Some of the choicest are already here, many still on their way. A visit to this store will be profitable and entertaining, moreover you can form an opinion as to what is to be correct for

Spring and Summer 1902

### New Muslins

Rich designs, exclusively confined to this store, some have left our counters already, but while they are for sale you are not urged to buy. This is a muslin show and we would be pleased to have you pass your judgment on our muslins.

New Ginghams, Prints, Chambrays, Best Swiss Allovers, Organdies, Silk Organdies, Lawns, Linen, Lawns, Nainsooks, Dimities, Embroideries.

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System. W. E. RISPIN, City Pass. Agent, 115 King St.

#### The Letter-Box

ABOUT THE LIBRARY.

Editor Planet: Sir,-Regarding the offer of Mr Carnegie of \$15,000 for the purpose of building a free library for Chatham, Il beg leave to make a few remarks

on the important subject. The Library Board is criticised for asking a donation from Mr. Carnegie, who expresses pro-Boer sentiments and has the reputation of oppressing labor, etc. Why should the Board be swayed by a few citizens opinions along the line of patriotism? They got the offer by asking for it. Why not take it? As regards "blood money," "pro-Boerism," and "begging," is there not in the churches, and business houses of this city, specimen of the above that would put Carnegie to shame. What church in this city has not begged and accepted money from any and everybody whether an adherent of the church, a drunkard, or a follower of Bob Ingersoll? If Mr. Carnegie wishes to rid himself of his surplus wealth and atone for past misdeeds, why not accept his rew thousands to place at the disposal of our reading and thinking population? Had we all libraries and ccess to literature the same as some of those who are opposed to this of-fer we would not have occasion to ac-

cept this or any other such offer.

Better for us to build a monument to Carnegie than to let the minds and bodies of our people shrivel and A few more degenerate waiting for the public spirited citizens to give us a lift like they did when the Y. M. C. A. was about to start here. So many of our days for people who need Boots, Shoes,

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about to start here. So many of our good citizens were so sentimental then and so much in favor of that scheme that they forgot to give our Y. M. C. A. a boost along with a few dollars, and the consequence was that it drivelled away and came out a discovered our situ and be Rubbers, grace to the name of our city and a setback to a scheme worthy of the place Carnegie would give us for a

free library.
Our council is constantly, and to description.

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come in to-day girls, and at the same the council and prominent citizens should endeathis ever increasing population are to find places of recreation, amuse-ment, and the passing of a spare nour. There is springing up in our city places where young men spend good health, good time and good. money on causes that would make

Carnegie blush. Let any of our prominent citizens offer to build a free library for this city and the monuncutal idea would immediately present itself to those who are asserting it to-day. How many of your friends next 1st July will you take around to see our

nodious quarters? By all means accept Carnegie's offer and do not risk chances on anyone here ever doing as much or our new library building will be placed along side of Teyumseh's monument. ONE OF THE PEOPLE.

resent library building

# DISTRICT DOINGS.

TILBURY Feb. 24.-Mrs. (Dr.) Macdonald, of

Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Powell. Miss Bell Shaw left yesterday to attend the millinery openings in Lon-don and Toronto, after which she will take charge of W. O. Franklin's millinery department in Port Rowan. Mrs. Crawford leaves to-day on a

rip to Toronto.
Miss Lottie Adams, of Fletcher spent Sunday with her brother, B. Adams, and left last night to attend the millinery openings in Toronto.

Mrs. Geo. Wands, of Chatham, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Henderson, Tilbury North.

Miss Bell Wilson spent Saturday in

#### WALLACEBURG

Feb. 24.-Allan Fraser has returned to Detroit, after spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fraser. Arthur Clancy left Saturday for

Essex, where he will accept a position in the Imperial Bank Rev. Mr. McGregor, of Comber, took charge of the services in Knox Church yesterday. Rev. Mr. Nicol preached the anniversary services in the Pres-byterian Church, Comber, very accept-

Bishop Baldwin will perform the rites of confirmation in St. James' Church Sunday morning, March 9th. He will also preach Sunday evening here, while confirmation service will be held at Beecher Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ethel Baughman of Chatham, returned Saturday evening, after vis-

returned Saturday evening, after visiting friends in town.

At the meeting of the Board of Trade last Friday evening, the resolution was adopted for the appointment of a delegation to be sent to the Dominion Government, asking for a sugar bounty or tariff.

The Public School Board met Friday to discuss and arrange certain day to discuss and arrange certain matters of interest.

#### BLEHENIM

Feb. 24.—The Rev. Mr. Barber de-livered two fine sermons in the Pres-byterian Church yesterday. Rev. Mr. Munroe will occupy the pulpit next We regret to report that Mrs. Jas.

# Still Quick With Interest

# Overcoat Sale

We've sold a great lot of overcoats in the last two weeks. Even though the woods are full of bargains, the public is quick to appreciate a real chance in live, meritorious, fashionable garments. The response to our sale announcements has been worthy of the goods and of the store's reputation. From every point of view it pays to win and hold the confidence of the people.

But though sales have been on a large scale there is still room for lively selling in the next few days. Most of the wanted styles are still well represented in our stock. Swagger coats, long loose raglan bodied shapes, big, boxy chesterfields. Plenty of smart pea jackets for men and boys, and a good showing still of those splendid frieze ulsters. It's a boys' sale as well as a man's. Ask for the sort of coat you want whether it is described or not -everything goes at sale prices.

