The Planet

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FRIDAY, APRIL 24.

THE NEW GOVERNOR.

Mr. William Mortimer Clark, K. C., who was sworn in on Tuesday as Lieut.-Governor of the Province of Ontario, is a native of Aberdeen, Scotland, where he was born May 24, 1836. Thus he celebrates his birthday anniversary on Victoria Day. He is a son of the late John Clark, founder of the Caledonian bank, Scotland, . He studied law at Edinburgh University, came to Canada in 1856, and was called to the Ontario bar in 1861. He was created a Q. C. by the Ontario Government in 1887. Since 1880 he has been chairman of the Board of Management of Knox College, Toronto. He is a senator of Toronto University and is identified with the Home for Incurables, Canadian Institute, St. Andrew's Society, and other fraternal and benevolent bodies. Politically, he was a supporter of Dalton McCarthy.

During the agitation attending the passing of the Jesuit Estates Bill he was elected vice-president of the Equal Rights Association. Thus, his appointment has been a case of the dark horse winning. He is not a strong party politician, but is generally esteened as a gentleman of benevolent instincts, and will doubtless be acceptable to the people as a whole.

MAIL DELIVERY.

The decision of the St. Thomas City Council to petition the Dominion Government for a postal delivery is wise, the Journal of that place contends. "Such a request from St. Thomas is well within the bounds of reason."

It is no hardship for business men to call at the postoffice for their mail, argues the Journal, but for those citizens whose business does not lie in that direction and who must make a special visit, the specialty of a daily enquiry is a nuisance and an inconvenience. It would not be so bad if one had any means of knowing when there was a letter, but in order to avoid leaving mail in the office for an indefinite period a daily visit is necessary. Thus the amount of labor involved in the delivery of the mail by each household having its own postman is probably one hundred times greater than if a couple of postmen were employed. It is one of those services that can be rendered so much more cheaply and satisfactorily by employes of the Government that it is surprising the Postoffice Department would hesitate for a moment to incur the small expenditure necessary. The argument against it is that other cities of like size would make similar demands. Well, why not? Why should not Brantford, Stratford, Chatham and Guelph, and St. Thomas have postmen as well as Toronto and Hamilton.

The Journal believes that one thousand dollars a year would pay the cost of a daily delivery in St. Thomas, and it would be worth that to the service in having the mail matter distributed expeditiously. Here is a matter which might well be considered in regard to Chatham.

Loose Doors.

When doors do not close snugly, but leave cracks through which drafts enter, the simplest remedy is this: Place a strip of putty along the jambs, cover the edge of the door with chalk and shut it. The putty will then fill all spaces. The chalk rubbed on the edges prevents adhesion and the putty is left in place, where it soon dries and leaves a perfectly fitting jamb.

The Kitchen Table.

In the war with insect life kerosene is a sure weapon of defense. If the kitchen table is seized upon by roaches and used as a nest for their eggs, do not burn it up after ineffective scrubbing and scaldings. Put it in the yard and soak it with kerosene. Not one egg will live. In like manner treat any insect infected furniture.

Window Plants.

The most common mistake in window culture of plants is having too many and not starting them in time so that they may develop into sightly plants. Better two or three or even one well grown, generously foliaged plant than six or eight that are merely "slips."

For the Sewing Machine.

A bag of cretonne or denim attached to the frame of the sewing machine is a decided convenience for the home worker. All threads and scraps can be dropped in while the machine sewing is going on, and there will be no littering of the carpet or rug.

Pillowcases worn out, washed and ironed and cut the right size make nice bread cloths or cloths to spread over food on pantry shelves. The smaller pieces make handy lamp cloths.

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MONKEY-LIKE MEN

Race of Savage Swamp Dwellers Found in New Guinea.

The Acting Administrator of New Guinea, Sir Francis P. Winter, in a report to the Governor-General of the Australian Commonwealth, describes a curious people who live in the swamps in New Guinea.

They are called the Ahgaiambo, and have lived in swamps for a period which goes back beyond native tradition. They dwell in houses raised on piles about 12 feet above the surface of the water, which they traverse in canoes dug out of logs. These they propel standing up with a pole.

In addition, they are expert swimmers, gliding through beds of reeds or over masses of floating vegetable matter with ease. They never leave the morass, and their mode of life has reacted upon their physical character, with the result that they are not able to walk properly on hard ground, their feet bleeding if they try to do so.

Sir Francis Winter describes two of the tribe—a man and a woman—as follows:

"The man would have been a fair-sized native, had his body from the hips downward been proportionate to the upper part of his frame. He had a good chest, and, for a native, a thick neck, and his arms matched his trunk.

