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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Good boy wanted, apply to Wm. Foreman & Co.

A. Hallie, of Ridgeway, was in the city yesterday.

T. E. St. Ann, of Wallaceburg, was in the city today.

Joe James, of Leamington, was a city visitor yesterday.

Chas. Maloney, of Windsor, was a Chatham visitor today.

Fred Dillon has returned from a two weeks' vacation in Goderich.

W. W. Scane, of Scane, Houston & Co., is spending the day in the City of the Straits.

R. S. McLaughlin, carriage manufacturer, of Oshawa, was in the city today on business.

Dr. Fletcher, assistant to Dr. Osler, of John Hopkins Hospital, of Baltimore, is visiting friends in the city.

Robert Abbott has resumed his position as blacksmith in McKee & Trotter's after a few months' vacation.

The local tennis tournament has been called off or account of the late season. Fraser remains the city champion.

A party of young people from the city took a trip in Capt. Crow's boat, the Euna, to Providence last evening, where they attended the social.

Chief Young has received a notice from Chief Everett, of Thamesville, notifying him to be on the look-out for an Indian from Moraviantown, named Doleen.

The Rebecca Degree Staff of Wallaceburg will be entertained by the members of Jubilee Lodge, No. 13, of this city, on Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Temple.

Harry Arnold, of this city, who has been working in Toledo for some time, has returned to Chatham and accepted a position as boiler maker with McKee & Trotter.

Mrs. Sam. Webber, Selkirk street, and sister Miss Margaret (Grubbs), of Detroit, left this morning on an extended visit with friends in Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Toronto and other western points.

There died yesterday at noon at the residence of her daughter, Adelaide St. Mary Stevens, aged 81 years. The funeral will take place from her late residence at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning to Ridgeway cemetery. Rev. Dr. Battisby, of this city, will officiate.

The governor of Kentucky has been appealed to for troops to hold in check the turbulent coal mines strikers of Madisonville, who are shooting at the guards.

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DRAWING IN STRONG NET

City Police and Provincial Officers Rounding up the Alleged Counterfeiters.

One Arrest Made—Now on the Look-out for the Mysterious Comrade "Harry."

The police have at last got on the track of the man who passed bogus money in Chatham two weeks ago last Saturday. The man's name is Charles Chane, of Jeannett's Creek. He appeared at the police court this morning and was remanded for a week for a preliminary hearing, after which he will be tried by a jury.

On the Saturday in question Chane was in Tilbury. There he met a man whom he recognized as being a book agent, whom he had seen last year delivering books. He offered Chane a drink and the latter accepted. When Chane was pretty well the worse of liquor the man offered him \$2.00 a day if he would come to Chatham and help him to buy horses. Chane accepted. He first offered Chane \$50 for his horse but Chane did not wish to sell.

They came to Chatham but did not buy any horses. When they were walking down King street the unknown man gave Chane a \$10 bill and told him to go into one of the shoe stores and buy a pair of shoes for him. He did so, and returning gave the change to his companion. After passing some \$90 in bogus money they stayed over Sunday and on Monday evening drove to Kent Bridge. They stayed there over night and then drove to McKee's Corner, arriving in the forenoon. In the afternoon they drove to Ridgeway, stayed at the Arlington Hotel and passed another bogus \$10 bill for their board bill.

They then came back to Chatham and on Wednesday evening Chane went home to Jeannett's Creek and left his partner sick at the Station Hotel, Queen street.

The police did not hear of the passing of the money until the following Thursday and commenced at once to look for the man who had passed the money. He was kept half-drunken all the time he was with him and could not remember much of what happened. His first name, however, is Harry.

Detectives Campbell and Mahoney are now working on the case and it is expected that the man will soon be rounded up.

CRICKET CLUB

Local Players Will Probably Figure in an International Match.

Mr. Woods, the manager of the Gordon-McKay cricket team this year has made a very generous offer to the Chatham team. He has promised that if the Chatham players wish to add a professional man to their team next year he will start a subscription list to help them in so doing. His offer, which will in all probability be accepted, is now receiving the consideration of the Chatham club.

