

We Beg to Announce Our

Millinery Opening

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
September 24th 25th and 26th
And Following Days

And take this opportunity to say "Thanks" for past patronage.

A Special Display of

Dress Goods for fall, 1901.
Kid Gloves in the newest autumn shades.
Linens, Hosiery, Underwear

WILLIAM FOREMAN & CO.

Talking SHOE Prices

Did you ever hear of shoe prices talking? Probably not, but at this store the prices speak right up for themselves. Prices that are low to begin with and economical to end with—prices that are unmatched for genuine lowness—prices that appeal to all classes of buyers, and prices that are not low because we say, but because buyer after buyer returns to this store and says, "We have tried elsewhere but return after wasting our time." No better place on earth to buy shoes.

SHOES that are just to your liking, selected with untiring efforts for the benefit of the patrons of this—**The Boston Shoe Store.**

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Reliable Low Priced SHOE Man.

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The Jewel Stoves and Ranges

In the city. These Stoves have had **thirty years'** successful sale and are eminently satisfactory to every purchaser. Buy a Stove that is right and it will be right all the time. Buy a stove that is wrong and it is an annoyance all the time.

Buy a Jewel

And You do not Run any Risk

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Sole Agents, Chatham, Ont.

ALL FAIRS

Secretaries of the different agricultural societies are requested to send to The Planet, as soon as possible, the dates of their Fairs.

PENINSULAR, Chatham—Oct. 8 to 10.
Ridgetown—Oct. 2 to 4.
Shedden—Sept. 27.
Rodney—Oct. 9 and 10.
Essex—Sept. 24 to 26.
Glencoe—Sept. 25 and 26.
Comber—Sept. 27 and 28.
Amherstburg—Oct. 1 and 2.
Leamington—Oct. 2 to 4.
Harrow—Oct. 8 and 9.

Wallaceburg—Oct. 1 and 2.
Highgate—Oct. 11 and 12.
Thamesville—Oct. 2 and 3.
Mitchell—Sept. 26 and 27.
North Oxford—Oct. 1 and 2.
Norwich—Oct. 8 and 9.
Woodbridge—Oct. 16 and 17.
Aldborough—Oct. 9 and 10.

WANTED

GIRLS WANTED—Three girls are wanted at once at the Woollen Mills. Apply to T. H. Taylor Co. 10

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Miss Dege, corner Head street and Victoria avenue. 1014

HIS MAJESTY IN SWEDEN

Giv n Cordial Greeting by the King and People of that Country.

Czar Having his Own way in France — Loubet's Plans Changed to Suit him.

Helsingborg, Sweden, September 20.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra arrived here at noon to-day on the British royal yacht Osborne. The king of Sweden received them at the landing stage. The royal party drove to the castle of Sofiero, cheered by the populace.

Compiegne, September 20.—Emperor Nicholas exercised the prerogative of an autocrat to-day and kept President Loubet and all the French occupants of the Chateau Compiegne marking time. After returning to the chateau the Emperor had a long interview with M. Waldeck-Rousseau, the French premier. It lasted at least two hours.

Court Lamsdorff, the Russian foreign minister, also conferred with M. Delmas, the French minister of foreign affairs. It is whispered that the principal subject of the two interviews was the commercial relations between France and Russia.

CORDON OF BAYONETS.

After giving it to be understood that he would arrive at Pierrefonds the Czar left the chateau with the Czarina in a Victoria at 3 o'clock, with no escort except a few detectives on bicycles, who kept discreetly in the background, thus giving him the illusion of a private drive and the life of an ordinary mortal. Measures were taken within the park, however, that absolutely precluded the approach of any stranger. In order to test the measures taken to safeguard his Majesty's person during the drive, the detectives were instructed to attempt to enter the park last evening under cover of darkness. In every case they were captured before getting inside the chateau gardens.

The Emperor wore the undress uniform of the Preobrajenski regiment. He changed his route unexpectedly, and instead of proceeding to Pierrefonds, took a short drive to the village of Beaumont, returning to the Chateau Compiegne at 5 o'clock. In the meantime crowds assembled in the streets of Pierrefonds awaiting his expected arrival.

