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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Major Coogan is still confined to the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Naylor and family left to-day for Winnipeg.

Northway will sell hundreds of yards of mill ends of table linens and towellings to-morrow at almost half price.

John N. Gibb, of Wallaceburg, who has been spending a couple of days with J. B. Leak, left this morning for Leamington.

School house No. 1, Harwich Township, in which Miss Tent Houston teaches the young, was broken into between Friday night and Monday morning. Quite a few things were carried off.

Miss Evelyn Barassin, Chatham's talented elocutionist, was in Botany last evening and took part in the entertainment which was given in the First Methodist church there. Miss Barassin is popular wherever she goes and last evening was no exception.

SAD DEMISE

A very sad death occurred in St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday when Mrs. Margaret Pringle, who has been ill for the past six months, passed peacefully away in the 54th year of her age. Deceased has been confined in the hospital for the past nine weeks with stomach trouble and it was not thought that she would completely recover.

Deceased was a widow, her husband having died about fifteen years ago. Her father, it will be remembered, died a short time ago. The family, who are greatly respected and esteemed in this city, have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad affliction. One son, Will Pringle, Chatham's popular fruit dealer, survives. She is also mourned by one brother and two sisters. They are Wm. Smith, of Denver, Col.; Miss Maria Smith and Mrs. Jacob Colby, of this city.

The funeral will take place to-morrow from her late residence, Park street, to the Maple Leaf cemetery. Rev. G. H. Cobblewick will conduct the obsequies.

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THE ST. LOUIS FAIR

Dr. J. P. Rutherford, who, with Mrs. Rutherford, has just returned from a trip to St. Louis, said in an interesting conversation with a Planet reporter this morning:

"We had a very interesting time at the Fair. We were there for three days and during that time we saw a lot of it. While we were at the Fair we saw only three Canadians that we knew. They were Dr. Roul Stevens, of Detroit; Mr. Shanks and Miss Shanks, of Romney.

"The attendance is the only disappointing feature of the exposition. It is not up to the attendance at the Chicago Fair and not as good as was expected. There were only 400,000 there on St. Louis Day, while there were 800,000 present at Chicago on Chicago Day. It is thought, however, that the attendance will be better as the fall season approaches, when the farmers will not be so busy.

"The Cascades are a great feature of the Fair. At half past five o'clock every night the water pipes and fountains are turned on and all of the falls and fountains and the effect is a most beautiful one.

"We saw the great Boer war attraction. It is wonderful, especially the battle of Paardeburg. General Cronje was there and we saw him surrender. They had real ox-carts with yokes of oxen attached to them. Lots are turned away from this sight every day."

On the way back Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford stayed nine days in Chicago, where the doctor visited such surgeons as Murphy, Ochsner, Isanderath and others. He says they are as good as any he has ever seen.

NOTICE

The Board of Directors of the Chatham Gas Company, Limited, have decided to offer for public subscription at par \$25,000.00 of the treasury stock of the company, in shares of \$20.00 each, for the purpose of extending and improving the Gas and Electric lighting plants.

Full particulars in reference to this stock may be obtained at the office of the company.

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MR. BORDEN AT ORILLIA.

With Several Other Prominent Conservatives Is Given Hearty Welcome and Warm Reception.

Orillia, Sept. 27.—Mr. R. L. Borden was last night greeted by 1,200 people in the Opera House and given a hearty welcome. Mr. Borden was met at the station by a committee of the Liberal-Conservative Association and quietly escorted to the Orillia Hotel, where he dined with leading East Simcoe Conservatives. The visit of the distinguished guest was emphasized by a display of banners on the principal streets, bearing suitable mottoes.

The Opera House was crowded to the doors long before the arrival of the speakers of the evening. On the platform with Mr. Borden were a large number of prominent local and visiting Conservatives, prominent among whom were W. H. Bennett, M.P.; Col. Sam. Hughes, M.P.; J. P. Downey, M.P.P.; E. A. Little, M.P.P.; J. S. Duff, Col. Gregory, Haughton Lennox, M.P.; Mayor McCosh, president Liberal-Conservative Association; Dr. J. W. Slaven and Dr. Raikes of Barrie. The chair was taken by Mayor McCosh, who introduced the speakers of the evening.

