

## THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage  
and all the men and  
women merely players."

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At The Grand—  
The Parting of the Ways—Jan. 27.  
Pauline—Jan. 30, for 5 nights.

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## AT THE GRAND TO-NIGHT.

Mr. Neil Twomey, who combines in an unusual degree the ability of both actor and author, will be seen at the Grand to-night, in his new play, "The Parting of the Ways."

This new comedy-drama is spoken of as the most interesting and the brightest effort from Mr. Twomey's pen, and this is saying a good deal, when his former successes, "The Wayward Son," "When the Harvest Days are Over," etc., are remembered. Mr. Twomey is a great favorite here and is always assured of a hearty welcome from those who appreciate the high class in melo-drama. He has surrounded himself with a company of clever people and the scenic investment is much above the average. Three special settings are carried for the four acts of the play. Mr. Twomey believes that in "The Parting of the Ways" he has written the strongest and most interesting play of his career, and local theatre-goers will have an opportunity of learning the truth of this on Saturday.

The company contains a number of clever people, who are aided by everything in the way of equipment to properly produce this most interesting play.

To-night at the Grand: prices 25, 35 and 50c.

That hypnotism is a scientific fact and has a place near the top of the list of wonders is being more firmly proven each night by the Great Pauline, who appears at the Chatham Grand for five nights, commencing Tuesday, Jan. 30th.

In a recent criticism the Richmond (Quebec) Times says:

There was not a dull moment from the rise to the fall of the curtain. And from the little boy in the gallery to the gray haired old man down stairs, everyone pronounced it positively the most pleasing scientific and amusing performance ever given in Richmond, where everyone received merriement to their heart's content. To the minds of most people the Art of Hypnotism is a fraud perpetrated upon the public through the assistance of the subjects upon which the operator may work. If there is any person possessed of the power to hypnotize, Pauline is the one. He secures complete passiveness over his subjects, and after that has been obtained he can control them at his will. The above facts have been clearly demonstrated to the large audience who have been attending his performances during his engagements here.—From the Richmond, Quebec, Times.

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## LORD TREDEGAR.

Recently Made Viscount One of the  
"Six Hundred."

Lord Tredegar, who has just been promoted to the rank of a viscount, is one of the few surviving heroes of that magnificent "Charge of the Six Hundred at Balaklava," which constitutes the theme of the finest and most stirring poem of Tennyson, says the Marquis de Fontenay. Lord Tredegar, who was one of the officers of the famous "Death of Glory," Seventeenth Lancers, had his horse shot under him in the charge, and only reached the British lines by jumping on a gun carriage. After having escaped unscathed from the scene of carnage, which Tennyson so justly described as "the jaws of death" and as "the mouth of hell," it was a singular fate that he should more than forty years later have lost the sight of one of his eyes through the carelessness of a guest whom he had invited to shoot with him over his preserves.

Lord Tredegar is rich, and derives the principal portion of his revenues from a single mile of railroad which runs through the park of his country seat in Wales, and which is known as "the golden mile." When the railroad in that portion of the country was being built to Newport it was found necessary, in order to avoid an enormous circuit and great engineering difficulties entailing immense and immediate expenditure, to pass through Lord Tredegar's park. To this the late lord agreed on the condition that he and his heirs should receive a certain royalty for every ton of goods carried over that portion of the road.

In those days Newport was far from being the important seaport that it is to-day, and the terms were readily accepted. But since the trade of Newport has become extensive, and the annual income which the lords of Tredegar derive from the royalty of the "golden mile" can only be described as princely.

Although the barony, by virtue of which Lord Tredegar has occupied until now a seat in the House of Lords, is of relatively modern creation, having been conferred upon the father of the present peer, yet the family is one of the most ancient in Wales, being descended in a direct line from Llewellyn ap Ior and from Rhys, prince of South Wales. The men of this house have from time immemorial been renowned for their good looks, and old Lord Tredegar is no exception to the rule.

Love puts a high price upon itself and a master hand controls the bidding.

