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## McColl's Pure Lardine Machine Oil

THE BEST TO USE

Only 30c Gallon

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..Westman Bros..

What's a table  
Rich! Spread—  
Without a Loaf  
Of Richards' Bread?  
It's Incomplete,  
That's what.

G. W. Cornell  
Dentist  
Cor. 6th and King Sts.,  
Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

## THE PROBABILITY.

G. N. W. Special.  
Toronto, Aug. 12-10 a. m.—To-day  
and on Thursday moderate to fresh  
westerly to southerly winds, fair and  
continued very warm. A few local  
thunderstorms.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

To-morrow 1500 to 1600 chairs available  
on Str. Shenango.

Miss Ella Blackburn, Windsor, is visit-  
ing friends in the city.

To-morrow is the I. O. O. F. first annual  
excursion to Cleveland from Wallaceburg  
and stations south to Erie, thence Str.  
Shenango.

Printer Wanted—Accustomed to set-  
ting ads. or job work. Apply at  
Planet Office, immediately.

Tomorrow, those wishing to get parcels,  
etc., checked for safe keeping on Str.  
Shenango, can do so.

Thursday morning at 7 o'clock the  
Sons of England Excursion leaves G.  
T. R. depot for Niagara Falls.

The boat train will be the last from the  
Eau to-morrow night. It will leave Ron-  
deau for Chatham about ten p. m.

GOING TO EUROPE.  
Judge Bell and family left today for  
Montreal, whence they will sail for Europe.  
The judge will spend his vacation on the  
continent and upon his return home Mrs.  
Bell and the family will settle in Germany  
where they will reside for two years.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.  
The following is the result of the  
draws in the first round of the tennis  
tournament, which opens to-day on the  
club courts:

W. Jardine vs. T. Turnbull.  
W. F. Macdonald vs. H. Dennis.  
W. D. Elliott vs. Dr. Musson.  
R. Brackin vs. W. E. Rispin.  
H. Martin vs. Jas. Fleming.  
George Massey vs. Kingsley Holmes.  
Dr. Garnet Holmes vs. F. D. Laurie.  
Harold Mercer vs. Reg. Rutherford.  
B. R. Creighton vs. C. H. Gunn.  
P. S. Coste vs. Reg. A. Jones.  
F. M. Gibson vs. H. A. Willoughby.  
M. D. Fraser vs. J. S. Turner.

WAITING ON THE COUNCIL.  
Dr. Hall, in speaking this morning  
of the concessions which the city will  
likely grant to the Mineral Well Com-  
pany, said: "Of course we cannot go  
ahead with the construction of our  
bath houses until the finance com-  
mittee takes action regarding the con-  
cessions for which we have asked. In  
addition to this the opinion of the city  
solicitor is required, re the piping of  
certain streets. However, I see no  
difficulty in the way of the council's  
encouraging the enterprise and you  
may rest assured that as soon as we  
get what we want, the advancement  
of the work will be pushed with en-  
ergy. If the city cannot see its way  
clear to give us a site, we will get one  
in the township, but I think that the  
committee will be disposed to grant  
our request."

## HEADACHES CURED WITH GLASSES

It is not generally known that 90 per cent  
of the headaches existing in the people of  
the present generation is caused by errors  
of refraction in the eyes and that 90 per  
cent can be cured by wearing lenses.

If you are troubled with headaches,  
have your eyes examined by us, whether  
you think the trouble is there or not.  
We will tell you and charge you nothing  
for doing so.

A. I. McCALL &amp; CO.,

Opticians  
and Druggists

## TO-DAY'S LATEST.

A MESSAGE FROM PEKIN.  
Washington, Aug. 8.—The follow-  
ing cablegram from Minister Conger  
was received last night by the state  
Department:

Tai-An Yamen, Aug. 7.  
To Secretary of State:  
Still besieged. Situation more pre-  
carious. Chinese government insist-  
ing upon our leaving Pekin, which  
would be certain death. Rifle firing  
upon us daily by imperial troops.  
Have abundant courage, but little am-  
munition or provisions. Two progres-  
sive yamen ministers beheaded. All  
connected with legation of United  
States well at the present moment.  
CONGER.

