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#### TO-NIGHT.

Park St. Methodist League, S. S.

Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Maccabee

The B. Y. P. U. at 8 o'clock. Preparatory service in St. Andrew's

The Little Tycoon, Grand Opera House, at 8.15. The C. E. of St. Andrew's Churc

S. S. Hall, at 8. A. O. U. W., in their Hall over Pub-

tie Library, 8 o'clock. Victoria Ave. Methodist Church Ep-worth League, 8 o'clock.

# "B" Company will parade at the Drill Shed, in uniform, this evening at 7.30, for the purpose of attending the performance of The Little Tycoon.

ato to-day on legal busine A stock of boots, shoes and groceries is offered for sale in Dresden. See

The choir of the Park St. Methodist Church will hold their regular weekly

practice to-night. Miss Josie Colwell, of Wallaceburg, has returned home after spending a lew days in the Maple City.

Rev. T. T. George, of the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church, will preach in his former church in Delaware next

Rev. C. Chrichtor, of Highgate, will occupy the pulpit of the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church both morning and evening next Sunday.

It has been reported around town that A. A. Jordan has been quarantined with the small-pox. Mr. Jordan wishes to deny the rumor.

"I don't think I will work very hard to-day," said Ald, Mounteen this morning; "in fact I am doing a little celebrating on my own account Upon further enquiry it was found out that to-day Mr. Mounteer is entering upon the 43rd year of his age.

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* SOME PEOPLE WILL TELL YOU

That they have the best chocolates and creams in the city, but we have just as good, and as great a variety. Try a box for Christmas.

H. A. Hall 108 King Street

P. Crawford, of Erieau, is spendin he day in town. A. B. Goulet, of Ouvry, spent yes terday in the city.

Accus Wright, Raleigh, materials for a new barn. John Wands, of Merlin, spent terday in the Maple City.

W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, was in the city yesterday, on legal business, James Sutherland, of Toronto, called upon his Chatham friends yester-

Tom Oldershaw, of Chicago, is spending a few days at his home in this

Gus Bragg, of Chicago, is spending few days with his parents in the Ma-Roadmaster Harry Morris, of the

Lake Erie, was in the city, yesterday C. F. W. Atkinson and bride of Pt. Rome, are spending a few days at Mr. Atkinson's home in this city.

Miss B. Wilson, and Miss B. Rice, of Tilbury, attended the production of The Little Tycoon, at the Grand last Mrs. Wm. Lamb, who has been

spending the past week, with Mrs. E. Weldon, has returned to her home in Chatham township. Go to McKay's confectionery for

full line of home-made candy's, As a specialty they would suggest their "Alleghretti" and "Fudge." Watch The 2 T's window for bar gains in hats. 99c. buys a good up-to-date colored stiff or fedora hat.

\$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00, good to-mor The C. P. R. Flyer going west wa two hours late to-day, being delayed by a freight car being on the road. No particulars as to whether any damage was done or not have been re-

L. E. Tillson and W. H. Bensen attended the annual convocation of the Grand Chapetr of Royal Arch Masons, G. R. C., held in Toronto on Wednesday. Rt. Ex. Comp. W. H. Bensen was ted Grand Superintendent of St

Scotty McGregor was given twelve days in jail this morning for being drunk last night. Scotty pleaded hard. He said that it was no use sending him to jail and he asked Matthew, Wilson, K. C., is in Tor- Judge Houston to just let him off. Scotty even acknowle ing out in Raleigh husking corn.

> John Hendershott is anxious about horse and rig belonging to himself. A young man named Johnson who had been employed as porter at the Idlewild, hired the rig to go to Kent Bridge. Johnson then drove to the home of George Somers and got a \$22 overcoat, saying George had sent him for it. Mr. Hendershott hasn't seen Johnson since and has reported the matter to the police. The horse was an old bay mare with small feet, 15 hands high. The rig had a real Buffalo robe in it.

Ridgetown friends are circulating a perition asking that the young man Sykes be released from Kingston pen-itentiary, to which he was sentenced last June for three years, by Judge Houston. It will be remembered that Sykes bought a wheel in Thamesville, made a payment on it, brought the wheel to Chatham and got Andrew Thomson to sell the wheel for him on the market. A colored lad bought it for twenty dollars, and then Sykes stole the wheel back again.

