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"People out around Rodney would like to get a little of this surplus rain," said a Rodneyite this morning. "The weather man is steering his rain clear of Rodney district, and the crops threaten to become a total failure through the drought. There was no sight of rain or clouds when I left there this morning," concluded the cluded the speaker.

The young men up the Creek Har-

The young men up the Creek, Harwich, are holding a meeting to-night for the purpose of forming a football team. It is claimed that there is

good material up the Creek for a football team, and the boys intend to make the best use of it. Chatham may expept to receive a challenge from this team in the near future.

SPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of the City Council will be held this afternoon at half past five o'clock to consider the Thames street pavement question. It is understood that the petition against a pavement on this street has not been sufficiently signed and therefore the work will be proceeded with The Board of Works will at once advertise for tendance for the Owen

vertise for tenders for the Queen street pavement and it is proposed to advertise at the same time for tenders for the Thames street pave-

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NOTICE TO CON-

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A special meeting of the City Coun-

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H. Lowe, of the Bank of Commerce staff, left last night for Belleville. Manager R. McKinley, of the Chap-lin wheel works, left last night for St. Catharines. G. W. CORNELL

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Local Briefs

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Hector Robert has returned to

The pay car of the G. T. R. went through to-day. Mrs. Frank Calmeyn, of Detroit, is visiting in the city.

Miss Maude Marshall, Jeffrey street, is suffering from a severely sprained left wrist.

Miss Nellie Farrah, of St. Thomas, is the guest of her friend, Miss Edna Smith, Raleigh street.

The sons of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Snell, Wellington street, have recovered from diphtheria.

Mrs. L. L. Couzens and children, of Cleveland, Ohio, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Snell. Mrs. Maggs, Joseph street, leaves next week for Pontiac, Kalamazoo, and other points in Michigan.

Thirty-four ladies' eravamette rain coats, values \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.50, at the Gordon Store for \$4.90 each. Lost, a dark waterproof coat, on Friday night. The finder will be re-warded by leaving it at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Osterhout are expected home to-day from their honeymoon trip to Chicago and other western cities.

The wedding took place on Monday last at Park street Methodist par-sonage, of A. H. Smith, Raleigh, to Miss Ellen Downey, of this city. Ernest Sheffield, chef on the stam-

er City of Owen Sound, which plys be-tween Owen Sound and the Soo, spent, couple of days with friends in town

Mrs. Annie Steinhoff leaves on Tuesday next for Detroit, where she will enter Harper's Hospital for the purpose of becoming a trained nurse. It has been suggested that the County Council could save money by putting a bowling alley in the basement so that the officials who have offices in the building can keep warm these cold. damn days. these cold, damp days.

A musical was given last evening by the grapils of Miss Elizabeth Crampton's class in All Saints church lecture room. Besides members of the class the entertainers were Miss Clark, clocutionist; Jacob Reuter, tenor, and Henry McCaw, violinist.—Detroit Free Press.

Jas. Burns, the lad convicted some time ago on the charge of breeking.

Jas. Burns, the lad convicted some time ago on the charge of breaking into James Bowlin's shop and stealing guns and things, was again arrested last evening by constable Alex. Carter, baggageman at the C. P. R. station. Mr. Carter has been annoyed by the boys hanging around the station for some time. He ordered young Burns to leave, but he refused, and led the baggageman to make an example of him. Burns had a chance to accept a position with Schorr and to accept a position with Schorr and learn to be a jockey like his famous ed sentence on the understanding that he would accept the offer. Burns appeared before Judge Houston this afternoon at five o'clock.

NOTICE

We have several decided bargains to offer for the balance of June.

House and Lot, in good location, parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, three bedrooms, closet, eity water, cistern, gas, lot 45 ft. by 160 ft.

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YOUNG MAN WAS 'TOUCHED'

derloin and had his pocket Picked.

Colored Woman Convicted of the Theft-A Story of Misplaced Confidence.

