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Oh yes, it's possible at this store—don't think because you've been disappointed elsewhere that you will be here—we do things differently—the other fellows could do as we do, as an example, if they had their suits built in four proportions to each individual chest measure.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, April 24—10 a. m.—Variable winds, increasing to strong breezes and moderate gales; rain to-night. Saturday, unsettled and showery.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Gib. Taylor, Joseph St., is a Detroit visitor to-day.

Wm. Rose, Scotland, Kent county, was a city visitor to-day.

The civic pay sheets for the past week amounted to $235.50.

Albert Brown, of Dresden, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

F. M. Scarff, of Tilbury, was registered at the Garner House yesterday.

Mrs. Eckhardt, St. Catharines, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Pike, Murray St.

To-morrow $1.25 black and colored Derby hats worth $2.00 and $2.50 for $1.00 each at The 2 T's.

Col. J. B. Rankin, K. C., expects the drill instructor from the London Military School will be here Monday to train the soldiers of the 24th Regiment.

School Trustee John McCorvie, Mrs. McCorvie and their son Ray drove out to Mull to-day to see Mr. McCorvie's brother, Edward, who is very low.

McNeilage Bros., Chatham Tp., sold 32 head of cattle for export. The herd was brought into Chatham this morning, and a likely looking lot of animals they were.

D. Smith, Harwich, has purchased Geo. Duff's property, River road, Harwich. This is part of the McGregor farm and is situated just east of the city limits.

Joseph Baker, of Thamesville, was committed for trial yesterday on the charge of stealing $10 and two premium receipts from the Sun Life Assurance Co. Mr. Baker was the local agent of the company at Thamesville. They allege that he only wrote two policies and kept the premiums. Baker contends that he only retained what he was entitled to keep as his commission.

The case of Colles vs. Mair occupied the attention of his honor Judge Bell all morning. This is an action in the Surrogate Court for the purpose of proving in solemn form the will of the late Jane Smith. The Rev. W. H. G. Colles is the executor and the defendant is William Mair, of Inverurie, Scotland, a son of the deceased. O. L. Lewis appeared for the executor and J. G. Kerr contra.

Rev. Mr. Neilly, of Dover Tp., was in the city to-day.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League to-night will devote the evening to the discussion of Robert Burns and his works.

Prof. A. H. Reynor, D. D., of the University of Toronto, will give his well known lecture on Tennyson's "In Memoriam" in the Lecture Hall of the Park St. Methodist church on Monday evening, April 27th A short but excellent musical program has also been provided. Do not miss the literary treat.

The survey is now complete, the plans registered, and lots in the old athletic grounds can now be bought at any time. As a uniform price has been placed on all but a few of the lots, the first purchasers will have a choice of location; $400 will buy you one of these choice lots. See D. McLachlan at the Business College or at his residence. 3t

THE PROGRAM

The musical program for the Bungalow Concert in the Grand Opera House this evening will be as follows:—

Miss Verna Heyward
a—Janette Douglas — "Fairy Cradle Song."
b—J. T. Wolcott — "Naughty Little Raindrops."

Mr. Wm. H. Brackin
Frances Allitsen — "A Song of Thanksgiving."

Miss Florence G. Stephenson
a—Speaks — "The Four-leafed Clover."
b—Willoughby — "April Rain."

Miss Lucy McKellar.
Gounod (From Faust) — "Flower Song."

Miss H. Edythe Hill.
Victor Herbert—"The Singing Girl."
a—"If only you were mine."
b—"The Song of the Danube."

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To-morrow (**SATURDAY**) we will sell at our **East End Store, 20 Dozen Tooth Brushes at Half Regular Price.** They are travellers' Samples and are good value at regular prices.

