EAT RICHARDS' BREAD Delivered in Every Part

W. S. Richards, Kent Bakery 'Phone 186

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

of the City.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* G. W. Cornell DENTIST

Cor. 6th and King Streets \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet. Toronto, April 17.—10 a. m.—Partly fair, with a few scattered showers.

Friday, light to moderate winds; a few scattered showers, but mostly fair

The following figures were registered to-day at noon at Turner & Platt's weather bureau:

Barometer 29.25. Thermometer 41. Highest yesterday 58. Lowest yesterday 32. Direction of wind, west.

#### TO-NIGHT.

Big Brisco Benefit at Grand Opera Public Library Board, Public Li-

brary, 8 o'clock. Meeting of Water Commissioners, Harrison Hall, 8 o'clock. Chathem Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, 8 o'clock.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

BIG BRISCO BENEFIT TO-NIGHT. T. C. Macnabb, License Inspector, is

much better to-day. Mrs. J. H. Gordon, Riverside terrace, of a son this morning.

F. C. Crawford, of London, called on friends in the city yesterday. Mat. Douglas is again to be drum major of the 24th Regiment Band. Mrs. Jno. Barr, Pine street, is visiting friends and relatives in Wind-

The "Dyers" were defeated at basethe "Brisco's" yesterday by a score of 32-45.

Ald. W. E. McKeough went to Brantford to-day to cast his ballot in the Grand Trunk bonus by-law being voted on in that city, David Wise, charged with assaulting

his daughter and doing bodily harm, was released on \$200 bail furnished by Michael Traxler and his son. Douglas Stevens leaves to-night for Chicago to accept the position of head

rurser on one of the big passenger steamers of the Goderich Line. A writ was issued this morning in the case of McBrayne vs. McBrayne. The action is for specific performance in connection with the recovery of

Capt. Mowbray and the members of "C" company, 24th Kent Regiment, of which Mr. Brisco is a member, will attend his benefit concert tonight in a body, in uniform. "C" Company of the 24th regiment

were at the C. P. R. station in a body to see their comrade, Clinton Wilson, off. Clint left on the \$.30 for London, and will leave London for Halifax tomorrow night.

#### FARM FOR SALE 70 acres, Chatham Township, 50

acres cleared, partly tile drained, good 54 x 34 x 20 posts, two good wells, price \$2,500. 100 acres in Raleigh, house, barn, good wells, orchard, near school

church, post office, etc., price \$3,500. 200 acres, in Romney, near railway station, price \$4,000. Farm and city property for sale and to rent.

DUNN & MERRITT. Fire, Life and Accident Insurance. Office, Fifth Street, next to Old Post Office.

Spring Time

Our Compound Extract of Saasrparilla with Iodides is especially recommended at this time of the year.

is especially recommended at this time of the year. It is one of the best known remedies for all diseases having their origin in an impure state of the blood such as Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Sores, Biotches, Ulcers, Scrofula, Salt Rheum Syphilis, Etc.

INGREDIENTS Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock, Prickly Ash, Stillingia, Iodides of Potassium and

A. I. McCall & Co., Limited

Druggists & Opticians.

Medicine

BIG BRISCO BENEFIT TO-NIGHT. Geo. Smith, of Dresden, is a Maple

J. A. Elliott, of Ridgetown, is spend the day in town J. E. Brown, of Kingsville, spen

J. E. McBride, of H. H. Cole, of Buxton, was a Maple

City visitor yesterday. W. D. Samson, of Blenheim, Chatham visitor to-day. Mrs. J. I. Hill, of Tilbury, ruest in the city yesterday

J. C. Wanless, of Ridgetown, pending the day in the city. W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, is the city to-day on legal business Neil Watson, of Mull, is spending

the day with his friends in the city. Joseph Raynor, of Hamilton, is callng on his friends in the city to-day. The carpenters are engaged in en-larging one of the stalls in the fire hall.

James Heath, contractor, is repairing and remodelling the gates at the cemetery. Blake Arnold, son of Caretaker Arnold, of the House of Refuge, left yesterday for Munising, Mich.