## YES—THEY ARE.

We have talked so strongly about "Fruit-a-tives" being a liver tonic, and curing Constipation and Biliousness, that some may think they are not for anything else. Well, they are. "Fruit-a-tives" are a grand, good tonic for the whole system. One "Fruit-a-tives" tablet three times a day, makes rich, red blood and firm flesh. The same daily treatment and a sensible diet takes away dyspepsia and gives you sound digestion, and good appetite. "Fruit-a-tives" clear the skin of pimples and blotches—make the complexion fresh and rosy. Get "Fruit-a-tives"—take them the right way—

and see how you improve.

50c. a box. At all druggists.

## JUDGE LAZIER IS DEAD.

Pneumonia Carries Off Senior Judge of Hastings County.

Belleville, Jan. 26.—Thomas Appleby Lazier, senior judge of Hastings County, died yesterday afternoon. He had been ill with pneumonia for about a week, but was thought to be growing better. His age, however, was against him.

He was born in Tyendinaga Township, Hastings County, in July, 1829, and was nearly 80 years of age. He was called to the bar in 1864, and appointed junior judge of the County of Hastings in 1872, and senior judge in 1881. The late Judge Lazier married, in 1883, Miss Frances E. Hankel, daughter of Rev. J. S. Hankel, of Charlottesville, Va. His widow survives, also one son, Stewart, a Queen's College student, and one daughter, Miss Rose.

The late Judge was a Presbyterian and a Conservative.

## Hot Water.

Nothing is better to take on rising than a cupful of hot water. One hot drink on an empty stomach clears the system for the day, and for many persons a tablespoonful of lemon juice increases the efficacy. Taken on going to bed without lemon, it will help to induce sleep. Both night and morning it has the effect of helping to clear the complexion.

Free to You,  
My Sister

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I will mail, free of any charge, my home treatment with full instructions to any sufferer from woman's ailments. I want to tell all women about this cure—your mother, or your sister, I want to tell you how to cure yourselves at home without the help of a doctor. Men cannot understand woman's sufferings. What women know from experience we know better than any doctor. I know that my home treatment is a safe and sure cure for Leucorrhoea or White Discharges, Ulceration, Displacement or Falling of the Womb, Protrusion, Scanty or Painful Periods, Uterine or Ovarian Tumors or Growths, also pains in the head, back and bowels, bearing down feelings, nervousness, creeping feeling up the spine, melancholy, hot flashes, weariness, kidney and bladder troubles where caused by weaknesses peculiar to our sex.

I want to send you a complete ten days treatment entirely free to prove to you that you can cure yourself at home, easily, quickly and surely. Remember that it will cost you nothing to give the treatment a complete trial, and if you should wish to continue, it will cost you only about 12 cents a week, or less than two cents a day. It will not interfere with your work or occupation. Just send me your name and address, tell me how you suffer if you wish, and I will send you the treatment for your case, entirely free, in plain wrapper, by return mail. I will also send you free of cost, my book "WOMAN'S OWN MEDICAL ADVICE," with explanatory illustrations showing how to cure themselves at home. Every woman should have it, and learn to think for herself. Then when the doctor says, "You must have an operation," you can decide for yourself. Thousands of women have cured themselves with my home remedy. It cures all old ailments.

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Box 4 Windsor, Ont.

The self-conscious woman may be absent-minded and yet never forget herself.

DISTRICT DOINGS  
THAMESVILLE

Jan. 26.—Boating across the pit and into the river was enjoyed yesterday.

Special services have been held this week in the Baptist church. Rev. Mr. Orton was assisted by Rev. Mr. Ray.

A. H. Willis has returned from Hamilton, being ill with rheumatism. Mrs. Jos. Trudel is spending some time with relatives in Detroit.

D. A. Watson has been strolling around the points of interest during high water time with his camera. Miss Anna Counts comes from Chatham to-day.

The Messrs Ripley will spend the week end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Randall are visiting friends in Detroit.

Preparatory services are being conducted in the Presbyterian church to-night.

