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OLD CHATHAM BOYS' RE-UNION.

It is proposed to have a re-union of the Old Chatham Boys about the middle of August. It is believed that the various societies will enter heartily into the project. Similar gatherings have taken place in Brantford and London, attended by enormous crowds. If properly worked up the affair ought to bring 20,000 to Chatham.

William Somerville has invited all the firemen to partake of ice cream this evening.

Local Budget

Bicycle repairs at Brice's. If H. M. Poussett, of Sarnia, is in the city to-day.

N. Shaw, of Blenheim, was in the city Sunday.

A. H. Doziel, of Windsor, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cartier spent yesterday in Detroit.

John Smith and S. C. Walker were in Ridgeway yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schoenith have returned from Windsor.

A. Pulford, of Kingsville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Arnold Schooley, of St. Thomas, is spending the day in the city.

Samuel Perrin spent Sunday with Robert Gray at Port Lambton.

Miss Mary Lenover, Dufferin Ave., spent Sunday at her home in Raleigh.

William Curtis, of Cleveland, is the guest of Miss Tilt, Wellington street.

E. Duan, cashier at the C. P. R., who has been ill for the last week, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilson, Delaware avenue, spent yesterday with friends in Detroit.

Miss Lizzie Horan, Adelaide street, spent yesterday with her friend, Miss Fanny Zine, in Harwich.

John Holley, North Buxton, has returned home, after spending a week at the Pan-American Exposition.

Mrs. W. H. Twigg, who underwent an operation at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday, is resting easy this morning.

The 24th Regiment Band will give another promenade concert next Monday night at the drill shed. Tickets 10 cents. 4td

Miss Cummings, formerly stenographer in Lewis & Richards' office, left yesterday for Detroit, where she has secured a position.

Reserve Tuesday of next week for the I. O. O. F. excursion to Belle Isle on the City of Chatham. Tickets 50c, children under 12, 25c. 7td

J. L. Wilson & Son, architects, have completed plans for the improvements and additions to Warden Vondewater's jewelry and stationery store and residence in Blenheim.

Promenade concert at drill shed every Monday night by 24th Regiment Band; dancing; refreshments. Admission 10 cents. 4td

Rev. Mr. McDonald, one of the oldest and ablest Methodist preachers in London, Conference, will preach in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church next Sunday morning and evening.

The Epworth League of the Victoria Avenue Methodist church will hold a missionary meeting tomorrow evening. Miss B. Crow will have charge of the meeting. The topic for the evening will be "Systematic Giving."

The City of Chatham has been chartered by the I. O. O. F. Judge for an excursion to Belle Isle for Tuesday next. Refreshments will also be served and a good orchestra has been engaged for the occasion. Tickets 50c, children half price. 4td

Private sale of household furniture, in use less than one year, in room 17, Victoria Block. One oak bedroom suit, carpets, curtains, rugs, pictures, bed, seven pieces parlor furniture, one Singer sewing machine, new; one cabinet grand piano, Dominion. These goods can be seen at any hour only up to Wednesday evening. B. E. Kelly. 3td

The C. H. Merritt, which formerly ran between Chatham and Detroit, was at the Eau Sunday. This boat was burned here about ten years ago but was rebuilt and is now a snug little craft. She put into the Eau Saturday night on her way to the Soo. Bert Merritt, Blenheim, owner of the Outlaw, rebuilt her this winter and she was launched on Sunday at the Eau in the presence of friends. Bert Merritt, S. E. Arnold, C. E. Beeston, George Merritt and the captain and crew of the C. H. Merritt. Geo. Merritt did the honors of the occasion, breaking a bottle of wine over the boat as she gracefully slid into the water.

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The S. Hadley Lumber Co. are putting a handsome modern front on Mr. A. M. Miller's store, next to Northway & Co's dry goods store. This is one of the best stands in the city for drug, book, fancy-goods, jewelry or general furnishing business, and is for rent on reasonable terms. Apply to Lewis & Richards, Oddfellows' Temple. 5td

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No. 31 Michigan Central express made a fast run from St. Thomas to Windsor on Saturday. The train consisted of ten cars. It was drawn by engine No. 481, one of the new mammoth locomotives recently put into service on the west division. The distance of one hundred and eleven miles was covered in one hundred and two minutes. This is said to be a world's record for the size of the train. The run to Tilbury, 111 miles, was made in 69 minutes.

SUMMER READING

The Helmet of Navarre—Bertha Runkle.

The Crisis—Winston Churchill.

Ebon Holden—Irrving Bacheller.

