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TO-NIGHT.

Concert, St. Andrew's Church, at 8 o'clock.

Western City Lodge, I. O. O. F., Odd-fellows' Temple to-night.

Meeting of Typographical Union, No. 490, Odd-fellows' Temple, at 8.

Mission service, conducted by Rev. Arthur Murphy, Christ Church, at 8 o'clock.

Monthly meeting of Sergeants to-night at 8 o'clock, sharp. Important business.

Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7.30.

PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, March 3.—10 a. m.—Fresh to strong west to north winds, cloudy to fair and colder; light local snow-falls or flurries. Tuesday, moderately cold.

The following official figures were registered at noon today at Burlington weather bureau:
Barometer 29.30.
Thermometer 31.
Highest yesterday 38.
Lowest yesterday 28.
Direction of wind, southwest.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Public School Board meets tomorrow evening.

A. D. Lawrence, of Thameville, visited friends in the city Saturday.

Blight & Fielder have started work on the Central school alterations.

Thos. Rayment is very low in St. Joseph's Hospital with pneumonia.

Wm. Blight is making big improvements in his house on Wellington St.

Mrs. V. Crow, Raleigh, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Johnston, Barthe St.

W. J. Kitchen, of Dresden, called upon his Maple City friends yesterday.

The L. O. T. M. will welcome all Sir Knights at K. O. T. M. Hall to-night at 8.30.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crowe, St. Clair street, are confined to the house through illness.

Jas. Askin, 10th concession, Chatham Tp., has entered the General Hospital with Bright's disease.

Norman French, who has been ill for the past week, has resumed his studies in the C. B. C.

Blight & Fielder have received the contract for remodeling Peace's old stand for Quinn & Patterson.

O'Keefe & Drew report the price of dressed hogs \$7 this week; live hogs sell at \$5.25. Receipts are very light.

A little child of Wm. Watson, Queen St., had the end of its little finger taken off by being caught in a shutting door.

A. I. McCall is in London to-day on business.

Mr. Patterson, of London, is in the city to-day.

Office boy wanted, apply to Lewis & Richards.

E. Phillips, of Windsor, was in the city yesterday.

Geo. A. Toole, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday in town.

Alex. Graham, of Valetta, spent Saturday in the city.

Thomas Boon, of Bothwell, was in the city on Saturday.

Wesley Dawson, of Romney, spent Saturday in the city.

Miss Violet Lowry, of Coatsworth, was in the city on Saturday.

Charles Bedford, of Toledo, Ohio, spent yesterday in the Maple City.

Will McVay, of Detroit, formerly of this city, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Alexander, who has been ill for some time, is not much better today.

Matthew Wilson, K. C., left yesterday for Toronto on professional business.

County Commissioner W. C. Sifton, of Palmyra, was in the city on Saturday.

W. Pettier, of British Columbia, is calling on his friends in Chatham and vicinity.

County Commissioner S. Somers, of Wallaceburg, was a Chatham visitor on Saturday.

Louis Lowry and Miss Isabel Robertson, of Stewart, were Chatham guests on Saturday.

Mr. Douglas, solicitor for the Sutherland-Lines Company, is in Leamington to-day on business.

Miss Agnes O'Reilly sang Holden's O Salutaris in St. Joseph's church very acceptably last evening.

Dr. Hannon has returned from Guilds, where he conducted the anniversary services of Rev. Mr. Malott's church.

Mrs. Shook, of Ovide, Mich., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Neahr, Joseph street, returned home yesterday.

The Humane Officer wishes it to be made known that in future all offenders driving unlit horses will be promptly prosecuted.

Ald. E. A. Mounter celebrated the anniversary of his 30th years residence in Chatham on Saturday. He has now been in the butcher business here since 1879.

Ex-Ald. Fred. Stone visited the Park street Methodist Sunday school yesterday afternoon and delivered an address on the subject of the work of the Children's Aid Society.

The funeral of the late Harriett Coleman Miles, wife of J. W. Miles, of this city, took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock to the Maple Leaf cemetery.

Mrs. Miles was 73 years of age and died last Friday evening.

Prof. A. G. Adams, dealer of all forms of chronic diseases by the use of vital magnetism and physical manipulations, as advertised in Friday and Saturday's Planet, is treating a number of patients. His rooms are at the residence of Mrs. Tyhurst, 84 King street east.

John Joseph, infant son of Edward League, Park avenue, died on Saturday. The funeral took place this afternoon to St. Anthony's cemetery.

The remains of the late Anos Winegarden, who died on Saturday in Detroit, were brought to this city this afternoon and taken to his father's home on Wellington St. Deceased was a former Chatham boy.

ON FURLOUGH

Genuine Irish "Vet" Who O'hummed With Kitch and Bobe—
Quest of the 24th.