"His feet were short and broad, and very thin and flat, with—for a native—weak-looking toes. This last feature was still more noticeable in the woman, whose toes were long and slight, and stood out rigidly from the foot, as though they possessed no joints. The feet of both the man and the woman seemed to rest on the ground something like wooden feet would do. The skin above the knees of the man was in loose folds, and the sinews and muscles around the knee were not well-developed. The muscles of the shin were much better developed than those of the calf.

"In the ordinary native the skin on the loins is smooth and tight, and the anatomy of the body is clearly discernible; but the Ahgaiambo man had several folds of thick skin or muscle across the loins which concealed the outline of his frame. On placing one of our natives of the same height alongside the marsh man, we noticed that our native was about 3 inches higher at the hips.

"I had a good view of the man while he was standing sideways towards me, and in figure and carriage he looked to me more apelike than any human being that I have seen. The woman, who was of middle age, was much more slightly formed than the man, but her legs were short and slender in proportion to her figure, which, from the waist to the knee, was clothed in a wrppaer of native cloth."

HUFFMAN'S CORNERS.

Sunday was missionary Sunday at the Corners, Rev. R. Thompson, of Charing Cross, preached.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather League was not held Tuesday evening.

Mr. McKenzie, who intended visiting his home during the holidays, was debarred from doing so on account of the impassable condition of the roads.

Albert Campbell's barn raising was a splendid success and a very pleasant game of football was engaged in afterward.

Mrs. John W. Hoffman is at present in Chatham hospital.

Mrs. Mosey is suffering from an attack of pneumonia. We are glad to learn that she is recovering.

A good number are suffering from severe colds and la grippe. Mr. D. Proctor and family, also Mr. Wm. Proctor, Mrs. Gales and others. The sunshine will be a welcome treat to all.

Clarence Huffman has taken the job of putting a wire fence around the school yard and is busily occupied in completing it before school commences again.

Rev. A. E. M. Thomson, B. D. spent a few hours at the parsonage on Tuesday.

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Auction Sale Extraordinary

Fred F. Quinn's Sale of Furniture

Andrew Thomson, Jr., has received instructions from F. F. Quinn to sell by auction, without reserve, on Tuesday, April 28th, at his residence on Stanley avenue, commencing at ten o'clock a. m., the following: One piano, one music cabinet, one music rack, two parlor suits, one large wicker chair, three large easy chairs, four Paris silk portiers, three pairs lace curtains, two screens, seven oil paintings, ten sofa pillows, one fine bric-brac cabinet, two fine candlelabras and clock to match, a lot of bric-brac, two parlor lamps, parlor carpet, a number of jardiners, a number of jardiner stands, one hall rack, one hall chair, three cherry book cases, with double glass doors, drawers, etc.; one ditto oak, one ditto black walnut, one thousand volumns of books, comprising some of the best literature in print; one reading electric lamp, one millers student lamp, a number of smaller lamps, two easy reading chairs, one large sofa upholstered in plush, three small tables, one eight-day clock, a lot of old curiosities consisting of guns, pistols, swords, pipes, etc.; one set dining room chairs, oak upholstered in leather; one oak dining room table, 10 feet; one quarter-cut oak sideboard, one oak couch, upholstered in leather; one solid leather easy reading chair, one oak book stand, two small oak tables, five oil paintings, fruit and game; one electric fan, nickle plated; one oak clock, (chimes), a lot of silverware, one set brass fire tongs (five pieces), one brass fire screen, one coal vase, a number of floor rugs, carpets for parlor, dining room, hall and library; one Stella music box with 37 pieces, one graphophone with about 75 pieces, one melodian, one gas range, has hot water heater and porcelene broiler attachments, also large sheet iron hood to draw the fumes of gas, and cooking from the stove into the chimney. This is a very fine range, being the newest and most up-to-date on the market. One gas meter, one hot water radiator, one large oak refrigerator, American make; one kitchen extension table, a number of smaller tables, a large number of kitchen and cooking utensils, two brass beds, three genuine hair mattresses, two large wardrobes with drawers, etc.; two cabinets, a number of bedroom suits, mattresses, springs, etc.; one black walnut folding bed, one large plate glass mirror, a number of chairs, tables, mirrors, pictures, clocks, bathroom fixtures, beds, mattresses, one cabinet sewing machine, one two-seated Makado with canopy top, pole and shafts; one coil spring Brantford cart, one set of best hand-made single harness, new, never been used; one child's carriage, two children's carts or wagons, very fine; one child's ratan bed finished in white enamel, a number of lawn seats, chairs, swings, hammock canopy, etc.; a large number of garden and lawn tools, one barrel sprayer, Aylmer make; three barrels of home-made native wine, five barrels of pure cider vinegar, a lot of glass fruit jars, wine bottles, etc., in fact space will not permit the enumeration of the articles but all will be sold without reserve as the proprietor is leaving Chatham. The house and lot, comprising of three and a half acres with all modern conveniences, will be offered for sale at two o'clock if not disposed of before. This is one of the most important sales which I have had for some time, as the furniture and effects are of the best, consisting of oak, cherry, mahogany and walnut and all of a substantian make. This sale should command the attention of the public and will, no doubt, be well attended rain or shine, as the house is large and can easily accommodate a large crowd. The sale will begin sharp at ten a. m. and lunch will be served at twelve o'clock. Should time not permit for sale of the books on the 28th, then they will be sold on Thursday evening the 30th inst. in one of the stores in the Garner House Block. This library is conceeded to be one of the best collections of books in the city. Remember the day and date of the sale, Tuesday, April 28th, at ten o'clock a. m. sharp.

