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THE LOCAL BUDGET

J. B. Rankin, K. C. was in Bothwell to-day on business.

Thomas Maris, of Coatsworth, was a guest in the city yesterday.

Twenty men wanted, apply to L. E. Tillson, L. E. & D. R. R. 214

T. C. Macnabb was able to be out to-day after a severe illness.

Arch. Jas. W. Carwell is remodeling his residence, Park street.

The lacrosse club will meet to-night at 6.45 on Tecumseh Park for practice.

Miss Drummond, of Wallaceburg, has entered St. Joseph's Hospital for treatment.

Harry Stevens new residence, Victoria avenue, will be ready for slating to-morrow.

Arch. Carwell is getting out plans for additions to James Glenn's residence, Queen street.

Headmaster Harry Morris, of the Lake Erie company, was in the city yesterday on business.

Have pasture for 55 head of cattle, plenty of water and attendance, on reasonable terms. Apply to W. E. Merritt, Chatham.

Arch. Carwell will ask for tenders to-morrow for Dr. Hall's new office, G. A. Sayer's residence, and Stanley Ball's residence, Victoria avenue.

Miss Ethel Pitt, of Blenheim, who has been visiting Mrs. W. Frank Smith, left for Kent Bridge yesterday, where she will be the guest of Miss Hannah Hardy.

Edward Matvey, of the 5th concession, Dover, is to-day selling out his farm stock and implements. McCole and Harrington, auctioneers, are conducting the sale.

The dynamo secured from Bridge-down was installed at the civic electric light station yesterday, and was used last evening in place of the Reliance dynamo, which is being repaired.

Both parties in the case of Sloan vs. Hornby were examined to-day before the County Court Clerk. Sloan vs. Hornby is an action under an agreement, and is a family dispute. Geo. Sayer for plaintiff, R. L. Gosnell, contra.

John Turner and G. L. Lewis left this morning for Leamington, where they will be present at the ceremonies attending the opening of the new Oddfellows Hall in that place. Degree teams from Wheatley, Ruthven, Windsor and Detroit will put on the work of the Order this afternoon and a banquet and concert will be given in the evening.

G. Kerr, the new president of the Liberal Association, says that he hopes for a hard fought but clean election. Both candidates, John S. Fraser and T. L. Pardo, were sincere men and he looked for a great line-up on both sides of politics. The president recognized that previous elections hadn't been as clean as they might have been, but he hoped in this election there would be no mud slinging.

In the County Court to-day Judge Houston fined Mrs. Nina Fisher guilty of pointing a shot gun at Ethel Seiberland and fined the woman. The fine and costs amounted to \$12.48. The parties live in Chatham Township. The school children passed the residence of Mrs. Fisher and were teasing her. To scare them, she pointed a shot gun at the children. O. L. Lewis appeared for the defense.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed, bulk and separate tenders will be received up to 7 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, 10th day of May, addressed to G. H. Dawson, Port Alma, for the erection of a brick veneer church, with concrete basement, to be erected on lot 186, Talbot Road, Romney. Plans and specifications may be seen at the residence of undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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NASTY RUNAWAY

A very exciting runaway occurred yesterday afternoon. Fred Trudell, of the 2 T's, was driving down Fourth St. towards Queen, when his horse took fright and ran away. Turning down Wellington St. past the St. Joseph's Church the rig slewed around, striking against the stepping stone. Mr. Trudell jumped out and in doing so narrowly escaped having the buggy on top of him, as it was turned completely over. Fred very pluckily grabbed the horse's head before the animal could get away again. The cords in one of the horse's hind legs were cut, and it is likely it will have to be shot.

WILL MEET MAY 10

The provisional directors of the Chatham Binder Twine Company will, in all probability, hold their general meeting for the purpose of electing permanent directors on the 10th of May. This date has been decided upon by a committee composed of the president, Mr. Wilson, secretary Smith, and Messrs. Howard and Bullis, who were appointed to look into the matter at a meeting last Monday evening. A meeting of the directors will be held on Saturday, at the call of the secretary, when the report of the committee re the date will no doubt be accepted and confirmed.

CAPSIZED THE CRAFT

An accident occurred this morning to the steam launch of Harry Stevenson. The boat was being fitted out with a boiler and engine at J. & U. Oldershaw's dock, near the Third St. bridge.