"Jim" was an Irishman. You could tell that by his brogue. He was a veteran. You could tell that by his walk. He was a veteran of the Zulu war because he said he was. He was in hard luck. You could tell that by his attire. He was fond of the cup that holds cheeriness and drunkenness. You could tell that by his breath and his nose.

"Jim" drifted into Colonel Rankin's office this morning, and when he learned that the colonel was out of the city presented such a disappointed appearance that the office staff was moved to question him. "Jim" apparently knew a lot about military matters. He said that Colonel Otter, when that army leader had returned from South Africa, had tapped the veteran on the shoulder, and said, "I tell you, Jimmie, my man, we missed you in South Africa."

At this time "Jimmie" was a soldier in the Halifax corps. He was also personally acquainted with Lord Kitchener and Lord Roberts, was one of "Jimmie's" bosom friends. The story that he was wounded in the knee elicited ten cents from the pocket of the listener, and the veteran was then guided to Major Schofield. Jimmie was passed around among the officers of the 24th Regiment, and secured enough of the necessary to liquor up once or twice, anyway.

PARTING GIFT.

Saturday evening, prior to his departure for Toronto, the employees of the Austin & Co. establishment waited on Ivor E. Brock and presented him with a fine travelling companion. The presentation was accompanied by the following address:—

Mr. I. E. Brock:

Dear Friend,—We, your fellow employees, upon the eve of your departure for the Queen City, wish to tender you a slight token of our friendship and esteem, as a reminder of the many happy days we have spent together. Will you accept this travelling companion with our best wishes for prosperity and success in a wider field. Signed on behalf of the staff.

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OFFICE NEEDS

Blank Books of all kinds,
Stafford's Stephen's and
Arnold's Inks,Letter Files,
Binding Cases,
Dating Stamps,
Stamp Pads,
Typewriter Carbon,
Typewriter Paper,
Ink Wells, Pen Racks,
Stick Files,
Waterman Ideal Fountain
Pens.

DINGMAN'S Book Store

Pickled Pigs' Feet

We sell them, and lots of them, too, and why shouldn't we, the very sight of them makes your mouth water. They are as white as it is possible to make them and well cooked, and put up in a pickle that gives them that delicious flavor that no other pickled pigs feet seem to have. We bring them from the other side, from a factory that has a reputation all over the States for cleanliness and superior quality of the goods they turn out. Try them. 3 lbs. for 25c.

Fresh Pork Sausage

We bring them from the same firm and guarantee them of superior quality and not all fat. 10c pound.
Cooked Ham, sliced thin, 30c lb.
Jellied Tongue, delicious, 20c lb.
Pressed Headcheese. Try it, 10c lb.
Ham, Chicken and Tongue, in small rolls, 12-1-2c each.
Frankfort Sausage, fine flavor, 12-1-2c lb.
Large Bologna, 10c lb.
Fresh Tenderloin, Smoked Ham,
English B. Bacon, Rolled Bacon,
Cream Cheese (small packages) 10c each.

Geo. A. Young

Our Grocer Phone 151

A STRONG CONSUMPTIVE.

Alfred Simmons, charged with assaulting Pete Browning with a rock, appeared before Judge Houston. The Judge released the young man on suspended sentence on condition of him paying the costs, amounting to \$9.50. Judge Houston couldn't place much reliance even on the prisoner's word as he had told that he had consumption and the jail physician after examination, had pronounced Simmons a particularly strong specimen of young manhood. It was not a good plan for a prisoner to try to deceive the court.

LAI'D AT REST.

The funeral of the late Miss Grace Ross took place yesterday in Detroit, and was one of the largest funerals held in that place for some time. Miss Ross was very popular among all who knew her and her presence, especially in church circles, will be greatly missed. The services at the church were very impressive.

Those from Chatham who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor and daughter Hazel, Chas. Hicklin and Ross Hicklin.

Those who contributed flowers were Grand River Ave. Baptist Sunday School and Baptist Young People's Union.

Echo Glee Club.
Mandolin Club—Misses Harvey, Ameson, Scovel and Mrs. Amaden.Mrs. Taylor and Hazel.
Chas. Hicklin and Wm. Taylor.
Mr. R. Paddon and family.Mr. and Mrs. Watson and family.
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Holmes and family.Mr. and Mrs. Van Loon and family.
Mr. Hills and Sunday school class.Friends, at L. A. Smith's School Board Engineers.
Miss Florence Caldwell.Miss Christine Burke.
Mr. Walter Reibling.Miss Laura M. Portocue.
Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers and family.Mr. Wm. Bayne.
Mr. C. J. Henderson.

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This is the time of test. March ushers in the spring with its new needs and soon shopping must be done for every house that is inhabited.

WHERE SHALL IT BE DONE

Where is the broadest collection of carpets and curtains from which to choose? Where has the utmost experience and skill been applied in discrimination over its selection?