There is now a movement on foot to arrange for a game with the Englishmen in Detroit. The cricketers who will play against them will be picked from the western cities, viz., Cleveland, Pittsburg, Chatham, Windsor and Aylmer.

The prospects for the Chatham team next year are of the very brightest. The young blood that has been introduced into the team this year are very enthusiastic and will no doubt put new life into the team. They will be backed in their efforts by all of the older members of the club, who are anxious that cricket should be the popular game in Chatham, and no doubt it will.

TELEGRAPH

Adam Miesner, of Troy, Ont., is dead, aged 103 years.

The Commercial Pacific Cable Company was incorporated at New York.

A boy named Fred Eaton, of Tilsonburg, fell into the river and was drowned.

A son of Alex. Anderson, of Fourth Street, was killed by falling off his bicycle.

A. Stevenson, of Thorold, was killed by his team running a land roller over him.

The Mounted Police Barracks at Regina were damaged by fire to the extent of \$500.

Thomas Turcott, of Black Bay, was struck by a train and killed while driving near Pembroke.

Improvements are being made in the Dover Harbor, England, to permit the German liners to stop there.

The Anarchists under arrest at Chicago in connection with the shooting of President McKinley have all been discharged.

Rev. Principal Grant's condition showed a marked improvement yesterday afternoon, but he is not yet out of danger.

A large portion of the town of Kel-Alundborg, near Copenhagen, has been destroyed by fire. The damage will probably amount to \$250,000.

It is announced that Hon. James Sutherland will not take a portfolio for the present but will act temporarily as Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

Howard Walker (colored) pleaded guilty at Stratford Assizes of manslaughter. His crime was shooting an employee of the Pan-American Circus.

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FALSE BURGHERS

Many Boer Fictions to Keep the Men Fighting.

London, Sept. 23.—A Reuters' despatch from Pretoria gives another instance of the manner in which the Boer leaders mislead the rank and file of the burghers. It is afforded by an intercepted despatch from Commandant Liebenberg to Commandant Delarey informing the latter of the departure of the British mobile columns from the neighborhood, which, he adds, supports reports received of a defeat of the English with great slaughter on the other side of Pretoria and the capture of the entire British camp, with cannon.

"Boer commandoes," he continues, "are causing great destruction and desolation in Natal, where they are, in fact, playing the English game; the Swazis and Basutos have risen against the English on account of the seizure of their cattle; and England and France have come to blows, and the latter is blockading the Channel. Botha has issued a counter-proclamation, warning the Boers in English camps who have not been guilty of treason to rejoin before the 15th inst. on pain of death, and Lord Kitchener has been notified that there will be no protection in future for British property or subjects."

"The favorable reports from Cape Colony show that the thunder of the judgment of God is gathering above England in the face. She is realizing that the destinies of the Transvaal and Orange Free State are in the hands of God and not in hers. An Irishman has sent word that the burghers should keep up their courage, as God's deliverance is approaching. Mr. Chamberlain must compensate for all damage. Fifty-five trains with troops have left for Natal. Russia is bombarding all the Cape harbors and the powers have intervened to stop the war."

Liebenberg adds that he himself proposed vesting a while preparatory to inflicting further damage on the enemy. He regrets that a few of his men have become "hands-uppers," but adds that the majority are still inspired with the right sentiment. He concludes by asking for a despatch with good news in return, as such reports are encouraging to the burghers.

G. T. R. ELEVATOR BURNED.

Port Huron, Mich., Sept. 23.—The Grand Trunk Elevator at Point Edward was destroyed by fire this afternoon. The new plant of the G. T. R. Crosby & Co. was threatened. The fire started in the south half of the elevator, and a strong wind whipped the flames into a fury. About 80,000 bushels of grain was destroyed. In less than an hour after the outbreak of the flames in the upper part of the elevator the building was totally destroyed. A number of Grand Trunk employees, who were in the yards near the elevator, were also badly damaged by fire. Other cars that were on the sidings, being loaded with wheat and waiting to be loaded, were removed to a place of safety by the G. T. R. yard engine. The employees of the G. T. R. Crosby Company were kept busy with pails of water extinguishing fires that alighted near the company's works. The fire did not spread beyond where it originated, with the exception of damaging the old G. T. R. ship stock. The loss will be in the neighborhood of \$100,000.

