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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Miss O'Regan, of Bothwell, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

J. H. Dent, of Merlin, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

John Lee, M. P. P., of Highgate, was a visitor in town yesterday.

Mrs. R. H. Whiesler, of Leamington, spent yesterday with Chatham friends.

Dr. W. W. Thornton, of Dresden, is spending the day with his Chatham friends.

J. K. Pindley, of Carleton Place, was registered at the C. P. R. Hotel yesterday.

John N. Gibb, one of Wallaceburg's prominent citizens, is spending the day in town.

Our new story is commenced in today's issue. We know it will interest you. It will be found on page six.

Wm. E. Park (Victor Lauriston), of this city, has been awarded a prize in the Editor (New York) verse contest for June.

Mr. Deburque, of Big Point, fell down stairs this morning and received serious injuries. He is under the care of a surgeon.

Roger Philip played in the circus band this afternoon, the regular first trombone player being ill. The bandmaster is an old friend of Mr. Philip.

R. W. Park, Wichita, Kas., brother of R. W. Park, I. P. S., passed through the city this afternoon en route for Boston and other eastern points.

The unfortunate young lady, Miss Mary Harris, who was drowned in the Thames on Thursday, was a native of Bilston, Staffordshire, England, not of Noddy as stated yesterday.

The talented piano pupils of Miss Pearl Maggs gave a delightful recital at the home of their teacher, Miss Pearl Maggs, Joseph street, last evening. After a splendid program, in which the work of the pupils during the past term was exemplified, prizes and diplomas were presented to the graduating class. Afterwards Miss Maggs took the members of her class to Northwood's cafe, where a fine luncheon was provided for the children.

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DISTRICT DOINGS DRESDEN

July 9.—Mrs. (Rev.) A. K. Griffin and sons, Selwyn and Kent, left on Thursday morning for Toronto, where they will take up their residence. Mr. Griffin will join them about August 1st, when his connection with Christ Church will cease.

Dr. Campbell, of Wallaceburg, was a Dresden visitor on Thursday.

Mrs. (Capt.) Biddle was a Maple City visitor to-day.

The tug Howard and the two large vessels of Captain Davidson, which have been here for the last month loading with sugar factory machinery, left this week for Kalamazoo, where the machinery will be transhipped by rail to the new factory at Jamesville, Wis.

The annual excursion of the Baptist Sunday school was held yesterday to Walpole Island, on the steamship Winona. Quite a large number attended and all report a good day's outing, with an excellent program of sports on the island.

Dresden football enthusiasts played a game with a visiting team from Dawn Centre, last night, winning by 3-0.

BLENHEIM

July 8.—The season at Erba has opened up at the closing of the schools. Many Blenheim families have moved down for the season.

On July 18th and 22nd, the Chatham City Band will run an excursion to the Eau. The train will leave Chatham each evening at 7:20 p. m.

Mr. Ted. Bunnell, of Winnipeg, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Bunnell, of Detroit, and Mrs. Barub, of Chatham, are visiting relatives here this week.

The Misses Dunlop and McKensie, of Mitchell's Bay, are visiting at Mrs. Jas. Henneker's.

Miss Nellie Denholm is home from Durham on her summer vacation.

Mrs. Thos. Holland, is visiting relatives in the country.

On Tuesday, July 12th, the Thoroughbred Tramp Co., will play in the Opera House.

Mrs. T. C. Clinton has returned home from Clinton, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. J. Carter, who will visit here about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Warner and family, of Toledo, Ohio, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. T. B. Warner.

Mrs. C. B. Langford and son, Cameron, left on Wednesday en route for Bracebridge.

The semi-annual installation of officers of Point Aux Pins Encampment No. 73, took place at their lodge room on Tuesday evening.

P. C. P.—Bro. Wm. Henry.

C. P.—Bro. W. R. Greenwood.

H. P.—Bro. John Wardle.

S. W.—E. J. Buzzard.

Scabbe—Bro. G. M. Baird.

F. S.—Bro. D. Muckle.

Treas.—Bro. P. Burze.

J. W.—Bro. A. Brethour.

Guider—Bro. W. J. Baird.

