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Westman Bros.  
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Our Lawn Mower prices run from

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### CHOOSE DEATH TO SURRENDER

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Wan San, the crew were sent ashore because there was no accommodations for them on the torpedo boats.

The crew of the Japanese steamer *Mikamura-Maru*, as well as the Japanese of the *Kinshu-Maru* who surrendered, have been taken to the Russian cruisers.

The admiralty here professes ignorance as to the future plans of Admiral

Yezzen, but it is believed he is in communication with Vladivostok by wireless telegraphy, and is not likely to be surprised by the Japanese squadron sent to prevent his return.

**CAIR MAY RELIEVE YESZEN**

St. Petersburg, April 28.—The operations of the Vladivostok squadron have revived the spirits of the people of St. Petersburg, who have been depressed since the destruction of the *Petrovsk* and the consequent confinement of the remainder of the Port Arthur fleet to the harbor. The fact that the navy is doing something of an offensive character appeals to the popular mind, which has been seen to appreciate the reason for the inactivity of the fine ships of the Vladivostok squadron.

It is generally recognized that Rear-Admiral Yezzen cannot do more than frighten the Japanese and compel them to exercise greater care in their military movements, as the sinking of a few transports or even cruisers can have no permanent effect on the result of the war. Moreover, he is bound by his instructions not to risk his ships unduly, the intention being to keep them safe for an attack with the Baltic fleet when it arrives in the Pacific.

The possibility of a Japanese attempt to mine the entrances to Vladivostok, as was done at Port Arthur, is considered, but the conditions are different, and, besides, Rear-Admiral Yezzen, with the lesson of the *Petrovsk* disaster fresh in his mind, will observe the utmost caution.

**MAY RELIEVE YESZEN**

St. Petersburg is loaded with rumors regarding the sinking of the Japanese military transport, the *Kin Shin Maru*. One report has it that 3,000 men were aboard the transport when she went down, but the admiralty insists that there were only 200. It is said that the Emperor is highly indignant over the affair, and that he will relieve Yezzen and order him to be court-martialed. This report lacks confirmation in responsible naval circles, where it is reiterated that no other course could be pursued, and that the admiral only fired when the Japanese categorically refused to surrender and adopted a hostile attitude.

**MAKE A DISTINCTION**

The officials say that there is no similarity between the sinking of the *Kin Shin Maru* and the destruction of the *Kowshing*, which was sunk by the Japanese before the declaration of war with China, as Russia is at war with Japan. That Admiral Yezzen gave the men every opportunity to leave the ship is proved by the fact that all the officers, some of the soldiers, the crew and the coolies were transferred on board a Russian cruiser.

Seek to mingle gentleness in all your rebukes, bear with the infirmities of others, make allowances for constitutional frailties; never say harsh things if kind things will do as well.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc

## WORLD OF SPORT

### BOWLING

A fine cut of N. H. Stevens, of this city, appears in to-day's London Free Press. Under the cut is the following: Mr. Stevens is one of the most popular of the members of the Chatham Lawn Bowling Club. He is to be representative of Chatham on the forthcoming trip to the old country by the Canadian Bowlers.

### FOOTBALL

#### GOING TO GET IN THE GAME.

The officers and committee of the Windsor football club will hold a meeting this evening for the purpose of reconstructing the team. They have a couple of promising players on hand and are desirous of strengthening the team for the coming games. Windsor team are determined that in spite of their reverse this year, Sandwich shall not hold the western division cup for another term.—Windsor Record.

### LAOROSSE

#### ST. THOMAS PRACTISES.

St. Thomas lacrosse boys had their first practice last night on the New Athletic grounds. Everything looks bright for an A1 team this year. The boys are entering into the game with heart and soul and intend to give St. Thomas credit of having one of the fastest teams in the country.

Lacrosse is becoming more popular every year. To prove this you have only to make a comparison with last year's C. L. A. districts. There were only eight junior districts as against twelve this year. The intermediate series is smaller than last year owing to so many towns playing senior series. St. Thomas is classed with Chatham, Blenheim, Wallaceburg and Thamesville in the intermediate series, and also have a team classed with Chatham and Rodney in the junior C. L. A. series.—St. Thomas Journal.

### BASEBALL

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

##### At St. Louis—

R.H.E.  
St. Louis ..... 6 13 2  
Cincinnati ..... 2 4 3  
Batteries—Taylor and Byers; Walker and Schiel. Umpire, O'Day.  
Rain at Brooklyn and New York; wet grounds at Pittsburgh.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

##### At Detroit—

R.H.E.  
Detroit ..... 8 10 1  
Chicago ..... 2 3 3  
Batteries—Killian and Woods; Patterson, White and Berry and Sullivan; Umpire, O'Loughlin.  
Rain at Cleveland, Philadelphia and Washington.

#### EASTERN LEAGUE.

Rain at Newark, Jersey City, Baltimore and Providence.