Mr. Borden was preceded by Mr. Bennett, who spoke at some length on the day, closing his address with an expression of his firm conviction that he had nothing to fear in the result of the coming election.

Mr. Borden was greeted with loud applause as he rose to address the audience. The Conservative leader was presented with an address by G. H. Clarke, secretary of the Liberal-Conservative Association on behalf of the Conservatives in East Simcoe. At the conclusion of this ceremony, Mr. Borden with a bouquet, which the distinguished speaker suitably acknowledged.

Mr. Borden was in fine form and spoke with the vigor of one hardened to a political campaign. His arguments were frequently applauded. He dwelt on the Grand Trunk Pacific contract with the Dominion Government. Mr. Borden closed a spirited address in the midst of loud and long continued cheering from all parts of the hall.

J. P. Downey, M.P.P., for South Wellington, followed Mr. Borden in a short address. The meeting closed with hearty cheers for the King, Mr. Borden, Mr. Bennett and Mayor McCosh.

Clarke and Casgrain.

Halifax, N.S., Sept. 27.—The opening meeting of the series to be addressed by T. Chase Casgrain, M.P. of Montreal, and E. F. Clarke, M.P. of Toronto, took place in Amherst last night, and was a success, 2,000 electors being present. Messrs. Casgrain and Clarke made good impressions.

Cass to Sorel.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—The Premier leaves here to-day to attend a political meeting at Sorel in behalf of the Liberal candidate for Richelieu, Mr. Bruneau.

Cass Back to Duty.

Woodstock, Sept. 27.—Hon. James Sutherland left Woodstock yesterday for Ottawa to resume his duties as Minister of Public Works. At a meeting of the executive of the North-Oxford Reform Association, on Saturday afternoon, he stated that he again would accept the nomination in North Oxford, and a convention here called for Oct. 8 to nominate him. He is much improved in health.

BASEBALL ON MONDAY.

The Eastern League.
Toronto 0001200001-4
Providence 0010100010-2
Three-base hit—Thomas. Two-base hit—Raub. Sacrifice hits—White, Jackson, Bascor on balls—Off Applegate 3 (Conn 2, Jackson); off Jackson 5 (Wiedensaul, Murray, Parker 2, Carr). Hit by pitcher—By Applegate 1 (Aubrey). Stolen bases—Aubrey, Wiedensaul 2. Struck out—By Applegate 4 (Harris 2, Milligan 2, Toft, Jackson 2); by Jackson 4 (Wiedensaul, Francis, Fuller, Carr). Double plays—Parker to Francis to Raub, Francis to Parker to Raub. Time—2:05. Umpires—Bodderham and Conahan.

Jersey City Beat Buffalo.
At Buffalo—R.H.E.
Buffalo 000200000-2 6 1
Jersey City 010000020-3 10 1
Batteries—Yerkes and McAllister; Eason and Vandergrift. Umpire—Sullivan. Attendance—2001.

National League Scores.
First game—R.H.E.
Pittsburg 100001010-3 9 2
New York 00020120X-5 8 2
Batteries—Heever and Phelps; Taylor and Howland.

Second game—R.H.E.
Pittsburg 0000000-0 0 4
New York 001000X-1 2 2
Batteries—Phelps and Phelps; McGinnity and Warner. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance—3000.

At Brooklyn, first game—R.H.E.
Chicago 000001003-9 9 9
Brooklyn 000000000-0 4 1
Batteries—Wimer and Kling; Reising and Bergen.

Second game—R.H.E.
Chicago 100000-1 5 0
Brooklyn 0000000-0 2 1
Batteries—Briggs and O'Neill; Jones and Ritter. Umpires—Eustice and Carpenter. Attendance—1500. Called on account of darkness.