Men's heavy double-breasted ulsters of all-wool black 

Men's ulsters made of 32 ounce black Canadian a's ulsters made of 35 blacked wool frieze with extra fine checked wool linings. Were \$7.00 and \$7.50, \$5.00

Black and blue beaver overcoats, the finest styles and making we ever offered at \$4.00

Black and blue beaver coats, single and double breast ed, with silk velvet collars, stylish cut, first-clas trimmings, Regular \$7.00

Black curl cloth fly-front coats, cut medium long and full, with plain seams and silk velvet collar, reg. price \$8, at

Young men's gray cheviot coats, stylish cut with black wool Italian lining and silk velvet collars. Were \$10, now. \$7.00

Those very handsome raglan bodied gray cheviot coats that we sold throughout the season at \$12. Two styles, both splendid cloth, made in the top of present style, with finest trimmings and velveteen pockets, now clearing \$8.00

Pea jackets for men. youths and boys, all sharply cut. See them.

#### DR. RUSSELL DENTIST.

ing & 5th Sts., over Merchts' Bank

Evening Appointments flade \*

Baird continues to be very ill. Mr. Alden Fowler, of Alberta, N. W. T., who has been visiting his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Johnson, Chatham to-day, where he will visit for a few days before re-

turning home Another large union mass meeting was held last evening in the Opera House, it being filled to its utmost ca-House, it being filled to its utmost capacity. Music was furnished by the several choirs. Miss Tischbourne sang very acceptably. The speakers of the evening were Mr. Shillington and Rew. Messrs. Jones, Rice and Brown, who gave very interesting addresses on the prohibition question.

The meeting was called to a close at 10 o'clock. C. L. VonGunten occupied the chair.

THE MEDICINAL PROPERTIES OF

GIN. "From the fact that juniper berries are the most powerful of all diureties, Gin is frequently prescribed in disease of the urimary organs. Its beneficial effects in such cases are most marked."—Encyclopedia Britan-

But to be of any medicinal value Gin must be of absolute purity and perfectly matured. For this reason physicians when recommending the use of Gin always specify Melcher's Red Cross Brand, which is the only Gin that has been thoroughly matur-ed for years in bonded warehouses and bottled under Government supervis-

#### HAY MARKET

It is Locally Much Weaker Than it has Been for Some Time.

said a local dealer to The Planet, "is very much weaker than it has been any time during the last four months. The very large quantities which have gone forward during that time for export, to Liverpool, London and Glasgow, has somewnat overstocked the market and caused a decided fall

"It is hard to tell if the market will recover this season and exporters are all very uneasy and indifferent about future deliveries.

"The local dealers are still paying

from \$5 to \$6 per ton on all old unfilled contracts, but are unable to make any future sales at prices which would permit them paying this money.
"There has been little or no hay from this section sent to South Africa, the demand there being practically filled, as far as Canada is concerned, almost exclusively cerned, almost exclusively from the Province of Quebec. Millet is selling at 60 cents flat."

When you want an artistic design, made with the choicest and freshest flowers, your wants can always be supplied at the Victoria Avenue Green Houses.

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### Wood

J. Gilbert & Co.,

Prince Henry's Trip

He will journey over the New York Central Lines, through the great centres of population and the highways of commerce, during a portion of his visit to this country. In his trip through this country

Prince Henry of Prussia will have a great opportunity to Study American railroads, and the leading companies have been anxious to show the Royal visitor their rolling stock and roadbed. That the reputation of the New York Central Lines is not only na-York Central Lines is not only na-York Central Lines is not only national, but international, as evidenced by the selection of the standard roads in preparing the ithnerary for Prince Henry's tour. An officer, high in diplomatic circles, who is an admirer of American methods, after looking over the schedules, cogently remarked to his colleagues, that the New York Central had evidently arranged to present the science of railroading to Prince Henry in its highest develop-

The following is the schedule over the New York Central Lines:
On Wednesday, March 5th, at 12.30
a. m., the Royal Special will leave
Chicago for Niagara Falls, via the
Lake Shore & Michigan Southern

Chicago for Niagara Falls, via the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad, arriving m Buffalo at 2.45 p. m. (stop fifteen minutes). Leave Buffalo at 3.00 p. m., via New York Central, arrive Niagara Falls 3.45 p. m., two hours and fifteen minutes at Niagara Falls. (Train to be conveniently located during stay); leave Niagara Falls 6.00 p. m., via New York Central, arrive Rochester 8.15 p. m. (Stop twenty minutes); leave Rochester 8.35 p. m., arrive Syracuse 40.25 p. m., (stop ten minutes); leave Syracuse 10.35 p. m., arrive Albany about 2.00 Thursday morning.

On Thursday, March 6th, the Royal Special will arrive Boston at 10.00 a. m., via Boston & Albany Railroad—day and evening in Boston. (Train to be conveniently located during stay). Friday, March 7th, via Boston & Albany Railroad, leave Boston 2.00 a. m., arrive Albany 8.30 a. m., (stop two hours). Leave Albany at 10.30 a. m., via West Shore Railroad, arrive West Point 2.00 p. m., (stop two hours). Leave West Point at 4.00 p. m., arrive New York 5.45 p. m. Special ferry from Weehawken.

Saturday and Sunday, March 8th and 9th, in New York.

The German Embassy has expressed gratification at the selection of the

and 9th, in New York.

The German Embassy has expressed gratification at the selection of the New York Central Lines, and the fast schedules which have been arranged for the Royal Train.

LONG AND FAVORABLY KNOWN.

The West Shore Railroad has been The West Shore Railroad has been so long and favorably known, that any words of commentation would be superfluous, but new travelers are constantly cropping up and, lest they have not read as they ran, this is to tell them that when they choose the Wabash-West Shore they do wisely.

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