

The Planet

A. STEPHENSON - Proprietor.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13TH.

WELCOME TO THEIR EXCELLEN-
CIES.

Very heartily do the people of Chatham extend welcome to their Excellencies, Lord and Lady Minto, on the occasion of their visit to the Maple City.

While the brevity of their stay is to be regretted Chathamites by their loyal greeting have given practical evidence of the oft-expressed wish, "May they soon come back again."

DISTRICT DOINGS.

WALLACEBURG

May 13—G. McCosh spent Sunday at his home in Chatham.

J. Harrison, of Detroit, is spending a few days with friends in town.

Geo. Wooliver, of Detroit, is home on an extended visit.

Claude McDougall, Pharmacy, Toronto, is home for the holidays.

Rev. Fathers O'Brien and Devlin, Missionary Fathers, held special services in the R. C. church all last week.

Mrs. H. S. Dupuy and family bid good-bye to their many friends and left last night for their new home at Amherst, N. S. Mr. Dupuy will remain a few days longer, when he will be succeeded by Mr. Dick, formerly of the Stratford branch of the Bank of Montreal.

Master Dean McDonald gave a birthday party to his many friends yesterday.

DRESDEN

May 12—John Gaister spent Sunday in Windsor.

The ladies of Christ Church will hold a Coffee in aid of the Parsonage Fund at the residence of Mrs. J. C. Tassie, North Dresden, on Friday evening, from 8 to 10. All are welcome.

The remains of the late William Aikin arrived in town last evening. The funeral took place to-day from the residence of his brother, Robert Aikin.

May 13—Mrs. Jamie Lawrence is very ill.

The street sprinkler did good work on the business streets yesterday.

L. Peters has sold his livery business to William Tapp.

A large number of Dresdensites enjoyed a day at Mitchell's Bay yesterday.

John W. Harris is having his house repainted.

Mrs. W. A. Johnson, of Tilbury, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. Sager.

Mrs. (Rev.) Norman Lindsay has returned from a weeks visit to her mother, Mrs. Currie, of Toronto.

E. L. Bear has had his barn removed to Centre street.

A young son of Frank Kimmerly is ill with scarlet fever.

TILBURY

May 13—Roy Struthers, of Detroit Business College, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. James Struthers.

Miss Alice Stephenson, of Essex, was the guest of Miss Helen Young on Sunday.

F. M. Scarff has sold his livery stable to the Messrs. Prendergast, of this village, for \$2,000.

Earl Sheldrick, of Chatham, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Minnie Sager returned to her home in Dresden on Saturday after an extended visit with her aunt here, Mrs. W. A. Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson accompanied her to Dresden.

May 12—Miss M. Sharp, who has been the guest of her brother here, Dr. and Mrs. Sharp, the past month, left yesterday on a trip to Duluth.

Mrs. Burgess, of Essex, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Carless, at Rosedale.

Mr. Brophy, father of Mrs. H. Lewis and Mrs. J. Laird, of this village, died on Sunday at his home in London.

Mrs. Cascardan returned to her home in St. Thomas yesterday after a short visit with relatives in this vicinity.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK

Miss Lulu Hamilton spent Monday and Tuesday in Chatham.

Blonde Bros., Chatham, are putting up a frame building for John Kendall.

Mrs. Rouse, of Ingersoll, is the guest of Mrs. Venning.

Mr. and Mrs. Cartier are settled in their home.

A party from Chatham enjoyed a day's fishing at the lighthouse on Saturday.

At a meeting held in the S.S. Hall last Friday evening it was decided to change the Sunday service from the afternoon to 10.30 a. m. and Sunday School at 11.30 a. m. beginning next Sunday. A new appointment will be opened in Raleigh about nine miles from here.

Miss Farquharson has had a large book-case placed in the school for the library books.

The Quarterly Board of the Methodist church met on Monday afternoon and held a very successful business meeting.

Rev. Mr. Kennedy, of Tilbury, conducted the services here on Sunday in the Methodist church. Mr. Down took Mr. Kennedy's appointment in Tilbury.

The Quarterly Board of the Methodist church held a very satisfactory meeting on Monday afternoon.

