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NEW TABLE LINENS

New Table Linens direct from the Irish looms. A splendid shipment of Table Linens for the early Autumn trade has just reached us. These goods we buy direct from the makers, and the values we offer are hard to equal.

Bleached Linens	Unbleached Linens
60 in. wide, in neat floral design, with elegant border, special at 50c	56 in. wide, good, heavy weight, in variety of neat floral designs, special values, at a yard 25c
72 in. wide, pure linen, grass bleached, loom dye design, Grecian border, very special, at a yard 79c	58 in. wide unbleached table linen, in a large range of excellent new patterns, a good, heavy, long-wearing cloth, very special value, at a yard 39c
72 in. wide, pure linen, warranted Irish grass bleached, in new designs with napkins to match, special at 75c	60 in. and 62 in. wide, unbleached table linen, warranted every thread pure linen, will wash and bleach beautifully, a cloth we recommend most highly, in large variety of new designs, very special value, at a yard 50c
72 in. wide, warranted pure, grass bleached linen, in large variety of excellent designs, with napkins to match, very special, at a yard \$1.00	66 in. and 72 in. wide, warranted pure linen, in good floral design, with handsome border, special values, at a yard 75c. and \$1.00
A splendid variety of designs, in pure bleached tablings, with napkins to match, 72 in. wide, extra values, at a yard \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 \$2.00	

A CLEARING OF WRAPPERS

These wrappers are made of good American Percales in navy, blue, reds, etc., and light colors, in the best wrapper styles that were produced this season, neatly trimmed, well made. We place our entire assortment on sale at these prices:—

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- \$1.50 Wrappers for 98c.

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Summer Hardware!

25 per cent. cut off all Refrigerators, Hammocks, Oil Gas Stoves, Go-Carts, Express Wagons.

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MODEL SCHOOL REGULATIONS

Important Information For Candidates and Examiners

SCARCITY OF TEACHERS

The Education Department has issued the following circular: "In view of the scarcity of Public School teachers, and the probability that it will become still greater during the first session of the new Normal School system which will go into operation in September, 1907, the Education Department has authorized the following modifications of the existing regulations in regard to Model Schools and Public School teachers' certificates:—

A County Board of Examiners may admit to the Model School: (1) Candidates holding junior teachers' certificates, who will be eighteen years of age on or before the re-opening of the rural Public Schools for the second half of 1907; and (2) candidates who will be eighteen years of age on or before September 1, 1906, and who have failed at the junior teachers' examination, but whose marks warrant the County Board in presuming that, after further study, they will be able to pass the junior teachers' examination of 1907.

"The professional certificates shall not be issued in either of the above cases, until the candidates comply with the present legal requirements as to age and non-professional standing."

TWO OUT FOR MAYOR

Alds. Scullard and Stone Spoken Of As Certain Candidates

DARK HORSES IN FIELD

Two candidates for the mayoralty of Chatham for 1907 are now almost certain. These are Ald. Thomas Scullard, chairman of Finance, and Ald. Wm. Stone, chairman of Parks and Cemetery committee. Neither of these gentlemen have made any definite announcement, but their friends are confident that both will be out for first honors in this city at the next municipal election.

Modesty on the part of both aldermen makes them non-committal when approached by the press. Scullard, however, shows which way the wind is blowing. It is known that a number of Ald. Stone's friends dropped in on him the other day and made an effort to see where he stood, with a view to getting him to run. What the result of this caucus was is not known, but The Planet understands that the chairman of Parks and Cemetery has consented to run.

When asked this morning relative to the matter, Ald. Stone said that he could give no definite answer, but that he might do so in the course of a few days.

Ald. Scullard's friends, on the other hand, say that the municipal Finance Minister can win against all comers, and if he comes out he will be given every encouragement by a loyal band of supporters.

If Aldermen Scullard and Stone both come out it is understood that a dark horse will be seen in the field, perhaps two of them. Politics should cut no figure in this contest, but there are evidences that it may. One thing is certain, if the mayoralty is well contested the aldermen's fight will be also, and the elections will be all the more interesting.

TO INVEST THEIR MONEY

The visit of the British bowlers is evidently going to have results even better than were anticipated by Canadians. It was expected that the trip would result in the visitors learning much more of this country, and that doubtless will be the case, but one of the visiting team, Mr. John Pillans, of Carlisle, Scotland, has been so favorably impressed with the country and its opportunities for carrying on business that he had decided to return and locate here. He is engaged in the manufacture of bolts and screws.

Mr. A. J. Smith, of Leicester, Eng., said that one of the bowlers had made investments in Canada, and it was possible that others would also do so as a result of the trip.

—Get a 5 cent box of Lax-ets at our store, please. We think they are great. Just test these toothsome, candy-like Laxative Tablets for constipation, sour stomach, biliousness, bad breath, muddy complexion, etc. Risk 5 cents and see.

