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Local Briefs

Fred. Lee, of Highgate, was a guest
at the Rankin House yesterday.

Lost, yesterday afternoon, a bunch
of keys. Finder please return to this
office.

David Ross, Farmington, Mich., is
spending a few days with S. Hitch-
cock, Con. 9, Raleigh.

The A. O. F., of this city, attend
St. Andrew's Church on Sunday, June
7th, when Rev. Dr. Battisby will de-
liver the sermon to the order.

Clarence Merritt has passed his
final examination. He took high hon-
ors. His entire apprenticeship was
put in with J. W. McLaren, druggist.

In to-day's Toronto Globe Raymond
Peck, of this city, is announced as
having won honorable mention and a
cash prize of \$3.00 for an illustrated
story. A cartoon by Ray appeared in
last Saturday's Planet. He has much
talent and is a credit to our city.

The Planet's attention has been
called to the fact that an error was
made yesterday in stating that the
gentlemen who bought the Binder
Twine factory outbid the Deering Co.
The latter concern was not a pro-
spective buyer. The directors made
an effort to secure a bid from them
without success.

Miss Belle Wilson left yesterday
for Toronto, whence she and Miss
Stewart, Galt, go via New York to
Naples and other places in the Medi-
terranean Sea, after which they will
spend the summer months in Europe
and return in the autumn to Canada
with Miss Meta Wilson. The party
will travel in company with Mrs.
Dignam, art governess in Moulton
College, Toronto.

NEW KEEPER

Allan Ripley is the new superin-
tendent of the House of Refuge.
He was chosen to-day by the House
of Refuge committee and his ap-
pointment is subject to the approval
of the County Council. County Clerk
Gosnell, Warden Robinson, Chairman
Sifton and Commissioners Somers
and French went down to-day and
installed Mr. Ripley in his new posi-
tion. Mrs. Ripley has been engaged
as matron.

Mr. Ripley's family live on the Mc-
Crae farm, near Dresden, in Camden.
He has been working at the Dow-
ley spring and axle works of late,
but before that he farmed. The
Ripley's have been farmers for the
past 17 generations and they claim
to be of the old Puritan stock.

There were eleven applicants in all
for the position.

A TEST CASE

An information has been laid against
the law firm of Lewis & Richards
charging that they have a sign bear-
ing this well known law firm's name
projecting over the King street side-
walk contrary to the city by-law in
such cases made and provided. Chief
Holmes says that the police are go-
ing to enforce this by-law in regard
to signs or test its legality. They
have no intention of selecting those
who cannot afford to fight the case,
but have chosen one of the most
prominent of the offending firms.
Mr. Lewis has a habit of appearing
in the police court almost every time
that a criminal prosecution takes
place. Of course this is because of
Mr. Lewis' reputation as a criminal
lawyer and his success as such, but
the Chief thinks he would like to
see the legal man make his debut
in court in a new role. The case
will probably be tried on Monday.

For Sale

House and lot in excellent location, parlor,
dining room, kitchen, pantry, and bed-
rooms, downstairs, and two bedrooms,
four closets, upstairs, bath room, ce-
ment cellar, hot water heating, city water
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NOT TO OPEN

The Central School will not open on
Monday next, with the exception of
the entrance class. Announcement of
when the school will open will appear
in a few days.

GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.

Four Young Men Released on Sus-
pended Sentence.

Bracebridge, May 16. — The four
young men, Edward Hunter, Samuel
Burley, Albert Laking and Edward
Dunn, found guilty of the man-
slaughter of Robert Johnston, were
dismissed yesterday by Judge Brit-
ton on suspended sentence.

GRAND TRUNK JUBILEE.

First Passenger Train Fifty Years
Ago To-day.

Toronto, May 16. — To-day is
the golden jubilee of railroad-
ing in Ontario. Just fifty years
ago, May 16, 1853, the first passenger
train was run on the first railway in
the Province, from Toronto to Au-
gus. It was known as the Ontario,
Simcoe & Huron Railway and shortly
after was extended to Barrie, and then
to Collingwood.

THE MARKET REPORTS.

Live Stock Trade Active—Grain is
Higher—The Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, July 15.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The total grain receipts amounted to
800 bushels.
Wheat—One hundred bushels of white
sold at 74c per bushel, and 200 bushels
of white sold at 75c.
Barley—One hundred bushels sold about
steady at 42c to 45c per bushel.
Oats—The market is about steady. Five
hundred bushels sold at 35c to 36c per
bushel.