O. G.—W. C. Ransom.

J. G.—W. T. Fegg.

W. C.—G. L. Pardo.

2nd W.—O. Vansickle.

3rd W.—D. Bagles.

4th W.—L. F. Johnstone.

2nd G. of T.—C. G. Manning.

After the installation the brethren adjourned to E. W. Wedge's restaurant where lunch was served.

July 9.—Rev. G. Moore, a former pastor of the Baptist Church, is visiting his son, J. A. Moore, here.

Miss Aggie Newcombe, of Windsor, is visiting at the residence of Duncan McColl, Black Ridge.

Mrs. John Pickering, Sr., continues in a very low state of health.

W. B. Gerow has received word that he has successfully passed his dental examinations. Will Faust has also passed his first year's examination, with ninety-four per cent.

Mrs. Geo. White, of Grand Rapids, Mich., is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Cameron, Sr.

David Latimer, who has been with Geo. Stephens & Co., of Chatham, has been placed on the Blenheim staff of the same firm.

Miss Ruth Hyatt has resigned her position on the public school staff.

On Monday, July 4th, the installation of officers of the K. O. T. M. took place in the lodge room as follows:

J. P. C.—W. J. Montgomery.

Com.—S. S. Arnold.

L. C.—A. M. Johnson.

R. K.—W. R. Greenwood.

Chap.—W. Hewitt.

Sec.—Emos Nichol.

M. A.—A. Duffy.

1st M. G.—W. Aikins.

2nd M. G.—Geo. Pegg.

Sentinel—W. A. Vester.

Picket—Geo. Bond.

Physicians—Drs. Story and Quackenbush.

A large number of Sir Knights, also the L. O. T. M. were present. After the installation ceremony the members adjourned to E. W. Knight's restaurant.

GOT THE LAST WORD.

A Scot who served an Englishman this summer as guide and friend on a fishing trip had what the London Daily Mail calls "the national weakness" for claiming relationship with all the influential families in that part of Scotland.

One day the Englishman met him on the road driving a pig, and saw a little fun.

"Well, Donald," said he, "is that one of your grand relations?"

"Oh, no," said Donald, quietly, "this is just an acquaintance-like yersel."

A BEAUTIFUL BOOK ON THE WORLD'S FAIR.

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"NOVEL" TITLES.

Cognomens of Mr. "n and Ancient Fiction Woven Into a Thrilling Romance—Quite an Ingenious Story.

"Two Years Ago," "All the World and His Wife" were visiting "William the Conqueror" in the "Palace of the 'Idle Tales' of the 'Indiscretion of a Duchess' being 'The Heavenly Twins' and created 'A Scandal' in Bohemia." "To Right the Wrong," "Sherlock Holmes" followed by "The Golden Dog" was told to investigate, and, if successful, some "Very Hard Cash." "Alone in London" and a share in "Mammon & Co." would be granted to "Thaddeus of Warsaw." "The Lunatic at Large," sitting in "The Secret Orchard," "Under Currants," when asked his name said he was "Called Back" and lived a good "Deal in Wheat," so was immediately put "Under Sealed Orders." "Mr. Dooley" inquired was "Fervid Keene" on "Incomparable Bellairs," but "Sir Richard Calmody" did not think so, as he had heard him call her "Diana of the Cross Ways."

"The Surgeon of Garten Fell" from "Castle Ounragh," but had been home by "The Wings of the Morning" to "Place and Power." From there he could see "Elizabeth and her German Garden," as no one was allowed to visit her except "When Knighthood Was in Flower," "Patience Sparhawk and Her Times" said "Let's take 'The Yellow Van' and call at once."

"The Lightning Conductor" let them off at the "Parting of the Ways," and leaving "The King of Paradise," they entered "No. 5 John Street," "Via Crucis." Inside they found "Paul and Virginia" sitting on "The Earth's Enigmas" and blowing "Bubbles we Buy," which were "Maid of Athens," "Lady Rose's Daughter," who had sold her "Harvest of Wild Dates" to "Sir Mortimer" who was reciting "Under Two Flags," making desperate love to the "Minister of State" in spite of "My Lady Nicotine," who declared she would have her sent "Over the Border," "Boodle's Baby" and "Wee Macgregor" were in the music-room playing "Key Notes," "Ballads of Revolt" and "The Heir of Redcliffe."