George Campbell, of the Township of Romney, an unsophisticated country youth, came to the city Thursday of Romney, an unsophisticated country youth, came to the city Thursday to see the circus. Being enamored of city life he lingered in the village over night and Yesterday morning wandered out to see the sights in the Tenderloin district, otherwise known as Colborne St. He had as much as \$15.70 in real money in his pants pocket when his fancy led him to mingle in the life of the Tenderloin. He mingled, and shortly afterwards was seeking assistance from the police to get his \$15 back. He was willing to let the 70 odd cents go. As a result of Mr. Campbell's investigations into the mysteries of city life, Ida Sullivan, a colored woman, was arraigned before Judge Houston. Campbell told the Court his story of misplaced confidence. He visited Harvey Wilson's house and put up 20 cents for whiskey. The men in the house went own to get it. Then Mina Wilson went down stairs to "cook fish." Campbell figured as a sucker and was cooked for his 15 belongs. John Bedford, Park Ave., purchased the trotting horse "Romeo" recently at a good round figure. Arthur Roy, of the Fred Quian farm at Glencoe, is in the city. He is looking for a farm in Kent to either purchase or rent. Mr. Quinn intends selling his farm at Glencoe in the Rev. T .T. George took the topic at Victoria Ave. League last evening. It was Mr. George's last evening at the League. Rev. A. W. Torrie, of the League. Rev. A. W. Torrie, of William St. Baptist Church, gave a capital address on Temperance. N. A. McGeachy, of Harwich, will shortly move into the Brooke place on Park Ave. Mr. McGeachy made the purchase of the ten acres and residence for \$3,000. The residence when built cost in the neighborhood of \$7,-

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After hearing all the evidence, Judeg Houston found the woman guilty and remanded her till Monday Come and spend a pleasant evening with the girls and boys of McKeough School on their Twentieth Anniversary, Monday, June 22. 24th Regimental Band in attendance. Grand Promenade Concert in the Jubilee Shed. Refreshments. All kinds of contests. Illuminations and fireworks.

ANOTHER OIL WELL

On Friday a good well was struck three hundred feet from the O'Keefe well on the Doyle farm in Harwich. It has been named the "Walker" in honor of J. R. Walker, one of the promoters, and gave a large flow, and every indication of proving one of the best. The oil filled to the top of the casing and overflowed in considerable quantities before being capped, and to-day pumps are being placed in position for active operations. The success that has attended the company's efforts in Harwich has given a fresh impetus and a number of oil operators who were early in the field have returned to the city. Already six shipments have Illuminations and fireworks.

Bugle Major Wm. Plumeridge, of the Bugle Band of the 24th Regiment, has decided to run an excursion to Port Huron under the auspices of the Bugle Band. It is the intention of putting on a lacrosse game in the American city. The excursion will be run in early August, Civic Holiday.

"People out around Rodney would like to get a little of this surplus city. Already six shipments have been made and three more carloads are awaiting shipment, but at pres-ent cars are not available. It will probably be sent out next week.

INTERIOR **IMPROVEMENTS**

The Board of Management of Park street Methodist church will report to the congregation at a meeting to be held as soon as things can be got in proper shape, favorably of the large improvements proposed for the interior of the church

interior of the church.

A meeting of the Board was held last evening and such a decision was arrived at.

The proposed changes will include re-painting, re-lighting, re-seating, and the raising of the floor. The cost will be in the neighborhood of \$6,000.

JUNE NUPTIALS

A very happy event took place this afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carr, Lorne avenue, when Miss Ettie Hayhow, formerly of Dres-den, recently of Detroit, was united in marriage to Arthur Willmore, a prosperous and popular young farmer of Dover. Rev. Dr. Battisby tied the will be received up till six p. m. Tues-day, June 30th, 1903, for the several works required in the erection of a brick block on King St., in the City of nuptial knot in the presence of a few friends and relatives only. After the wedding ceremony the newly mar-ried couple and their guests partook of a light lunch, after which they left for their home in Dover. Both Chatham. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the underbride and groom are well known in the Maple City and vicinity and their many friends will join in congratula-tions and best wishes for future happiness and prosperity.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES. Innes Hamilton was drowned at Peter-

The Bisley team will sail on the Ionian

from Montreal this morning. Another installment of six Scotch engines for the C. P. R. have arrived at Montreal.

Bulk and separate tenders will be received at the offices of the under-signed architects, up till 7 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, June 30th, 1903, for all the several works required in the erection of a frame dwelling house or King street west Chatham. Yesterday was field day at Niagara amp, Lord Dundonald being present at he exercises.

It is reported that real bullets were used by some of the men in the sham battle at London camp.

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Chatham, Ont. The 1st Battalion, Gordon Highlanders, have presented a handsome trophy to the Royal Canadian Rifles as a memento of their campaign in South Africa.