The cablegram came in the official  
cipher of the department, which a re-  
cently issued edict permits.

## THE QUEEN'S SPEECH.

London, August 8.—The Queen's  
speech at the proroguing of parlia-  
ment, after stating that the relations  
with the powers of Europe and Amer-  
ica continue friendly and a reference  
to the establishment of the common-  
wealth of Australia, refers to the war  
in South Africa, "which has placed in  
the strongest light the heroism and  
high military qualities of the troops  
brought together under my banner  
from this country, from Canada, Aus-  
tralia and my South African posses-  
sions." The speech then says: "Be-  
lieving the continued independence of  
the republics to be a constant dan-  
ger to the peace of South Africa, I au-  
thorized the annexation of the Free  
State as a first step to the union of  
the races under an institution which  
may in time be developed so as to  
secure equal rights and privileges in  
South Africa." The address also  
promises full punishment against the  
Chiefs.

To-day, until 8 p. m. tickets for the  
I. O. O. F. excursion will be available at  
I. O. O. F. Temple, Central Drug store,  
McCall's Drug Store and Dingman's Book  
Store.

## TWO CANADIAN TRAITORS.

Col. Otter reports as follows to the  
Military Department: "I am very sorry  
to report," he writes, "that two of  
my battalion, Pte. Hopkinson and Pte.  
William Pierce, have been awarded  
each ten years' penal servitude for col-  
lecting arms from burghers without  
authority, and selling the same back  
again to the enemy. Both these men  
were members of 'A' Squadron, Royal  
Canadian Dragoons before enlisting in  
C. M. R. I have to excuse the offer for  
their rash act, except that I think  
they were led by another man, who  
styled himself Sgt. Jones, of French's  
Scouts."

Important Auction Sale of House-  
hold Furniture.

Wm. Clements, Esq., has instructed An-  
derson Thompson, Jr., auctioneer, to sell  
out household furniture and effects on  
Tuesday, Aug. 21st, commencing  
at 1 o'clock sharp. House is situated on  
the corner of King and First streets, west  
of Piggott Mill.

One piano, Boston make, parlor suite—7  
pieces, drawing room moquette carpet,  
marble top centre table, pictures, 3 pair  
fine lace curtains, 1 fancy stand lamp, 3  
pair fine lace curtains and pelmets, chime  
curtain, carpet and border, moquette, mar-  
ble Brussels hall carpet, hall rack, coal  
and wood stove, nearly new, hall settee,  
pair foot lockers, 1 bedstead, 1 side table,  
table opens 18 feet, one massive side-  
board cost \$175, dining room chairs, pictures,  
silverware, 1 coal or wood range with re-  
servoir, nearly new, 1 extension table, 14  
feet, 1 sideboard, 1 linen, 1 side table,  
blinds, clock, dishes, glassware, 1 gas stove,  
1 cook stove and furniture, 1 kitchen table,  
1 dinner set, stair and hall carpet, 1 beau-  
tiful walnut suite, 1 hair mattress, 1 spring,  
1 feather, body Brussels, 3 pair of lace  
curtains and curtain poles, 1 toilet set, 1  
lounge, 1 oak suite, 1 tapestry carpet,  
mattress and spring, 3 pairs of lace  
curtains and poles, 1 toilet set, 1  
bedstead, 1 sick chair, 1 mattress, 1  
spring, 1 bureau, 1 centre table and  
cover, tapestry carpet, 1 feather bed,  
1 washing machine, tubs, crocks, gar-  
den tools, fruit, also, fruit jars and  
other articles too numerous to men-  
tion.

Remember the day and date, Tues-  
day, Aug. 21st, at one o'clock sharp.

A. THOMPSON, JR., Auctioneer.

WM. CLEMENTS, Proprietor. dtd

## Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership existing between Drs.  
Hall and Tye has this day been dissolved  
by mutual consent. All accounts due this  
firm may be paid at Dr. Hall's office, Vic-  
toria block, or Dr. Tye's office, King street.  
Chatham, Aug. 1st, 1960.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the  
House.