JUDGES APPOINTED

Sir. Louis Davies Goes to the Supreme Court—Other Changes.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—There was an important meeting of the Cabinet on Saturday evening, at which the appointment of Sir Louis Davies as one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of Canada, in succession to the late Mr. Justice King, was made. The Cabinet shuffle, consequent upon the retirement of Sir Louis Davies, gives the vacant portfolio to Hon. Dr. Borden, a recognition of the Department of Marine and Fisheries should be administered by a Maritime Province man.

Hon. James Sutherland has accepted the portfolio of Militia and Defence. Mr. Sutherland was urged to accept office when the Liberals were returned to power, but stood aside at that time, holding that there were word stars of the party better entitled to a portfolio than he. His acceptance of office at this time, and especially of the portfolio of Militia, will be welcomed by the political friends of Conservatives.

Mr. B. M. Britton, M. P. for Kingston, has been appointed a Judge of the High Court of Ontario, while Mr. Fortin, M. P. for Laval, has been given the position on the Superior Court bench of Montreal, made vacant by the death of the late Judge Gill.

SPANISH FLEET FOR TANGIER.

Gibraltar, Sept. 23.—The Spanish cruiser Infanta Isabel has arrived from Mazagan with the Secretary of the Spanish Legation on board. The Sultan of Morocco has received a note from the government demanding the prompt release of the two Spaniards kidnapped at Arzila some months ago. The Spanish fleet is proceeding to Tangier.

Two more cases of smallpox were reported at Ottawa.

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		"Trefousse," (the best kid glove imported into Canada, every pair warranted. A full range of shades to show you. Prices from \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.	Extra super cashmere hose, high spliced heel, fine, bright yarns, every pair a wearer, at 50c. pair.
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			Canada's best manufacturers' goods are well represented here. Every garment thoroughly inspected and the best of its kind. Special values in both vests and drawers at 25c. and 50c. each.

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We have never shown such underwear as we are showing this summer. Buying direct from the mills in large quantities, places us in a position to give the public values that smaller dealers can not touch.

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Men's Imported Fine Wool Underwear	Men's Plain Scotch Knit Wool Underwear
In the fine quality imported wool, plain, dark shades, elbows and knees, double apical all garments shaped, extra quality, at each \$2.00	In plain grey shadings, extra heavy quality, ribbed skirts, cuffs and ankles all wool, and are finished with plain saten facings, at per garment 75c.
Men's Imported Fine Wool Underwear	Men's Fancy Wool Knit Underwear
Fine imported wool underwear, plain lawn shading, apical elbows and knees, heavy drill facings, very fine, at each \$1.50	In fancy circular stripes, pretty shades, pink and brown and blue, handsome finish, saten facings, all sizes, at per garment 75c.
Men's Fine Wool Underwear	Men's Plain Scotch Knit Underwear
Nice fine quality, medium weight, double rib cuff and ankle, heavy facings, handsomely finished, all sizes, shirts and drawers to match at each \$1.00	In plain all wool Scotch knit, extra heavy quality, ribbed skirt, cuffs and ankles, skirts and drawers to match, nicely finished, saten facings, all sizes, a very special quality, at per garment 50c.
Men's Elastic Wool Rib Underwear	Men's Fancy Wool Knit Underwear
In fine close rib, made extra length shirts, wool fleece, French collar, warranted unshrinkable. This line is going to be popular this season, as they touch every requirement and are wearers. Prices range at each, 75c and \$1.00	In mixed stripes, nice shadings, ribbed cuff, ankles and skirts, good weight, will not shrink 50c.

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