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Proprietor.

ANDREW THOMSON, JR.,
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Black Satin Underskirts at 98c. — 8 dozen fine Mercerised Satana Underskirts, rich, silky quality, wide fluted flounce, with double ruffles, lengths 38 to 42 in. a regular $1.25 skirt, special at 98c.

White Wash Silks at 25c. — 200 yards White and Cream Wash Silks, in choice range of stripe patterns, full widths, firm quality, clearing Saturday at a yard 25c.

75c. India Silks at 49c. yard — 300 yards Pure India Wash Silks, fine quality in choice range of small, figured designs, suitable for waists, gowns or children's dresses, ivory shade only, regular 75c yard, clearing at 49c.

44 in. Canvass Suitings at 50c. — Fine, pure wool, firm weave, 44 in. wide, in colors black, navy, reseda, new blue, light navy, fawn, grey and cream, a good 75c quality, our special price 50c.

Black Mohair Lustres—Rich, bright, silky quality, 44 in. and 46 in. wide, soft finish, guaranteed dyes, two special lines at 75c. and 50c.

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All Wool French Challies 45c. yard —Fine, pure wool, 32 in. wide, in new stripes and spots, beautiful colorings, for waists or children's dresses, special per yard 45c.

New mohair grenadines — Fancy stripes and figures, in all black, black and white, and white and black, rich silky finish, sheer quality, best dyes, two special lines, at 40c and 50c.

Lace curtain bargains—45 pairs fine Nottingham lace curtains, 3 yards and 3 1-2 yards, in beautiful designs, overlock edges, worth $1.25 and $1.50 a pair, special at $1.00.

200 pair lace curtains—Good strong net, 5 yards to the pair, pretty designs, overlock edges, special at a pair 50c, 35c and 25c.

New tapestry curtains—Direct from the makers in Philadelphia, the largest range, handsomest styles, and richest colorings we have ever seen worn your while having a look in at them, extra values at a pair $2.75 $3.50, $4.00, $5.00, $6.00 $7.50, $8.50 $10.00 and $12.00.

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Sale to take place where the drain crosses the eleventh concession road.

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*3.32 p. m.	Express	*1.05 a. m.

*Daily.

Lake Erie & Detroit River R.R.

Effective Jun. 15, 1902.

Leave Chatham	For	Exp.	Exp.	Mix.	Mail and Exp.	Exp.
	Ridgetown	"	10.30 a		7.05 p.m	"
	Rodney	"	"		"	"
	West Lorne	"	"		"	"
	Dutton	"	"		"	"
	St. Thomas	"	"		"	"
	London	"	"		"	"
	Leamington	7.45a	4.15 p			
	Kingsville	"	"		"	"
	Walkerville	"	"		"	"
	Dresden	9.05 a		11.10a	5 40 p	
	Wallaceburg	"		"	"	
	Sarnia	"		"	"	

Arrive at Chatham—From Blenheim, Ridgetown, Rodney, West Lorne, Dutton, St. Thomas, London, 9.05a; From Leamington, Kingsville, Walkerville, 11.50a, 8.20p. From Dresden, Wallaceburg, Sarnia 9a, 7.05 p.

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‡ 2.30 p.m. for Windsor and intermediate stations.
‡ 4.23 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.
* 9.07 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and west

EAST.

‡ 8.32 a.m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Buffalo.
‡ 1.45 p.m. for Glencoe and St. Thomas
* 2.23 p.m. for London, Toronto, Montreal, Buffalo and New York.
* 5.08 p.m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and East.
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‡ Daily except Sunday; *Daily.

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†8 50 p.m.	†3.25 a.m,	†8.20 a.m.	†4.33 a.m

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