead. Burning mountains in American Indies explode destroying cities full of people. Startling history of appalling phenomena threatening the globe. 600 big illustrated pages, only \$1.50. Highest endorsements. Biggest profits guaranteed. Agents clearing from \$3 to \$25 daily. Outfit free. Enclose ten cents for postage. THE DOMINION CO.

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HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—125 Wellington St. West; lot 5x208. House in good repair; brick foundation; 7 rooms, closets, pantries, bath room, etc. Leaving the city; will sell cheap. For full particulars apply to Jno. A. Tilt.

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