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SULLIVAN'S STORY

Under Cross Examination he tells his Side of the Negotiations

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, April 24.—1.40 p. m.—The cross-examination of Frank Sullivan was commenced by E. F. B. Johnston, when the Gamey-Stratton investigation was renewed this morning. Sullivan denied emphatically that he ever received any money from Gamey or that he ever got any money from the Government other than the $2 a day he was drawing as departmental clerk. The story that a parcel of money was delivered to Gamey or witness in the smoking room of the Parliament Buildings from Mr. Stratton, Sullivan also denied, also the story about dividing the money. He also denied that there was any written document between them about Gamey receiving $5,000 for his support, consequently he never tore up such document as Gamey said. Sullivan gave some details of the interview between Gamey and Stratton and said that when the latter said the word "consideration," it simply meant that Gamey would receive the same consideration as other members of the Government. "That is a lie," said Sullivan emphatically when confronted with Gamey's statement that they had divided $3,000 in Ontario Bank bills. Upon the subject of the Crossin piano factory episode Sullivan said that while he did not know any one was concealed there he noticed a wet umbrella on a chair and that made him suspicious. Stratton, he said, knew nothing of any deals between himself and Gamey. Frank Ford, the solicitor of the treasury department, admitted typewriting the X. Y. Z. letter and enclosure to Gamey in which the latter was told how to deal with this Manitoulin constituents. He did this at the request of Sullivan. He also typewrote the Globe interview and the letter Gamey signed in which the latter agreed to support the Ross Government. Stratton had asked him to do this.

ARRESTED AT BUFFALO.

James T. Nelson's Charges Against Liberals.

Buffalo, April 24.—Following his arrest for stealing an affidavit that he was being urged to sign, James T. Nelson has made a statement, in which he charges the Liberals with using money unlawfully in the elections of January last in North Perth, North Norfolk and North Grey. Nelson several weeks ago made a sworn statement to A. W. Wright, Conservative organizer for Ontario, in which he says he was employed to get ten men from Buffalo to go to the three named places and distribute the funds. He claims he sent the men, that they did their work, and that his dealings were mostly with Capt. John Sullivan. The names of the men are in the possession of Mr. Wright, and he says his information implicates men of prominence in Ontario, among them lawyers, doctors and newspaper proprietors.

A. W. Wright came to Buffalo on Monday, in response to a telegram from Nelson, in which the latter said he was being approached for another affidavit denying the one he had made to Mr. Wright, John J. McCarty, a Buffalo saloon-keeper, Nelson says, offered him $75 for a second affidavit. "McCarty told me he had it all ready for me to sign," said Nelson; "so yesterday afternoon my attorney and I went to McCarty's lawyer's office. I put the document in my pocket and the lawyer locked the door. I told him I would throw him through it, and then he let us out. On the street he had me arrested for stealing the unsigned affidavit."

The fracas occurred in the office of Attorney John T. Ryan, in the Erie County Bank building. Nelson was arraigned this morning in the Police Court, but his case was postponed until to-morrow.

Capt. Sullivan pronounces Nelson's story a lie.

Boiler Explosion at Comber.

Comber, April 23.—During the noon hour to-day one of the boilers in Petit Bros.' mill, about four miles from here, exploded. Three of the employees were sitting near the boiler eating their dinner when the boiler left its bed, but only one was injured. Herb. Manley, a boy fourteen years old, was seriously but not fatally injured.

PSYCHIC PALMIST.

Mme. Bayla, the adept palmist from Paris may be consulted on business, marriage, love affairs, sickness, travels, etc. Astounding revelations. Will be here until Saturday evening, April 25th. Ladies 50c., gents 75c. Room 8, Hotel Garner. 2

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by L. J. Atwater, Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, April 24, 1903

		OPEN	HIGHEST	CLOSE	LOWEST
.....	May	78¼	78¼	77⅞	77¾
Wheat...	July	73	73⅛	72⅞	72⅛
May.....		44½	44⅞	44½	44⅞
Corn....	July	45⅝	45¾	45¼	45½
May.....		34⅞	34⅞	33½	34¼
Oats....	July	31⅛	32	31½	31¾
May.....		1810	1820	1810	1815
Pork....	July	1742	1755	1742	1747
May.....		970	977	970	970
Lard.....	July	965	970	965	965
May.....		980	985	980	970
July.....		967	970	967	967

