

The Planet

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TUESDAY, APRIL 21.

PRECIOUS SCOUNDRELS.

The sweet-scented members of the legislature of the notoriously corrupt state of Pennsylvania are trying to enact a new libel law that will virtually muzzle the press. The politicians, who are in constant fear of exposure are seeking to intimidate the press.

If anything were needed to convince the people that Pennsylvania is a rotten state politically, the proposed new libel law will do it. The newspapers never mistake license for liberty. They are not perfect, but as a general thing they are for the people and against dishonesty in public offices. No honest and upright man has anything to fear from the press in Pennsylvania, or anywhere else. To advocate the enactment of such a libel law as the one proposed is an open confession of guilt.—St. Thomas Journal.

JUDGMENT GIVEN

Drainage Referee J. B. Rankin has given judgment in Gosfield North vs. Gosfield South. This was an appeal by Gosfield North against the assessment put on the lands and roads in the former Township by the engineer appointed by Gosfield South to report on improvements to the Upcott drainage works. This drainage work extends from Gosfield South across the township into Gosfield North thence to the head of Belle River. This work was improved at the outlet from the North Rear Road to Belle River by Gosfield North at an expense of \$770. Gosfield South was assessed \$916 of this sum. Gosfield North the balance. Gosfield South now wants to avail itself of these improvements by improving the drain in that Township and extending the improvements as far as the North Rear Road. The Township wished the matter decided by the Referee on inspection but this he declined to do except by consent of the solicitors of both parties. The inspection took place last Monday during the rain storm, representatives from each Township being present. The Referee has made a report after having considered the former improvements made in 1901, the condition of the land in both Townships now and the report of the engineer for the proposed work and he has come to the conclusion that Gosfield North is assessed \$130 too much. Drainage Referee Rankin, therefore, instead of putting what is taken off back on Gosfield South lands, reduced the gross amount of the assessment and allows the work to abate to the extent of \$130 in Gosfield North.

DISTRICT DOINGS
WALLACEBURG

April 20.—Dr. Campbell spent Sunday with friends at Detroit.
Miss Bessy Taylor has returned to London Normal school, after spending her holidays here.
Miss Hattie Scott spent last week with friends at Mt. Clemens and Detroit.
Miss Grace Taylor, of Port Lambton, has returned, after visiting at home here.
Mrs. (Dr.) Bell and Master Claude returned Saturday evening from a visit at her home at Paris.
Miss Lottie Heath spent Sunday with friends at Waton.
W. Walsh, of Chatham, is a Wallaceburg visitor.
A Carlyle, a clever young student, of Western University, London, occupied the pulpit in St. James Church at both services yesterday, owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. T. H. Farr.
The Glick Stock Co. played in the Opera House here last week. Although they did not draw large houses, the company gave good entertainments.
Miss Agnes Anderson has returned to Courtright, after visiting at her home.
Miss S. Walker, of Duart, Miss Williams and Miss Park, of Chatham, of the P. S. staff here, have returned from their holiday.
Rev. Mr. Torrie, of McMaster University, Toronto, who has been the guest of Rev. Mr. Gunton this week, left for Chatham Saturday evening to fill the pulpit in the Baptist Church there.

DRESDEN

April 20.—Miss Annie Peate, of Detroit, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peate.
Mrs. John McVean and daughter Miss Belle, have returned from a visit to Mrs. John Sutherland, Bradford. John Draper is the guest of his son in Detroit.
John McWha and family are removing from town to their farm.
James Taylor has rented the house on Brook street owned by John Draper.
The funeral of the late John L. H. Leonard took place at 2:30 this afternoon from his late residence on Queen street and was largely attended by a host of the deceased gentlemen's friends.
Rev. Mr. Knowles occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church yesterday and preached two very eloquent sermons. The Rev. W. Lindsay took Mr. Knowles' pulpit in Chatham.
The quarantine for small-pox has been taken off the Queen's Hotel. No new cases have been reported.
Mrs. W. H. Switzer is improving from her recent illness.
Mr. Gourlay, of Galt, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Dresden.

ST. THOMAS MAN
GIVES ADVICETells His Friends to Use Dodd's
Kidney Pills for Kidney
Pains

Low Duke, well known Hotel-keeper, Gives his Experience with Canada's Great Kidney Remedy.

St. Thomas, Ont., April 19.—(Special).—Everybody in St. Thomas and the surrounding country knows Low Duke, proprietor of the Duke House and one of this railway centre's most popular citizens, and many people know that for years he was the victim of a very aggravated form of Kidney Disease. To-day he is a sound, healthy man. He used Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Speaking of the matter recently, Mr. Duke said: "I had been troubled for over five years with my Kidneys and pains in my back. Nothing I used could give me any relief till finally on the advice of a friend I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills."

