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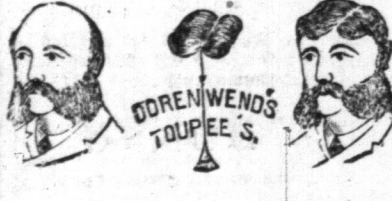
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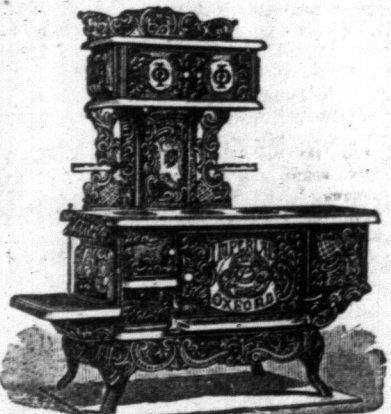


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## SANG FOR THE QUEEN

Honor Conferred Upon Actor-Soldier Who Visits Chatham Next Week.

A History of His Campaign in South Africa as Told by the Dramatic Mirror.

Among the members of the Clara Mathes Company, who open a week's engagement at the Opera House on May 6th, is R. Barlow, of Co. A. R. C. R., who plays the part of Ernest Travers, in the bill South Africa, on Monday night and the entire production is staged under his direction.

The following is from the Dramatic Mirror:

ACTOR'S ADVENTURES IN AFRICA.

Reginald H. Barlow, legitimate actor, and sometime soldier in Her Majesty's service in South Africa, arrived at his home in this city last Friday. He was the centre of considerable interest as he made his way from the station to report at the Actor's Society headquarters, for he wore the picturesque uniform of the Canadian Imperial Volunteers, a costume hitherto unknown to New Yorkers, only through the illustrated periodicals. He walked with a good swing, too, the deep tan on his cheeks proved that he had lately seen active service in the field, and the Rialto dwellers rubbed their eyes again before they recognized in the seeming stranger their former comrade, Reginald H. Barlow, leading and heavy.

The returned soldier had the appearance of a man with an interesting story to tell, and it was not long after his arrival, that Mr. Barlow was seated opposite the Mirror reporter at a familiar old table upon which were marshaled two "Scotch highballs." As the highballs gradually lowered in the glasses, the following tale was told: To begin with, said Mr. Barlow, the war in South Africa was none of my business. I am a native of Cambridge, Mass., got my education at Harvard, and after entering the profession played almost entirely in the United States, but when the call for volunteers came fourteen months ago I was playing with the Valentine Stock Co., at Winnipeg, where one of the recruiting stations was established, and the temptation to enlist was too strong to be overcome. The last part I played with the Valentine Company was Richelieu, in the Three Musketeers. I was nicknamed the "Cardinal" the day I joined the first Canadian contingent, and by that name I was known through the whole campaign. We went from Winnipeg to Quebec, sailed from there to Capetown, and after a fortnight's rest, the distance of 600 miles by rail began a march that, with few interruptions, lasted nearly a year, during that period we marched 1,630 miles and fought in thirty-seven engagements. During one period of thirty days we marched 340 miles and were only three days without fighting. We slept under canvas only a few nights, comparatively, during the campaign, most of time we slept in the open—and often after a hard day's march we lay down too exhausted even to remove our accoutrements. But everything that could be done for our comfort was done. England takes good care of her soldiers. I sometimes wonder, when short, but that was unavoidable. Nearly all our food supplies came from the United States, and a good part of them were Yankees, since there were more than 21,000 of my countrymen fighting on the British side in South Africa.

Occasionally our leader became almost like Mother Hubbard's cupboard. At Paarlburg we lived on one biscuit a day when we were forcing our way to Conje's laager we were doing hard work on empty stomachs. Once inside the laager we found a store of flour—but only four. How to make it satisfy was a difficult question until one of the fellows discovered that very tasty cakes could be made by frying it in vaseline. Each man had a bottle of vaseline in his kit. A very welcome addition to our menu through the courtesy of Charles Arnold, who with his company was playing "What Happened to Jones," in Cape Town. Mr. Arnold, the receipts of the children's performance that he gave to the purchase of grapes, which he forwarded to us at the front. There never were better grapes and there never will be better grapes than those grapes were. During the whole campaign I was wounded only once, and long ago I entirely recovered from the hurt. Of course, I had a good many close calls, but as good as dead as a nail, yet know. The first Canadian contingent closed its season at Pretoria, and we had a great celebration there just before we started home. We Americans said good-bye to Tommy Atkins—and we had grown very fond of him. Our regiment had marched and camped and fought side by side with the Gordon Highlanders for many months and men get to know each other rather well under those conditions. I had the honor to make the farewell address to Tommy Atkins, speaking as a representative of the Canadians.

When we got back to Cape Town we stopped awhile, and I appeared at the theatre there as "Middewick" in "Our Boys," of which a special performance was given. We came home by way of England and during the ten days we spent on English soil we enjoyed the most generous hospitality that a hospitable nation could provide. The whole city of London kept open house for us. The first Canadian contingent made me its representative singer, and everywhere I went I was expected to sing the Canadian national song, "The Land of the Maple." I sang it at the Lyceum, the Empire, the Savoy, the Strand, the Pavilion, the Palace, Daly's in London, and the Star in Liverpool; and I had the honor also to sing it before the Queen at Windsor. After I had sung it at the Lyceum Theatre in London the company presented me with this diamond ring as a souvenir.