Where is merchandise sold for just what it is, and guaranteed so absolutely that no risk at all remains?

Where are prices always safely the lowest possible to find on merchandise of this assured quality?

Austin's, is the inevitable reply to each question.

Let us prove this store through some of the following:

New Ingrain Carpets

Not only new in fabric, but new in design and colorings—25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c and \$1 per yard.

New Morris Chairs

Top notch comfort at low notch price. The extremes of luxury and economy meet in Morris Chairs. 12 in. deep, lined, adjustable back of the chair caters accommodately to the laziness of the young or the rheumatics of the old.

Prices \$6.50 to \$15.00.

Box Couches

Wardrobe or box couches are quite a necessary article where space is an important consideration. We make these couches to order for each individual customer. We show you models.

A hint of one, —\$6.50 box couch, 4 ft. long, 24 in. wide, 12 in. deep, lined, large arm at each end, covered with Lincolnton Tapestry, finished with fringe, making in all an article good enough for a princess' bedroom.

A New Idea

is always welcomed. The inevitable Oriental has enjoyed a long monopoly and will continue in much favor, but it has a strong rival in "Gibson" and will continue in much favor, but it has a strong rival in this new decorative thought. Our stock is such that we can supply most phases of it.

REMARKABLE STAPLE VALUES

We are practically settled in our New Department which is one of the largest and best equipped in the city. The light is better, the room is more spacious. What we are showing there is without exception one of the best assortments of Foreign and Domestic Staples, Wash Goods and Linens that money can buy. Think of the kinds you want, then come here for them. Precisely the right goods and heaped around just as you would have them—even to the prices.

25 inch apron check, big variety of patterns, the 6c kind, for per yard 6c.

New ticking, cottonades, apron gingham, muslin, pillow cottons, sheetings, shirtings, bleached and unbleached cottons, flannelettes, towels, etc.

Special qualities, check patterns, beautiful colorings, in new furniture clunz and cretonnes, per yard 10c, 12 1-2c.

Large Bologna, 10c lb.
Fresh Tenderloin, Smoked Ham,
English B. Bacon, Rolled Bacon,
Cream Cheese (small packages) 10c each.

Regular 8c twilled toweling, pure linen, 17 inches wide, per yard 6c.

New checked glass toweling, at per yard 5c, 9c and 10c.

Heavy of fine pure linen crashes, different widths, at per yard 6c, 8c and 10c.

A new stock of real Russia crash towelling, just in, at per yard 8c, 9c and 10c.

Special 70 inch unbleached table damask, choice patterns, heavy quality, at per yard 40c.

A snap, 66 inch extra fine half-bleached table damask, choice designs, at per yard 40c.

Spliced Turkey Red and White Plaid Tabling, with fancy floral border, fast color, 58 inches wide, at per yard 85c.

Checked Gingham for fancy cushions, in pink, blue and red colorings, extra fine quality, per yard 12 1-2c.

Exceptional values in White Lawns, at 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 20c and 25c yard. India Lawns, better value than ever, at 12 1-2c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 50c yard.

Nainsook Lawns, special for ladies and children's garments, at 20c, 25c, and 30c.

PRINTS—Over 450 pieces of the choicest patterns of English and Canadian Prints, beautiful colorings, heavy or light weights, and warranted good washing colors, at 5c, 8c, 10c and 12 1-2c yard.

TOWEL BARGAINS.
12 1-2c Linen Huck Towels at 10c each.
35c Fine Huck Towels at 25c each.
15c Extra Heavy Huck Towels at 12 1-2c each.

Table Napkins

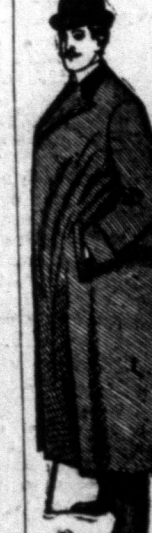
Special value large sized, bleached Table Napkins at per doz. \$1.10
Extra heavy large sized bleached Table Napkins at per doz. \$1.50

Men's Rain Proof Coats

The new garment for the spring season, made from hand-made quality of fine cloth, in nice dark gray shading, neat, invisible, herringbone effect, velvet collar, vertical pockets, a combination of a spring overcoat and rainproof, soft and flexible, 48 to 50 inch length, at \$12.00.

We have just opened up the latest production in men's spring overcoats, very genteel shading of mid-gray cheviot, wide silk facings all the way down, nice walking length, 44 inches a beauty at \$10.00.

New Arrivals In Spring Goods



The Very Latest American Hat..... Just Arrived....

5 1/2 x 2 1/4 "The Stroller"

We have displayed in our east show window the very newest American black fedora, big full shape, deep curl rim, with wide dip, a very swell hat, full range of sizes in black only, special \$2.25.

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