#### Two Views of Sport.

Sport comes in as a sort of safety valve, as plenty of riding and walking minimizes the effect of too luxurious living, always supposing that the latter has not already had the effect of begetting a disinclination for anything approaching strong exercise, a fate not at all unlikely to overtake those who are too capon lined.—London Field.

We are growing accustomed to being called a nation of shopkeepers, and we seem to be going the right way toward earning the still less enviable title of a nation of game players. Let us remember while there is yet time that an empire almost as great tottered to its fall when the citizens of the mother city grew too serious over their amusements.—Blackwood's Magazine.

#### A Magpie's Conscience.

Why does the magpie construct a dome of twigs over its nest? Most readers will say as a shelter, but it does not in the least answer to such a description. The twigs are only a network through which rain may pour and cold winds penetrate. May it not be the case that the magpie is conscious of its own sins, and a guilty mind, apprehensive of reprisals, causes the bird to build this over its nest? The magpie is an egg stealer and makes use of knowledge, gained while carrying out its depredations on the contents of other nests, to protect those of its own.—Country Gentlemen.

#### PUNISHED FOR INJUSTICE

Rosalio Artega, an officer of the mounted police of Mexico City, Mex., was imprisoned yesterday, under a charge of abuse of authority. A few days ago the officer sent to Belem to the first correctional court, a man named Gaspar Jimenez, charging him with assault on an officer. Jimenez was incarcerated, and after several days he was able to prove that he had never attacked the police, but that Artega had sent him to jail because he (Jimenez) was in company with a woman whom the officer was courting, and who paid no attention to his advances, because she is in love with Jimenez. The officer, after serving a term in Belem, will more than likely be discharged from his post.—Mexican Herald.

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## SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE

Has anybody heard anybody else say anything about an electric railroad for Chatham?

The Chatham Old Boys' will be rather stuck on this town and will want to stay home.

The politician who tries to import a burning question into Toronto for a while now will get into trouble.

Those intelligent gentlemen who composed that Stratford delegation certainly knew a good live hustling town when they saw it.

It is reported that the maple sap is running well. This must be the reason why so little of it seems to get caught.—Montreal Star.

Ald. John Edmondson.—The Great Home Journal can do most anything, so I think it is about up to them to write Hicks and have him make some good weather for May.

It was a pupil of the O. C. I. geography class who gave this definition of what Fundy was—"Fundy is a bay in Quebec. Its principal feat is high tides, about 40 feet."

The only people to make money out of this wet weather are the citizens who live on streets that are sprinkled. They don't have to pay good money to the man who drives the water wagon.

No, Dear Alright. Yes, I scarcely think that the real motive of the visit of N. H. Stevens and John A. Walker, K. C., to Europe is to examine electric railways for the purpose of purchasing and importing one to this county.

County Clerk Jonas Gosnell.—No, I don't carry this big umbrella as a just for exercise, nor do I carry it for use in arguments in bowling because bowlers never quarrel. You see the street car is coming along and I want to be ready for any excitement that is doing.

Chief Holmes.—The best receipt for curing dumbness is to send the victim to St. Thomas to be arrested. This is found to work a very effective cure.

It is surmised that when the deaf man reached St. Thomas, things were so quiet he thought that he was in the city of the dead and he began to talk to himself to find out if he was alive.

#### WHO WAS RIGHT?

"There is only one more wicket to fall," said a boy watching a cricket match, as the ninth man was going in. "No," said another boy; "there are two."

"You are both wrong," said a third; "there are three."

Who was right?—Montreal Star.

#### SOCIAL CATECHISM.

Can people play the social game without money?

Not often. There are a few people who do that, but they can always find a much better snap.

What is meant, in society, by paying your debts?

It is filling up your house with people that you don't want to entertain and who bore you to extinction.

Why is this sort of thing done?

It is done so that you will be invited back and be bored some more.

—Kansas City Times.

#### A PROPHECY.

The Portland Oregonian says: In a few years we shall read epitaphs like this:

Here Lies  
JOHN PITTSBURG SKIBO SMITH,  
Who Was Born on a  
CARNegie TOWN,  
Educated in a  
CARNegie INSTITUTE,  
Studied in a  
CARNegie LIBRARY,  
At the Age of 30 He Became a  
CARNegie HERO,  
And Has Now Gone to Be With  
CARNegie.

## DISTRICT DOINGS.

### WALLACEBURG

April 29.—To Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carleton, on Thursday, a son.

Miss Ethel Michie has accepted a position on the public school staff, Miss Seeds having decided to accept a position at Windsor.

Mr. B. M. French and family left last evening for British Columbia, where they will make their home.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Leigh, on Wednesday, a son.

Mr. Chas. Hubbs, Jr., and family left yesterday for the West, where they will reside.

The Presbyterian Young People intend holding a linen sale on Saturday in the store formerly occupied by A. McKibbin.