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A book on cause and cure of piles will be mailed free by addressing the Pyramid Co., Marshall, Mich.

## TILBURY

May 4.—Mac Bruce, of London, late of Tilbury, was in town yesterday.

W. D. Smith, of Tilbury, was in Leamington this week on business. He has procured a house and will move there.

A pianola, in charge of the Mason & Risch Piano Co., will be on exhibition at the Big Store next week.

The banns of Miss Mary Larch, of Tilbury, and Arthur Dampshire, of Tilbury North, have been announced in St. Francis' Church.

Wm. Stevenson of Chatham Business College, is spending Saturday and Sunday at his home here.

The young people of the Methodist Church are working up an Epworth League rally for Sunday, 12th inst. Dr. Thornton and I. Brock, of Chatham, are expected to take part.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's Drug Store.

## Testimonial

P. S. COATE, Esq., Manager, Sec. and Treas., Chatham Gas Co.

Having used a gas range for the past two years, I am in a position to state that for economy, speed and cleanliness, it exceeds all other means of cooking. Anyone desiring either one or the other of the above very essential features of housekeeping, should not hesitate in the use of one, without delay.

Yours,

WILLIAM BLIGHT.

## DRESDEN

May 4.—Mrs. E. Miller is moving into the house owned by Mrs. Pringley, on Hughes street.

Quite an excitement was created yesterday by a team of horses running away, owned by Mayor Ribble, which took fright at the town hall, running along St. George street, and colliding with two other wagons, smashing them to pieces. Then they turned on a hard day's march, they were caught without any damage being done to themselves or their wagon.

The monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held at the residence of Joshua Wright on Thursday, May 9th, at eight p. m.

## JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Miss Fields was a guest of Mrs. H. J. Carter on Sunday.

Thomas Dalton, of Detroit, is at the lighthouse.

N. Myers will run Captain Joyce's naphtha launch this summer.

J. Bagnal has built a naphtha launch which will be ready for use in about ten days. Park Bros., of Chatham, are putting in the engine.

S. Bagnal has a very fine field of wheat.

John Bagnal was in Detroit Thursday.

Seine and hoop-net fishing closed on Tuesday. The fishermen report a fairly successful season.

A party of children plucked at the lighthouse on Saturday.

Quarterly services will be held in the Methodist church here on Sunday Sunday next, when holy communion will be administered. The Rev. Mr. Kennedy will conduct the service. The business meeting will be held on the following Tuesday afternoon, when a full attendance of the members of the quarterly board is earnestly requested.

When a woman goes for the proof of a picture she has had taken, it is with the hope that she will turn out better-looking than she has always been thought to be.

## Want This Lamp?

Ask your druggist to show it to you. This is the way you use Vapo-Cresolene: You put some Cresolene in the vaporizer, light the lamp beneath, and breathe in the vapor. It is the most healing, most soothing and most penetrating vapor that is known. Not a single disease germ can live in it. For whooping-cough and croup it is a positive and quick cure, while for all throat and bronchial troubles it is the best remedy you can use.

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## PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.  
Toronto, May 4.—10 a. m.—Light to moderate variable winds, fine and milder. Sunday, fine and very mild.

## Births, Marriages and Deaths.

DEED

SMITH—On Saturday, May 4th, 1901, Edward Smith, Sr., aged 83.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, Lacroix street, at 2:30 on Monday, to Maple Leaf Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

James Sterling, of Blenheim, is in the city.

Frank Avis leaves on Monday for Buffalo.

J. W. White was in Leamington Friday on business.

Boy wanted, with some knowledge of printing. Apply at Planet.

E. E. Boulton, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday.

Jno. Badwell, of Jeannette's Creek, is in the city to-day.

Miss Lizzie Dicks, Wellington St., is laid up with a gripe.

Miss Lettie Burwell, of Ridgetown, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Harvey, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. W. G. Burrows, of Victoria ave.

A reward is offered for a watch which was lost this morning. See advt.

James Martin leaves to-morrow for his home in St. Clair, having finished his course in the C. B. C. here.

Miss Nellie Judson leaves in two weeks for Buffalo, where she will in future reside with her sister.

Wm. Bay, who is leaving the city, has instructed Andrew Thomson to sell all his household effects on May 7th. See advt.

J. Maritt, of Raleigh, was in the city yesterday on his return from visiting several cities in the east.

Private money to loan at lowest current rates with liberal privileges of repayment, by Thrasher & Arnold, solicitors, Fifth St.

It is worth your while to call and see the nice assortment of rustic chairs, lawn seats, lawn flower stands at Westman Bros.

Dr. Russell, dentist, has removed his office to cor. King and Fifth streets, over Merchants Bank.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of Campbell A. M. E. Church will meet at Mrs. L. A. Deiling's next Monday evening at 8 p. m.