About 11 o'clock this morning McKough & Trotter's men were lowering the boiler into the launch when the endless chain broke and the boiler dropped onto the blocks in the boat upsetting and sinking it. When interviewed this afternoon, Mr. Stevenson said he could not tell the damage until the boat had been raised and examined but thought it would be slight. The jacket around the boiler was dented.

The men are now engaged in raising the boat and boiler.

ADMIRER CHATHAM

Dr. Geo. Grover, of Cary, District Deputy High Chief Ranger of the Independent Order of Foresters, has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. Marx, in this city. He took the excursion train on Tuesday evening for Los Angeles and will visit San Francisco, Victoria, B. C. before returning to his home at Cary.

This is the first time Dr. Grover has been in Chatham and he was greatly surprised to find that we had such an excellent city. He expressed his opinion that our Maple City far exceeds any other city of the same size that he has seen in Eastern Ontario. He was fairly enchanted and said that if he were contemplating a change of residence he would certainly choose Chatham.

He was greatly taken with the residential part of the city and thought that in this respect Chatham compares very favorably with Kingston, except, of course, in size. The business part of the city has also come in for its share of commendation from the doctor. He was surprised to see so many nice trees throughout the city, which add very much to its beauty and its desirability as a residential spot.

Dr. Grover expressed his intention to pay another visit to Chatham during the summer time when he will spend an extended visit.

FARM FOR SALE

70 acres, Chatham Township, 50 acres cleared, partly tile drained, good house, barn 54 x 34 x 20 posts, two good wells, price \$2,500, 100 acres in Raleigh, house, barn, good wells, orchard, near school, church, post office, etc., price \$3,500, 200 acres, in Romney, near railway station, price \$4,000.

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*2.35 a. m. L. Express... 1.11 p. m.
*2.32 p. m. L. Express... 1.05 a. m.
Daily.

CAPTAINS OF "C"

No. 3 Company, 24th Regiment,
pay Tribute to Their Commanding Officers.

The first annual banquet of C Company was held last evening, upon adjournment from drill, in the parlors of Richards' cafe, which were suitably adorned by bunting and appropriate patriotic coloring. The banquet was tendered by the retiring and present officers of the Company.

The occasion possessed especial interest in that it signified the retirement of Capt. Wm. Mowbray from the active command of the Company to accept the adjutancy of the Regiment and the assumption of the duties by Capt. Fred Stone, his successor. Both officers are exceedingly popular with the Company, as was evidenced by the proceedings.

Capt. Mowbray presided and there were also present Lieut.-Col. Rankin, commanding officer of the Regiment, Major G. P. Schofield, Capt. Fred Stone, ex-Lieut. F. D. Laurie and W. S. Ball, Lieut. J. S. Turner and W. A. Coltart, J. F. McKay, of Woodstock, and the members of the Company.

After an excellent repast, an admirable impromptu toast list was responded to by the assembled soldiers. After the singing of "God Save the King," the toast to the Commanding Officer and Staff was responded to by Colonel Rankin and Major Schofield. The toast to Our Old Captain, Our New Captain and Lieutenants brought forth short and spirited addresses from Captains Mowbray and Stone, and Lieuts. Turner and Coltart.

Capt. Mowbray thanked C Company for the loyalty shown him during his command of the finest company in the Regiment, and expressed pleasure that he was able to leave the Company to such an excellent officer as Captain Fred Stone. He predicted for the Command even greater success in the future than in the past.

Capt. Stone thanked Capt. Mowbray for his kind words of praise, and said that he felt honored at being placed in command of such an excellent company. He felt that he was in a very difficult position as successor to Capt. Mowbray, as the last named had set him such a high standard to maintain and was recognized as the best officer in the Regiment. However, Capt. Stone promised to do everything possible to advance the interests of the Company and hoped to merit the confidence placed in him by the Commanding Officer.

Color Sergeant Fraser, Sergeants Lamour, Bennett and Guttridge looked after the toast to the Non-Coms.

The Old Boys' Toast was responded to by Messrs. F. D. Laurie, W. Stanley Ball, J. F. McKay and Harry W. Anderson.

Music was interspersed throughout the evening by the C Company Guitar and Mandolin Club, and the Glee Club of the same Company provided some good choruses.