Mr. John Morbett, formerly a Wallaceburg citizen, is spending a few days in town.

### TILBURY

T. McNeerney, of Cleveland, Ohio, has been visiting friends here the past week.

Newman Garbutt, of Jeanette's Creek, has returned from a three weeks' trip to the northwest.

D. W. Kett is negotiating for the purchase of the electric light plant from A. F. Nelson.

Local Oddfellows will attend divine worship next Sunday in the Methodist Church, to commemorate the 85th anniversary of the order.

## THE YOUNG MAN AND HIS CLOTHES

We are out after the trade of the young man, and we are getting it as never before.

The young man cares about his clothes and is careful where he buys them. Rest assured we would not have him coming our way unless we deserved it.

Just now the Spring Suit question is in his mind, and we are helping him out with finest collection of snappy, stylish garments that we have ever had and at prices that the young man likes to pay.

You can come in and see what's what without having to buy.

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## Geo. Stephens & Co.

Geo. Stephens--D. H. Douglas--David Crombie

In the matter of WASHING MACHINES and WRINGERS we would like to talk with you. We keep 6 different makes. Some of them so easy a child could use them. They are cheap, too. Your wife is entitled to one, is she not?

## Ayer's Hair Vigor

Always restores color to gray hair, always. Makes the hair grow and stops falling hair. A splendid dressing.

The local hotels have been granted their licenses for this year, although Jos. Peltier's application for the proposed closing.

Tilbury East Council meets May 9. The regularly quarterly sacramental services, announced for next Sunday in the Methodist Church, will be held a week from Sunday, owing to the special Oddfellows' service, next Sunday.

J. B. Marchand is completing arrangements to erect a monster stock stock barn, 100x40 feet, on his farm here. One end of the building, 40 x 40 feet, will be laid with a stone and cement foundation high enough for stock.

Cesar Marchand has decided not to leave for the Eastern States, owing to the depression in the cotton industry there.

Tilbury North court of revision will be held on Saturday, May 28th, at Stoney Point.

The dwelling occupied by Medas Breault, on the 8th con., Tilbury North, and owned by Camille Robert, sr., was burned to the ground on Tuesday last. The loss will be about \$400, insured in the Waterloo.

### BLENHEIM

April 29.—On Wednesday, at 12 p. m. death claimed one of the pioneers of this western peninsula in the person of Mr. S. Todd, who died from that dread disease, cancer, at the age of 78 years. He for a number of years farmed on the Old Street, near Guilds. About two years ago he moved to town and resided on Lumley St., where he died. He was highly respected by all who knew him, and a man whose word could be relied on. He was married twice. His second wife survives him. The funeral services will take place at the house on Saturday, the 30th. Rev. W. E. Kerr will conduct the service. The remains will be interred in Evergreen Cemetery.

L. Livingstone, telegraph operator at the Pere Marquette station, is seriously ill.

Elder F. Gregory will conduct the services on May 1st at the Saints' Church at 2.30 and 7 p. m.

Truman Warner has purchased the Shepley farm on the Middle Road, Raleigh township. It consists of 100 acres and he intends to use it as a stock farm.

Wm. Perrin, Communication road, has taken a position with Messrs. J. W. Fleming & Sons.

Mrs. Stimers has moved from the rooms over A. W. Bell's store and will conduct her dressmaking at her home

at the east end of the town.

Richard Leitch left this week for Windsor, where he will work for the Caldwell Sidewalk Co. He expects to be gone all the summer.

The town road scraper is out, and where it has been used has done fine work.

H. J. Neal was in Chatham on Tuesday afternoon assisting the Chatham Football team in a game.

Miss Minnie Arnold, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. G. J. Gibb for the last two months, has returned to her home in Toronto.

W. H. Drane has resigned his seat on the School Board.

Rev. Leon and Martha Jones, co-pastors of the Universalist Church here, have tendered their resignations, which are to take effect on June the 30th. They will go to the Western States. We regret to hear of their departure.

## THANKS.

We take this opportunity of thanking the citizens of Chatham for their liberal patronage. We find business good, and intend in the future as in the past that the best quality combined, with moderate prices, shall insure us a still greater increase in our sale.

2 Packages Force, 25c  
5 Pound Prunes, 25c  
Ginger Snaps, 6c per lb.  
Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c per lb.  
Maple Syrup, 25c Quart.  
Fine Dried Apples 5c Pound.  
7 Pound Pail of Jam, 50c  
Cooking Raisins, 6c per lb.  
7 Pounds Best Rolled Oats 25c.  
Scrub Brushes, 5, 10, 15 and 20c.

### Crockery.

People who have seen and learned the prices of our Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets say we have the best value for the money in the city. A quantity of Fine China Lamps and Glassware are being sold at Reduced Prices. You can save money as well as others by purchasing from us.

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### WEDDING STATIONERY

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