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### Local News

J. Louis, of Dover, is a city visitor

T. E. Pound, of London, is a city visitor to-day. Ben. Blonde left on a business trip

D. Dick, of Ridgetown, was a city visitor yesterday.

D. M. Bechard left to-day for his

to Tupperville.

home in New York. Miss Neil, of Wallaceburg, is visit-ing friends in the city.

Miss G. B. Rush, of Dresden, was

a city visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ryan are visiting friends in Wallaceburg.

Albert Heddenger has returned from a trip to Wallaceburg. Martin Kinney, wine clerk at the Aberdeen House, is seriously ill.

Mr. Bennett, of Ericau, will spend Sundaywith friends in the city. Walter Huson took charge of his duties yesterday as market care-

Lost, this morning, a bunch of keys. Finder will please leave at this office.

Miss Jennie Haskill, formerly of the Armstrong Salt Works, Court-right, has accepted a position with Cunningham & Co., hardware mer-

Hard and soft wood, listings, and

bailed hay delivered to any part of city. Lowest prices. Col. M. Martin & Co. Henry Deamer, St. Clair street, who has been spending a few days duck shooting at the light house, returned home last evening. Mr. Deamer was successful in securing

A quiet but pretty wedding was celebrated in the Park street Methodist parsonage last Monday, when Miss Clara Aldred Houston was united in marriage to John McDonald.

The ceremony was performed by Rev.
Mr. Rutledge before a few friends
and relatives. The newly married
couple will reside on Centre street.

Robert L. Brackin, Barrister, has amounced himself as a candidate for School Trustee in Ward No. 5, as the electors will observe by his card published in another column of this published in another column of this issue. Mr. Brackin's father was for many years principal of McKeough school, and he himself received all his Fubblic school education at that institution. He has the support of many of the strongest men in North Chatham and should make a good run.

\*\*\*\*\*\* Homestake Extension Mining Company Have Plans for New

Hundre d Stamp Mill. \*\*\*\*

### GOT THE LEASE

This morning Mayor George W. Cowan received from Ottawa the city's lease of Tecumseh Park duly signed, etc. The city will now have control of the Park for 99 years, but the militia will have preference over the centre of the grounds. The Mayor is quite proud of the lease, which was secured through his own efforts.

### NEW INDUSTRY

Chatham will, in all probability, secure another industry this year and Mayor Cowan is now doing all in his power to bring it to Chatham. his power to bring it to Chatham. This new concern is the National Food Producers Company, who, it is understood, are at present looking for a location. They are capitalized at \$200,000 and they have expressed a desire to locate in Chatham if possible arrangements can be made. It is expected that people who are interested in this company will be in the city on Monday to look over the ground.

### NEW SOCIETY FORMED

Dr. R. V. Bray, executive officer for the Kent Children's Aid Society, was a busy man yesterday. He attended the opening of the new shelter in London, was in Windsor and also in Essex.

While in Essex the doctor assisted Mr. Thompson, secretary of the Brantford branch of this Society, in forming a Children's Aid Society, in

Brantford branch of this Society, in forming a Children's Aid Society in that thriving village. Mr. Thompson and Mrs. Harvie, Toronto, Provincial visitor, addressed a mass meeting in Essex last evening. It is assured that a live society will be formed there as the most of the influential men and their wives are heartily in accord with their work.

WILL BE AT GARNER HOUSE CHATHAM, IN THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14TH.

Ladies and Gentlemen, see Prof. Dorenwend's beautiful Wigs, Tou-pees, Bangs, Wavy and Pla'n Fronts, Switches in every length and shade,

His Hair Goods Styles when prop erly adjusted protect and ornament the head, soften and beautify the ex-pression of the face and consequently tone up aged appearance. Prof. Dor-enwent has for this season many new and pretty Designs. He has added a number of New York, Lon-

don and Paris patterns.

Be sure to see them and not fore get day and date.

Rev. Robt. McCosh left yesterday afternoon for Petrolea to attend the funeral of the late Harrison Corey.

The deceased and the rector were great friends, and it was the wish of the former. of the former that the latter should officiate at his funeral. This wish was communicated to Mr. McCosh by the widow yesterday morning. funeral took place to-day.

### NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Chatham Wagon Company, Limited, will be held at the office of the Company, on Wed-nesday, the 13th day of December, 1905, at three o'clock in the after-

By order of the Board. W. S. IRELAND, Sec.-Treas. Chatham, Nov. 30th, 1905.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD

Ladies and Gentlemen: I am a candidate for School Truste in your Ward and will appreciate
your vote and influence.
Sincerely yours,
RICHARD LOWE.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD

Trustee in your War and respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the coming election.
R. L. BRACKIN.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 5

Ladies and Gentlemen: I beg to offer myself as candidate for School Trustee for Ward No. 5 I beg to offer myself as candidate for School Trustee for Ward No. 5 for the year 1906.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, I remain,
Yours respectfully,
W. W. SNIDER.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 2.