Uncle Jerry—Chas. Munn.

Boy—Marie Corelli.

Ralph Marlowe—J. B. Naylor.

The Good Red Earth—Eden Phillpotts.

The Cardinal's Snuff Box—H. Harland.

John Vytal—W. P. Payson.

Vengeance is Mine—Andrew Balfour.

Clayton Hallowell—Van Praag.

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TELEPHONE 164.

J. Clarke, of London, was in the city to-day.

W. Hickey, of Merlin, was in the city to-day.

John Reid, of Toronto, spent yesterday in the city.

G. C. Foster, of Leamington, was in the city yesterday.

Jas. Sterling, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Mount, Miss Mount and Miss Spearman are spending the day in Detroit.

Remember June 28th, Ladies Assisting Society moonlight excursion. 3td

The lacrosse club request a full turnout of the players at this evening's practice.

Rev. D. Stanley Shaw and wife, of Detroit, are visiting at Mrs. Idle's, Raleigh street.

Rev. P. J. Uzzell has returned to the city from Dover, where he has been conducting services very successfully for the past two weeks.

Miss O. Cole, B. A. of Toronto University, is visiting Miss Grace McDonald, Raleigh street.

Michael Clonerty and family are visiting friends in Toronto. Jas. Dunn is taking his place.

Celebration or no celebration, there will be a horse race at the fair grounds on Dominion Day with a purse.

Detective Jas. McGregor is acting Chief of Police to-day in the absence of the Police Officers in quest of the escaped convicts.

Prof. W. H. Bowers' little boy Walter is recovering rapidly, under Dr. Bechard's able management, from a very serious illness which overtook him some time ago.

A baseball team consisting of Armstrong, Weldon, Barrett, Blithe, Oldershaw, Burns, Robert, Brady, Mount and Rankin will go to Wallaceburg to play the team there next Tuesday.

Principal Plevies, of the Central School, says that all the teachers and pupils of the Central school have been invited to the annual picnic at McKough school, and they are all going.

The members of the cricket club presented Joseph Kenny on the eve of his marriage with a magnificent couch. Mr. Kenny is to be married to night at six o'clock to Miss Simmons, the residence of the bride's parents, St. George street. Rev. Rural Dean McCosh will officiate.

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William Gordon

Standard Designer
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10c each.

For July Styles
Get Standard
Fashion Sheets Free

The funeral of Margaret Moody aged 88 years, of 8th concession, Raleigh, took place this afternoon at 1 o'clock.

A movement is on foot in this city to have an Old Boys re-union here in August. The idea is a splendid one and should be pushed to fulfillment.

The Canadian Order of Foresters at Mitchell's Bay will attend church in a body Sunday. An invitation has been extended to the local lodge to be present.

At the meeting of the Synod of Huron in London yesterday Matthew Wilson, K. C., gave notice of motion in reference to the Provincial and General Synods.

Miss Effie Cassidy, who has been ill with inflammatory rheumatism and heart disease, was taken to the General Hospital yesterday, and is somewhat better to-day.

Ed. Fritchard entertained the members of the fire department to a photograph concert last night and Critie Holmes of the department pronounced it very good.

James French cut a nasty gash in his hand at noon to-day. He was assisting loading a mower on a wagon when the knife came in contact with his knuckle, making a ugly wound. Dr. J. W. Rutherford dressed the injuries.

The residence of Fred. Ward had a narrow escape from fire last evening. Mrs. Ward was putting some things in the ice-box and lighted a match to see. She had scarcely returned to the sitting-room, when a slight noise attracted her and on looking around she saw the clothes on a line near the ice box all on fire. The blaze was extinguished by Mr. Ward.

In the Single Court at Osgoode Hall yesterday before Falconbridge, C. J. Begg vs. Lake Erie & Detroit River R. W. Co. J. W. Rutherford, for plaintiff, moved for disposition of costs of motion for injunction restraining defendants from taking possession of certain land, heard on 11th inst. H. E. Ross, for defendants, contra. Reserved.

Barrister W. F. Smith has secured a copy of the evidence taken before Judge Houston in the County Court yesterday in the case of Ballard vs. Bernard, assault. The case was dismissed. The Maple City lawyer claims that the decision of the Judge was contrary to the evidence and he says he will lay the matter before the County Council and the Attorney General.

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Save your Shoes! Between leather-poison, there's an expensive difference.

Double wear results from using—

SLATER SHOE POLISH

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SHOT FIRED

A Noisy Row on Adelaide Street Caused a Commotion Late Last Night.

