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## Sale of Silks

On Friday and Saturday

600 yards of fine crystal corded Japan Wash Silks in pretty checks in every desirable shade, regular price 50c a yard, on sale Friday and Saturday for **33c**

## Sale of Muslins

On Friday and Saturday

10 pieces Fine American Organdies in very elegant designs and sweet colorings, goods worth 30c a yard, our sale price has been 20c a yard, on Friday and Saturday we place them on sale at **15c**

## Sale of Table Linens

On Friday and Saturday

250 yards of Unbleached Irish Table Linen, guaranteed pure linen, 60 inches wide, in very handsome patterns, will bleach and do up beautifully, regular price 60c a yard, on sale Friday and Saturday for **48c**

**THOMAS STONE & SON**

## Bargains in Tan Footwear

Men's Tan Calf Lace Shoes, new round toe and Goodyear welted soles, regular

**\$3.00 Reduced to \$2.50**

Ladies' Tan Vici Kid Lace Shoes, latest style, regular

**\$3.50 Reduced to \$2.50**

**TURRILL'S**

## Furniture and Carpets

### Parlor Suites

Made of Silk Tapestry, with buttoned backs, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00.

Three Piece Suites, with Mahogany finished frames, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00.

Rug Suites of good and serviceable rugs, \$32.00, \$38.00, \$45.00, worth \$40.00, \$50.00 and \$60.00.

### Bedroom Suites

A Special Line from \$10, \$12. Do not fail to see these Suites.

Polished Oak Suites, with British bevel mirrors, \$25.00, \$35.00.

We are offering a special line of CARPETS at 50c per yard, worth 60c and 65c per yard. Made and laid free of charge.

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Opposite Garner House

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**The Canada Flour Mills Co.**

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**BEANS, BARLEY, OATS, CORN, WHEAT and BUYERS for FLOUR, FEED, CORNMEAL, STEVENS BREAKFAST FOOD**

Leave your Chopping with us. The Best is the Cheapest.

**The Canada Flour Mills Co., Limited**

## NOTICE!

Parties wanting Mineral Water from the Chatham Spring, will find the same from Mr. E. S. Broomfield, at the well, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 6 p.m., or in small quantities at Room 9, Victoria Block at any time.

**Chatham Mineral Water Co. LIMITED.**

## We Will Sell

At a low figure 27 acres of good land on Con. 3, Chatham Tp., one mile from Chatham.

We have several desirable homes in this city which we will offer this month at bargain prices. We have a few houses to rent.

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**\$1.25 return \$2.35**

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**STEAMER URANIA**

Commencing June 17th the Lake Erie Nav. Co. Str. Urania will leave from Chatham every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 4 p.m. and Sunday 11:30 p.m. for Cleveland, Ohio.

Special train leaves Chatham Monday, Wednesday and Friday 3 p.m. to connect with boat.

L. E. TILLSON, T. MARSHALL,  
Gen. Agt., Chatham, A.G.P.A., Walkerville

## HOT!

**LADIES**, wake up to the fact that you can keep cool by HOT WEATHER WEAR at Weldon's.

Laces to make collars, also all styles made up. New style Bustles just in to suit any form. Girdle Corsets from **50c to \$1.25**.

Whitewear for ladies and children, have all prices and sizes.

Come in and see our novelties. No trouble to show goods.

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**Fancy Store**

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Next to Kenny's Book Store.

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**Piano-Forte Playing**

Special attention paid to Touch, Tone, Technique and Style of interpretation, on lines laid down by such great artists as Herr Martin Krause, Leipzig, and Herr Theo Jaschinsky, of Vienna.

Krause Method as taught by Mr. H. Field and Mr. Carter.

A limited number of students will be accepted.

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## IS THE EMPEROR WILLIAM TO BECOME PEACE-MAKER?

Report That He Has Been Empowered to Act for the Boers—Another Convoy of Burghers Captured.

London, July 26.—The rumor as to early peace negotiations which has pervaded the house of commons for some days, says the Daily Express, has taken the more definite form that Emperor William is soon to assume the role of peacemaker.

