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Local Briefs

Cheap for cash!—Ladies writing desk, \$5.00; also three burner gas stove and oven, \$4.00. Apply at The Planet.

Nathaniel Murray caught a fifteen pound catfish in the river this morning. It measured about three feet and had an enormous hammer-head fully eight inches across.

Be sure and attend the Catholic Order of Foresters excursion to Detroit Aug. 15th. A good time is promised to all.

Miss Elizabeth Kerr and Mrs. Wm. Anderson left this morning on a two weeks' visit to their brother Dr. Wm. Kerr, and family, Bay City, Mich.

Wait for the excursion of the season. Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. E., will give their annual excursion August 22nd, to Detroit. The committee assures everyone a pleasant time.

SMALL-POX SCARE

Tent Pitched in Victoria Park to Accommodate Patient—Torn Down—Not the Loathsome Disease.

Pandemonium reigned in Victoria Park last evening. The cause of it all was the erection there of a tent. This, in itself, was uninteresting enough, but the residents of that vicinity understood it was to accommodate a small-pox patient and that Victoria Park was to be quarantined. Hence the excitement.

The scare was real enough. A girl from Bothwell had been brought to the General Hospital and had developed a suspicious rash. Dr. Hall and several local doctors were undecided as to whether it was chicken-pox or small-pox. At any rate, she could not be left in the hospital.

Here was shown the lack of adequate accommodation in the city for such cases. The fair grounds would not be rented and there was no place in the city so far removed from dwellings as Victoria Park. So there the tent was pitched.

The residents of that neighborhood were very indignant and called up Ald. Potter about eight o'clock. Accompanied by Ald. King, he visited the park and ordered the tent taken down. The girl had not been moved and the order was complied with, when it was found that the girl was suffering from a medicine rash, having taken some kinds of dope that are not on friendly terms with one another. One of them tried to escape, and took this method of doing it.

GOOD TIME

Park street Sunday school excursion to Belle Isle yesterday was an unqualified success. The boat was crowded with picnickers and the weather was propitious. About \$75 will be cleared.

A stay of three hours was made at Belle Isle, everybody amusing himself or herself with the many and diverse attractions of the place. On the return trip Barrister J. W. White, led in some very fine choral singing. Mr. White has capably performed this office for some years. He is a musician of exceptional skill and the chorus singing under his direction was most inspiring.

RUDE SHOCK

Miss Theobald, who has but lately joined the staff of C. Austin & Co., received a severe shock on Monday. Her father, who lives near Merlin, was out harnessing his horses to come into the city when he expired, apparently from heart failure. Mrs. Theobald was away and so person was at home, consequently the stricken man lay where he had breathed his last until neighbors found him yesterday morning.

A message was sent Miss Theobald in care of Austin's and was opened by Miss Delahanty. The message did not go into details and Miss Theobald was informed she was wanted at home, leaving quite gayly. The rude shock she sustained upon finding out the true state of affairs can well be imagined.



SEIZED MACHINE

Mrs. Taylor Has Use of Sewing Machine for Years Four for \$1.50 and Gets Angry When Mr. Turritt Takes it Away.

Judge Houston in his capacity as Police Magistrate is called upon to investigate many complaints, some of them well grounded and others of a very trivial character. About the most unreasonable request he ever had to deal with came under his attention this morning when Mrs. Taylor, a colored woman, wished to lay an information against Mr. Turritt, a sewing machine agent, for house-breaking.

About four years ago Mrs. Taylor purchased a machine from Mr. Turritt—at least she accepted one from him and agreed to pay for it. Since that time she has worked for Mr. Turritt and allowed her wages \$1.50. To apply on the payment for sewing machine. This is all that Mr. Turritt has received for the machine in four years, and seeing no chance for further payment, and having no work for Mrs. Taylor to do, he drove around with his rig yesterday and took the machine away. As it happened, Mrs. Taylor was not home at the time so her little boy showed him where the machine was, and now Mrs. Taylor accuses Mr. Turritt of house-breaking.

She was quite angry when she told her story to Judge Houston this morning but the Judge did not seem to sympathize with her at all. He advised her to be content with having the machine so long with such a small rental and refused to take the information.

LABOR STRIKES

Several Maple City Contractors Experiencing Trouble in Finding Men to Work for Them.