The Literary and Art Club hold their next meeting Friday, Feb. 2, at the home of Mrs. Fraser.

Some homes are still without fire and light on account of high water. Mrs. Cline's father, Mr. Randall, is confined to the house through illness.

The Young Men's Debating Club have drafted another debate for Wednesday night, Jan. 31, with Milton Ordeman as leader.

The Glory Song, so popular with Torry and Alexander, will be sung by the congregation in the Methodist church on Sunday.

Some pupils are kept from school on account of high water.

"Take care of the pennies and the pounds will take care of themselves."

Large things are but an aggregation of small things. If we take care of the small things we are in effect taking care of the large things which the small things combine to make.

Take care of what you eat, when you eat, and how you eat, and your stomach will take care of itself. But who takes care of such trivial things?

That is why, sometimes, the majority of people have to take care of the stomach. When that day comes, there is no aid so effective in undoing the results of past carelessness as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It strengthens the stomach, and restores the organs of digestion and nutrition to a condition of healthy activity. It cures biliousness, heartburn, flatulence, indigestion, palpitation, dizziness, cold extremities and a score of other ailments which are but the symptoms of disorder in the stomach and its allied organs.

## TILBURY

Jan. 25.—Gordon Richardson was in Detroit last evening.

James Taff, of Chatham, is the guest of Alex. Campbell.

John Macpherson and family expect to leave in the spring for Manitoba.

E. R. Dromgole is attending a dance in Windsor this evening.

F. S. Allum's new business college opened on Wednesday with an attendance of about 20 pupils.

Cowley Bros. are going into the wholesale meat business.

Rev. T. Albert Moore, secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, will address a meeting in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening next.

There is danger of the early closing movement in Tilbury collapsing as a result of October merchants not living up to their agreement.

## BLENHEIM

Jan. 27.—On Thursday evening the following were installed as officers of Pandora Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., by Sister Mitchell, of Wallaceburg:—

L. P. G.—Sister Pegg.  
N. G. Sister McLeod.  
V. G.—Sister Brethour.

R. S.—Sister Lena Toddord.  
F. S.—Bro. D. Muckle.  
Treas.—Sister Stephenson.

Warden—Sister .....  
Conductor—Sister Wardle.  
R. S. N. G.—Bro. Pegg.  
J. S. N. G.—Sister Coburn.

R. S. V. G.—Bro. Wardle.  
L. S. V. G.—Sister English.  
O. G.—Bro. Burse.

I. G.—Bro. Brethour.  
Chaplain—Sister Gibson.

After the installation ceremonies the sisters and brothers adjourned to J. B. Pickering's oyster parlors, where an oyster supper was served.

The third session of the Opera Collegiate commercial course proffered. Apply in own handwriting, stating qualifications. Box 22, Planet Office.

FOR SALE—House and lot—Modern frame house, seven rooms, kitchen, pantry, bath, wood house, etc., Corral street. Mrs. H. Blonde.

ROOMS TO RENT—For housekeeping; centrally located, with modern conveniences. Address Box 24, Planet.

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BOAT LIVERY FOR SALE—Well-known Boat Livery at Rondeau. Cash business and pays 80 per cent. of investment annually. First-class references. Full particulars on application. W. R. Fellows, Jr., Prop., Blenheim, Ont.

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## Happy Week the Occasion

Our store is the brightest, happiest place in town. The brisk atmosphere—the alert salespeople—the coat of smiles of the shoppers—and the rare bargains make "Happy Week" an event always to be remembered.

To be able to shop and save at the same time is a timely opportunity—and a happy one. Grasp it and join the merry throng.

Special priced for everybody—bargains that will bring smiles to the gravest faces. Come and share with us the Happy Event—see how short a time it will take before the smiles are driving away all the worry lines.

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## Merry Millinery Prices

Children's hats, bonnets and tams, worth up to \$1.50 each, for

Girls' ready-to-wear felt hats, worth regular up to \$2.00 each, for

Ladies' outing hats and untrimmed shapes, regular up to \$2.00 each, for

Lot wings and feathers, regular up to \$1.50 each, for

19c.