VISIT FROM LOUBET.

In the afternoon an immense concourse gathered in the hope of witnessing the Czar and Czarina drive through a part of the town or the outer park. But the only satisfaction enjoyed was a pleasant surprise visit to the town hall from M. Loubet. The mayor, who was at the town hall with a view to the possibility of such a visit, had to send out and gather in the members of the town council, who were quietly sipping after-lunch coffee in the neighboring cafes. The manner in which the visit was conducted was one of those charming touches that endear M. Loubet to the French people. All ceremony was absolutely excluded and the whole proceedings were carried out in the most informal fashion.

CZAR AS GODFATHER.

Two interesting incidents of the day were the reception by Emperor Nicholas of Gen. De Boisdeffre, former chief of the French staff, and the baptism of the infant son of the Count de Montebello, French ambassador to Russia. The baptism took place in the apartments of the Czar after his return from the drive. Only the Czar and Czarina and the members of the family of the count were present. The child was christened Nicholas, after the Czar, who acted as godfather, and who said the credo in Russian.

The crowning feature of 10 day's events was the gala performance in the Chateau theatre, which followed a grand banquet in the famous hall of columns, at which the members of the French cabinet, the officers of the senate and chamber of deputies and leading members of the suite of the Czar and M. Loubet were present.

IN TILBURY

Farmers are Realizing Excellent Figs Upon Their Splendid Crops.

"The farmers around Tilbury are the people who are making money these days," said Dr. Russell to The Planet this morning.

"I was out there yesterday and one farmer told me that he had realized \$475 out of 15 acres of clover seed. This, of course, was reaped after he had taken a crop of hay off the same land this year.

"All of the crops are turning out well there. Wheat is an extra good crop and the corn crop is surprising. "During the first of the season the farmers thought that their entire crop would be a complete failure but it has turned out that now they are getting 450 bushels to the acre."

Farmers from the other Townships through Kent also report that their corn crops are better than they have been for years.

A rug that is getting old should have a stout backing of canvas sewn on to it. This will keep it flat and greatly enhance its wearing qualities.

TERRIBLE GALE

Captain McDonald Experienced it En route to Chatham—Many Fatalities Resulted.

The Kolfage came into port this morning from Alpena with a cargo of lumber for Blonde Bros. & Co. She experienced quite a rough trip from Chatham to Alpena, but was very fortunate and did not suffer any damage.

Capt. McDonald, of the Kolfage, when interviewed by The Planet this morning, said:

"We left Chatham for Alpena on Tuesday, Sept. 10. Just after entering Saginaw Bay there came a dead calm and a thick mist settled on the water, so that we could not see any distance ahead of us. While waiting for the mist to lift, we were struck by a terrible gale. It came up very suddenly so that we had no chance to prepare for it. Fortunately it did not last long and after floundering around for some time we were able to continue our journey.

"Some of the other schooners that were in the bay at the time, however, did not get off so easily. I could see one especially through the mist that was having a very rough time. I saw one of her masts fall and afterwards learned that it struck one of her sailors and killed him. Another of the sailors was washed overboard and was picked up by a life-saving crew, but at last succumbed to the injuries he received.

Another vessel in the bay went down and a number of her crew were drowned. Some, however, were rescued by the life-saving crew."

Captain McDonald feels fortunate in getting off so easily, and does not express any desire to again experience such a gale.

The Telephone Girl—here on Oct. 21, has just closed an engagement in Philadelphia, and will play Brooklyn, N. Y., next week.

HIS WOUND

Chas. Ryall Writes Giving Particulars as to the Injuries he Received.

Fireman Tucker has received a long and interesting letter from ex-fireman Chas. Ryall, who is now with the Baden Powell Mounted Police in South Africa. At the time of writing Mr. Ryall was still in the hospital suffering from the wound he received a short time ago, but expected to be out in a few days.

