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Local Budget

Bicycle repairs at Brisco's. The firemen have received their new summer uniforms. Sheriff Gemmill has returned from a trip to Kingston. P. H. Kenny has returned from visiting friends in Detroit. Arthur E. Berube, of St. Thomas, spent Sunday in the city. Printer with two or three years experience is wanted at this office. Miss Maggie Jackson, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her parents in this city.

Tappers have been placed in the homes of Firemen Sides, Brown and Deline. William Ball, N. H. Stevens and G. P. Scholfield spent yesterday in Detroit.

"Nap." Freedham leaves to-day for Manitoba, where he will spend the summer.

Mrs. Fred. La Francis, of Bay City, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Louis Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gonne, of Detroit, were visiting friends in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Eugene M. Grover, Emma street, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. H. Rose, Pontiac, Mich.

Thomas Price, of the G. T. R. freight office, spent Sunday with friends in Wallaceburg.

Miss J. E. Duncan, of Toronto, is a guest at the residence of her brother, Dr. J. H. Duncan, city.

Solomon Dean, of this city, has returned from a twelve months' trip through the Northwest.

Wait for the best! William St. Baptist Sunday School Excursion to Belle Isle, on Tuesday, 30th.

Mrs. John Bell and two daughters, of Rochester, N. Y., are the guests of Mrs. Striker, Hyslop street.

George Baxter, of Chicago, who has been visiting at his home in this city, returned yesterday to Chicago.

Herb Northwood, Richard Cartier, Charles Bowers, Harry Houston and party spent yesterday at Pardo's Grove.

Band concert at Port Lambton every Monday, leaving Chatham 7:15 p. m. Fare 5c. Music by Excelsior Band.

The new exercise wagon for the fire hall has been completed by the Wm. Gray & Sons Co., Ltd. It will be used on duty next Thursday.

Herman Willmore, of Windsor, spent Sunday in the city. Mr. Willmore is an old Chatham boy and is an ex-Maple City fireman.

Store to Rent! With handsome modern front, next door to Northway & Co. Apply to Lewis & Richards.

Charles Harrison, G. T. R. yard master, has resigned his position and has accepted another position with the Algoma Central Railway.

Band concert at Rond Eau, every Tuesday and Friday night, leaving Chatham at 7:15 p. m. Fare 25c. 24th Regt. Band.

The firemen responded to a telephone alarm from R. Gray's factory Saturday evening. The blaze was located in a woodpile in the rear of Park's foundry.

W. D. Turner, formerly of this city, but who has lately been working in Detroit, has returned to the Maple City and has secured a position with Backus & Dennis.

Connection to the new hydrant that is being put in at Drader's mill was made to-day. This hydrant was put in in order to give better fire protection for the factory.

A lively "scrap" between a white man and another of a darker shade, caused considerable excitement around front of the Market Square for a short time this morning.

Rev. Mr. Keith, of Leamington, occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church yesterday. Miss Ada Ross contributed the excellent contralto solo, "The Good Shepherd."

Two women were seen with the child's watch that had been advertised in The Planet. It was picked up by one of the parties, and should be returned at once to avoid trouble.

Geo. Perrin, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city. Mr. Perrin is well known as an umpire in Maple City baseball circles, he having umpired a number of games played here.

The Park St. Methodist Sunday School will have their Annual Excursion to Walpole Island on Tuesday, July 23, 1917, per Str. City of Chatham. Wait for it, and enjoy a sail on River St. Clair.

At six o'clock on Wednesday evening a young girl, who is out at service in this city, lost her pocket-book containing nearly seven dollars. It was the only money she possessed and a reward will be given for its return to this office.

B. Victor Carter left this morning for Grovet Ile, where he is, in company with Mrs. Carter, will spend the vacation with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Cope land, Windsor, who have taken a cottage at this well known American summer resort. Mr. Carter will return to the city on the 15th of August.

The regular Sunday evening service was held on Tecumseh Park last evening and, as usual, a large crowd attended. Rev. Messrs. Sims and Ross gave short sermons. Rev. Messrs. Keith, of Leamington, and Dehson, of Tilbury, were also present, but owing to the shortness of the service did not give addresses. These meetings will be continued next Sunday evening.

On Saturday there passed away Samuel Newkirk, of River Road, Dover, at the age of 47 years, 8 months and 14 days. He has been residing with his brother, N. M. Newkirk, Con. 4, Raleigh, for the past week and the sad end was anticipated. The deceased was a highly esteemed gentleman, unmarried and universally popular. He has been an invalid for a number of years. The funeral took place this afternoon at 2:30 to Maple Leaf cemetery.

Miss Sophie and Phoebe Robert, of St. Louis, are spending a few weeks with Mr. Robert, Emma street.

Mrs. John Ross Walker will be at home to her friends the second Wednesday and Thursday in September.

Miss C. Jordan, Grant street, is spending a few days in Sarnia visiting her friend, Miss Hynes, of that place.

Mrs. Wm. C. Houghton, of Detroit, and Mrs. Echlin, of Murray, Dresden, the guests of Mayor and Mrs. Noble.

Miss Irene Houghton, of Detroit, and Miss Grace Echlin, of Murray, spent last week at Cedar Springs and Erieau.

Miss Grace Echlin, of Detroit, spent Saturday in Dresden, the guests of Miss Minnie Jeffs.

Silk sale on Wednesday and Thursday morning, 500 yards of plain and fancy waist silks, regular 50c and 60c, selling at 25c, at Thibodeau & Jacques.

Negotiations are still in progress for the proposed cricket tour. Cricket is the only game that has held its place among Chatham sports and it should receive far more support and encouragement from Maple City citizens than it does.