FOOTBALL

A list of the players to be registered for Chatham is as follows:—

L. F. Baker, C. B. C.; C. B. Sissons, H. Flowers, W. E. McNaughton, R. H. Ross, M. D. Fraser, G. Brackin, P. G. Piggott, L. Parrott, B. H. Ainsley, H. W. Anderson, R. W. Angus, Geo. Dean, R. K. Grant, G. E. Ainsley, and W. McK. Messer.

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PRETTY WEDDING

A very beautiful wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jewell, Northwood, on Wednesday, when their daughter, Susie, was united in marriage to Mr. John W. Smyth. After the assemblage of the guests to the number of about fifty, the ceremony was conducted by Rev. H. E. Kellington, assisted by Rev. Mr. Gardiner. The happy couple were married under a canopy of roses and and evergreens and were assisted by the brother and sister of the groom and bride. The bride was charmingly dressed in white swiss, carrying a boquet of roses and ferns. After the ceremony and the congratulations were over, the guests showed their very high appreciation of the excellent supper, which was served in the most tasteful manner. The many beautiful and useful presents, betoken the esteem in which the young couple were held by all, and they go to their home on the river road near Chatham, followed by the well wishes of their numerous friends.

Open-air Exercise.

The demands of business in these strenuous days are each year becoming more exacting. It is showing its evil effects in the health of those whose employment is of a sedentary nature. Open air and healthful exercise is necessary. Physicians agree that the best manner in which to get execcise is bicycling. Anyone whose health is breaking down, appetite falling off, requires the fresh air and pleasant exercise that wheeling gives. Buy a wheel and save doctors' bills.

WANTED.

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED—Apply Grand Central. 10

GOOD GIRL WANTED—Apply to Mrs. Wm. Foreman, Adelaide St. 10

GOOD GIRL—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. G. Merritt, corner Thames and Head Sts. 10

WANTED AT ONCE—A boy aged 15 or 16 to learn cake baking, apply to Wm. Somerville.

WANTED—Nurse girl wanted apply to Mrs. A. McCollum, Cor. Adelaide and Water Sts.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Three or four agents to handle a new article; right party can make from $3 to $5 per day. Reply Box 328, Chatham, Ont. 2td

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

TO LET—Good offices, centrally located. Apply to Houston, Stone & Scane. 10d

TO RENT—Furnished rooms; central; references required. R. S., care Planet. 1m

FOR SALE—A few desirable houses and lots in the city; also a few good farms at low prices and easy terms of payment. Apply to J. A. Walker, Barrister, King street.

FOR RENT—Store in Northwood's Block, at present occupied by E. Jordan, Big Clock, possession 10th of June. Also the store occupied by A. Side, shoeman, possession 1st of July, and offices upstairs. Apply to Theo. Bourassa, or F. Marx King St., Chatham.

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Think it pays you to read our ad? It will if you leave your order with us.

Good Brooms 20 cts. each.

New Patent Mops 15 cts. each.

7 lb. pail Jam 44 cts. for Saturday.

1 lb. package Japan tea siftings 19c.
6 cans Sardines 25 cts.
Sunlight Baking Powder 10 cts. per lb. can.
11 bars good soap for 25 cts.
6 lbs. Tapioca 25 cts.

Its not profitable for you to pay too much for that dinner set, tea set or chamber set you are lacking for call on us and be satisfied that we can give bargains in these goods. Also in china lamps and glassware our quality and price will please you.

