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998, 999, 1000.

Be sure and call at my office, Dr. de la Coquerie, Queen Street.

Wm. M. Drader

All kinds of Logs and Bolts taken as usual at Drader's Mills, Northwood.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of William Bishop, late of the Township of Dufferin, in the County of Kent, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 56, Chapter 110, Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the above-named William Bishop, who died on or about the eighth day of December, A. D. 1897, are required to send by post pre-paid or to deliver to Messrs. Thresher & Arnold, of the City of Chatham, the solicitors for the executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, on or before the first day of March, A. D. 1898, their claims and demands, addressed and described with full particulars and proof of their claims, statement of the accounts, and nature of the securities if any, held by them.

And notice is further given that after the said first day of March, A. D. 1898, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, and will not be liable for the claims of which notice has been received as above required, and the said executor will not be liable for the claims of which notice has been received as above required, and the said executor will not be liable for the claims of which notice has been received as above required.

Dated at Chatham, this 26th day of January, A. D. 1898.

JOHN A. BISHOP

by THRESHER & ARNOLD, his Solicitors.

TRUSTEES SALE

Valuable Residential City Property

The trustees of the Biddle Estate, will offer for sale at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the premises on

Thursday, 3rd February, 1898

AS 3 p.m. sharp, the following property in five parcels:

PARCEL ONE—Part of Lot 12, E.R. Cross St., Chatham, at corner of Cross and Raleigh Streets, having frontage on Raleigh Street of 50 feet by a depth of 74 feet and 10 inches on Cross Street.

Double frame dwelling house on this parcel, valued at \$2,000, and a small outbuilding.

PARCEL TWO—Part of said Lot 12, having a frontage of 51 feet and 1 inch on Cross Street by a depth of 50 feet.

Good two story frame house on this parcel, until recently rented for \$20 per month.

PARCEL THREE—Part of said Lot 12, having a frontage of 51 feet on Raleigh Street by a depth of 104 feet; a two story semi-detached brick residence on this parcel, until recently rented for \$20 per month.

PARCEL FOUR—Part of said Lot 12, having a frontage of 51 feet on Raleigh St. by a depth of 104 feet.

Two story frame house on this parcel, until recently rented for \$20 per month.

PARCEL FIVE—Part of said Lot 12, having a frontage of 51 feet on Raleigh Street by a depth of 104 feet; a two story semi-detached brick residence on this parcel, until recently rented for \$20 per month.

FOR TERMS of sale apply to undersigned, Chatham, January 18th, 1898.

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THE DISTRICT

What is Going on all Around Us.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE LEADING CENTRES OF KENT AND ESSEX.

HIGHGATE

The Methodist anniversary services were very largely attended. Rev. Mr. Livingston, of Aylmer, occupied the pulpit on both occasions and delivered two excellent discourses.

J. Caron, who for twelve years past has carried on an ever increasing bakery and grocery business, has announced his intention of retiring, and has offered his entire business for sale.

Mrs. T. S. Gossell, of Windsor, is on a visit to friends here.

Those having wood or logs to dispose of are making good use of the present season.

EAST BRANCH

The merry sound of the jingle bells are heard on every side.

There was no service in the school house on Sunday last owing to the inclemency of the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. George Forshaw, of Tupperville, visited friends here last week.

I. Little, who has been spending some time in Michigan, has returned home.

Frank Shaw has the brick laid on his farm to erect a fine brick mansion.

Mrs. Allen, sr., is ill.

Mr. C. Mickle spent a few days in Dresden visiting friends.

Miss S. Mickle has returned home.

T. Richardson and John Richardson attended the county meeting of the O. L. held in Chatham on Tuesday.

Mrs. Austin Hazard, who has been visiting friends in the east, returned home last week.

Mr. Nichol, of Chatham, piano and organ agent, passed through here on Saturday last.

Miss Frances M. Richardson spent a few days in town, the guest of her friend, Miss Bella Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Lidster, of Bathurst, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Mr. Lett, sr., met with a very painful accident. While drawing cornstalks to his home, he was thrown off his horse and dislocated his arm.

A "talent school" in aid of the Sunday school will be given at J. Booth's on Wednesday night, admission 10c.

Miss Daisy Burgess, of Wallburg, spent Sunday with her friend Miss C. McCreary.

Will Mickle, of Amherstburg, is visiting at John Mickle's of this place.

THAMESVILLE

Feb. 1.—Two rinks of our curlers drove over to Ridge-town yesterday to compete for the Ferguson cup, but were defeated.

Despite the fact that the thermometer was down to zero and almost a blizzard prevailing a large number of young people were in attendance for the ball in the opera house last night.

The elegant decorations, and beautiful costumes of the ladies made up a brilliant scene and added to the entrancing music of the harp and you had an evening's enjoyment that will linger long in the memory of those who participated.

Three rinks of our curlers intend going to Glenora this afternoon.

