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Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Now 24.-11 a.m.-Strong winds and gales, northwest to north, decreasing to-night; fair and much colder; snowflurries. Wednesday,

THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Cataract is in from Georgian Bay with lumber for W. M. Drader. Miss Baker, of Brussells, is the guest of Mrs. E. R. Putnam, Queen street.

Rev. Jasper Wilson, of Ridgetown is the guest of his brother, J. A. Will

Park Brosl are putting 20,000 feet of piping in Wm. Gray & Soms new building for heating purposes.

**** G. W. CORNELL

DENTIST Corner Sixth and King Street, Over the Bee Hive. Phone 317.

F. S. Jarvis, of Galt, is in the city Chas. Kendell, foreman of Drader's cooperage, of Ridgetown, is in the calty on business.

County Commissionen Sifton County Clerk Gosnell visited House of Refuge this morning. House of Refuge this morning.

Ald Martin says that he never
missed a meeting of the Council nor
was one minute late during the year.
He says he is the only one who can
say this.

Lost, on Saturday afternoon, on
Tecumsch Park, King, Third or Wellington streets, a gold open face
watch, blue enamel back with small

gold wreath on enamel. Please leave at Planet Office and receive reward.

*********** It's Disagreeable! It's Dangerous!!



The moment you take a cold, as you are very liable to do at this time of the year, you surely realize that the little unpleasautness connected with it is not all. You surely know that CON-SUMPTION is on the increase in this country, and that nine-tenths of the disease is caused by neglecting Coughs and Colds.

Our Bloodroot Cough Cure (25c a bottle) is guaranteed to cure any cough or cold of not more than 3 months' standing. Your money back if it does not cure it

A. I. McCall & Co., Ltd.

DRUGGISTS and OPTICIANS.

CHATAAM and DRESDEN.

The meeting of the Park street church Reading Circle which was to have been held this evening, has been

withdrawn.

The key-note address of the Epworth League convention for to-morrow morning will be given by Wilson Taylon, B. A., of the C. C. I., at 9.20. The subject is "The Literary Department of League Work,"

Alt the Division Court this morning before his iomor Judge Woods, the International Harvester Works, James King and Frank E. Gerber sued William Higgins, of the Township of Harwich, for \$60. The case arose out of the trade of a mare fon a mowing machine. The horse died two weeks after. J. B. Rankin, K. C., appeared for defendant and O. L. Lewis for plaintiffs.

Jerome J. Moss, formerly of Dover,

O. L. Lewis flor plaintiffs.

Jerome J. Moss, formerly of Dover, and cous n of Frank Bechard, head clerk of Geo. Stephens & Co., who has been in the gents furnishing business at the Canadian Sco., has returned here, having sold out his business. Mr. Moss says business at the Soo is flat and he decided to get out while possible. His intentions are to start up business, probably in this section.

The joint committee from the County and City agreed this afternoon to accept the report of Mayor McKeough and Warden Robinson and repointed Auditor F. H. Macpherson to adjust the accounts between the City and County. A clause to accept Mr. Macpherson's decision as final Mr. Macpherson's decision as final was dropped from the report before it' was adopted and after consider-able discussion.

able discussion.

Wellfington Duff and William Jenkins wen't hunting yesterday. When they were crossing the lands of a prominent Elarwich farmer the latter came rushing out waving his hands very excitedly and yelling, "Hey, hey, don't you see those notices "against trespassing." Wellington as soon as he got inside the talking hine calmly and, sarcastically responded, "No, I don't see those notices. Do you think that I would come all the way out here carrying a gun just to look for signs. We're hunting quaik." Wellington says that this satisfied the farmer and he let them

AT WORK

Splendid Inaugural Rehearsa of the Maple City's "Robin Hood" Opera Company.

The enterprise, inaugurated by the officers of the 24th Regiment and heir friends, of presenting the magnificent opera "Robin Hood, by the talented amateurs or the mapie City a splendid and auspicious star

last evening.