The advisory board of the Children's Aid Society will meet on Tuesday afternoon next at 4:15 in Christ Church Sunday school hall.

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There are nearly a hundred men on the payroll at the Drader's stove mill, and Mr. Drader didn't ask for a bonus or free site, either.

Andrew Hartford, of Leamington, visited his son, John, King street, this week. Mr. Hartford reports more building in Leamington this season than has been for years.

The annual meeting of Christ Church Guild will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. It is hoped that all the members will make an effort to be present.

Master Ray Peck will contribute a violin solo at the St. Andrew's Sunday school to-morrow afternoon. Master Peck is a student of Mr. H. R. McCaw.

The marriage took place yesterday afternoon of Miss Ethel J. Barstow, of Grand Rapids, to Melvin Smith, of Cleveland. The ceremony took place at the Park St. Methodist Church parsonage. The young couple left at 4:20 for the States.

John Hartford received a letter from his brother, who with others to join Baden-Powell's forces in South Africa. The letter was dated Cape Verde Islands. He reports a very pleasant voyage, along with Charlie Ryd, this city. They have since landed in Cape Town.

The regular meeting of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., will be held on Monday evening, May 6th, and a large attendance is particularly desired, visiting members of the craft being at all times heartily welcomed. Program for Monday evening:—General business, passing the ballot, conferring degrees, and refreshment.

A concert was given last evening in the Canada Business College, in aid of the athletic institutions connected with the college, and was well attended. The following program was rendered and enjoyed by everyone present:—Recitation, Miss How; solo, Miss Humphrey; singing, Mr. Dale; recitation, Miss Eva Barstow; solo, Miss Elsie Drader; piano solo, Frank Phelan; recitation, Miss Howe; solo, Clarence Terry.

OFFICERS ELECTED.  
Victoria Avenue League met last evening and elected officers for 1901 as follows: President—Fred Thompson.

1st Vice-Pres.—J. W. Humphrey.  
2nd Vice-Pres.—Robt. Clements.  
3rd Vice-Pres.—Lily Burrows.  
4th Vice-Pres.—Harry Parrott.  
Secretary—Lettie Fife.  
Treasurer—Fay Foy.

W. E. Rispien asks us to announce the popular Thursday excursions to Detroit via Grand Trunk and Wabash Railways on Thursday next, 2nd of May. Fare \$1, tickets good returning next day.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

## LOST.

LOST—This morning, between Harvey street and the Grand Trunk station, or on Lorne avenue, a gold watch. With initials, M. M. H., on case. The finder will be rewarded by returning to Planet Office. Saturday, May 4. Edw.

## WANTED.

PRINTER WANTED—With two years experience. Apply at Planet Office.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—At the Westcott House, Dresden. Apply at once.

WANTED, BOARDERS—Business or professional men preferred. Large rooms. Best location in the city. Mrs. L. Marshall, cor. Murray St. and Lansdowne Ave.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, good wages, small family. Apply personally to Mrs. W. S. Marshall.

BLACKSMITH WANTED—As partner in horseshoeing and jobbing shop. Terms easy. Apply to Wm. F. Thomas, Port Stanley, Ont.

MEN WANTED—Ten saw and stove mill men wanted, good wages paid to good steady men. A. A. Scott, McGregor, Ont.

WANTED—A thoroughly competent girl for general housework in family of two; must be first-class cook; wages \$3.00 per week. Chatham references required. Address Mrs. J. H. Prentiss, 1430 Hill St., Ann Arbor, Mich.

WANTED—Reliable men—in every locality throughout Canada to introduce our goods, tacking up show cards on trees, fences, along roads, and all conspicuous places, also distributing small advertising matter. Commission or salary, \$60 per month and expenses, not to exceed \$2.50 per day. Steady employment to good, honest, reliable men. No experience needed. Write for particulars. The EMPIRE MEDICINE CO., London.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—75 Lorne Ave. Apply to W. H. Nichol, King street.

FOR SALE—A nice Jersey cow and calf, a few days old. Apply to E. Barr, Murray street.

PIANO FOR SALE—New upright; can be purchased at a bargain. Apply at The Planet Office.

\$500 Will buy one and a half acres on Victoria avenue. \$400 will buy 6 lots in one block on Maple street. Apply at Planet Office.

TO RENT—House on Victoria Avenue, lately occupied by Rufus Stephenson, Esq. Also Chilcote Cottage, at the East. Apply to Thomas Scullaro, barrister, etc., 26 Victoria Block, Chatham.

PIANO FOR SALE—A good modern square piano, with carved legs, for sale cheap, made by Haines Bros., N. Y. Apply to or address John Glassford, box 219, Chatham, Ont.

SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria Avenue, and six on Maple street. For full particulars apply to S. STEPHENSON, Planet Office.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—103 acres of land in Camden township, good farming district, 62 acres cleared, balance under pasture, fine young orchard bearing nicely, good house, cistern and barns. Easy terms. Address S. R. N., care Planet Office.

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HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT—A 7 room cottage on Park Ave., with all modern improvements, good well, cistern, etc., with either one or two acres of land. Terms moderate. Apply to JAMES CARSWELL, Architect.

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## Part of Them

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