## Clover Mill

For Sale

Monitor, nearly as good as new—run  
only part of two seasons. Cost \$465;  
will sell for \$225, and take \$75 in  
threshing.

J. G. GUSTERHOUT,  
ad&w Northwood.

## AN EXTRA PAIR

of Trousers for spring days. Isn't that  
just what you need? It will brighten up  
the coat and vest you wear, so that the  
combination will look like a new suit.

Remember that our Trousers are select, that we give  
you a good fit, and that they will be in the latest style.

MORLEY & CO. The Leading Tailors

## Souvenir Goods

PAPER WEIGHTS  
With Views of Chatham's Public  
Buildings

White Metal Goods  
Pin Trays, Napkin Rings, Trinket  
Boxes, etc. See Window.

We are showing an at-  
tractive line of medallion  
photos of Lord Roberts,  
Lord Kitchner, and  
General Buller.

Our note papers in all  
the newest colors are  
selling rapidly.

Dingman's  
Books & King St.  
Stationery Chatham.

## AFTER A RUNAWAY GIRL.

Mrs. Huger, who keeps a boarding  
house in Ridgeway, was in the city  
this morning looking for her sixteen  
year old daughter, who skipped out,  
talking with her \$5 of her mother's  
money. The runaway girl came to  
Chatham and left on the boat this  
morning for Detroit. The authorities  
at Detroit were telegraphed to to in-  
tercept her, and Mrs. Huger went to  
Detroit on the noon train in order  
that she may bring back her erring  
daughter.

## WALLACEBURG.

Aug. 7.—Arthur Martin, who has  
been visiting at Wm. Drader's, Chat-  
ham, returned home last evening.

Misses Shaw and Dobie, of Lansing,  
Mich., who are visiting Miss Stacia Mc-  
Rae, were in Detroit.

Mrs. D. Dobie is spending a few days  
at Bellevue, the guest of her brother,  
D. C. Macdonald.

Rev. Mr. Jones, of Port Lambton,  
occupied the Methodist pulpit on Sun-  
day evening, in the absence of the  
pastor, Dr. Cook.

Miss Bessie McLeod and sister of  
Windsor, are visiting their friend, Miss  
Claire Shamblee.

Miss Hattie Mount, of Chatham, is  
spending a few days in town the  
guest of Miss Dunlop.

Miss Mabel St. Amour, who is spend-  
ing her holidays camping at Walpole  
Island, was in town on Tuesday.

Walter Lumley, of the Western  
States, is visiting here.

## TILBURY.

Aug. 7.—A farewell was held for  
Rev. Mr. McPhail, at the residence of  
Mr. Stewart.

Mrs. (Rev.) Kennedy leaves to-day on  
a visit to Cleveland.

Rev. Mr. Laing preached in the Pres-  
byterian church here last evening.

Rev. Mr. Johnson is visiting in Mor-  
peth this week.

Dr. McDonald, of Detroit, is visiting  
friends here.

We are pleased to see V. Campbell  
on the street again, after her long ill-  
ness.

Luise Bengtlett, of Leamington is  
spending his vacation here.

AN IMPROVEMENT ON THE NUM-  
BERED BALLOT.

To The Planet.—Here is a form of a  
ballot I would suggest to Archie and  
the machine now in power. Each elec-  
tor shall be provided with ballots con-  
taining the names of the candidates.  
He shall then pick out the one he wishes  
elected and present the ballot neatly  
folded to the returning officer, who  
shall number it and deposit it in the  
ballot box. The clerk shall then write  
the name of the elector and opposite  
thereto the number of his vote. Archie  
might call this a measure to protect  
the freedom and purity of the ballot.  
Then they could go into any part of  
the country and discover just how any  
man had voted at any election. This  
would be simpler than the present  
numbered ballot, which the Ross Gov-  
ernment thinks so much of it won't  
give up.