Dressed Hogs—There was a fairly ac-
tive trade in hogs, and the market is
quoted firmer at \$8.25 to \$8.75 per cwt for
light weights. Heavies are steady and
unchanged at \$7.50 to \$7.75.
Hay—About 30 loads were on the mar-
ket. No. 1 timothy is quoted easier at
\$12 to \$14 per ton, and mixed or clover
is steady at \$6 to \$8.
Straw—Is quoted unchanged at \$8 to \$9
per ton. Three loads were sold.

Cheese Markets.

Winchester, May 15.—At the meeting of
the cheese board held here last night 228
colored and 588 white were offered for
sale. 28 colored and 270 white were sold
at 11c. Buyers present were: Logan,
Gibson, Weir, Ault, Jenan and Pruner.

Ottawa, May 15.—The first sales meet-
ing of the Ottawa Cheese Board was held
this afternoon under most favorable cir-
cumstances. There were 378 boxes white
and 76 colored boarded; the opening and
closing price was 11c, at which all but
one factory sold. There was a number of
new factories on the board and the fol-
lowing buying houses were represented:—
Mr. A. A. Grant, James Alexander,
D. A. McPherson & Co. and Lovell
& Christensen. Mr. A. A. Grant was pre-
sent and spoke of the English market,
warning sellers to make none but the
best quality of cheese. There was a
spirited discussion on the establishment
of an Ottawa inspection, but no action
was taken on the matter. The cheese
sold went as follows:—Grant, 111; Mc-
Pherson, 159; Ayer, 103; and Hodgson, 25.
Twenty factories boarded.

Perth, May 15.—On the cheese market
held here to-day there were 740 boxes of
white cheese. All were sold at 11c. The
following buying houses were present:—
Powell got 250 boxes, Bissell 230 boxes,
Webster 180 boxes, Howe 50 boxes and
Ferguson 2 boxes.
Kemptville, May 15.—The boarded offer-
ing at to-night's cheese board meeting
was 740 boxes, of which 420 were colored
and 320 white. Cheese sold at 11c and
11 1/2c, and most of the product was dis-
posed of either on the board or curb.

**SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAV-
OR, DENVER, 1903.**

The Passenger Department of the
Chicago & North-Western Railway has
issued a very interesting folder on
the subject of the Christian Endeavor
meeting to be held at Denver, July
9th to 15th, together with informa-
tion as to reduced rates and sleeping
car service, as well as a short descrip-
tion of the various points of interest
in Colorado usually visited by tour-
ists. Send 2-cent stamp to W. B.
Kniskern, Passenger Traffic Manag-
er, Chicago, for copy.

**COMFORT AND LUXURY ON THE
"FLYER."**

"It is one of life's real pleasures
to travel on such a splendid train." This
is only one of a hundred such
remarks made by experienced travel-
ers regarding the Grand Trunk's
"Eastern Flyer," which leaves Chat-
ham at 5:08 p.m. daily for Toronto,
Montreal and Portland. The cafe car
on this train enables one to enjoy a
nicely cooked and well served meal
while rushing towards their destina-
tion at a rate often exceeding a mile
a minute. The service is a la carte.
Cars are electric lighted and equip-
ped with electric fans. There is also
a through Pullman sleeper to Mont-
real. Tickets, reservations, etc., from
W. E. Rispin, C. P. & T. A. 115 King
street.

Bitulithic Pavement

What it is Made of and How
it Stands Heavy Travel
in Large Cities.

To the Editor of The Planet:

Statements have been made that our
Bitulithic Pavement has no founda-
tion. Our foundation is made of six
inches of broken stone, which is coat-
ed twice with bituminous cement,
making a bituminous concrete. This
is thoroughly rolled, with a 16-ton
roller, and the wearing surface of
crushed granite hardheads and refined
bitumen is laid on top of this founda-
tion about three inches deep, and,
while hot and plastic, it is rolled with
a 16-ton roller until it is thoroughly
compressed.

This wearing surface adheres to the
foundation that will withstand a
heavier load than a pavement with
a concrete foundation.

The most competent engineers in
Canada and the United States are lay-
ing Bitulithic on their heavily travel-
led streets, as it is a modern pave-
ment that has more advantages than
any other pavement in existence to-
day.