Ladies and Gentlemen :-Having been requested by a num ber of ratepayers to allow my name to stand in the coming municipal elections, I have decided to contest this ward for the position of School

trustee for the years 1906-07. I would be very grateful for your votes and influence.
HARRY JACQUES

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# CITY SAILOR WAS WRECKED

John B. Alger Well Kown in This City Lost in a Lake Superior Storm

Was Assistant Engineer on the Str. Ira H. Owen Which Was Foundered -Nineteen Lives Lost

The Detroit papers to-day give full accounts of the vessels wrecked on the Great Lakes during the recent heavy storms. Among the number wrecked on Lake Superior is listed the steel steamer fra H. Owen, which, with a crew of 19 men, was engulfed in the great storm. John, B. Alger, of this city, was the as-sistant engineer on this steamer, and his name appears in the list of the

his name appears in the list of the wrecked crew.

The news of Mr. Alger's untimely death was received with much regret by residents of this city, and his wife, who lives on Selkirk street, is prostrated with grief.

Mrs. Alger received a letter from her bashed written last

Mrs. Alger received a letter from her husband, which was written last Sunday. In it he said they were about through loading barley for. Fuffalo and that the storm signals were up. He did not know whether would pull out or not. The Owen was a big steel boat and was considered one of the staunchest vessels on

the lakes.

Mr. Alger was 27 years of age and Mr. Alger was 27 years of age and is survived by a widow and two small children, the eldest of whom is but three months, old. Mrs. Alger was, before her marring, a Miss Myers, of this city, and is a sister of Mrs. McArthur, also of this city. Mrs. Frank Burtch, of Wallaceburg, is a sister of the drowned sailor.

Mr. Alger has not been home since last June. He started the season as engineer on the City of Buffalo, plying between Euffalo and Cleveland. He was on the last trip of the season for the Owen and expected to be home for Christmas, when he would have seen his baby for the first time.

first time.
It seems a queer circumstance that when Mr. Alger left the City of Buffalo he considered an offer from the owners of the Kaliyuga, which was afterwards wrecked and a Tilbury man drowned. He escaped by accepting an offer from the owners of the Owen only to meet a similar fate.

The Owen was valued at \$90,000. and was loaded with 116,000 bushels of barley.

John Alger was a son of the late

## Rev. Mr. Alger, who dropped dead one Sunday night after preaching in the William St. Eaptist Church. OLD PLANET BOY

We are in receipt of the Prince Al bert, Sask., Times, now published by Laurie & Young. Mr. Young, long connected with The Chatham Planet, is one of the brightest young journalists in Canada and we look to see the Times become a power in the new province.—Ridgetown Dominical new ion.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CA TARRH TEAT CONTAIN MERCURY.

As mercury will destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you Apply to E. E. Parrott & Son, Real get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free

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### **AUCTION SALE**

Will be sold by Public Auction, on the 16th day of December, 1905, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noof, at MARRIAGE LICENSE

Ladies and Gent's Gold Headed Umbrelias from \$3.00 esch to \$15.00 each.

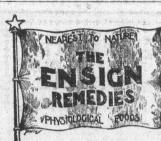
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The loth day of December, 1995, at the bour of twelve o'clock, noon, at the Garner House, in the City of Chatham, Lot No. Fifteen, Bast side of Baxter Street, and heing a subdivision of Park Lot Five, on Park Street, on the East side of the Gravet Road, according to survey and plan registered, made by A. McDonnell, P. L. S.

The above lot is situate in a very desirable location, and has upon it a somfortable frame house. The preperty will be sold subject to a reserved bid.

For further particulars inquire of James W. Degge, William A. Chrysler and John Taylor, Executors under the last will and testament of Alexander Murphy, deceased, and of Houston & Stone, Vendors' Solicitors.

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48th Half-Yearly Dividend. Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of six per cent per annum upon the pcid up capital stock of this Company has been declared this day for the urrent half year ending Dec. gist., 1905. Payable at the Company's office on and after Jan. 2nd, 1906 The Transfer Books will be closed from 20th, to 31st. of Dec. inclusive. By order of the Board S. F GARDINER.

hatham, November 18th, 1905

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Tweed Coats at \$8 50. Ladies three quarter length Jackets in light rey tweed effects, semi fitting, pleated rom yoke, collar and cuffs prettily

rimmed with braid.

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