It is but natural that with its increasing metropolitan appearance Chatham should be afflicted with metropolitan troubles. The workmen engaged by Blight & Fielder struck Monday, in a body. These men have been receiving from 16c to 18c an hour for a ten hour day. They struck for 20c an hour and were refused—consequently they quit.

Yesterday morning their places were supplied with new men and the William street pavement goes on. "Several of the strikers would have some back this morning if we would have taken them," said Mr. Blight.

The electric railway is having labor troubles also. Some of the latest imported Castilians struck on Monday. However, General Manager Warburton says there are always some of them doing this, in fact they would not think things were running smoothly unless some of them were discontented. A fresh consignment of them arrived on Monday and, apparently, the usual number were working on Raleigh and Third streets yesterday.

Residents of Third street claim the men are very carelessly treated. During several of the hot days last week they were not supplied with water. John A. Morton took them out a pail and dipper. They filled the pail from the tap on his lawn and worked in comfort. One of the men created a lot of amusement by attempting to tap the gas pipe which does duty as a fence around Mr. Morton's boulevard, knowing that the water came from something which looked like that.

SEWER TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the hour of four o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 24th day of July, for the construction of the following sewer on Wellington street, from a point 350 feet east of Prince street to Princess street.

A glazed pipe sewer on King street, from Prince street to Duke street.

A glazed pipe sewer on Murray and Princess streets, from Lane down avenue to McGregor's Creek.

A glazed pipe sewer on Pine street and Park avenue, from Eugene street to St. George street.

According to plans and specifications to be seen at the City Engineer's office in said city.

The city furnishes all material except tools and shoring.

A marked check must accompany each tender for 10 per cent. of the sum tendered.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. G. MERRITT,
Clerk of Chatham.

Dated July 12th, 1905.

E. J. MacIntyre's
LEADING JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

NO CITY BUILDINGS

So Decides the Market Building Committee—Not Sufficient Money to Erect One.

The Market Building Committee was in session yesterday afternoon. As a result of their conclave the plans known as the "number three plans" will be proceeded with.

As previously explained, the committee found that it could not erect the police station, the market sheds and the municipal building with the money voted them in the by-law—\$41,000. To erect all these buildings according to the plans would cost an additional \$6,000 at least, and, of course, the committee could not overstep the appropriation voted them by the people.

In view of this the meeting yesterday decided to erect just the police station and the sheds, putting a front on the sheds, which will probably be used as meat markets. The old town hall will be allowed to stand as it is at present. The building decided upon will cost about \$17,000 exclusive of sidewalks. The Market Square will be paved, half of the expense being borne by the ratepayers fronting on the square and half by the city.

The Letter-Box

THAT PARK ST. NIGHTMARE.

To the Editor of The Planet: That piano nightmare is still determined that everyone shall know that it can't play a tune. To my certain knowledge it has been banging away morning and night for over a year and has never yet played a tune.

ANOTHER.

CLOSE CALL

Brakeman Fred Lamb, of the C. P. R. morning way freight, had a narrow escape from death this morning in the local yards. As it was he sustained a severely sprained ankle.

He was standing on a freight car when another portion of the train came against it with terrible force, knocking him off the top of the car. He fell down between the cars which, very fortunately, were stopped before they reached his body, otherwise he would have been killed outright. The home of the injured man is in London.

PARK NUISANCE

"I don't think the residents in the vicinity of Victoria Park will have any more grounds for complaint about midnight singing," remarked Chief of Police Holmes this morning. "The other day we arrested Martha Browning and her party," continued he, "and last Monday night about eleven o'clock Officers Groves Dodson and myself took a walk to the park and found everything perfectly quiet. Mr. Darr was there at seven o'clock in the evening and he found everything quiet, too."

"We are going to have order in that park if we have to have a man there all the time, and we intend to prosecute everyone whom we find hanging around there at night."

THE MARKETS

A fair market this morning. Strawberries made their appearance, prices being about the same. Raspberries are 10c. a box, and quite scarce.

Following is the full price list:—

DAIRY PRODUCE.
Butter, per pound, 16c.
Spring chickens, 18c to 25c.
Eggs, per dozen 17c.