On Queen street we guarantee our
pavement for ten years, and offer as a
bond, any Guarantee Co. the city
may select.

We know our pavement will outlast
brick, and has the additional advan-
tage of being absolutely quiet and
waterproof, having no joints for water
to get in and leave it out of shape.

When large cities like Boston, New
York, St. Louis and Montreal lay it
with success, surely this city is gain-
ing no risk when they follow suit,
especially when we give a ten-year
guarantee that the pavement will be
in perfect condition at the end of that
time.

Bitulithic will last from 25 to 30
years on Queen street, and will give
the advantage of quietness and ease
of travel during every day of that
time.

The best pavement is none too good
for Chatham. This is an age of pro-
gress, and the fact that our pavement
is the most modern and the result of
thirty years' experience in the paving
business should not be used as an
argument against it.

WARREN BITUMINOUS PAVING
CO. per

W. G. MACKENDRICK.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Civil Servants in the Manitoba Elec-
tion—"Ragging" in the Army.

Ottawa, May 16.—But little pro-
gress was made with the practical busi-
ness of the House yesterday owing to
protracted debate upon an amend-
ment to supply by Dr. Roche, Marquette,
censuring the Government for allow-
ing civil servants in Manitoba to take
an active part in the Dominion elec-
tions. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Wil-
liam Mulock declared that the Gov-
ernment had not receded from the po-
sition it occupied in 1897 upon this
question, and reaffirmed the principle
that the display of offensive partisan-
ship by servants of the public was re-
prehensible. The "ragging" of Lieut.
Willow, a colonial officer in the Im-
perial army, was the subject of a vigor-
ous protest by Mr. John Charlton and
others. A comparatively small item
voted in supply represented the sum
total of the day's work when the
House adjourned at 11:30.

Bill respecting the Central Life In-
surance Co.—Mr. Morrison, and incor-
porating the Canada Transportation &
Storage Co.—Mr. German, were intro-
duced this afternoon.

Upon motion of Sir Wilfrid Laurier
the House decided to adjourn on Wed-
nesday next until Tuesday, the 26th
inst.

Mr. Jabel Robinson thanked the
Premier for having consented to ad-
journ over the latter part of next
week, as upon the 21st of May the re-
sidents of Elgin propose to celebrate
the 100th anniversary of the chopping
of the first tree in the county toward
its settlement.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in reply to Mr.
R. L. Borden, said that the principle
of the commission on transportation
had been assented to, and he expected
it would issue very shortly.

RAILWAY ASSESSMENT.

Object to Paying on Cost of Road-
bed.

Toronto, May 16. — The rail-
way companies had their innings
yesterday before the special com-
mittee of the Legislature on the
Premier's assessment bill. I. F.
Helmuth, K.C., and W. H. Biggar,
K.C., of Montreal represented the
Grand Trunk, and A. B. Aylesworth,
K.C., and A. McMurchy of Toronto
represented the C. P. R.
Mr. Helmuth said the position of
the railway companies regarding as-
sessment had never been presented to
the Legislature or the commission. The
proposed bill made a radical change in
the definition of "land" the land of a
railway would include everything about
it, rails, ties, culverts, cuttings, em-
bankments and so on, and all would,
under the bill, be assessed at the ac-
tual value, that is, would be based on
the value of the land immediately ad-
joining, with the added cost of road-
bed, etc.

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man, three times as much as a
Frenchman, and four and a half
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tracts either for complete buildings
or supply Lumber and Mill Bill as
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GIRLS WANTED—For dining room
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WANTED—Three smart girls at Tey-
lor's wooden mills, also a night
watchman.

WANTED—Manitoba Farm Lands and
Winnipeg Town Lots to purchase.
The Real Estate Exchange, Box 405,
Winnipeg, Man.

WANTED—Competent men to ap-
point agents, whole or spare time.
Commission paid. Apply John
Doyle, Drawer 581, London.

WANTED—Girl for general house-
work; no washing; good wages.
Apply Mrs. Ridout, care Canadian
Bank of Commerce, Walkerville, Ont.

WANTED—Gentleman and wife want
one or two rooms with gas and
privilege of bath. Empty or partly
furnished. Address A. B., this of-
fice.