Despite the inclement weather, in all eighty-one of the young ladies and gentlemen who have kindly volunteered their assistance in the undertaking gathered in the auditorium over the Standard Bank for the initial rehearsal and the work accom-pished was most encouraging.

The hall was splendidly heated and lighted through the courtesy of Ma-

jor Scholfield, and a cloak room was provided in the ante-chamber. The plane used was the handsome and ever popular Mason and Risen, which was kindly loaned by the cour which was kindly loaded by the course in enterprising district manager. Frank Eabcock. The Mason and Risch piano will be used throughout for rehearsals and also for the production of the opera, and its splended and rich tone occasioned much is-

did and rich tone occasioned much ac-lighted comment.

Miss Flossie Bogart, the accom-plished young organists of Christ Church, presided at the instrument, and her skilled playing contributes much to the success of the undertak-ing. J W. Wilson performed the re-sponsible and arduous duties of musi-cal director and proved himself a gen-ing with the balon.

cal director and proved himself a genius with the baton.

The evening was devoted largely to
the study of two of the choruses. The
introductory "Soringtide' greeting to
the first act—a charming chorus—was
very successfully rehearsed and the
beautifully "Legend of the Chimes,"
with delightful obligate by Miss II. Edythe Hill, was inaugurated in its soft and harmonious melody. Several additional choruses and solos will probably be taken up at the next reprobably be taken up at the next re-hearsal and the arangement and movements of the singers will short-ly be drafted. In this work the skil-ful services of Mrs. (Dr.) R. V. Bray, who so capably assisted the work last evening, will be much appreciated, and Burney Weldon and Harry Scott, the clever comedians, will do much to aid the work on the humorous woodland scene.

The next rehearsal will be held or Thursday evening next, commencing eight o clock, when the presence of all the ladies and gcatlemen interested will be sincerely appreciated.

PIONEER GONE

The funeral of the late Louis La Francais, whose death, was announced in yesterday's issue, took place this morning from his late residence, Park avenue, to St. Joseph's church. It was very largely attended. Mr. La Français was 77 years and nine months old. He was born in Chatham and he has always lived here. At one time he lived on King street topposite the park. At that time there were not many stores in Chatham. His parents were among the first settlers here. A widow and a grown up family survive. Charles La Français of the Wm. Gray & Co., is a brother of deceased.

W. W. Mitchell (Caretaker of Post Office) on the Chamberlain Weather Strip.

For the past five years we have een trying to attach something to the windows in the customs office the windows in the customs office to shut off the wind and cold. Until now all appliances have failed.

This year we tried the Chamber-lin Metal Weathen Strip. We are not only satisfied with the results but are delighted.

The Strip absolutely shuts off all wind and cold and makes the win-dows fit snug and tight. It has many advantages over storm windows.

THE MARKET REPORT'S.

British Live Stock Trade-Wheat is Lower—Latest Quotations.

Monday Evening, Nov. 23. Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

Trade at St. Lawrence Market to-day was quiet, and receipts in all lines were light. Five hundred bushels of grain were sold on the street.

Wheat—One hundred bushels of red sold at 80% per bushel, and 100 of goose sold at 730. t 73c. Barley—Two hundred bushels sold at 48c o 49c per bushel. Oats—One hundred bushels sold at 32c Oats—One numered basics of the policy of the hanged at \$7 per cwt. for choice light relights, and \$6.60 for heavies. Hay—Ther was none offering, and quotations are unchanged at \$10 to \$11 per ton or No. 1 thmothy, and \$8 to \$9 for mixed or No. 2 thmothy.

> The Visible Supply. Nov.23,'03 Nov.24,'02 Nov.25,'0

r clover. Straw-There was none on the market

Nov. 23, 93 Nov. 24, 92 serves, 0.00 Wheat 29, 472,00 44, 512,000 Corn 6, 115,000 2, 287,000 14,464,000 Oats 9,308,000 7,657,000 6,472,000 Rye 1,338,000 1,464,000 2,618,000 Barley 5,655,000 3,615,000 2,570,000 Wheat increased the past week 1,546,000 bushels. Corn decreased 1,364,000 bushels wheat increased 182,000 bushels.