"By the time I had finished one box the pains and Kidney Disease were gone. That is over five years ago now, and as I have had no return of the trouble since, I think I am safe in concluding that the cure was permanent."

"I advise all my friends who are troubled in the same way to use Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all stages of Kidney Disease from Pain in the Back to Bright's Disease.

Miss Campbell, of Wallaceburg, left for home last Saturday after spending several days with Mrs. James Campbell.

Miss Leila Hicks left for Glenora this morning to visit friends.

Ernest McColl, of Toronto, is in town attending the funeral of his uncle, the late John L. Hill Leonard.

E. J. MacIntyre, of Chatham, was the guest of his mother-in-law, Mrs. James Stephens, yesterday.

G. A. Miller returned from Toronto last Saturday.

Miss Addie West, of Chatham, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hamilton Waddell.

STEAM HEATING

A representative from the Rockport Steam Heating Company was in the city a few days ago interviewing the managers of the Chatham Gas and Electric Company, with a view to installing a system of steam heating in the Maple City. After going over the grounds he is going to make estimates on the cost of putting in such a system. It looks very much as if the matter will come to a focus.

AT WORK

Truant Officer Anson Mounteer had a list of delinquent children from the schools placed in his hands yesterday by Trustee R. V. Bray and will proceed to work at once. "The teachers should be careful that the parents' or guardians' names or addresses are given," said the officer to The Planet. "A list of the children's names does not help very much in finding them."

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OIL NEWS

Christopher Wyler and Joseph Shoemaker, of Formosa, Bruce Co., who have been spending a few days with Frank Tschirhart, returned Sunday. While here they purchased a drilling outfit from an American firm, which has been drilling near Dresden, for the sum of \$1,100. The outfit is practically new. Messrs. Wyler and Shoemaker are oilmen and have already sunk \$5,000 in wells at Formosa but think they have excellent prospects. They intend to drill to a depth of 2,000 or 3,000 feet.

Monkey Brand Soap makes copper like gold, tin like silver, crockery like marble, and windows like crystal.

The materials of work are almost as important as the work itself. The name of Phidias would be unknown to-day, had Phidias wrought in wax.

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For a quick, comfortable, and satisfactory way to reach New York or Boston from Chatham, we would recommend the Wabash-West Shore route. See Mr. Rispin, King street.

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 lamps, parlor carpet, three large easy chairs, four Paris silk portiers, three pairs lace curtains, two screens, seven oil paintings, ten sofa pillows, one fine bric-a-brac cabinet, two fine candelabras and clock to match, a lot of bric-a-brac, two parlor lamps, parlor carpet, a number of jardiniere stands, a number of jardiniere 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 volumes 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 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, 40 feet; one quarter round oak table, one oak chair, 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, nickel plated; one oak clock, chiming 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 gramophone with about 75 pieces, one melodeon, one gas range, one hot water heater and porcelain 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, ten 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 Bradford 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 raton 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, Ayler 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 substantial 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 conceded 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.

FRED F. QUINN,
Proprietor.
ANDREW THOMSON, JR.,
Auctioneer.

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ONE LOWEST
PRICEAuction Sale of Household
Furniture

Mrs. Andrew Heyward has instructed A. Thomson, Jr., to sell all her household effects at her residence, Queen street, on Thursday, April 23rd, commencing at one o'clock sharp, consisting of the following: One parlor suit, consisting of several pieces; one fancy centre table; rockers, upholstered; Brussels carpet; some fancy tables and jardiniere stands; hanging lamp, ornaments, hall chair, hall table, lounge, hall lamp, one oak bedroom suit, mattress and springs; carpets, fancy chairs, scuttle and tongs, toilet set, one fine English brass and iron bed, dresser, carpets, stand, one white iron bed, mattress and springs; two pair of portieres, toilet set, box stove and springs, lace curtains, one sideboard, one extension table, dining room chairs, rockers, lace curtains, small table, lamp, pictures, corner brackets, hanging lamp, one silver service and other silverware, china and glassware, dining carpet, box stove, gas stove, gas hot water heater, several rockers, cook stove and cooking utensils, linoleum, one fine refrigerator, Maugle ice tongs, small refrigerator, lawn hose, lawn mower, garden tools, and other articles too numerous to mention.

This will be a nice tidy sale, as most of the effects have been bought within this last year or so, and will be sold without reserve.

Remember day and date, Thursday, April 23rd, at one o'clock sharp.

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