At Boston—R.H.E.
Boston 00002100-3 6 1
Cincinnati 010000-1 3 1
Batteries—Willis and Moran; Walker and Street. Umpire—Zimmer. Attendance—1100. Called on account of darkness.

American League Results.
First game—R.H.E.
Cleveland 10000003X-4 8 9
New York 001101000-3 9 0
Batteries—Joss and Bemis; Chesbro and McGuire.

Second game—R.H.E.
Cleveland 00001041X-6 10 1
New York 00000200-0 2 8 1
Batteries—Donahue and Buelow; Powell and McGuire. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—107.

First game—R.H.E.
Detroit 000000000-0 7 7
Boston 000000020-2 3 2
Batteries—Gann, Stovall, Jaeger and Drift; Dineen and Ciger.

Second game—R.H.E.
Detroit 200000010-3 7 2
Boston 020100100-10 2 1
Batteries—Kitson, Jaeger and Drift; Winter, Young and Doran. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

At St. Louis—R.H.E.
St. Louis 000200000-2 9 0
Washington 000020000-2 9 0
Batteries—Moran and Suggen; Patten and Kittredge. Umpire—King and Dwyer. Called on account of darkness. Attendance—784.

At Chicago—R.H.E.
Chicago 000100000-1 11 1
Philadelphia 000000200-2 7 0
Batteries—Patten and Sullivan; Plank and Noonan. Umpire—Connolly.

THE BIG FAIR NOW UNDER WAY

Formal Opening will Take Place To-morrow—Exhibitors Preparing

Many Splendid Features and Large Number of Exhibits—The Big Military Tattoo

The Great Peninsular Fair opened to-day and the prospects for an excellent show are splendid. Even the weather man was kind and condescended to provide the best. To-day the hundreds of exhibitors were busy getting their exhibits in shape for the real opening which takes place to-morrow when the Hon. Sidney Fisher will officiate.

A great deal of interest has been taken in the Fair this year by the Maple City merchants and they have the manufacturers' building splendidly filled with many exhibits.

The farmers, too, have good exhibits of stock and the display will surprise all lovers of good horses, cattle, sheep and pigs. The trials of speed will be the big feature to-morrow afternoon. Some fast horses have been entered so that sport is assured.

Don't miss the military tattoo to-morrow night.



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New Worsted Granite Suits.	New Mohair Suits.
New Cream Fabrics.	New French Novelities.
New Black Poplins.	New Austrian Broadcloths.
New Fancy Waistings.	New, beautiful Black and Colored Amazons.

Embroidered Linens

We have just received a consignment of fancy Embroidered Linens direct from the makers in Belfast, Ireland. The lot consists of Lunch Cloths, Centre Pieces, Tray Cloths and Doylies. Guaranteed hand worked.

Everyone interested in fine Linens should see this assortment—Prices moderate, quality and workmanship of the best—Note—

Teneriffe Doylies

Hand drawn, open work centre, with Rueda lace wheels, 6 inch size, 15c and 12 1-2c each.
Teneriffe hand drawn doilies, plain linen centre, Rueda lace wheels, 6 inch size, pure linen, 18c each.
12 inch size, same as above, 50c each.

Tray Cloths

Open work and embroidered corners and centres, strictly hand work, 18 x 27 inches, at 40c, 45c, 75c, \$1.15 and \$1.25 each.

Fancy Doylies

Made of fine lawn with net centres, scolloped and embroidered edges—
9 x 9 inches, 12 1-2c.
12 x 12 inches, 20c.
16 x 16 inches, 35c.
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Lunch Cloths \$2.75 Each
44 x 44 inches square, hemstitched lunch cloths, fine pure linen, open work and embroidered corners, guaranteed hand work.

Lunch Cloths \$3.50 Each
Special 44 x 44 inches square lunch cloths, wide hem, fancy open work corners and English embroidered, superior quality linen, strictly hand work.
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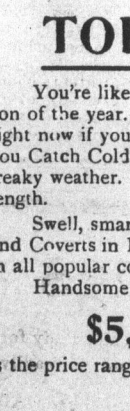
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