British Cattle Markets. London, Nov. 23.—United States cattle, 5%d; Canadlans, 5%d; sheck, 5%d. Liverpool, Nov. 23.—Canadian cattle,

Montreal Live Stock.

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Montreal, Nov. 23.—Trade at the Eastern Abattoir Cattle Market was good to-day and prices were steady.
Cattle—Receipts amounted to 1,100 head, most of which were of fair quality. The demand for them was active, and at noon 500 remained unsold. Prices ranged as follows:—Choice butchers', 3%c to 4%c; good, 3%c to 3%c; medium, 2%c to 3c; common, 1%c to 2%c; canners, 1c to 1%c. Calves—Receipts amounted to 70 head, the quality being mostly good. The demand was fair and at noon none remained unsold. Poor stock sold at \$2.75 and good at \$5 to \$10.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts of sheep amounted to 400 head, those of lambs amounting to 400 head, those of lambs amounting to 3%c, the sheep brought from 3c to 3%c, lambs selling at 4c to 4%c. The demand was fair.

Hogs—Receipts of hogs amounted to 500 head. The demand was fair.

East Buffalo Cattle Markets.

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East Buffalo, Nov. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 250 head; fairly active and stronger on desirable grades; common slow; prime steers, \$5 to \$5.25; shipping, \$4.40 to \$4.85; butchers' steers, \$3.50 to \$4.75; helfers, \$3 to \$4.30; cows, \$3.25 to \$3.60; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4.90; cows, \$3.25 to \$3.60; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4.50; cockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$8.75; etach helfers, \$2 to \$2.75; fresh cows and to \$4.30; cows, \$3.25 to \$3.60; bulls, \$2.50 to \$3.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$3.75; stock heffers, \$2 to \$2.75; fresh cows and springers, steady; common dull; good to choice, \$45 to \$5.3; medium to good, \$30 to \$40; common, \$20 to \$28. Veals — Receipts, \$10 head; steady, \$5 to \$8.50. Hogs-Receipts, 27,200 head; active, 10c to 15c lower; heavy, \$4.50 to \$4.60; few, \$4.65; mixed, \$4.50 to \$4.60; Yorkers, \$4.50; pigs, \$4.75 to \$4.80; roughs, \$3.80 to \$4; stags, \$3 to \$3.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 28,700 head; steady; lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.65; yearlings, \$4.25 to \$4.50; wethers, \$4 to \$4.25; ewes, \$3.35 to \$3.60; sheep, mixed, \$1.50

Chicago Live Stock.

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Chicago, Nov. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 35,000, including 1,500 westerns; good to
prime steers, \$5.10 to \$5.50; poor to medium, \$3.50 to \$4.30; stockers and feeders, \$2 to \$4.10; cows, \$1.25 to \$4; heifers, \$2 to \$4.50; canners, \$1.25 to \$4.50; bulls, \$4.15 to \$4.25; calves, \$2 to \$7.25; Texas fed steers, \$2.75 to \$3.75; western steers, \$3 to \$4.50; hogs—Receipts, 5,500; to-morrow, 30,000; ibc to 20c lower; mixed and butchers, \$4.30 to \$4.55; rough heavy, \$4.30 to \$4.55; rough heavy, \$4.30 to \$4.25; light, \$4.15 to \$4.40; bulk of sales, \$4.20 to \$4.55.

Sheep—Receipts, 30,000; sheep and lambs
steady to strong; good to choice heavy, \$4.30
\$3.65 to \$4.35; fair to choice mixed, \$2.75 to \$3.60; native lambs, \$5.50 to \$5.50.

Montreal Grain and Provisions.

