

## The Canada Business College, Chatham, Ontario

We take pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Canada Business College, of Chatham, Ont., which appears in this issue. This institution has been doing a grand work in the line of commercial training for the past 29 years, and is to-day the only business school in Canada which has been running for that length of time without change of management. D. McLachlan, the founder of the school in 1876, is still principal of the institution, and is recognized as the leading commercial educationist of the Dominion; his long and particularly successful career fully entitles him to this distinction.

This school has always held a high ideal in commercial training and has endeavored to bring its students up to the standard set, before graduating them. For the past five years they have also been running a Mail Course Department, for the benefit of those whose circumstances will not allow them to leave home to attend school, and also for those who purpose attending the institution at a later date, and who may wish to save time and expense by covering as much of the ground as possible before going to Chatham.

The year just closing has proved the greatest in the history of the institution. The greatest when the number of students is taken into account, and the greatest when the number of students placed in good positions is considered. When the wages, which the students who have gone out are commanding, is further taken into account, it makes it the greatest year in another particular. The total sum of wages paid to the 375 students who were placed during the year ending June, 1904, represents an average of nearly \$600 to each per annum; and when the places represented in the attendance during the year ending June, 1905, is also considered, it shows a record for the year never before approached.

The attendance during the past year showed representatives from nearly 130 cities, towns and villages in Canada and the United States, fully two-thirds of them being from points nearer to other business schools than to Chatham. This year's register shows students from Yukon, Alberta, Assiniboia, Manitoba, New Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick and also from Newfoundland, together with five states of the American Union. Manitoba alone sends five, while the Northwest Territories send eight.

The Canada Business College, of Chatham, follows a practice that is followed by no other business school in the Dominion; that of publishing annually a list of all students who have accepted good positions during the year. This course has been followed since 1897, when the number of students placed was 103 during the 12 months ending June of that year. In 1900 the number placed during the ten months ending June of that year had reached the 230 mark, and during the year ending 1904 the list of students placed had reached the magnificent total of 375; and the principal tells us that they had easily as many more calls that could not be filled for lack of material when the calls came in.

This institution is well deserving of the distinction which it is credited with, viz., that of being "Canada's Greatest School of Business, Shorthand and Penmanship."

The firm of D. McLachlan & Co. also own and manage the McLachlan Business University, of Grand Rapids, Mich., a school that stands in the very front rank among the best business schools of the state.

Another feature of the Chatham school worthy of special mention is the allowing of railway fare to students coming from a distance up to \$8.00.

Their beautiful catalogues, mail course or general, are sent for the asking, and we take special pleasure in recommending this school to those who are desirous of getting high class business training.

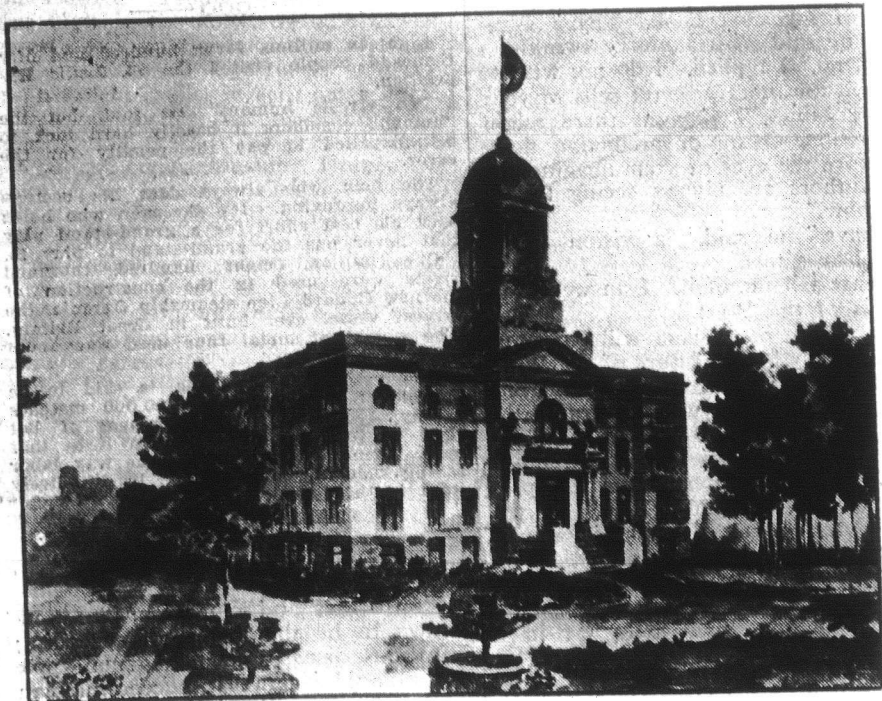
### Can the Eye Follow a Bullet's Flight.

It is not easy to believe that it is possible to watch the flight of a rifle bullet. It has remained for two or three Adirondack riflemen to prove that it is possible under right conditions to watch the flight of a rifle ball; to do it with the naked eye; and to show the bullets during flight to all observers who have fair eyesight. The discovery was made as follows:

Some gentlemen were at an hotel at Minerva, on October 25th, 1904, target shooting. H. J. Callahan was out at one side, watching the target, which was about 150 yards from the firing point. About 3.30 p.m., when the sun shone at just the right angle, he first noticed a silver streak as each shot was fired, travelling from the gun to the target, and spoke of it.

On October 27th I was invited to call at the hotel and view the second series of experiments kindly made for my benefit. Though thoroughly unconvinced by what I had heard two days before, I went, and on placing myself properly, I saw the third bullet fired, as well as a dozen or so besides. The guns used on the second day's trial were a 38-40 and a 38-55. Factory ammunition was used in both experiments. The 38-55 was the prettiest bullet to watch. It showed a curious streak of light in a manner all its own.—Rodney West in Recreation.

In sixty-eight samples of sausage examined recently by a government analyst at Melbourne not a particle of pork was found.



ST. BONIFACE NEW CITY HALL.

This is a photograph from the original water color, which won in competition for the new St. Boniface town hall, and was submitted by our special architect, V. W. Horwood. Mr. Horwood comes from a family of architects and artists, and we congratulate him upon his success. The building will make a dignified and massive one, and the interior is laid out to the best advantage with fine columned effect and massive staircase. It is to be built of stone and brick.

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