"Romeo and Juliet" the latter clad in "Scarlet and Hysop," were having a sumptuous repast on "A Bit of Human Nature" and "The Waters of Oblivion" in view of everyone.

"The Candle of Conscience" being "The Light Behind" cast "The Shadow of Crime" in "Questionable Shapes," which caused "The Wind in the Rosebush" to sigh audibly.

"Decey and Son" were discussing "Martin Chuzzlewit" and they came to the conclusion he was "No Hero," because he had "The Gadfly" impaled on "A Point of Conscience." "At the Time Appointed" "Sherlock Holmes" and by "The Schemers" came in disguised as "Richard Rodney" wearing "The Grey Cloak." "The Blue Goose" under one arm and in his hand "A Bunch of Blood Lilies." Passing "The Main Chance" he tripped over "The Modern Obstacle" and picked himself up the most "Rejected of Men."

However, "All's Well that Ends Well," and he finally discovered "The Duke" and "The Duchess" playing "Bridge," who assured him that there had been "Much Ado About Nothing."

Secretary to Prince of Wales.

The Prince of Wales, private secretary, Sir Arthur Bigge, born on Waterloo Day, 1849, is an official as popular as he is discreet, and a man of many friends both within and without the circle of the Court. His connection with royalty, says The London Chronicle, began four and twenty years ago, and he was Queen Victoria's secretary during the last two years of her life. Her late Majesty shared the objection of her predecessor, Queen Elizabeth, to the young men in her service taking to themselves wives; and when Captain Bigge contemplated matrimony in 1881 his royal mistress evinced some dissatisfaction. When, however, it turned out that the future Lady Bigge was the granddaughter of a former Dean of Windsor, who had stood high in the Queen's favor, the light of the royal countenance was instantly turned on the young couple, who basked in it ever afterwards.

Sir Arthur hails from Northampton, where his father was a country vicar for many years.

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Table No. 1

99c—Shirtwaists of fine white lawn, trimmed with insertion and plaits in various styles. One line has 4 rows of insertion down front and one down the back. Another is made with front and back yoke of insertion and fine hemstitched plaits.

Table No. 2

\$1.25—Shirtwaists of Sheer Muslin, Lawn and heavier materials, plaited and trimmed with embroidery or lace insertions, in yoke effects and other designs.

Table No. 3

\$2.00—Shirtwaists of fine Linen and White Lawn, embroidered fronts with plaited back and sleeves or trimmed with rows of fine insertion and plaits. Our entire range of \$2.75 styles go to make up this group.

Table No. 4

\$3.50—Pretty and stylish waists of China Silk in Black and White, stitched plaits and piping or pleated and hemstitched, and trimmed with buttons.

Styles in Hosiery. COMFORT IN UNDERWEAR

Quality and economy in both. SATURDAY we are going to devote our counter space to a demonstration of how simple a matter it is for women to secure all the stockings and underwear they need for the hot weather at LOW PRICES which do not impair quality. To-day's story is quite different from the list published yesterday, but savings are equally real on these items.

Women's Stockings

At 10c. a Pair—Of Black Cotton, full fashioned, very special, sizes 8, 9, 9½.

At 12½c. Pair—Of Fast Black Cotton Hose, seamless heels, toes, soles, doubly strong, durable quality, elastic.

At 15c a Pair—Fine Black Cotton Hose, seamless, full fashioned, spliced heels and toes.

Women's Underwear

At 5c. Each—Ladies' Cotton Vests, no sleeves, low neck, cream only.

At 10c Each—Cotton Vests, sleeves or sleeveless, low neck.

At 12½c Each—Fine Ribbed Cotton Vests, lace trimmed, sleeves or sleeveless, very special at price.

At 15c Each—Our leader—Fine ribbed Cotton Vests, in white only, nicely trimmed, sleeves or sleeveless, shaped.

Big Cut in Dress Goods and Silks

Dress Goods

Flaked Tweed Suitings, 56 in. wide, in black and white, brown and white, blue and white, and grey with fancy flake, reg. \$1.25, sale price, \$1.00.