It's nothing unusual for a sail to sing off the quay.

Error is a great deal worse than ignorance; it is better to know nothing than to know what isn't true.

Nothing
Tastes Good

And eating is simply perfunctory—done because it must be.

This is the common complaint of the dyspeptic.

If eating sparingly would cure dyspepsia, few would suffer from it long.

The only way to cure dyspepsia, which is difficult digestion, is to give vigor and tone to the stomach and the whole digestive system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cured Mrs. Frances Blodgett, of Windsor, Ont. She writes: "I am fully cured. I can eat and sleep as well as I can. It worked like a charm, restored a healthy appetite and toned my whole system."

Mr. Webb, "I cannot praise it too highly for the good it has done me."

Hood's Sarsaparilla Promises to cure and keeps the promise. Don't wait till you are worse, but buy a bottle today.

Local Briefs

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. Ladies Midget String Ties at The 2 T's.

Miss Annie Orr, of the postoffice staff, is seriously ill.

Mrs. Walter Macpherson, Dresden, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Mitchell, of Wallaceburg, were guests in the city yesterday.

H. Simms and Chas. Chubb, of Wallaceburg, spent yesterday with their Chatham friends.

Lawn mowers repaired and sharpened at Brisco's; mowers called for and returned. Tel. 297.

Mrs. H. S. Dupuy and family, of Wallaceburg, were guests at the Garner House yesterday.

Letters of administration to the estate of the late William F. Bowes have been granted to John Bowes.

Judge Woods is holding Division Court in Merlin to-day. J. G. Kerr and W. G. Richards were in attendance at the Court.

Harry Andrew found the purse containing a sum of money and a number of papers that was advertised in yesterday's Planet and left it at this office.

Dunn & Merritt and S. B. Arnold have put up new awnings in front of their offices on Fifth street. They say they are living in hopes that the building will be painted before fall.

Joseph Martin, Dover Township, was arrested by Major Coogan on Saturday on the charge of theft. The Major had quite a chase for his man, but persevered till he was secured.

All members of Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., are requested to be present at their meeting on May 14, as there is some very important matters to be brought before the Court. Don't fail to be present.

Lost, on Tuesday, May 12th, on Balldoon street, a small valise with name D. C. McMullen on it. Contained stationery and papers pertaining to Business College work. Finder will be rewarded by returning to this office.

The electric vapor launch Winkle took a little jaunt up the river Sunday afternoon. Capt. E. Blake Arnold, owner, and Douglas Glass, E. J. MacIntyre and Bert Jones were aboard. The day was delightful and the little craft sped merrily along.

Carolina Barbara, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Huff, Gravel Road, Raleigh, died on Saturday after a short illness. The little girl had been ill for a few days and her death was quite unexpected. The funeral took place yesterday.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of the late David Mills at Palmyra to-day. Those from Chatham were Judge Bell and Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Geo. Stephens, Crown Attorney H. D. Smith, Col. J. B. Rankin, K. C., Judge Houston, John A. Walker, R. H. Stevens, Sheriff Gemmill and R. L. Bracklin.

Action is being taken in the Division Court to collect from those who subscribed for stock in the Chatham Binder Twine Co. and have failed to pay up. There is about \$3,000 still outstanding and all this will be collected. Those who have neglected paying will probably now have to pay and in addition will have the Division Court costs to meet.

Due are owed by some 15 or 20 persons. The largest amount is \$500, owed by a man who subscribed for 50 shares but has not yet paid up.

Body and Brains.

Wizened little bodies and big brains or big strong bodies and no brains—neither one of these makes a good combination.

To produce big healthy bodies and big healthy brains take Scott's Emulsion.

Childhood is the best time to commence.

Scott's Emulsion contains food for bone and nerve and flesh and blood. Scott's Emulsion promotes growth and proper development.

Just the thing for weak children.

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Boys' Week. . .

A house built of cards on exhibition in our Window; the boy guessing the exact or nearest number of cards in house will get a suit free.