Private Henry Richards and Corporal Briggs, with their bright repartees and remarks, wise and otherwise, kept their end of the table in smiles. In fact, the whole Company was noticed to smile occasionally, and for a time forgot the tangles which No. 4 section had been getting into during the earlier part of the evening.

TELEGRAPH

The Queen has returned to London from Copenhagen.

Detroit capitalists have bought the Peterboro' street railway.

Earl Russell has introduced a divorce bill in the House of Lords.

Miss Sarah Ferguson, of Wallesey Township, committed suicide by hanging.

The hot wave still prevails in Philadelphia, where the thermometer registered 85 degrees.

Dr. J. M. Jory, St. Catharines, and Dr. J. M. Anderson, Toronto, have been appointed medical officers to the fourth contingent.

One hundred miles of iron fencing material to reinforce the barbed wire fences has been shipped to South Africa by the War Office.

The thirty-inch main in the Hamilton waterworks burst near the pumping house at the beach, and for a while the city was without water.

The steamer Deutschland, after losing her rudder, averaged eighteen knots an hour, steering with her twin screws. She reached Plymouth and proceeded without repairs.

The President of the Atlantic Transport Company announces that shareholders will receive three preferred and one common stock share in the new shipping combine for each share in that company.

Elaborate specifications of alleged British brutalities in South Africa, based on the alleged despatches from Gen. Delarey and others, will be issued in pamphlet form to-day by the Boer committee at Munich.

John Hays Hammond, an American engineer, advises Englishmen not to pay too much attention to the "extravagant expressions of friendship of a certain well-meaning but discredited class, called in America Anglo-manics."

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We received to-day another lot of these celebrated biscuits, among them are the Animal Biscuit for the children.

Try Lemon Sandwich Biscuit, very fine.

Coconut Nut Bar, Fig Bar, Marshmallow, all the best.

Flourine, a plain, unsweetened biscuit that is nice with a cup of our good tea.

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MILL BURNED

The large saw mill at Wheatley, owned by R. W. Simpson, was completely destroyed by fire last Tuesday night.

The origin of the fire is a complete mystery, and the mill is a complete wreck. The fire had gained great headway before it was noticed and all efforts made to extinguish the flames were in vain. A high wind was blowing at the time and the fire made quick work of the building.

The loss is partly covered by insurance. The mill will be rebuilt at once and Park Bros have received the contract for a new set of machinery.

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Underwear And Hosiery

There hasn't been much incentive so far towards laying in your summer supplies of Hosiery and Underwear. But you prudent women don't wait for the first really hot days to overtake them unprepared. They buy now, while choosing is broadest and stocks largest. But put shopping off if you prefer, we'll always be ready to meet you on kind, quality and price, than you'll find anywhere else. Hints for this week's buyers.

Women's Stockings

At 12 1-2c a pair, of fast black, in sizes 8 1-2, 9, and 9 1-2.

At 20c a pair, special quality, fast black, sizes 8 1-2, 9 and 9 1-2.

At 25c a pair, of fast black, with cashmere soles, sizes 8 1-2, 9, and 9 1-2.

Women's Underwear

At 10c each unbleached vests, short sleeves, nicely trimmed.

At 12 1-2c each, white vests, short sleeves.

At 15c each, white vests, long or short sleeves.

At 25c each, white vests, no sleeves and long sleeves.

Special quality, at 35c, 40c and 50c.

Children's Stockings

In sizes from 4 to 9 1-2, fast black, prices from 5c to 25c.

Women's Tailor-made Suits

Smartly Tailored Suits, in styles that compel instant admiration. Yet in addition to their newness and excellence the prices are also unusually low. These prices, attractive at any time prove doubly so at a time when the demand is greatest.

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At \$5.98—Suits 32 and 34—Brown tweed effects, tight fitting, silk lined jacket, with velvet collar; flare skirt, lined throughout and bound with velvet.

At \$8.98—Suits of blue cheviot, Norfolk jacket, lined with silk; full flare skirt, lined with percaline; seams finished with stitching. Regular value \$12.00.

At \$7.50—Suits 32 and 34—Oxford grey Eton suit, jacket lined with mercerized satene skirt, unlined, finished with stitching.

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Grenadines

Silk and wool and all silk qualities, a very pretty line is of black silk at per yard

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Other lines at per yard 90c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$3.00.

Bairatz Cloth

Pure wool, 44 inches wide, black and colored, a beauty for fancy dresses, at per yard

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