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DOUBLY BEREAVED

Morpeth, Aug. 30.—The death of little Edith Helois Taylor, aged one year and nine months, only daughter of Joseph Taylor, took place at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, east of the village, on Saturday. The funeral took place on Monday to Smith's cemetery and was very largely attended. Services held at the house were conducted by Rev. Mr. Sotley. The pall-bearers were Arthur Spencer, Fred Smith (cousin of deceased), and Guy and Ralph Taylor, half-brothers of little Edith. Her mother died just a little over three months ago. Mr. Taylor has the heartfelt sympathy of his numerous friends.

THE CAUSE OF TYPHOID

Winnipeg Authorities Take Steps To Stay Spreading Of Disease

SOME VALUABLE HINTS

The large number of cases of typhoid fever in the city of Winnipeg have caused the civic health department to take steps to stay the spread of the epidemic. The latest move has been to issue to householders a circular urging certain precautions in the preparation of food, and general cleanliness. The circular is appended.

Dear Sir or Madam:—Typhoid fever is caused, in the vast majority of cases, by water, milk, or food becoming poisoned, by the germs of a previous case of this disease.

Water and milk are the two articles most particularly infected with typhoid.

Heat kills the typhoid poison; therefore, if your drinking water is not from a source beyond suspicion boil it for 25 or 30 minutes.

Protect your milk from contamination by dust or flies, or by the use of it, heat to 158 Fahr. or 70 Centigrade. Keep it at this temperature 15 minutes, and then cool rapidly.

Dirty hands may also carry typhoid infection; therefore, wash your hands carefully before preparing food, and before coming in contact with food stuffs of any kind.

Food becomes infected by flies crawling over it, or by dust from the street.

Wash thoroughly all vegetables that are intended to be eaten raw, wash in water of known purity, or water which has been boiled and cooled.

Keep flies out of the house as much as possible by screening all doors and windows and by the use of fly papers.

Cover all food supplies so that flies and dust may not have access to them. If you have a case of typhoid in your house, and the patient cannot be isolated completely from the rest of the family, and have a nurse who does nothing else but attend to his wants, it is most desirable that he be removed at once to the hospital. Under no circumstances should an individual having to do with the patient, come in contact with the general food supply of the house.

Cleanliness is one of the greatest safeguards against typhoid fever.

All dwellings should be connected with the sewer, and outside closets abolished.

The manure pile is one of the greatest breeding grounds for flies, it is therefore important that manure be not allowed to accumulate or lie uncovered.

Cleanliness of the person, and in every detail of housekeeping, cleanliness in everything to be eaten and drunk, cleanliness of back yards, and most rigid cleanliness in the care of those sick with disease, cannot be too strongly emphasized.

OIL NOTES

The Petrolia Torpedo Co. have a rig up on lot 18, con 14, Raleigh. The Chatham Oil & Gas Co. has a rig up on the Purdy farm north of Fletcher, and drilling is about 200 feet down.

The Imperial Oil Company announced a 2-cent reduction in the price of crude oil. The price is now \$1.36 per barrel, plus 52c, for the government bonus.

A rig has been erected on the G. H. Doisen farm in Raleigh.

The Imperial Oil Co. will build a 500-bbl. steel receiving tank at the station at Merrin—material for which is on the way. Also a 4000-bbl. steel tank on the John Finn farm, where their central pumping station will be. Work of laying the 4-in. pipe line will soon commence. The company will also build a house in Merrin, to be occupied by its field manager, Mr. Wilson.

James Peat & Son have secured a contract from a syndicate to drill a deep well in Raleigh township, near the old Gurd gusher. This is the first deep well in that locality, and the result of the effort will be watched with deep interest, as many experienced oil men consider Raleigh will be a second Tilbury field.

READY FOR FALL SEASON

Football Team Will Now Get After Coveted Walker Cup

THEY ELECT OFFICERS

An enthusiastic meeting was held in the Balmoral Parlor last night of the local football players and friends. A large number were in attendance and the keenest interest was displayed by everyone present. The meeting opened shortly after 8.00, with Chas. J. Cumming as chairman. It was decided by motion that a city team be organized at once, to give the boys time to get in shape for the fall series of football. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President—Mr. Frank Laurie.
Hon. President—Mr. Geo. Mayne.
Vice Pres.—Mr. R. A. Harrington.
Hon. Vice Pres.—Mr. Jas. Massey.
Sec.-Treas.—Mr. Percy H. Parrott.
Team Captain—Mr. Arthur N. Martin.
Vice Team Captain—Mr. Harold Newby.

Team Committee—Messrs. Percy H. Parrott, W. R. Cumming, and Alex. Gregory.

General Committee—Messrs. Fred Johns, Lindsay S. Parrott, Dr. Roy McKenzie.

Manager—Chas. J. Cumming.
Membership ticket was placed at the nominal fee of 50c, and can be obtained from any of the officers.