The bullet which caused Mr. Ryall's injury entered his side below the ribs and came out through his back. In the engagement in which he received his injury he, with two other comrades, held 100 Boers at bay for three-quarters of an hour. Ryall was wounded near the beginning of the engagement but held steadily on until the last. He sighted the Boer who wounded him and quickly despatched him with a red hot bullet. When the three saw that the Boers were commencing to gain on them they made for their horses. It was here found that Ryall's horse was disabled with a bullet in the right leg and one of the other two horses was shot dead. Ryall was taken up behind a comrade, thus saving capture, and the third made his escape on foot.

Ryall now weighs about 185 pounds and says he never felt better in his life. He wished to be remembered to all his Chatham friends. Now that he knows he has killed one Boer he is anxious to get at them again.

WERE FOUND

Other Instances of the Results of Advertising in The Planet.

Editor of The Planet,

Dear Sir,—I desire to gratefully acknowledge and pay tribute to the good results of an advertisement in your paper. Mr. Stegman authorized me to advertise the loss of two valuable dogs, which we could get no

Men's Economical Clothing

"Economy," said the maker of sentences, "is going without something you do want in case you should some day want something which you probably won't want."

But everybody knows better in this practical age. Economy isn't going without, it's open-eyed spending—buying where money goes farthest in quality and good looks.

With this big factory and the outlet of our three stores, we are in a position to buy most economically, because most largely. And our side of the counter shares freely in the economy.

Thornton & Douglas

trace of. I put the advertisement in The Planet on Wednesday and the following day, as a result, the dogs were returned from the country. I think The Planet deserves much credit in the matter.

Yours, etc.,
JAS. R. MCGREGOR.

Mr. McGregor's kind note is but a sample of the many appreciative messages which reach this office from delighted advertisers. It is The Planet's great circulation which gives these splendid results.

THE THEATER.

Span of Life—Here on Oct. 19, is playing at present in Boston, Mass. Homespun Heart—here on Oct. 28, has been playing this week in Jersey City, N. J.

The Brownies in Fairyland, the local opera which will be put on at the Grand on the 3rd and 4th of Oct. under the direction of E. G. Sutherland, of New York, promises to be a grand success. The roles will be taken by local singers, and the Brownie parts will be taken by scholars from the McKeough and Central schools.

THERE'S MONEY IN OIL

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IN THE SHARES OF

The Ontario and California Oil Co.
(LIMITED)

HAVE YOUR ORDERS BOOKED IN TIME.

"Whereas, owing to the result of recent negotiations and developments, it has been decided to advance the price of the Treasury Stock of the Ontario and California Oil Company, but owing to certain options, formerly given on portions of said stock extending to the 25th day of September next, it would be impracticable to do so until that date: **RESOLVED**, that the Treasury Stock of the Ontario and California Oil Company, Limited, non-personal liability, at present selling at six cents per share, be advanced to twenty-five cents per share—such advance to take effect after the 25th day of September next."

ONTARIO---

Contracts will be let within the next few days for the sinking of twenty additional wells on the Company's Ontario properties.

CALIFORNIA---

Look out for some surprising results on the California properties, controlled under option for development agreement by the Ontario and California Oil Company.

TEXAS---

The Ontario and California Oil Company have secured the option on the control of the stock of the "Blue Bonnet Oil Company" of G. Iverson and Beaumont, Texas, owning valuable oil lands on Spindle Top Heights, about half a mile from the famous Lucas "Gusher," which has been gushing liquid money at the rate of seventy thousand barrels per day; also three more blocks of valuable oil lands at Sour Lake, Diamonds Mound and close to the Town of Beaumont—all in the very richest oil-bearing lands so far discovered in Texas. The Blue Bonnet Oil Company and its directors are highly endorsed by Walter C. Jones.

The above advance is gratifying to the Company's Directors and Shareholders, but is only an earnest of what may be expected in the Ontario and California Oil Company, and looks small when compared with some other oil stocks which have actually advanced from fifty cents to two hundred dollars per share.

All orders for the present issue at six cents per share must be forwarded before the above date, accompanied by the cash or equivalent, payable to

J. L. FINCH, Sec.-Treas., Ontario and California Oil Co.
21 ADELAIDE STREET EAST, TORONTO.

Or to FOY & ROSS, Stock Brokers, Toronto.

NOTE—Mail orders must be postmarked before 25th.