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THESE PRICES ARE FOR SATURDAY ONLY

100 Yards best crash Towelling, 18 inches wide, heavy quality, light or dark colors, pure linen, regular 10c. for per yd, - - - - - - - - 8½c

1 piece Bleached Table Damask, 64 inches wide, extra finish, heavy make, choice designs, regular 50c. far per yd, - - - - - - - - 40c

100 yards fancy lace striped white muslins, for dressing sacques, children's dresses, etc. New goods, regular 9c. for per yd, - - - - - 7c

150 yards 36 in. extra heavy factory sheeting, soft even yarns, free from specks, from specks, regular 9c. for per yd, - - - - - - 7c

500 yards 30 inch fancy striped Shaker Flannel, light colors, suitable for children's summer wear, regular 7c. for per yd, - - - - - - 6c

175 yards heavy plain Apron Ginghams with wide fancy borders, grey, fawn and light Blue Shades, extra value 12½c. for per yd, - - - - 10c

8-4 Plain or Twilled Unbleached Sheeting, heavy quality clean yarns, regular 20c per yd. for - - - - - - - - 16c

WOMEN'S STOCKINGS

Some tempting offerings just now when new supplies of summer hosiery are in order. It is gratifying to be able to secure the best of the new season's goods at these remarkable low prices:—

At 12 1-2c per Pair—Ladies' fine cotton hose, open work, guaranteed stainless, double heel and toe, sizes 8½, 9 and 9½.

At 10 and 12 1-2c—Ladies' and children's seamless ribbed hose, warranted stainless, extra heavy, double heel and toe, sizes from 5 to 9½.

Austin's Great Annual Spring Sale COMMENCES Saturday, April 25th.

Over ***1500*** pairs of ***Pants*** to choose from, consisting of all the new patterns for this season's trade is reliable wearing Tweeds, Serges, Imported Worsteds in plain and fancy.

See East Show Window Saturday.

Men's Blue Serge Pants of plain blue serge, dark shade, good weight cloth, all sizes, special, - - 75c

Men's Reliable Wearing Tweed Pants, in neat grey and brown stripes, full range of sizes, very special value at - $1.00

Men's All-wool Tweed and Serge Pants, in neat pattern tweeds, and plain all-wool blue and black Serges, good weaves and serviceable, - - $1.50

Men's High-class Worsted Pants in swell effects, the new slate shades, genteel stripes and neat checks, all solid cloths at - $3.50

Stout and Slim Men's Special Size Pants.

Youth's Tweed, Serge and Worsted Trousers, made from all wool cloths, neat and dressy effects, made especially for young men's trade, sizes 28 to 32 waist, - $1.25 to $3.00
The in between prices specials at - $1.50 and $2.00

Men's Black Worsted Pants at very special value in Black Venetian Solid Worsted Cloth, nice fine quality, worth regular $3 to $3.50, special at $2.00

Men's Fine Tweed Pants, in very dressy grey and black stripe Tweed, neat and a good wearer, all sizes, - - - - $1.75

Men's Solid Worsted Pants in very dressy neat stripes, brown and grey effects, noted for wear, special values, $2.50 and $2.75.

Boys' Serge and Tweed Knee Pants.

Boys' all wool Serge and Tweed Pants, - - - - - - 50c

Boys' special Corduroy Pants, - 59c

Boys' fine Tweed and Worsted Serge Pants, all sizes, - - 75c

Men's Plain Black and Blue Clay Worsted Pants,

In the always reliable cloths in Plain Black and Plain Indigo Blue, dressy and always worn, all sizes, $3.00 and - - - - - $3.50

Our Furniture Department is a store in itself showing the largest and most varied assortment of absolutely new and reliable Furniture to be found in the city. If you desire the maximum of values in Furniture it is certain that you must come to this store.

FRENCH DRESSING TABLES in genuine mahogany, polish finish, and large oval British bevel mirror - - - $14.50

Bedroom Suite, genuine quarter cut golden oak, polished.

BED—6 ft. 2 in. high, 4 ft. 2 in. slat.

STAND—Height 29 in., Top 21½ x 34 inches.

DRESSER—Height of case, 32 in., Top 21 x 44 in., fitted with shaped British bevel mirror, 24 x 30 inches, solid brass fittings and castored complete, $31.50

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