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Montreal, Nov. 23.—Grain—Local market steady and the demand was fair. No. 1 northern is quoted at 79½c; No. 2 northern, 78c, and No. 3 at 72c store Fort William. We quote as follows:—No. 2 white oats, store, 35½c to 36c; No. 2 oats, store, 34½c to 36c; No. 2 oats, store, 24½c to 36c; No. 2 oats, store, 24½c to 35c; No. 2 oats, low freights, west, for export, 29½c; No. 2 peas, 32c; rye, 52c; No. 2 barley, 42c.
Flour—Trade is steady. Choice Manitoba strong wheat patents, 44.50; do bakers', 43.30; winter wheat patents, 44.50; do bakers', 43.9; winter wheat patents, 44.50; to 33.65; straight rollers, in bags, 31.95 to 31.65; extras, in bags, 31.95 to 31.65. extras, 10 sags, 31.95 to 31.65. extras, 33.60 to 31.65; extras, 10 sags, 31.95 to 31.75.
Feed—Demand is Tairly active and the tone of the market firm. Manitoba brain bags, 318; shorts, \$20 per ton; Ontario brain in bulk, 316.50 to 31.7; shorts, 12.9 to 31.85.50 to 31.75.
Rolled Oats—The demand for rolled oats

tario bran in bulk, \$16.50 to \$17; shorts, \$18.60 to \$19.50; moullity.

Rolled Oats—The demand for rolled oats was steady. The market is steady at \$1.72½ to \$1.75 per bag, and at \$3.75 to \$3.77 per bagren.

Hay—Closing of navigation makes the market dull, but prices are firm. We quote:—No. 1, \$9.50 to \$15.50; No. 2, \$8.50 to \$3; clover, mixed, \$7.50 to \$3; clover, \$7.50 to \$3; clover, \$7.50 to \$3; clover, \$7.50 to \$1.50; No. 2, \$8.50 to \$1.50; per ton in car lots.

Beans—Choice primes, \$1.50 to \$1.55 per bushel, \$1.40 to \$1.50 in car lots.

Provisions—Heavy Canadian short cut pork, \$19.50 to \$20; light short cut, \$18 to \$18.50; American short cut clear, \$17 to; \$18.50; American fat backs, \$18 to \$18.50; compound lard, \$8; Canadian lard, \$8; to \$36; kettle rendered, 194c; hams, 11½c to \$4.50; kettle rendered, 194c; hams, 11½c to \$1.50; american fat backs, \$18 to \$18.50; \$7.25; live hops, 5%c to \$4.6.

Eggs—Candled selected, \$2c and straight receipts \$1c; Montreal limed, 19c. Cheese—Ontarlo, 19%c to 11c; townships, 19½c to 19%c; Quebec, 10c to 19½c; Butter—Townships creamery, 21¼c to 21½c; Quebec, 20½c to 21c; western dairy, 15c to 17c; western rolls, 17c to 18c.

CHICAGO MARKETS Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker North wood Block, Chatham, Nov. 24, 1903.

á	Wheat-	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW	CLOSE
	Dec	791	80	798	79g
	May	781	793	781	798
200	Corn— Dec	423	428	421	428
	May	411	42	415	417
ğ	Oats-	343	343	341	348
â	Dec May	351	358	351	351
	Pork	009			(11 5 × 1
ä	Jan	1120	1122	1117	1122
	Мау	1130	1135	1130	1135
	Lard Jan	640	640	637	635
3	May	642	645	642	645
-	Ribs				
ı	Jan	590	592	587	587
8	May	602	602	600	602

Much Is Little.

Crusty Old Gentleman—Your singing,
Miss Taylor, is like attar of roses—
Miss Taylor (with a gratified smile)— Oh, you are too flattering.
Old Gentleman (continuing)—A little
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FELL OVERBOARD

Mate of a Steam Barge Meets Death in Lake St. Clair - Reward for the Body

Edwin McVittic, aged 21 years, mate of the steam barge "Lily Smith,' fell overboard and was drowned yesterday morning about six o clock in Lake St. Clair, about three miles from the mouth of the Thames river.