COACHMAN WANTED—One who
thoroughly understands the care of
horses and vehicles. Must be an
A1 man. Unmarried preferred. Ap-
ply H. Scherer & Co., 280 Jeffers-
on avenue, Detroit, Mich.

WANTED—A capable man to attend
to garden, stable, driving carriage,
housework, etc. References re-
quired. Good wages, and if suitable to
be hired by the year. Chas. R. R.
Kinison.

MAN WANTED—Married, to work on
a farm, good wages for a reliable
man. Good house. Furnish refer-
ences and apply to M. J. Wilson,
near cemetery, Harwich, or to Art
Dunn, Dunn & Merritt, Chatham.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FOR SALE—Gladstone buggy for sale
cheap; cost \$135. Apply to this
office.

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half
acres at the head of Victoria Ave.,
apply to Mrs. Tissiman, Room 5,
Victoria Block.

TO RENT—House No. 5, Riverside
Terrace, to let, possession 11st of
June. Apply at once to W. E.
Rispin, 115 King street.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Three houses on
Grant St., and house and lot on Vi-
ctoria Ave. For particulars, apply to
Thos. Scullard, Victoria Block, or
at this office.

FOR SALE—Fine residence and
grounds for sale; house has all
modern conveniences; 3 1/2 acres of
ground, out door fruit cellar, as
well as cellar under nearly the
whole house, stable for four animals,
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cow; best chicken run in Chatham.
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of these waists of China silk and unlined taffeta than ever
before.

At \$2.75.—Of China Silk, Ivory, Cream or Black, with yoke, laid in small box
plaits from the yoke down, stock collar, stylish sleeve.

At \$4.50.—Of Black China Silk, nicely tucked, front trimmed with large medal-
ions, sleeves tucked to the elbows.

At \$6.00.—Of unlined taffeta, blue and reseda, trimmed with fine insertion and
fagoting with wide stitched plait between the rows of insertion.

..Staple Department..**Saturday Night Bargains.**

10 doz Heavy Huck and Damask Towels, 18x32 inch fancy wide or narrow
border, regular 12 1/2c value, for each 10c

1 pc 22 inch checked glass towelling, heavy quality, regular 10c for 8 1-2c

3 ends fancy bordered apron linens, 38 inches wide, pure linen, extra
heavy and fine weave, regular 25c a yd, for 19c

6 pcs fancy white waist muslins, in wide or fancy open stripes, correct for
hot weather gowns, 12 1/2c for per yard 10c

50 yds heavy twilled bleached sheet, 68 inches wide, good heavy cotton, reg-
ular 25c value, special per yard 18c

White Pillow Slips, special prices, 42x36 inches, each 15c

1 pc 60 inch bleached tabling, choice designs, good firm quality, special, yd, 35c

FUNDAMENTAL COMFORT**Hosiery and Underwear**

To be cool on the hot days you have to cloth yourself
consistently throughout. That means begin with cool, thin
underclothing and hosiery. If you are at a loss for the right
sorts you may gain knowledge and comfort at economical out-
lay from this news.

50 dozen ladies' black seamless cotton
hose, soft, strong and absolutely seamless.
Price 10c a pair.

Ladies' Hermsdorf's fast black hose,
spliced heels and toes. Price 13c, 2 pairs
for 25c.

Various pretty designs in black, white
and colored stockings, open work. Prices
25, 35, 50, 75 and \$1.00.

Ladies' Ribbed Cotton Vests, short and
no sleeves. Price 5, 10, 12 1/2 and 15c.

Ladies' extra fine white ribbed vests,
low neck, short and no sleeves, lace and
ribbon trimmed. Price 20 and 25c.

Ladies' White Ribbed Little Thread
Vests, low neck, short and no sleeves, lace
trimmed. Price 35, 40 and 50c.

The Best Trousers**In Town****Are Here.**

It's just as easy to cut trousers right as to cut them wrong
but it takes a cutter's brains in his fingers to do it. If the cut-
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New spring and summer styles are ready and if you'll call
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TWEED PANTS, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 to \$2.75.

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3 piece bedroom suit, solid hardwood, golden finish.
Bed 6 ft 2 ins high, 4 ft 2 ins slat; commode, shaped top and
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Parlor Table Special.—Tops 25 in. x 24 in.; finished
in quarter cut golden oak, hand turned legs with brass feet.
Our special price, \$2.75.

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