C. A. WILLIAMS.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

Aug. 8th, 1960.

Wheat—July... 80 1/2 81 80 1/2 80 1/2

Sept.... 82 1/2 83 82 1/2 82 1/2

Dec.... 83 1/2 84 83 1/2 83 1/2

Corn—Sept.... 43 1/2 44 43 1/2 43 1/2

Dec.... 44 1/2 45 44 1/2 44 1/2

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in  
Cows.

Minard's Liniment for sale every-  
where.

Dress Making and Millinery | C. Austin &amp; Co.

## Black Dress Goods Sp

First instalments of our black  
goods to hand in all the newest w  
all purchased before the advance.  
can safely say that we have the  
value in the city, note our specials.

8 pcs. Black Figured Carina Lustre  
the newest design and finish, no  
better value in city, see special at  
per yd. 25c

2 pcs. Black Poplin Cord figured in large  
and small design, bright finish, 40  
in wide, see special at per yd. 50c

2 pcs. Black Jacquard Mohair Repp,  
very new cloth, heavy raised fig-  
ured designs, corded ground, elegant  
goods for skirt or full dress, see  
special at per yd. 60c

6 pcs. Black Fancy Broche, corded  
ground, Armour design, bright fin-  
ish, 40 in. wide, extra value, see  
special at per yd. 75c

2 specials in Black Scotch Vicuna Serge  
extra weight a suitable cloth for  
skirt or tailor made suit, all wool,  
42 and 48 in. wide, see special at  
per yd. 75c and \$1.00

2 pcs. 58 inch wide, Black and Navy  
Blue only heavy worsted suitings,  
will make a wearing skirt or tailor  
made costume, see the value, our  
special at per yd. \$1.00

2 pcs. 48 in. wide in Black a  
Blue only, pure wool Vene  
bright finish, fine goods f  
made costume, our special

3 pcs. 42 in. wide in Blk. Poplin  
fancy newest design for a  
full dress. You should see  
us, our special at per yd. 50c

4 specials in Black Poplin Cord,  
silk finish, very desirable clo  
costume or separate skirt, our  
special at per yd. 50c, 75c, \$1 and

2 pcs. 42 inch wide Black Poplin C  
fancy, in a pretty medium de  
beautiful cloth for a separate  
first one, our special at per yd.

2 special skirt lengths in Silk Crep  
the prettiest design in Broches  
shown in this city, come and see  
first one, our special at \$8.50 and

2 pcs. 42 in. wide Black Poplin Cord  
fancy, in pretty medium design  
bright finish cloth, slightly good  
for separate skirt or full dress, see  
them, our special at per yd.

## Clothing Department

## The Best Way

Some advertisements remind us of the  
old-fashioned letters, our Grand-fathers  
used to write. "Now I take my pen in  
hand." The best way of all to advertise  
is to give the people great big, pressed  
down, running-over values for their money  
and let them go away and talk about it.  
There will be just such an occasion here.

## SATURDAY AUG. 11th

See  
WindowSee  
Window

## Wanted

ONE HUNDRED MEN  
Each with a five dollar bill in  
his pocket to buy an all wool,  
ready-to wear tweed suit worth  
\$7.50 and get here quickly, on-  
ly one hundred suits left.  
None need apply whose chest  
measures over 44 inches.

## Men's Pants...

We have just passed into  
stock this week 65 pairs of spe-  
cial worsted pants in three pat-  
terns of nobby hair stripes solid  
goods, every pair worth \$4.00  
of any man's money, full range  
sizes and extra long legs, spe-  
cial Saturday we will sell them  
at \$2.98.

## ...Special Men's Negligee Shirts....

We bought seven dozen of this special shirt in hand-  
some electric blue and white stripes, light and dark  
shades, 2 separate collars, cuffs attached. The  
cloth is an imported English cambric and colors  
are warranted, sizes 14 to 16 1/2. This quality of  
shirts are sold regularly at \$1.00 and are good val-  
ue. We will sell Saturday at

75c.

C. Austin & Co.  
The Bargain Centre  
Market Square Corner