All Wool Homespun Suitings, 56 in. wide, in new stripe designs and fancy flake; in grey and white, blue and white, green and white, and black and white; reg. \$1.00, sale price, 75c.

Black Dress Goods

All Wool Black Henrietta, 46 in. wide, nice silk finish, extra good value, reg. \$1.25, sale price, \$1.00.

All Wool Black Poplin, good heavy weight, reg. \$1.00, sale price, 75c.

Color'd Dress Goods

Special line of Fancy Flake Dress Goods, 40 in. wide, in brown, blue, green, grey and black, with white flake, a snap at per yd, 43c.

Colored Lustre, 36 in. wide, in pink, light blue, cardinal, old rose and fawn, Red Tag Price, per yard 25c.

REMNANTS—About 100 ends of Black and Colored Dress Goods, lengths from 1½ to 4 yards, clearing at One-Half Regular Price.

Silks

Sixty pieces of Colored Taffeta Silk, 20 in. wide, from 1½ to 6 yard ends, reg. 75c, sale price, 50c.

Staple Department

Remarkable Red Tag Bargains

Black Sateens—Special Mercerized Sateen for wrappers, waists, undershirts, etc., bright finish, extra heavy soft make, a regular 15c. cloth, Red Tag Price, 12½c.

Bath Towels—Fancy Red and White Striped Bath Towels, 20 x 45 in. good quality, regular 12½c value, Red Tag Price, 10c Each.

Colored Bedspreads—15 only, Fancy Colored Bed spreads, fringed ends, honeycomb weave, soft make, in blue and white, good patterns, fast colors, full 10-4 size, regularly sold at \$1.00, Red Tag Price, 89c Each.

11 only full 11-4 size, Honeycomb Spreads, fringed ends, soft make, red, pink and blue, and white, regular \$1.25 and \$1.35 value, Red Tag Price, \$1.19 each.

These goods are displayed in the center of the department

Pillow Cottons—Special quality English Pillow Cottons, linen finish, evenly woven yarns, full width, the circular kind. 40 in. reg. 18c, Red Tag Price, 15c; 42 in. regular 20c, Red Tag Price 17c.

Turkish Towelling—1 pc. 18 inch fancy red and white Turkish Towelling, good heavy quality, reg. 12½c value, Red Tag Price 10c a yd.

Checked Linens—for cushions, towels Side Board scarfs etc., pure linen goods, large plaids, white ground with red, yellow, light and dark blue and green check, also linen ground with green, light blue and pink check, regular 12½c good, Red Tag Price 10c.

Red and White Tabling—3 pcs. Turkey red and white Tabling, heavy make, choice new designs, 58 inches wide, fast colors, regular 50c value, Red Tag Price 45c a yd.

Continued Displaying and Selling at the Red Tag Sale of Men's Suits, \$7.49 and \$9.99

You'll not see the fabrics used in these suits elsewhere because the patterns are confined to ourselves. We'll sell them at a price that will make the name Austin & Co. synonymous with the greatest bargains ever offered in Men's Clothing. A sale of this kind couldn't come at a better time. Could it? A Straw Hat, Negligee Shirt, Low Shoes, one of these Shirts, and you're dressed in the height of fashion for the summer, and the suit to-day will only cost you \$7.49 or \$9.99 Suits worth from \$10 to \$15.00.

Time for Men to Wear Belts—Men's 50c. Belts, 25c. The great Red Tag Sale of Men's 50c Belts at 25c is an event befitting this weather—too hot to wear a vest.

100 Dressy Belts—Half price for the men who want to be cool. They come in all sizes—some have heavy hip rings, while others are straight, in Tans and Blacks, Saturday, 25c.

Imported Negligee Shirts—You'll count a good dollar's worth. Your first guess at their value would be easily \$1.25, and the fineness of the Corded Madras from which they are made, the handsomely narrow plaited bosom, the superb laundry work would all bear you out. The best looking, most comfortable summer shirts there are. Sizes 14 to 17, detachable cuffs and some with cuffs attached. On sale Saturday 65c Each, or \$1.25 a Pair.

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