ENGINEER TALKS BACK

Gives Some Valuable Information to Criticizing Citizens.

Points Out That he Always has the Interests of the City at Heart.

To the Editor of The Planet:

Sir,—I noticed an item in your paper on the 19th inst., whose very insignificance attracted my attention. Its emanation is clouded in mystery, its jest of so little importance to me as well as the party who wrote it, that even he hesitated to sign his own production. In my opinion, as I have already expressed in your popular columns, letters of this description only court notoriety by being answered.

In this case I do not answer the writer, I merely speak for the benefit of the business man who knows enough to mind his own business.

As for the question of boxes and stuff and material on the sidewalk, permit me to state that, I have never at any stage of the game mentioned it or took notice of it, notwithstanding I have had a countless number of applications and have had complaints asking me why I did not try and have the sidewalk cleared for the pedestrians and not as a storehouse for the stores. In each case my answer was "It is not in my line. See the Chief of Police." Now, whether they have done so or not, you will have to see the Chief.

I do not interfere with something that is not under my supervision, permit me to state that as city engineer for the city of Chatham the sidewalk as well as the roadbed is distinctly my department. I make it a strict policy never to overstep the finest imaginary line of my office, but allow me to state for the information of the citizens of Chatham that as engineer for the said city my department and my business are run strictly on business basis, and that at any time that the emanator of the above lot chooses to come to my office in business hours, I am prepared to simply or any other ratepayer in the city of Chatham how much money we have spent and what we have done with it and all other information liable to follow any question that he might ask. I would further ask the citizens of Chatham to distinctly understand that I go entirely under the instructions from the Board of Works. Information furnished in this line can be had from Chairman Marshall, who no doubt will give it freely.

Again, as to logs in the creek, permit me to state that I in no way interfered with the logs in the creek, although I have been asked scores of times why I allowed them to remain under the bridge to form a dam for the excitement and other officials in the creek, producing a festering mass of fever microbes. I might say in the favor of the logs that they certainly did produce a beautiful open old stream which was far from being the surface of frog ponds and a barrel of Paris green, and I will admit that it was a query to me why a city of 10,000 people should have to put up with a pest of this description while going to and from their pleasure resort to oblige one individual citizen. Again, permit me to say that this is something that any citizen has a right to remark as well as the engineer.

Re alien labor.

Allow me to state that in saying that I brought this man from Flint, Mich., to do our contract work, that it is a lie, flat-footed. Now, any further explanation of this matter, I refuse to give. The Board of Works will be happy to make any explanation that is required, and while you state that you have as good men here to do the work as any we can possibly import, in answer I have only to state that the work I have seen on the sidewalks here was far from what I considered standard or good work. Take, for instance the sidewalk on Centre street, which is now on exhibition for itself and speaks for itself; also a piece on Park street, also a piece on Water street.

When we tendered for people to do this class of work the only man in town who thought he was competent to do it put in his tender at 15 cents a foot. This man who has done the work in the last few weeks is doing it for 12 1/2 cents a foot. The reason he was employed to do the work was because the crowd was positively needed, and to save an action against

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DISTRICT DOINGS

HIGHGATE.

Messrs. Hector Foster and Leslie McLean are in Hamilton this week attending the Masonic Grand Lodge meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Tape left on Monday on a visit to their son, Dr. Geo. Tape, who is practicing in Oregon.

We understand that the Highgate post office is about to change hands. Mr. E. Beattie, who has held the position so long, being requested to hand the office over to his successor, Mr. Henry Watson.

Mr. John Smart and Mrs. Mason Attridge, of Mileta, Manitoba, are here on a visit to their mother, Mrs. John Johnston.

MULL.

A number of people from this place attended the 12th of July demonstration held at Leamington.

Miss Nettie Binks, of West Lorne, was the guest of Miss Annie MacGregor, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch. McCorvie spent a few days in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Higgins, of North Buxton, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. George Martin, of this place.

Mr. Leonard Carter, of this place, was in Detroit on the 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald McVicar, of Windsor, are the guests of Mr. Neil McVicar, 10th concession.

Mrs. Duncan McCall, aged 81, died Tuesday at 1:30, at her residence on the Ridge.

McKAY'S CORNERS.

Miss Bertram, of London, South, has returned home after spending a week with Miss Sid. Parsons.

Georgia Morrison is spending a month in Toronto and other eastern points.

Harry Collins, of Quebec City, is spending his holidays with his brother John, and other friends. Harry reports our eastern cousins as being a century behind the times.

The Presbyterians held a successful social on the lawn of the church last evening, about \$40 being realized. The Ridgeway band was in attendance, and furnished some fine selections.

Dr. McRitchie has been lately engaged in auditing the books of the Chatham Hedge Fence Co., Ltd., who annual meeting of the shareholders was held yesterday. He reports the company to be in a very healthy and growing condition.

D. A. Booth, of Port Lambton, has returned to his home.

John Payne, of Whitehead, has returned home after visiting with his sister, Mrs. G. E. Booth.

A game of football between Botany and Harwich clubs on the evening of Saturday 27th.

The wife of Alex. Johnston, on the wing well.

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HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—75 Lorne Ave. Apply to W. H. Nichol, King street.

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SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria Avenue, and six on Maple street. For full particulars apply to S. STEPHENSON, Planet Office.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—122 Wellington St. West, lot 56x300. House in good repair; brick foundation; 7 rooms, closets, pantries, bath room, etc. Leaving the city; will sell cheap. For full particulars apply to Jno. A. Tice. 10

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—Very cheap, situated on Barker St., second house from Park St. House contains six rooms and summer kitchen; about five minutes' walk from market. For further particulars address Joseph H. Bishop, Chatham, Ont. 10

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