## LADIES' FUR COATS

\$25.00 coats for

\$30.00 coats for

\$35.00 coats for

\$40.00 and \$45.00 coats for

LADIES' CLOTH COATS

Odd lines worth up to \$10.00 for

Long coats, latest style, worth up to \$12.00, for

Long coats worth up to \$15.00 for

\$7.50.

\$9.90.

## Bargains That Will Make You Smile

30c Bleached Sheetings for

25c Unbleached Sheetings for

7c Towel Crash Towelling for

10c Pure Linen Towelling for

32 inch wide, Stripe Shaker, regular 8c for

23c

18c

5c

7c

6c



## Black Sateens, 10c Yard

200 yards rich silky finish black sateen, fast dye.

40c Table Linen, 25c

60 inch wide soft finish quality, choice patterns, regular 40c value for

\$1.25 Bedsprings 88c

4 doz. fine large size white honeycomb quilt-hemmed and ready for use, \$1.25 value for

88c

## FRENCH FLANNELS 25c

16 pieces fine pure wool, French Flannel, choice patterns and colorings, regular 50c. yard, for

50c Fancy Velvets 25c

Stylish Tweed Effects in rich quality velveteens, assorted colors, regular 50c. yd. for

\$1.25 Cravenettes 95c. Yard

Fine pure wool shower proof Cravenette Cloths, 60 in. wide, colors grey and fawn, regular \$1.25 yard for

95c

## Floor Matting 14c a Yard

Choice patterns in fine Japanese matting, full yard wide, reversible, regular 18c and 20c yard, for

Brussels Carpets 58c Yard

4 pieces good heavy body Brussels, English make, regular 85c value, for

58c.

Window Shades 25c

Full size, complete on spring rollers, green and terra cotta, regular 35c each, for

25c.



## GIRL'S COATS

Assorted styles, regular up to \$6.00 for

Girls' coats, long lengths, regular up to \$7.50, for

WHITE BEAR COATS—

Regular up to \$4.50, for

Regular up to \$6.00 for

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## White Muslins 4c. Yard

50 yards white muslin in pretty lace stripes, assorted patterns, regular 7c yard, for

NEW PRINTS AT 10c YARD—

200 pieces new prints, choice designs, in light and dark colors, worth 12c yard, for

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12c ENGLISH LONG CLOTH 8 1-2

36 inches wide fine pure finish cotton, regular 12c value, for 8 1-2c.



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## WANTED.

COOK WANTED—Good wages. Apply Rankin House.

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WANTED—Young girl, with some knowledge of stenography and typewriting, to assist in office work. One who has taken the Collegiate commercial course preferred. Apply in own handwriting, stating qualifications. Box 22, Planet Office.

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## The Western Real Estate Exchange

Head Office, London.

For sale at a bargain, 50 acres good clay loam land, 3-4 mile from railway station, 35 acres cleared; will sell stock and implements together for \$2,500.

For sale or exchange for 50 acres, good dwelling house, in Wallaceburg, or will sell cheap for cash.

For sale or exchange, 50 acres in Township of Harwich, partly under drained, good brick house, frame barn and outbuildings, choice land, well located, cheap for cash, or will exchange for 100 acres of good land and good buildings.

For sale, 150 acres, close to Blenheim, new house that cost \$2,500, first class outbuildings, will be sold reasonably and on easy terms.

For sale, grocery business, the best stand in Chatham, business done last year about \$1,600, a snap for good grocery man.

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Money to loan. Office open evenings. J. R. GRAHAM, J. S. WAUGH, Seane Block, Chatham.

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For sale, two storey frame house, fine lot, plenty of fruit, gas, electric light, sewer connections, comfortable home.

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We have a number of city properties, also farm properties, for sale and exchange. Come in and see us. Get our terms for selling city property or farm property, as we represent your own city and surroundings, such as Essex, Kent and Lambton; also houses to rent and rent

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