Shortly before midnight the screams of women, the angry utterances of men and the loud report of a gun or revolver aroused the residents of Adelaide street, south of Park street.

In an amazingly short space of time a large throng of citizens had gathered on the street, but the trouble—which is alleged to have resulted from a too liberal association with John Barleycorn—as rapidly quieted down.

Officer Dezella was on the scene a few moments after the occurrence and he secured the early peace.

No police court case has yet been scheduled in connection with the affair.

TEN MINUTES

The Time This Expert Metal Worker Says it Would Take to Cut the Jail Bars.

An expert metal worker visited the jail yesterday and was shown the window and bars which were sawn, and by which the three prisoners escaped Sunday afternoon.

When asked by The Planet how long it would take to saw the bars, the expert said it would take, with a good saw, about ten minutes to sever the first bar, another half hour to saw the second bar, and another half hour at the brass lock on the inside.

"The two outside bars were unquestionably sawn from the outside," he said, "as the second bar or the first bar could not be reached from the inside and sawn the way they were."

The first outside bar was sawn almost horizontally, the second one being cut off diagonally, as it had to be sawn between the first set of bars, and in a very awkward position.

"The material used in these bars was of the softest kind, and should never have been used for that purpose. In making the recent improvements these new guards were put in place."

"On the two outside bars there was a burr on the inside of the cut, which could not be there if sawn from inside."

The expert also gave it as his opinion that had proper steel bars been in the prisoners would have had a big contract on hand before getting out.

DEAD BODY FOUND

Remains of an Old Man Picked up by Fishermen—Accident on the L. E. & D. R.

West Lorne, Ont., June 18—The dead body of an old man, about 70 years of age, was found yesterday afternoon by some fishermen on the beach near Conn's dock, on the towline between Aldborough and Dunwich. There were some wounds and bruises upon his head, and it is supposed the old man had fallen over the embankment. The man, whose name is not known, was seen and spoken to in the morning by Mr. Conway and, it is said, stated that his home was in Detroit. An inquest is being held.

A young man from Ridgeway, named Butler, employed on the L. E. & D. R. steel gang, was seriously injured while returning home. The train had stopped and a number of men got off. Butler, while attempting to board the train after it had started, slipped and fell, his knee striking upon the cattle guards, the sharp points of which penetrated deeply into the flesh, making several ugly gashes. The man was carried to the Elgin House, where his wounds were dressed, and later was taken to his home upon one of the work trains.

GOOD TIME

Col. Lays Cast the Cares of Business and Officialdom Behind him When he Visited the Maple City.

Col. Lays, M. P. P., was in the city last evening in company with T. L. Pardo, M. P. P., and several local fishermen from the mouth of the river, via Bagnall's gasoline launch.

"Of course I'm really no longer the member for London," said the genial Colonel in a short interview with The Planet, smiling as he said so. "But then I hope to be re-elected all right."

"Then you have withdrawn your resignation and all plans for retirement?" was asked.

The Colonel's only answer was another broad smile.

"And what about fishery matters?" was the next query.

"Oh, this is purely a little pleasure excursion on my part," commented the Colonel. "Nothing official connected with it at all. Just out on a little outing."

PINGREE IS DEAD.

London, June 19.—Ex-Governor H. S. Pingree, of Michigan, died here last night at 11.35. His son was the only one present at the time of his death. The attending doctor left Mr. Pingree's bedside at about 11.05, promising to return shortly. H. S. Pingree, Jr., who has been watching at his father's side for four days, and who has not removed his clothes during that time, noticed a sudden change in his father's condition. He had hardly reached the patient's bedside when his father died peacefully, without warning and without speaking one word. Young Mr. Pingree has wired his mother and his uncle in the United States not to come to London. The body of the late Mr. Pingree will be embalmed and taken to his home.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed, you have a rumbling sound, or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A CLOSE GAME.

Chatham bowlers yesterday succeeded in wresting victory from their Blenheim competitors by the narrow margin of one point.

The score:—

Chatham—Rink I.

D. S. Gray.

D. J. O'Keefe.

R. G. Fleming.

N. H. Stevens, skip—23.

Blenheim—Rink I.

G. M. Bair.

J. Jack.

J. H. Ferguson.

R. L. Gosnell, skip—19.

Chatham—Rink II.

J. A. Walker.

D. A. Hutchison.

W. A. Thrasher.

Dr. R. V. Bray, skip—24.

Blenheim—Rink II.

L. Baird.

J. W. Shillington.

G. J. Gibb, skip, Chatham.

John Muir, skip, Chatham.

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