#### NOTICE

The Dominion of Canada Guarantee and Accident Co., issues policies cover-ing any accident, and in addition issue a special health policy covering the following diseases:
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It would be wise just now to thoroughly disinfect your home and your business place, We have a full stock of

Chloride of Lime 5c and 10c packages Carbolic Acid, Sulphur Copperas, 12 pounds for 25c

> USE CARBOLIC ACID SOAP We have a full stock of Mulford's Vaccine Points

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The firemen wish to thank Dr. V. Bray for games. T. C. Macnabb returns to-day from

M. Wilson, K. C., is in Toronto at ending the Court of Appeal. Miss Mable Mann, of Wallaceburg

Miss Bertha Morris, of Blenheim

Mrs. Thomas Montgomery, Raleigh, is progressing favorably in the General Hospital. Best \$2.50 and \$3.00 colored stiff or

edora hat to-morrow at The 2 T's Jno. Turner is still confined to his ome from his late injuries, although

e is much improved County Councillor Robinson is quite seriously ill. He was confined all day to his room at the hotel.

To-morrow The 2 T's will sell 300, fine cold fedora and stiff hats for 99c. each. All \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00

ham Binder Twine Company, is con-fined to his home to-day through ill-The Ladies Assisting Society will meet Monday afternoon at 3.30 at the residence of Mrs. Glenn, Park street. All of the members are requested to sent, as important business wil

Fireman Ryall has received a letter from his brother Chas. Ryall, of South Africa. At the time of writing Mr. Ryall was well and wished to be re-membered to all of his Chatham

Major Reid has received a letter from his son Will, who is serving with the Imperial Light Horse in South Africa. Will has been promoted to sergeant, He says that they are fighting almost continually.

A letter has been received from M. J. Wilson who left with his brother Frank for New Mexico a few days Mr. Wilson has arrived safely ago. Mr. Wilson has arrived sales, and have met Dr. and Mrs. Duncan who are also both enjoying the best of health.

#### THREE FATALITIES

#### Fireman Thomas Loney Killed at St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, Jan. 23.-Thos. Loney fireman on the Michigan Central Railway, was struck by an incoming train as he was walking across the yards last night, and his skull was fractured, from which he died to-day

fractured, from which he died to-day. He was 31 years of age and married. Woodstock, Jan. 23.—Mr. Nichol. Black, whose home is in Appin, was driving out to measure some timber near Oxford Centre yesterday, when he suddenly fell forward dead. The exertion in getting through the deep snow was evidently too great, and heart failure resulted. heart failure resulted.

Vittoria, Jan. 23.—Arthur Davis, a laborer, while logging in the bush injured that he died in about five or

#### HEDGE FENCE CO.

six hours.

The annual meeting of the Chatham Hedge Fence Co. took place Wednesday afternoon.

This western peninsular concern represented by the three counties Kent, Essex and Lambton, the head office being situated in the city. The stockholders number seventy-two all of whom are well-to-do gentlemem of all occupations, and who have made it their business to further as far as possible the interest of the firm.

The election of officers for the year, in which the interest and competition were exceptional, resulted as follows: President-John Grant, city. Vice-Pres.-John McOutcheon, Cro-

Directors - E. Breault, Sandwich; Dr. Hall, city; A. W. Parks, Oil

#### INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

The Catholic Order of Foresters installed their new officers for the ensuing year last evening. The Deputy High Chief Ranger, of Walkerton conducted the ceremony. The following officers were installed:

Chap.—Rev. Fr. Herman. P. C. R.—Nelson Emery. C. R.-Jno. E. Stephens. V. C. R.-Walter Phalen. Rec. Sec.-Ed. Dunn. Fin. Sec.-S. A .Gore.

S. C.-H. E. Gerber. J. C.-F. Blonde. I. S .- J. Miller. O. S.-Michael Harper.

Trustees-Nelson Emery, Jas. Flynn, After the regular business was over Nelson Emery, P. C. R., was presented with a beautiful charm by the mem-

with a beautiful charm by the members as a token of appreciation of his past services as Chief Ranger, the presentation being made by J. P. Dunn, the Deputy Hith Chief.

Mr. Emery made a suitable reply. Refreshments were then served, after which some time was spent in music and some

and song.

The growth of the lodge has been good during the year, as shown by the financial report made by T. J. Doyle.

Ed. Dunn also made a report of the increase of membership, which has been exceptionally good.

### MISS HOBHOUSE FAILS.

London, Jan. 24.—The attempts of Miss Hobhouse to sue Lord Milner, Lord Kitchener or other officers concerned in refusing to allow her to stay in South Africa have failed, owing to interference on the part of the authorities. Finally Miss Hobhouse asked Mr. Brodrick, the war secretary, whether he would take the responsibility and allow her to sua him. Mr. Brodrick declined this proposition. Miss Hobhouse was the first person to agitate regarding the condition of the concentration camps. She went to South Africa again recently, but was no tallowed to land there.

### For Social Affairs

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Tally Cards **Invitation Cards** 

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and it is always the best. We have received by express to-day pressed Tongue; it is all ready for the table, and we never sold anything as nice.

Pressed Headcheese, also ready for immediate use, and very fine, only 10 cents a pound.