John McGeachy, of Chatham, was the guest of his uncle on Sunday.

While driving to church on Sunday the Misses Ferguson's horse ran away upsetting the cutter and throwing them out; but fortunately they escaped any injury.

A. H. Willis, W. J. Neely and J. A. Secord are the rival aspirants for the vacant seat at the council board. Voting will take place to-morrow.

BLENHEIM

Feb. 1.—J. C. Burke, V. S., leaves for Edmonton, N. W. T., about Thursday of this week. He will leave in advance of the party and purchase horses there.

The Knights of the Macabees' new broom is on exhibition at VonGuten's window, and is a daisy. The degree team here are to be congratulated on securing this trophy, as the competition through this district was keen for the prize. It was presented last night to the lodge by Sir Knight W. Trautman.

January certainly went off stormy and cold. And the rough night interfered no doubt with the attendance at the Rev. Mr. Scott's lecture in the Methodist church last night. Our Methodist friends are to be congratulated on securing so able a lecturer, and those who did not hear him missed a treat.

A party of ten whist players of the Ridgeway Whist Club will try a rubber with ten members of our club on Friday evening, the 4th inst.

The Joe Kenny Concert Co. of Leamington, will give one of their popular entertainments in the Opera House to-night.

Kent Lodge, A. F. & A. M., held their regular meeting last night.

The Daily Planet is on sale at G. N. Babcock's Drug Store. Subscriptions received, and the paper delivered to any part of the town free.

Eternity is around us here, now, at this moment, at all moments; and it will have been around us every day of our transient, sinful, selfish lives. Its stars are ever over our head, while we are so diligent in the dust of our worldliness, or in the tainted stream of our desires. The dull brute globe moves through its ether and knows it not; even so our souls are bathed in eternity; and are never conscious of it.—Canon Farrar.

DR. HALL

A man of patience, zeal and skill, Of judgment cool, and iron will, An enemy to every ill, Is he—the family doctor.

He's at our call by night or day, And "ready for the road" always, A sudden summons he'll obey, The faithful family doctor.

When in the hall his hat is hung, He feels the pulse, and scans the tongue, Then quick prescribes for old or young, The skillful family doctor!

A queer black bag he brings so shy, It fills with dread the children's eyes, For once they heard a baby cry, Left by the family doctor!

One day he came with solemn tread, And speaking softly, shook his head; "We've done our best—poor man—he's dead."

The sympathizing doctor! He comes to cure our many ills, With powders, plasters, drugs and pills, Then by the post he sends his bills, Who would not pay the doctor!

But money cannot always pay The good he does from day to day, Our grateful love he earns always— God bless the family doctor!

CRANKY DYSPEPSIA

With Other Types, Being Eradicated By Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

If all the dyspepsias and victims of indigestion, biliousness, etc., were assembled in one place what a curious assemblage they would make! Melancholy, sulky, cranky, sallow, pinched, lean, miserable, wretched, all types would be represented. There wouldn't be a pleasant word spoken by one of them in a year. But what change would take place if each sufferer were supplied with a few boxes of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. Joy would replace misery, health would take the place of ailment.

Are you a Dyspeptic? Have you indigestion? If so, no one knows as well as yourself what you suffer.

But, why do you suffer? You don't need to. If you stand beside a railway track when a train is approaching, you don't need to step in front of the engine. No more need you suffer from dyspepsia, indigestion, etc. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure these and all other stomach troubles in a couple of weeks.

If you don't believe it, try them. Thousands have been cured by Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, and you'll be cured too, if you try them.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, each box containing full double treatment, can be purchased from all druggists, at fifty cents a box, or will be sent, on receipt of price, by the Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto.

The removal of the Central school fence no doubt improved the appearance of the property; but there are those who look upon it with regret, to the time when the festive urchin was constrained to do his snow-halling within certain prescribed limits.

Rev. Mr. Beammer, of Port Huron, preached two very acceptable and interesting sermons at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday.

At the conclusion of the evening service he congratulated the church upon its excellent singing, excellent choir, and large and attentive congregation, and expressed his pleasure in visiting such a church. He also paid a warm tribute to the Maple City and its good people.

Dear Sirs,—I have been a great sufferer from rheumatism, and lately have been confined to my bed. Seeing your MINARD'S LINTMENT advertised, I tried it and got immediate relief. I ascribe my restoration to health to the wonderful power of your medicine.

Burns, Nfld. LEWIS S. BUTLER.

DRESDEN

Feb. 1.—A shipment of hogs was made from here yesterday.

N. H. Ruthven, of Chatham, was in town yesterday.

Mr. L. Macbeth and daughter, Florence, left for Toronto yesterday morning, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Macbeth's mother.

Miss Alice Hughes is attending to the millinery establishment of Mrs. Macbeth during the latter's absence.

B. G. Weecott, of Leamington, was in town yesterday.