Children's Fancy Suits, 25 odd suits up to \$4.50, while they last,

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Boys and Children's Brown Suits, 2 and 3 pieces. The very latest possible style. 2 button D. B.

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TORONTO

SOLD EVERYWHERE

A. M. Elliott, of Bothwell, spent yesterday in the city.

Mrs. Wm. Coogan, Head street, received a message yesterday announcing the death of her brother-in-law, William Aikin, brother of Robert Aikin, Dresden. The remains arrived yesterday and were taken to Dresden for interment.

Rufus S. French, an old Collegiate Institute pupil, son of the late Peter French, Chatham Township, who has been High Secretary of the Foresters of Western Ohio, for the past three terms, has just been elected for two years city comptroller for the city of Grand Rapids, Mich., at a salary of twenty-six hundred dollars per annum. Mr. French's father was one of the most ardent Conservatives in the County, and in compliment to his old friend, the late Rufus Stephenson, he gave his young son the same name.

ONE ON JOHN

Ex-Ald. John Liddy enjoyed a little experience yesterday morning that makes the worthy ex-alderman quite confident like that he could play slider-tracked in the little comedy of that name as he has already played the leading role in real life.

The ex-alderman has been in the habit of coming down town each morning in a suburban freight car. There is a little difference of opinion between Mr. Liddy and the railroad and the railroad is laying for Mr. Liddy—not golden eggs either.

This morning when he came out of his residence he saw the train already to start. The engineer tooted his whistle and Mr. Liddy, fearing he would be left ran about 400 yards to catch the train. The poor innocent didn't realize that the trainmen were laying for him. After he had clambered into his own private freight car he removed his hat, mopped his forehead and sat down to enjoy a pipe full of tobacco. When he boarded the car the engine was attached already to proceed to the city. The ex-alderman smoked out his pipe and was filling it again when it suddenly struck him that it took a long time to make down town. Looking out, he discovered that the scenery hadn't changed since he boarded the train. Looking at his watch he found that he had just been an hour. Mr. Liddy on investigating found that the wicked trainmen had played a cruel joke on him and he was on a fast train instead of a suburban as he had imagined. The trainmen had waited till the spur fighter had clambered aboard and had then quietly unhooked the engine and left the worthy ex-alderman and his train fast to the track.

DO YOU

Need any of the undermentioned goods? The price and quality should interest you.

Edinburgh Kipperd Herrings large tins, 100

7 lbs. Cooking Figs, 250

3 cans Blueberries, 250

50 package Sunlight Soap Powder, 40

2 lbs Rokee Cereal Coffee for, 220

2 lbs Evaporated Apricots, 250

3 large tins Mustard Sardines, 250

250 Wash Boards, 200

7 lb Pails Jam, 450

Salmon, per can, 100

Our Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets are marked low to make it interesting for you. We will make a still further reduction of 10 cents on the dollar on the above, also on all China and Glassware. Big bargains; lots to choose from.

John McConnell,

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Curtains and
Window Drapes

Lace curtains at 25c pair—5 yards to the pair, taped edges, neat designs, strong lace, special at a pair 35c and 25c.

Lace curtains at 50c pair — Very pretty designs, overlook edges, 5 yards long good, special at a pair 50c.

Lace curtains at 75c pair—3 yards long, full width, new designs in fishnet lace, overlook edges, good value at 90c pair, our special at 75c.

Lace curtains at \$1.00 pair—6 and 7 yards long, 54 inches wide, beautiful new designs, in fine net, overlook edges, special a pair \$1.00.

Lace curtains at \$1.50 a pair—Fine Nottingham lace, plain centres with beautiful border designs, overlook edges, full 7 yards long, 54 inches wide, the best values in Canada, at a pair \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Door panels—in fine Brussels, net, choice assortment of styles and sizes, at each 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c and \$1.00.

Door panel net by the yard—Pretty designs, for single or double panels, overlook edges, special per yard 20c and 35c.

Art muslins—An immense range of new patterns and colorings, fine soft quality, fast colors, at per yard 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c, 12 1-2c and 15c.

Curtain scrim—White, cream and ecru, 36 to 50 inches wide, pretty lace designs, at a yard 18c, 15c, 12 1-2c and 10c.