Mr. Kruger and his advisers are represented as having empowered the Kaiser to act for the Boers, and he is considered willing to take the initiative in order to popularize his relations with the German people, who disapprove his friendship for Great Britain.

Something apparently is on foot whether Emperor William is in it or not.

Mr. Kruger's arrival at The Hague is connected, the Daily Express thinks, with the rumored peace suggestions. On his arrival at The Hague, Kruger proceeded to the residence of Mr. Wolmarans, one of the Boer envoys at Scheveningen, a watering place on the North Sea.

### CONVOY CAPTURED.

London, July 26.—The war office has received the following despatch from Lord Kitchener, dated Pretoria: "Garrett's column captured a Boer convoy, taking 25 prisoners near Reitzburg. Our casualties were 8. "French's columns are gradually

pushing the enemy north in Cape Colony."

### THE CENSORSHIP.

London, July 26.—War correspondents in South Africa have united in a belated revolt against the military censorship. Mr. Bennett Burleigh describes the censorship as a "bungie and a blunder," and declares that the sooner the whole matter of unofficial correspondence is on a definite basis conformable to free institutions the better it will be for everybody. Edgar Wallace asserts that there is nothing in the military position to justify maintenance of censorship, and that it is creating a bad precedent, since the only service which it can render is a political one, favoring "somehow of Russia; nay, it is Krugerian."

It is not easy to understand what are the political motives for the suppression of news from the seat of war. Ministers have no conceivable reason for dreading possible revelations from the seat of war. Some incidents suppressed would bear heavily against advocates of the Dutch cause. "Vlaanderen atrocities, if fully confirmed in detail, would tend to alienate sympathy for Boers. The fact that the horrible shooting of the wounded has been left to come out little by little by soldiers' letters home excites suspicion that there may have been drastic measures on the British side in establishing concentration camps."

## BLENHEIM HAD HARD LUCK

Twice Beaten in the Semi-Finals at the London Bowling Tournament.

Fought Their Way Through the Early Stages only to Fall by Narrow Margin at the Finish.

London, July 26.—Yesterday was the third day of the Western Ontario Bowling Association's tournament, and it was the finish of the association match and the bringing of the consolation match to the last stage. The preliminary of the doubles was also played, and some of the contests in the preliminary of the singles were played, but the round was not completed.

The association match was captured by a team of colts, with James S. Tyler, of London, as skip, and the win was the most popular of the tournament. This was the first tournament in which the rinks, who style themselves the "Cooks' Ladies' Union," have figured, and their victory is, therefore, all the more creditable. In the second round the Tyler rink defeated a St. Thomas rink of older players, and in the third round, it had an easier win over Petrolia. A Brampton rink were the victims in the next round, and the youngsters overcame four London did-timers, skipped by J. S. McDougall.

The final in the conclusion will be played to-day. Two London rinks have qualified for it, with J. H. Brown and F. S. Clark as skips.

**ASSOCIATION MATCH—FIFTH ROUND.**

London—J. S. McDougall, skip—10.

London—J. Tyler, skip—19.

Blenheim—R. L. Gosnell, skip—17.

St. Thomas—Col. Burke, skip—22.

**FINALS.**

London—J. Tyler, skip—17.

St. Thomas—Col. Burke, skip—15.

**CONSOLATION MATCH—FOURTH ROUND.**

London—Dr. English, skip—18.

Clinton—W. Jackson, skip—21.

St. Thomas—T. Williamson, skip—13.

London—J. H. Brown, skip—19.

Seaford—J. S. Roberts, skip—19.

Stratford—J. Steele, skip—26.

The Illinois Central road turned the special train over to junction railway at 12:20 a. m. When Blue Island was reached it was decided not to proceed to Melrose Park till morning.

The negroes were loud in their protestations that they would not have come north had they known such a tempest was brewing. All day yesterday the reports that reached them of the greeting awaiting them at Melrose Park grew more threatening.

Early to-day it was declared on the train that 100 of the men had deserted at Fulton, Ind., and gone to work for the railroad company.