VEGETABLES.
Raspberries, 10c. box.
Black currants, 8c. quart.
Red currants, 5c. quart.
Cherries, 8c. quart.
New potatoes, 25c. peck.
Peas, 10c. quart.

Butter-beans, 5c. quart.
Gooseberries, 8c. quart.
Carrots, per bunch, 3c. 2 for 5c.
Parsnips, per bunch, 10c.
Onions, per peck, 30c.

Potatoes, 20c to 30c per peck.
Apples, per peck, 10c to 15c.
Asparagus, 4 for 5c.

New beets, 2 bunches for 5c.
Cabbage, each, 5c to 10c.
Cauliflower, per box, 10c.

Rhubarb, per bunch, 3 for 5c.
Cabbage plants per box, 10c.
Radishes, 3 bunches for 5c.

Green onions, 3 bunches for 10c.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

NOTICE

Two lots on Athletic Grounds, facing William street pavement, for sale cheap if sold this month. House, north side Lorne Ave., excellent location, \$1400 Apply to

DUNN & MERRITT,
Real Estate and Insurance.
Fifth St. Phone 295

THE KING EDWARD GROCERY

Why not telephone us for some sliced meat for dinner instead of cooking this hot weather.

We have:
JELLIED HOCK
JELLIED TONGUE
HEAD CHEESE
LUNCHEON
CORN BEEF
COOKED HAM
BOLOGNA SAUSAGE

Potted meats for Sandwiches 5c per can.

We will have Raspberries, Currants and Gooseberries every day this week.

Fresh Jersey Cream daily.
1/2 pint bottles 8c.
1 pint bottles 15c.

THE KING EDWARD GROCERY

PHONE 51.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TEACHER WANTED—FOR S. S. No. 9, Chatham Township, as assistant. Duties to commence after holidays. State qualifications and salary required. Applications to be received before August 5. Wm. Vance, Sec., Tupperville.

TEACHER WANTED—For S. S. No. 11, Chatham Township, holding a second or third class certificate. Duties to commence after holidays. Applications received until July 22nd. Apply, stating salary expected, to Hugh Cumming, Oungah, Ont.

PERSONAL—Men should know that the only perfect and safe Vacuum Application is manufactured and controlled by the Erie Medical Co., 94 Mohawk St., Buffalo, N. Y., who administer in connection with its interior and exterior remedies, having a world-wide reputation for weak men. Write to-day for seal.

WANTED
An active agent for our goods. Any man or woman unable to do heavy work can make a steady income. Apply at once, with two references.—THE CANADA POLISH CO., Sarnia, Ont.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. Hubbard to sell without reserve on Thursday, July 13th, at one o'clock sharp, at her residence, Lacroix street, the first house south of Wellington street, all her household effects, consisting of the following:—One parlor suit, carpet, four pictures, parlor table, several jardinières, fine pair of lace curtains, chenille curtains, parlor lamp and drawing room carpet, small table, a china cabinet, sofa pillows, curtain poles, bedroom suit with brass bed, two sets of toilet ware, two bedroom carpets, oak sideboard, refrigerator, glassware and silverware, dishes, fruit jars, kitchen table, linoleum, one coal and wood range, and other articles too numerous to mention. The above articles are all virtually new and will be sold regardless of price.

Remember day and date, Thursday, July 13th, at one o'clock sharp.

MRS. HUBBARD,
Proprietress.

A. THOMSON, JR.,
Auctioneer.

TANS! TANS! TANS!

Tan Shoes will be the great cry during the Summer season.

We always favored Tan Footwear—it's cooler and much easier to care for than black.

Get Correct Colors

Some shades of Tans are not the proper thing and won't do at all.

We are ready to Tan Shoe every man, woman and child in town.

We have some handsome new styles in Oxfords and Ties on new lasts. Come see the new-comers.

Wm. Somerville & Son

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Hot, Cold, Medicated and Electric BATHS

Massage (general and facial) electro-massage and treatments for all functional troubles. Patients treated at office or at home as desired. The latest and best system of physical culture taught.