The Japanese Minister at Pekin, ed by the British and United States re-presentatives, has formally demanded the opening of Manchurian ports to foreign

CHICAGO MARKETS Reported by L. J. Atwater, Broker, Norwood Block, Chatham, June 20, 1903. Wheat-OPEN. HIGH. LOW CLOS. July 763 763 Sept...... 74½ 75½ Coru— July...... 50 50½ 741 75 Sept..... 495 Oats— July..... 393 501 491 491 Sept..... 33½ Pork— 334 331 331 July..... 1690 1690 1687 1687 1695 1695 1690 1690

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LABOR AGITATORS WARNED. Amended Bill Adopted by the Senate Committee.

Ottawa, June 20.-The Banking and Commerce Committee of the Senate Committee received and adopted the report of the sub-committee to whom was referred Senator Lougheed's bill directed against labor agitators who seek to cause strikes. The bill now provides as follows :-

"Everyone is guilty of an indictable offence and liable to two years' imprisonment who, not being a British subject, or who, being a British subject, and not having been continuously domiciled and resident in Canada dur-ing one year next before the commis-sion of the act complained of, does in Canada counsel, incite, urge or induce any strike or any lock-out, or the con-tinuance of any strike or any lock-out. "This section shall not apply to any

person who, being a duly accredited officer of any international organization, comes into Canada to bring about "In any proceeding under this sec-tion the burden of proof as to nation-ality, domicile and residence, shall be upon the person accused."

TEN WERE KILLED.

Head-on Collision on the Illinois Central Railway.

Waterloo, Iowa, June 20 .- An Illinoi Raymond, early yesterday. Both engineers and firemen were killed, a mail agent was seriously included at 15c yard. Central passenger train collided headengineers and firemen were killed, a mail agent was seriously injured and E. R. Stickney, a passenger, and a mail clerk, three unidentified tramps and one immigrant were also killed. The trains met at a curve. The passenger train, which had the right of way, was going at the rate of 50 miles an hour. The freight crew are said to have misunderstood their orders.

Headquarters 24th "Kent" Regiment. Regimental Orders.

Lieut.-Col. J. B. Rankin, commanding. Chatham, June 20th, 1903. 1. The Regiment will parade in Divine Service Order at the Drill Shed Sunday, June 21st, at 10:20 a. m., to attend service at St. Andrew's Church. Roll call at 10:30.

2. The Regiment will parade in Drill Order for Battalion Drill Monday, June 22nd, and Thursday, June 25th, at 8 o'clock p. m.

By order,
W. A. COLTART, Jr.,
Acting Adjutant. I loge .

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GIRLS WANTED-For dining room at Hotel Garner.

GOOD GIRL WANTED—At once at Grand Central Hotel. 10t

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Black Basket and Canvas Cloth, 54 in. wide, very nobby for skirts. Price \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 per yard.

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A big variety of desirable Wash Fabrics always to be seen at the Bargain Centre. Consider the items that appeal to you most directly as long or as briefly as you like. There is only one conclusion—an early visit to our Wash Goods Department. We're ready at all times. No waste of words in the list of bargains below.

Cambric Suitings.

Eight pieces very choice French Cambric for fancy shirt waist costumes, in pretty pink and white, blue, black and white, red and white, and linen and white with small black figures, warranted fast colors, 15c a vd.

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Just in another shipment of those fine black Egyptian Batiste lawns for summer gowns, 32 inches wide, fast dye, per yard, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c. Box Cloth Suitings.

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Swiss muslins, popular for hot weather waists, plain white with different sized spots, wide width, fine sheer material

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Beautiful patterns in fancy black and white mercerised grenadines, very fine and sheer, 35c and 50c yard. Also pink, cardinal and light blue and white stripes, special mercerised fin-ish, at 30c, 35c, and 50c yard.

Plain linen colored batiste, extra fine and sheer, for fancy tucked waists, dresses, etc., per yard 25c and

At 12 1-2c worth 15c, navy blue batiste, with small white polka dots, extra fine quality, wide width

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Women's Neckwear, 25c., 35c., 50c.

Three interesting lots are offered in our Ladies' Neckwear Department to-day. At 280.—Ladies' wash stocks, with Bishop tabs in all the new patterns, ladies' fancy collars, in two shapes, very new, assorted patterns and colorings, and also a large range of washable ties, in all the new shapes.

At 350.—Ladies' lace turn-over collars with Bishop tabs, very pretty. Ladies' embroidery insertion collars with colored edgings. Ladies' collar neckwear with white stock and colored overpattern.

At 50c. Ladies' lace turnover collars, made of very fine and also heavy lace, the newest designs for this season. Ladies' silk and satin stocks with Bishop tabs in assorted colors. Ladies' wash stocks with Bishop tabs, in assorted colorings, very swell. Ladies' plain white wash stocks in this season's shapes.



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