Curtain scrim — 54 inches wide, pretty designs, heavy lace on both edges, cream and white, special per yard 25c and 20c.

Window shades—Good quality cloth in full range of colors, mounted on spring rollers, complete at each 25c.

Window shades—Fine cloth, in every wanted color, mounted on guaranteed Hartshorn spring rollers, complete at each 35c, 40c, 50c and 75c.

White enamel cottage poles—Corro- gated with fancy brass or silver end fixtures, complete at each 20c, 15c and 12 1-2c.

Brass extension poles—Will extend 54 inches, with large brass ends, complete at each 15c.

Sash rods—Brass extension sash rods, complete at each 5c.

Carpets—If in need of a carpet you cannot afford to overlook this carpet stock of ours; you'll find the styles and qualities right and the prices lower than same quality will be elsewhere.

Lace Curtains at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 a pair—Finest grades Nottingham Lace Curtains in rich designs, 50 in. to 60 in. wide, 3 1-2 yds. long, overlook edges, the best values we have ever shown at a pair \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

FLOOR OIL CLOTH

2,000 yards best grades Floor Oil Cloths in large range of newest patterns, 1 yd., 1 1/2 yds., 1 1/2 yds. and 2 yds. and 2 1/2 yds. wide, matchless values at per yd., 40c, 35c and 25 cents.

Brussels Curtains—Fine Brussels Net, full size, in beautiful applique designs overlook edges, extra special values at a pair \$1.00, \$1.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$10.00.

New Tapestry Curtains—An immense range of handsome new styles rich colorings, large size, in plain colors, daddies and all-over designs, with heavy fringed ends, matchless values at a pair \$2.75, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$7.50, \$9.00 and \$12.00.

Curtain Lace, taped edges, choice designs, extra value at—

36-in. wide, per yard, 10c.

42-in. wide, per yard, 12 1-2c.

44-in. wide, per yard, 15c.

48-in. wide, per yard, 18c.

50-in. wide, per yard, 20c.

Coin Spot Muslins—Fine Swiss, and Scotch muslins, in large, medium and small spots and new figured designs, special at per yard 12 1-2c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c.

Bobbin Nets—Plain, fine quality, soft finish, white and cream, 2 yards wide, at 35c, 30c and 25c.

Bobbin Net—Plain, 80 inches wide, for spreads, etc., special, a yard, 25c.

Fancy net—2 yards wide, fine quality, at per yard 35c and 40c.

STRICTLY CASH THE NORTHWAY CO'Y, Ltd. ONE LOWEST PRICE

WANTED—GIRLS WANTED—For dining room at Hotel Garner.

WANTED—Competent men to appoint agents, whole or spare time. Commission paid. Apply John Doyle, Drawer 831, London.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; good wages. Apply Mrs. Ridout, care Canadian Bank of Commerce, Walkerville, Ont.

WANTED—A capable man to attend to garden, stable, driving carriage, housework, etc. References required. Good wages, and if suitable to be hired by the year. Chas. R. Atkinson.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FOR SALE—Gladstone buggy for sale cheap; cost \$135. Apply at this office.

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., apply to Mrs. Tinsman, Room 5, Victoria Block.

TO RENT—House No. 5, Riverside Terrace, to let, possession 1st of June. Apply at once to W. E. Rispin, 115 King street.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Three houses on Grant St., and house and lot on Victoria Ave. For particulars, apply to Thos. Scullard, Victoria Block, or at this office.

FOR SALE — Fine residence and grounds for sale, house has all modern conveniences; 3 1-2 acres of ground, out door fruit cellar, as well as cellar under nearly the whole house, stable for four animals, plenty of pasture for horse and cow; best chicken run in Chatham. Possession at once, or will rent to good careful tenant. Apply to Wilson, Pike and Gandy.

NOTICE

The Council of the County of Kent will meet pursuant to adjournment in the Council Chamber, Harrison Hall, Chatham, on Monday, the 1st day of June, 1903, at seven o'clock p. m., for the despatch of general business.

J. GOSNELL, County Clerk.

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