W. H. ROBERT,
Rt. 2d St. opp. Bank of Montreal.
Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

New Idea Magazines for July

C. AUSTIN & CO.

July Fashion Sheets Here

A TIME FOR EVERYTHING

No better time than the present to buy, Bath Towels, Bed Spreads, Cotton Blankets, Prints, etc. A few good numbers:

BATH TOWELS

Pure White Bath Towels, fringed ends, red borders, 5 to 35c
Heavy Brown wash Towels, pure Linen, large size, each 50c
Extra large size bath Towels, Brown with white stripes, ea. 60, 65 & 75c
Good heavy, large size bath Towels, with red or white stripes, ea. 20 & 25c

BED SPREADS

Best quality Canadian honey comb Quilts, finished ends, choice patterns, reg. \$1.25 value each \$1.10
Specials Marseilles Bed Spreads, extra heavy, good patterns, full 10 1/2 size, \$1.25 value, each \$1.10
Marseilles Bed Spreads, assorted choice designs, soft make, full 1 1/2 size, very special at \$2.00 to \$3.00

COTTON BLANKETS

For outing purposes, Bath Robes, etc., Ilex and Elk brand, rox4 size, Cream or Grey, at a pr. 85c
1 1/2 size, Cream or Grey, Ilex brand, special a pr. \$1.00
1 1/2 size, Cream or Grey, Ilex brand, a pair \$1.10
1 2-4 size, Cream or Grey, Ilex brand, full size, special a pr. \$1.40

PRINTS

For everyone in light and dark colors, stripes, dots and small designs, factory Cotton Prints, standard Canadian cloths, sold everywhere at 10 and 12 1/2c a yd.
Special Clearing Price 8 1/2c

A FEW HOSIERY BARGAINS

At 10c a Pair

Ladies' plain black cotton hose, full fashioned, fast black, seamless, all sizes, 8 1/2 to 10.

At 12 1-2c a Pair

Ladies' fine black cotton hose, full fashioned, seamless, warranted fast black, extra good value at price.

At 19c a Pair

Ladies' tan hose, drop stitch, full fashioned, seamless, warranted fast color, regular 25c a pair at 19c a pair.

At 18c a Pair

Children's lace effect of tan hose, seamless, full fashioned, all sizes, regular 25c value at 18c a pair.

EMBROIDERIES

15c for 6c a yard

A special sale of lawn and muslin embroideries with insertion to match, 4 to 5 inches wide.

FABRIC GLOVES

At 19c a Pair

Ladies' fine fabric gloves, 2 dome fasteners, self or fancy backs regular 25c value, all sizes, at 19c a pair.

THE AUSTIN CLOTHING STORE

If anything has been forgotten we will supply it speedily. When you stop at the Austin Store you do it quickly, no long waits for change. Prompt service everywhere.

A Few Suggestions for the Go-Aways. For the Stay at Home Too

Coat and Trouser Suits for Men at \$5.00

In neat chalk line Flannels, single breasted sack Coats. The Trousers have belt loops and rolled bottoms just what the nine men out of ten need for lounging in camp, lolling on the seashore or riding among the mountains or on lakes, sizes 24 to 40, very special \$5.00.

Also Light Weight Suits for Men at \$7.50 to \$10.

These consist of two and three pieces and are in popular styles, neat mixtures, overplaid and fancy homespun, regular and large sizes, also for stout short men.

BOY'S WASHABLE SUITS

SIZES 2 1/2 TO 9 YEARS—Cool and pretty, fit perfectly, made of washable goods in the new fancy stripes, various colorings, also white P. K. suits, a full blouse with sailor collar, also Buster Brown style, belt and bloomer Trousers designed for Boys requiring collars, also Buster Brown style, and wearing qualities, special values 39c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 a Suit. Suits combining style and wearing qualities, special values 39c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 a Suit. BOY'S WASH KNEE PANTS—Galatia styles, plain Ducks and Crash, all sizes 25c

New Faucy Wash Vests for Men, \$1.00 to \$2.50

New fancy White, also White ground with Black figure. New Tans, single and double breasted style. All sizes.

Special Summer Hat Sale, \$2.00 Hats for \$1.00

One case of Pearl and Gun Metal, fur felt, full shape Federal, dressy cool and light, on sale this week for \$1.00.

Cool, Thin, Summer Underwear for Men, Special 29c

A special line of Balbriggan Underwear, light in weight, nicely finished, Satene facings, in Tan and natural shades, all sizes 34 to 44, very special at 29c.

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