G. W. McCormick, of Wallaceburg was in the city yesterday in the in-terests of the beet sugar factory. John McNish, who resides with his

nephew, C. Austin, King street, is confined to the house through illness. E. A. Drake, travelling freight and passenger agent for the Lake Erie, was in the city yesterday on business Samuel Lynn and L. Taylor left to-day for Owen Sound, where they will help to fit out the steamer Alberta. T. L. Pardo and Miss Pardo re-turned last evening from Toronto and left this morning for Cedar Springs.

eigh, to-night on "Ireland and the W. J. Martin and bride passed through the city last evening en-route on their wedding tour from

Dr. A. W. Thornton will lecture in

the Wesley Methodist church, Ral-

Rev. Dr. Medd, of Bothwell, is in the city to-day en route to Cedar Springs, where he will deliver an ad-

dress this evening. Mr. Arnold, caretaker of the House of Refuge, reports that there are at present 40 inmates in the house, all of whom are in good health.

Miss Pewell, of Detroit, who has been confined at the residence of W. W. Mitchell for the past two months through illness, is improving.

The Maple Leaf Club held a dance in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium last About 75 couple were presevening. ent. Pritchard's orchestra furnished music for the dancing, which was indulged in until a late hour.

Thomas Dickenson, of this city, has a queer freak of nature in the shape of a willow branch. The branch flattens out gradually at the top and forms a scroll and has the appearance of the work of a master carver

The representative of the Canadian Fowler Packing Company was in the city to-day.

W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, was in the city to-day. Mr. Hickey is the Independent Order of Foresters' representative to the convention of the canadian of the city to-day. Los Angeles. He leaves shortly that place and on his return will visit Francisco, Victoria, and other places, returning by C. P. E. He will be gone about a month.

John S. Fraser, the Liberal-Conservative candidate for West Kent, of Wallaceburg, was in the city today. In conversation with The Planet he said he was doing some campaign work and that he thought his chances were excellent no matter who was put up at the Liberal-Convention next Squire Marx has received word of

he death of Harry Black in California. Mr. Black was well known in this city. In the sixties he kept the only express office in the city and later conducted a cigar business. The remains will be brought to Detroit for interment. Squire Marx will attend the funeral.

One of the most enjoyable social events of the season took place Tues-day evening at the beautiful home of Mrs. F. W. Wilson, of No. 1, Harwich, who kindly placed her residence at the disposal of Mr. B. Cameron and colleagues, the losing members at a previous literary contest. About 50 members, and their invited guests, to the number of 160, attended and cards and dancing wiled away the hours until early morning. Splendid music was furnished by the Webster and McMullen orchestra

AGENTS WANTED—For the only authorized life of the great Tal-mage, by his distinguished son, Rev. Dr. Frank De Witt Talmage, and the associate editors of the Christian Herald. Big book, 500 pages profusely illustrated. Low retail. Biggest discount. Books on credit. Outfit free. Be first in the field. Wire or write for outfit to-day. LINSCOTT PUBLISHING CO.,

Toronto 3w d&w

### WORLD OF SPORT \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

+++++++++++++++++++++++++++

#### LACROSSE

THE THAMESVILLE CLUB. THE THAMESVILLE CLUB.

Thamesville, April 16.—The lacrosse team met last night to select officers and to see if the team was strong enough to enter the league, which is being organized among the following teams: Chatham, Wallaceburg, Blenheim and Thamesville. It is thought with the help of the old players they will be able to hold their own. A delegation will be sent to Chatham as soon as the teams get in shape. as soon as the teams get in shape

### PARENT PAID

Mina Fisher appeared before Judge gun at Ethel Sutherland. The alleged offence arose out of a difference between Mrs. Fisher, and the school children who passed her house on the River Road, Chatham Township. Affer hearing the evidence, Judge Hous-ton reserved judgment for a week. John A. Walker, appeared for the prosecution and O. L. Lewis for the de-

### SURE OF SUCCESS

John Lee, when interviewed after the

"I have no fear of the election, and and I feel sure that I will win. This man Davidson won't be in it. East Kent has always voted Liberal, and I am sure it will vote Liberal again. I will commence at once to organize the cam, aign work, and I have a lot friends in the party whose support I feel sure I will have. I am confident I will go down to Toronto again as the Liberal member for East Kent."

### PEATE FUEL CO.

A meeting of the directors of the Rondeau Peate Fuel Company was held this morning in the office of the president, J. L. Scott. This was the last meeting of the directors , their time expiring to-day.

The directors and a large number of citizens went to Rondeau this afternoon to inspect the plant, which is finished and will be in operation, so that they will see some of the fuel They will return about four o'clock

when the annual meeting of the shareholders of the company will be held and the old directors will be re-elected or new ones appointed.

### SHEDDING SUNSHINE

shine Club, gladdened the hearts of the inmates of the house of refuge last evening by a concert and by giving each a box of candy. Dan Robertson was elected chairman and made a very genial one. The program was excellen and well rendered. It was: Vocal Solo-Miss Helen Smith.