Bologna Sausage, nicely flavored and cooked, just right, 10 cents a

Frankfort Sausage, as everybody knows, just requires warming, then there is nothing nicer for a supper on a cool night. Try them.

#### Fresh Salmon

Our fresh salt water Salmon is here They are not large, but we can give you any quantity. Try it.

#### Geo. A. Young OUR GROCER

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Mr. Timothy C. Harrington, M. P. ha sbeen re-elected Lord Mayor of

The shipments of bituminous coa from Canada to Europe have proved very successful. Hon. G. E. Foster and Mr. Andrew

Pattullo, M.P.P., spoke at the Windsor Board of Trade banquet. King Victor Emmanuel has confer-red the Order of St. Maurice and St.

Lazarus upon Signor Marconi. The Masons of London, Ont., dedicated the new blue room in the Masonic Temple and held a ball in the even-

The Provincial Medical Health in spector, of Manitoba reports an alarming epidemic of smallpox at Win-

There was significant buying o African mining stock on the London exchange yesterday for continental ac-

Miss Amy Scott, Toronto, has been appointed a nurse to go to South Af-rica in the place of Miss Chalmers, who is unable to go.

A deputation of potterymen in Ot-tawa asked the minister of customs change the duty on pottery from an advalorem to a specific duty.

Mr. John E. Redmond moved an amendment to the address in the Britis house of commons raising the whole question of Irish grievances.

Officials of the Yukon and White Pass Railway interviewed Hon. W. S Fielding, acting minister of railways, in regard to the freight rates charged The Canadian Pacific Railway intend

to concentrate their engine and car works at Hochelaga, where they are building the largest railway works in the world.

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# Gentlemen!!

Our Big Sale of Clothing and Everything in Men's and Boys' Winter Wearables

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Specials on Sale Saturday, Jan. 25th

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Boys' Underwear In fine all wool union and fleece lined, odd sizes of shirts and drawers,

regular prices range from 25c to 50c, your choice Saturday for

# Men's Fine Wool and

Fleece Underwear In nice fine quality Scotch knit, plain wool, fine close elastic ribb and extra quality wool fleece, full range of sizes, regular 750 to 90c qualities, your choice Saturday for

#### Men's and Boys' Winter Caps

We cleared a big lot of winter caps in heavy beavers, fancy plush and naps, in the popular shapes, college, chieftain and hunter, regular 40c and 50c, your choice Saturday for

#### The Pant Opportunity Of The Age

Men's and youths all wool tweed and serge pants, nice dark patterns, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 lines, clear-ing your choice Saturday for

# Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Goods

## Ready-Made Waists

Silk waists, black, cream, rose and turquoise, tucked and finished with hemstitching. Very special value, \$5.00

Silk shirt waists, black, cream, and

ardinal hemstitched,

House Wrappers Though every line is broken, we have still a good assortment, and a full range of sizes from 32 to 42 inbust measure. Each is made with a fitted lining. Each skirt is extra wide and nearly all have a deep flounce. Clearing prices in every line. Prices range from \$1.90 up.

## Interesting Staple Items

One case 20 pieces new fancy striped shaker flannels, splendid assortment of colors, 32 inches wide, extra heavy

# New Apron Ginghams

Just in Fancy woven colored borders, light and dark shades, 36 inches wide, good washing colors, per yard

40 inch bordered apron check, with

ood washing colors, per yard, We are still selling those 75c shaker Plannel blankets, 10-4 size, at per pair

Come and get yours before all are

New patterns in 57 inch unbleached table damasks, extra heavy quality, soft make, at per yard, pieces blue and white, and pink white English Galateas for boys

shirts or blouses, perfectly fast colors. Regular 12 1-2c, now 10 . .

Made and cut by competent hands. Our skirts are widely known for their style and finish.

Skirts of lustre, serge, cheviot, homespun, broadcloth, and broche effects. Prices range from \$2.30 up.

If we have not your size in stock we will make one to your measure with no additional charge.

### Underskirts

Flannelette underskirts, 50 and 75c Black satin underskirts, finished with flounce and frill

Black satin skirts, with deep lined lounce. Flounce is finished with ruffle, with white or black stitchin

Satana skirts, with knife pleating, stitched with white and finished with narrow ruffle.

Special quality, plain, cream, pink, and light blue shaker flannels, full 32 nches, extra heavy, soft make, value per yard Extra towel bargains, 40x20 size,

pure linen, huckaback weave, fringed ends, red taped border, regular 14c, Six prices extra special all pure wool tweed, for men's and boys' wear, plain or fancy weaves, regular 60c and 75c value for

## One Table of Print

Remnants 5 yds in each, dark or light colors, regular 12 1=2c quality, while they last you can have the ends, (5 yds) for

150 yards good heavy pur-crash towelling, 16 inches wide, red border, per yard

2 pieces 38 inch bordered apron linen regular 17c value to clear at

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