BRASS BAND AT BLENHEIM

One Has Been Formed And Scheme Is Started

AFTER ERIEU BUSINESS

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Blenheim, Aug. 31.—On Tuesday last a meeting was called in the Opera House for the purpose of forming a Citizens' Band. By-laws were drawn up and officers elected. It is expected that a band concert will be given at Eriau before the season closes. Following are the officers:

Hon. President—Mayor Bacon.
President—Gib Fleming.
Vice-Pres.—Jas. Shaver.
Secretary—Frank Ford.
Treasurer—Peter Haggart.
Executive Committee—A. G. Shillington, E. W. Knight, Geo. Carnes.

Instrument Com.—Albert Marksby, D. H. Gray, Bert Holland, W. E. Hagger, E. G. Thompson.
Band Master—D. H. Gray.
Asst. Band Master—W. Henry.
Drum Major—Wallace Rose.

Mrs. Jas. Puce and daughter, Mrs. Whaley Amherst, Ohio, are visiting at Mr. Jas. Greenwood's.

Word has been received from Calgary, Alta., of the marriage of Miss Blanche, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Powell, formerly residents of Blenheim, and Mr. Wm. Embury, of Carleton Place, on Aug. 29, 1906.

Clinara Clark was a Blenheim visitor on Wednesday. He leaves for Winnipeg very soon.

Miss Lydia Pegg returned on Tuesday evening.

Miss Nellie Shillington is visiting relatives in Galt.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds have rented Thos. Holland's house on Catherine St.

Mrs. L. H. Edmonds and Miss Minnie Stewart leave to-morrow for Detroit. They will be the guests of Mr. Wm. Bradt.

Dr. W. H. Vary, Chicago, is visiting with Mrs. S. Tedford's, Victoria St.

LABOR DAY

The only amusement in Chatham on Labor Day is "The Arrival of Kit" Co., which plays at the Brisco Opera House for two performances, matinee and night.

D. R. C. MATCHES.

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—A veritable gale of wind blew in and around the ranges at Rockcliffe yesterday, but in spite of this, however, the feature of the D. R. C. meeting was the number of possibilities scored at the 500 yards in the Governor-General's competition in the morning. These are the first winners:

Patterson Cup and \$30—Sgt. William Kelly, 10th R. G. 66.
The London Merchants' Cup and \$80—British Columbia, 885; \$40, Nova Scotia, 839; \$40, Quebec, 835. Next in order: Ontario 629, Alberta 625, Manitoba 621, and New Brunswick 599.

The Gillespie challenge cup and \$20—48th Highlanders, 1269.
The Caron challenge cup and \$20—were won by the Nova Scotia team.

The Kirkpatrick Cup and \$30—6th, C. O., British Columbia, 720; \$20, 48th Highlanders, 718.

GOOD ROADS ACT

Hon. Dr. Beaulieu, Minister of Public Works, was back at his office in the Parliament Buildings this week, and one of the first things he had to do was to listen to the desires of a deputation from Perth County, who wanted to have the Good Roads Act altered. They wished to allow the towns as well as the townships to participate in the benefits of the Act. Dr. Beaulieu pointed out one or two inherent objections to this course, and the members of the deputation were not so enthusiastic when they went away as they had been on their arrival.

Dr. Beaulieu is looking much improved in health, and although he does not think that he has conquered his rheumatism, he is quite pleased at present by the benefits he has received from the treatment he has been taking.

FELL FROM CLOTHES LINE

A Young Lad Of Tilbury Meets With A Painful Accident

IMPORTANT LAND DEALS

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Tilbury, August 31.—The 12-year-old son of John McPherson broke his arm by falling from a clothes line.

A load of young people visited at the beach last night, where they were entertained at a corn supper.

M. Kelly, of London, late of Tilbury, was in town the other day. He is engineer on the Windsor and Toronto division of the C. P. R.

Mrs. Alice and Amelia Tremblay leave on Monday for Quebec to attend the monastery there.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute, will be held at the home of Mrs. John Richardson, on Thursday, Sept. 8th.

Dr. Frank Wilson and family, of Shelby, Mich., are visiting with the former's brother, A. A. Wilson.

W. F. Crawford has purchased 50 acres of the Jas. Struthers' estate, about one mile south of Valetta, for \$3,700. There is considerable valuable timber on this farm.

To the wife of C. H. Mallory, on the 25th, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Laing are visiting relatives in Detroit.

The tomato crop is expected to be somewhat of a failure.

The M. C. R. expect to occupy their new station to-morrow.

Miss Olive Mather has returned from visiting in Detroit and Amherstburg.

Percy Gahan spent yesterday in Chatham.

Miss Bell Wilson is spending a few days at Riverside Cottage, the guest of Mrs. H. Johnson.

Mrs. Scarff leaves to-morrow for Georgetown.

PASSED AWAY

A former resident of this city passed away in the death of Mrs. Mary Dixon, relict of the late John Dixon, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mac Bedford, of Pontiac, Mich., on Wednesday last. The deceased has been living in Pontiac for the past two years.

Two daughters survive her: Mrs. Bedford, of Pontiac, and Mrs. S. Willison, of Louisville.

The remains were brought to this city for interment, and the funeral took place to the Maple Leaf Cemetery this afternoon.

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\$2.00

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