Recitation,-Miss Belle Baxter. Vocal Solo-Duncan Robertson, Instrumental Solo-Miss Quinn. Vocal Solo-Miss Pearl White. Instrumental-Miss Agnes Kerr. Vocal Solo-Miss Verna Heyward. Instrumental-John R .Smith. Selection-Male Quartette - J. R. Smith, Duncan Robertson, Harry Massey and Dan Robertson. 'God Save the King.'

### PARENT PAID.

Yesterday, Frank Healy, a colored youth, despite his name, was sent up to jail for 12 days because he couldn't pay a fine of \$3.75 for using insulting language. Mr. Healy Sr., said he wouldn't pay a dime to get his son out of jail. The parent alleged his son was a bad boy and he could just stay where his badness had put him, A night's sleep, however, changed the father's mind and called up visions of the prodigal son scheme. At an early hour Mr. Healy roused Judge Houston from his bed to pay the fine.

The Chief said this morning that pernaps when the paternal parent expressed a determination not to pay he thought that the police court was he thought that the police that run on a trust basis, but the Chief says that he runs the only purely husiness in the city. Judge cash business in the city. Judge Houston replied that he should get the credit, as he had set the pace while he was handling the money during Feb-

THE CHICAGO MARKET. Through J. B. McGregor, stock broker, Northwood's block, Chatham: Chicago, April 17, 1902

OPEN HIGH LOW CLOSE

	COLUMN TO SERVICE STREET, CO.	<b></b>	C-077	200	5203C39			37000	
	Wheat-				Mr. j	22.	超是	ė ai	
	May 7	4	- 7	5	7	34	-7	44	
	July 74	4	- 7	6	7	44	7	51	
	Corn-								
	May 62	1	- 6	28	6	18	, 6	18	
	July 63		6	23	•	117	. 6	124	
	Oats-					36	程		
	May 4	431		431		43		434	
	July 3						36		
	Pork-							100	
	May 16	87	16	95	16	82	16	92	
	July 17	00	17	12	17	00	17	12	
	Lard-								
	May 9	70	9	75	9	70	9	72	
	July 9	80	9	90	9	80	9	85	
	Ribs-								
	May 9	20	9	25	9	20	9	25	
199	July 9	30	9	40	9	30	9	40	

You Would Save Money

on Wall Paper

### Buy Here.

Papers here for all sorts of houses, all sorts of rooms, at all sorts of prices-except unreasonable prices.

Dingman's Book Store

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

# House Cleaning

We have almost everything that will make house cleaning easy. And if you entrust us with your order we will guarantee satisfaction and prompt de-

Brooms at 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c for a pamboo handle broom with very fine orn in it, and made to last. Scrub brushes, whitewash brushes,

stove brushes, Surprise, Sunlight, Comfort, Sweet Home and Judd Soap. Monkey Brand Soap, Sapolio, and Washing Soda.

Ammonia in 10 and 15c bottles.

Pearline, Gold Dust, and Electric Soda Powders, Stove Pipe Varnish, Stove Blacking.

### Geo. A Young

U. r. Grocer 'Phone 151

Roman Beggars, Everybody who visits Rome must ex.

pect to be swindled and disappointed. There are many illusions, and you will be greatly disappointed when you approach them and they fade away. You will be swindled by shopkeepers, hackmen, peddlers and everybody that you have anything to do with, and the beggars will annoy you with their persistence like the fakirs and flower girls that follow you upon the street, but all this is a part of the experience of everybody who comes here, only such annoyances are greater in Rome than in most other places.

Begging is a profession, as in every other Italian city, and the profits are much larger, because there are more strangers to appeal to. None but inexperienced beggars ever approach a native Roman, because they know it is useless, but they save all their energy and pathos for strangers, particularly Americans and English, whom they follow with the greatest persistence.

Simple Transaction. "I like de 'pearance o' dat turkey mighty weil," said Mr. Johnson after a long and wistful study of the bird. The dusky marketman seemed strange ly deaf.