Captain J. E. Williscroft gave The
Planet the following account of the

Planet the following account of the sad affair,—
The Lily Smith was off the mouth of the river about nine o clock S evening in a dense fog with calm sea, and dodged about till midnight ex-pecting the weather to clear, it did not hewever, and the barge anchored

with Naiad in tow.
About 5.45 the following morning About 5.45 the following morning Mate McVitte, the unfortunate young man, came to breakfast and conversation sprang up about the boat dragging her anchor during the night, as it had been snowing and blowing quite heavily.

Immediately after breakfast McVittie said he would go forward to warm up the steam windlass, so it could be used down aft, got his oilskim coat and lantern as it was very dark. He went to the top of the steams and it is submosed that he

skin coat and lantern as it was very dark. He went to the top of the stairway and it is supposed that he tripped or slipped and went overboard. No one heard a splash of water, or a scream.

About twenty minutes after six someone asked where the mate was, and a hunt through the vessel was immediately instituted, without success.

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Edwin McVittie was the only son and support of a widowed mother, who was formerly of Southampton, but now lives at 44 Golden Ave., Toronto. He was also a nephew of Captain Williscroft, who speaks in the very highest terms of him as a straight-forward, industrious and sober young man.

In his clothes on the boat was found \$74 in cash and a Post Office bank book showing \$100 to his credit. The captain said he always kept his mother well supplied.

her well supplied.
Captain Williscroft is offering

graphin with serior is offering a reward of \$25 for the recovery of the body, the finder to notify Dr. J. L. Bray, coroner.

Coughs, colds, hearseness, and other thro-aliments are quickly relieved by Cresoler lablets, ten cents per box. All druggists

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This store is an every day store, abundance of everything that you need for the wants of to-day and to-morrow, whether it be cold or rainy or what the weather, AUSTIN can fit you out to suit the weather, but in addition this year we have made extra preparations for Christmas buyers. Every department 15 crowded with goods that are suggestive as gifts. Our stock of burnt woods, and ebony woods in jewel cases, dressing cases and smoking cases, travelling companions, etc., is of the broadest variety. We are fortunate in making arrangements to buy these goods direct from the manufacturers and the prices we are selling them at are a revelation to many who have inspected them.

Come in, look over the collection, make your selection, pay a small deposit and we will pack them up and hold until Christmas Eve for you. This is a line we cannot present to you by quoting prices; the only way to appreciate the values is to come in and see them

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This week we start a moving out of Brussel Carpets at SPECIAL CUT PRICES. Our reason is simply this—many lines that we looked to arrive before now have been delayed in shipping so that we now have more Brussel Carpets that we need have the move action of the property and the pr pets than we need, hence the money saving offer. All prices include making, laying and lining of every carpet so d.

BEST ENGLISH 5 FRAME BRUSSEL DEST ENGLISH 5 FRAME BRUSSELLs — 300 yds, body and border complete, in the cheicest shadings and highest excellence of weaving, will last a life time, regular \$1.25 value, during Brussel week at only \$1.05

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300 yds of dependable Brussel in 34 frame
with borders complete, in tasty designing
and dependable weaving, a good carpet for
any room that will receive hard wear, regular 85c value, during Brussel week at only
68c per yard.

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Misses' and Ladies' Gauntlets, grey lamb astrachan and electric seal at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

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Misses' Grey Lamb Capes, from \$1.50 to \$3.50. Black Opposum Neck Scarf, with large lead, tail and claws, \$3.75. Astrachan or Coney Caperines, cape with high storm collar, \$5.00. Caperine of all astrachan or with osum trimming, heavy stole front,\$

A superb collection of high-class Furs, Alaska sable, st marten, blended marten, grey squirrel, etc., ranging in p from \$12.50 to \$60.00.

Comfortable Astrachan Jackets, 30 ins. long, higheollar, well lined, good value at \$25, our price \$20.

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Ricctric Seal Jackets, 24 inches long, perfect fitting, lined with heavy satin, reg price \$40, now \$32.50.

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Russian Jacket of Ar Persian with mink collar and lapels, re \$175, now \$145. **************

Electric Seal Jacket, Russian style collar and lapels, reg \$50 value, out \$39.00.

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