Ignorant that the train was at Blue Island a peaceable committee composed of Rev. E. E. Cookingham, Peter H. Bohlander, W. H. Schooley, A. H. Gallagher, Chas. Wolff and 15 others during the early hours of the morning awaited the negroes, hoping to persuade them not to leave the cars and the engineer to pull out to some safe place.

As an offset to the peace committee another crowd, estimated at 125 men, all armed with revolvers, were scattered along the tracks waiting to give the negroes a hint to leave or

## THE COMBINE DEFIES STATE

Attempt to Import Alabama Negroes to Take Place of Strikers Being Made.

Riot May Follow When the Colored Men Reach Chicago, and Dozens are Jumping From the Train.

Chicago, Ill., July 25.—The Latrobe Steel Co., a part of the United States Steel Corporation, in defiance of Illinois state law making importation of laborers a felony, is alleged to be endeavoring to import negroes from the south to work in Chicago, as part of an alleged organized effort to break the great strike.

A tempest has been aroused, and Gov. Yates was appealed to last night to stop the train carrying the negroes from entering the state. Yates said he could see no way to interfere personally, but suggested that if there should be danger of disorder or violation of laws by bringing persons into the state, either under arms or under false pretenses, the sheriff of Cook county should be called on to preserve the peace.

The law is specific on the matter of importing laborers into the state. The importation of an armed body of workmen is made a felony. It is also a felony to import persons who have agreed to work for stipulated wages. As none of these things was alleged in the message asking the governor to interfere, he could see no way under the law to take a hand in the matter.

At the time when the appeal reached the governor a train had reached Carbondale with 200 negroes from Birmingham, Ala., on board, accompanied by seven or eight white men supposed to be guards, en route for Chicago. The men were hired with the distinct understanding that no strike whatever was on. They claimed to be union men and said that under no circumstances would they take the places of strikers. The men were told trouble might occur on their arrival in Chicago.

While residents of Maywood, Melrose Park and Bellwood waited along the tracks of the Chicago Junction railway during the early hours of the morning to bear out the trainload of southern negroes the much sought train was sidetracked at Blue Island. The Illinois Central road turned the special train over to junction railway at 12:20 a. m. When Blue Island was reached it was decided not to proceed to Melrose Park till morning.

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All Sizes

Lowest Prices

Ladies' Canvas Eau Shoes only

**\$1.25**

Can't wear 'em out.

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take the consequences if they remained.

Pittsburg, July 25.—Two moves, it is reported, were made by the aggressive officials of the American Sheet Steel Co. yesterday toward breaking the strike.

One was the shipping of some of the non-union men that have been employed in the Vandergrift mills of the company to Wellville to assist in the starting of the plant there.

The impression is strong that the general officers of the United States Steel Corporation have become determined on the subject of the early breaking of the strike and to ultimately force the operation of all the idle plants.

The second move understood to have been initiated is the starting of the long idle Hyde Park plant of the American Sheet Steel Co. idle since the American Sheet Steel Co. took hold of the property.

## WHAT'LL ROSS DO?

To-day is the Time for the Cancellation of Gas Company Lease.

Windsor, July 25.—The United Gas & Oil Co. remains its confidence that the export of natural gas will continue, although to-day is the date set by the government for the cancelling of the lease of the bed of the Detroit River.

"The report is authenticated that J. C. Donnelly, attorney for F. B. P. Burns, of the Interior Construction Co., has made an arrangement with the government to continue the lease until fall," said W. C. Kennedy, secretary of the United Gas & Oil Co. to-day. "We will continue to send gas to Detroit to-morrow, and many days after that."

## AT REST.

Obsequies of the Late Rev. F. M. Baldwin at Toronto.

Toronto, July 25.—The funeral of the late Rev. Francis M. Baldwin took place this afternoon from the residence of his mother, Dowling avenue, to St. James' cemetery. The religious services were conducted in the late Mr. Baldwin's church, in Ridgeway. The Rev. Mr. Barr, of All Saints', conducted the services at the grave. The chief mourners were the mother of the deceased, his uncle (the Bishop of Huron) and his cousin, the Rev. Dr. Baldwin. A great abundance of flowers was sent by the late rev. gentleman's parishioners in Ridgeway and Woodstock.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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