"Hew could I-what arrangements could a purson make dat wanted to buy dat turkey?" Ar. Johnson asked after a pause. "Easy terms 'nough," said the mar

ketman briskly. "You get him by means ob a note o' hand." "A note o' hand," repeated Mr. Johnson, brightening up at once. "Do you mean I writes it out and pays some time when"- But his hope in this glo

the marketman,
"A note o' hand means in dis case," he said, with disheartening clearness "dat you hands me a two dollar not Mr. Johnson, and I hands you de turkey in response to dat note.'

rious prospect was rudely shattered by

Not Quite Strong Enough. While Mr. Hawtrey and his company were playing "The Gray Mare" to crowded houses in Edinburgh some years ago the care of the thunderstorm, the unise of the rain being made by the vigorous rattling of a few peas in a tin box, was intrusted to an old Scotsman known as Mac, who had been employed about the Theater Royal for many years and was no longer as energetic as he used to be. While Mr. Hawtrey and his company longer as energetic as he used to be.

On the first night the peas were not rattled with sufficient energy to please Mr. Hawtrey, who, rushing over to the astonished Mac, rattled him, box and eas together, exclaiming:
"Louder, man; louder! It's a storm

Chatham | C. AUSTIN, & CO. | Fave you ever tried our Glove Pitting Pat terns? Only 15c.

# Women's Tailored Suits

Shapes are distinctly different this spring. The New Corset has given new lines to the figure, and the Spring Suits are shaped to conform to the new requirements.

The shoulders have a square effect that is distinctly smart looking. The tailoring throughout shows the expert touch of men tailors.

The various styles are here in the most popular fabrics.

Prices \$7.50, \$10, \$12, \$15 and \$18.00

AT \$7.50 Suits of Cheviot, made with Eton jackets; all nicely finished with stitching, stylish flare skirts, entire suit lined, colors, black, Oxford

Of black Venetian cloth, Eton jacket with vest trimmed with taffeta, lined with satin, skirt with shaped flounce finished with taffeta. At \$10.00

Suits of broadcloth, black or brown, skirt unlined, flare self-trimmed, Eton jacket, single breasted dip front, finished with stitch-ing, lined with good quality mercerized sateen. At \$15.00
Of broadcloth, flare skirt, trimmed with sateen, jacket with the shaped skirt effect, trimmed and lined with satin.

# Hosiery and Underwear

Stockings for women in the attractive new designs we've prepared for the season of low shoes. Underwear too of precisely the sorts you'll be ready to jump into immediately, or at least in a few weeks from now.

Our assortment is wide enough to satisfy everybody's tastes, the price-range calculated to satisfy everybody's pocket and each price is unapproachably low for the garment it represents. Hints for today, of moderately priced attractive underwear and hosiery of real merit.

Women's Stockings Fret black plain cotton hose, in 81, 9, 91 ice 2 pr. for 25c.

Children's Hose

Women's Underwear Ribbed vests of cotton, high necks, long or short sleeves, plain or lace trimmed, low necks, price from 54 to 50c.

Children's Underwear Ribbed vests of cotton, long or short leeves, price from 5 to 121c. Fast black ribbed cotton hose, sizes from to  $9\frac{1}{2}$ , price 9, 10 and  $12\frac{1}{2}$ c.

# Smart Spring Clothes For Men

April has done its worst-now comes its best. Then will follow the glorious days of May-when the tasteful man enjoys having handsome clothes.

AUSTIN clothing means the best possible clothing that best brains and highest skill can produce. It means honest clothing, first, absolutely pure clean fabrics, in latest and handsome patterns. It means artistic and thorough tailoring that gives smartest appearance outside, and includes the careful painstaking work inside, that insures the longest possible life to shapeliness and good looks. It means widest possible variety; and most important of all—the very lowest price for which good clothing can be sold. Of course there are other good clothing stores-excellent store, right here within a stone's throw of us.

Careful and particular men of Chat-ham and vicinity, all come to the busy corner for clothing or they don't get the best. But we think there are busy corner for clothing of they busy corner for clothing of favor of Austin's. Our system makes possi-several important advantages in favor of Austin's. Our system makes possible a very decisive economy, while supplying the very best clothing in the market. We are anxious only to have you make comparison for your-

The New Rain Proof Cloth Coat, Nice Dark Gray Shade, Special at \$10.00.

The Suggestions of Prices Men's spring Overcoats, \$7.00, \$8.50,

Men's fancy worsted sack suits. Our new full cut sack suits at

\$13.50. Men's black cheviot sack suits, very a great saving.

Young Men's Clothing dressy, handsome cut, fine quality, at . Men's new chalk line suits, in pret-ty grey and black stripes, swell, at \$7.50 and

We doubt if such a variety of stylish clothing for young men of 15 to 19 years, can be matched. All the new things are here. We can furnish you a stylish suit from \$7.50 to \$13.50. Small men are fitted in these suits at

C. Austin & Co.

