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Wall Paper Sale

Our Wall Paper Sale started off to-day with a whirl and no wonder. It is not a usual thing to have a bargain thrown out to you just exactly when you want it, but if you are papering this season, now is the time you want paper.

Now is when our offer comes.

A manufacturer made more of certain popular designs than were ordered. These overmakes he wanted to clear out at a price. That was where we came in.

Some of the designs are the same as we had before earlier in the season, so you can see the very great actual reduction on these.

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The transfer books will be closed from the 1st to the 15th May, both days inclusive, by order of the Board,
D. M. STEWART, General Manager

R. A. WILLIAMS, Manager

Chatham

CHARLIE BELL GOT DECISION

His Aggregation Of Baseball Players Defeated The C. B. C.

The College Couldn't Stand Sy Adams As An Umpire And Gave Up

The first baseball game of the season was played on Tecumseh Park last evening, between the C. C. I. and the C. B. C. From a point of attendance, the game was a huge success. There were plenty of rooters for each side, and at times the excitement ran high.

The C. C. I. team was captained by Charlie Bell, and was supposed to have been selected from the best players in attendance at this educational institution. When his team finally lined up in the field, it looked very much as if Charlie thought that he was about the only one attending the High school who could play baseball. Everyone wondered where he picked up his team. The only solution which could be arrived at was that Charlie had gone around town and selected his men from the baseball players who SHOULD have gone to the Collegiate. They played ball, though, and so there was no kick.

The C. B. C. team was not in the class. Their pitcher became disheartened at the poor support tendered him, and "laid down." Once in a while he would throw a ball over in a way which led some to believe that once upon a time he used to be a pretty fair pitcher. Of course this was only a conjecture. It must be admitted that his support was bad, but it didn't follow that he would have been a star with a field of professional baseball players behind him. Some one was moved enough to say that he just "Herd" that he could pitch.

Things went all right until six o'clock arrived, and the game was just nicely started. When the supper bells rang, the man who was acting as umpire, through force of habit, started home. Some one started a rumor that Sy Adams had seen a game of baseball once, so he was elected to umpire the rest of the game. Sy's sole recommendation for the job was that he had a good speaking voice, and could make the crowd hear his decisions. It would have been a good thing for him if he had lost his voice just before he gave some of them. Sy used to go to the Business College, and the boys from the Queen street institution thought that they might now have a chance to catch up. They forgot that Sy's roller rink partner, "Woodsey," was pitching for the other side. The game didn't last long after that. The groans commenced to come Sy's way, and finally everyone decided that it was about time to eat. The final score was 14-3, or something like that, in favor of the Collegiate team. Pleasance pitched a few innings and it was then that the C. C. I. got the great lead. Raynor for the C. C. I. was there with the slugging and banged out two three-base hits, which helped some.

C. C. I.—Perrott, Bell, Haynor, Kimberley, Willard, Pleasance, Mackoram, Woods, Clements.

C. B. C.—Merrill, Eubanks, Burgess Wilcox, G. Gillies, H. Gillies, Eastman, Herd, Nagle.

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THE RATEPAYERS ENDORSE THE BRASS WORKS BYLAW

Splendid Mass Meeting Held Last Evening—Strong Addresses Given—Workingmen Are Out To See That The Bylaw Passes—A Few Pointers

A mass meeting of ratepayers and citizens was held in the I. O. O. F. auditorium last evening, for the purpose of discussing the Brass Works By-law. The meeting was well attended by representative citizens, and was fruitful of results, in that many points relating to the by-law were explained and made plain to the audience.

THE BEST PROPOSITION.

Mayor Stone presided over the meeting, and in his opening remarks referred to the Wolverine Brass Works By-law as one of the very best propositions ever offered the city of Chatham. If it were not such he would never recommend it to the citizens of this city. He spoke of the visit he and the chairman of the two industrial committees had made to the Wolverine Company's plant at Grand Rapids, where they found that the company employed 200 men, and that their financial standing was the second highest any concern could have. He also spoke of the adverse comment which has been in circulation. He was of the opinion that the people who were talking against the by-law were doing so through a lack of knowledge regarding it, and the object of the meeting was to enlighten the citizens on any points on which they might be in doubt. Any question that might be put to the speakers of the evening would be cheerfully answered. He referred to certain rumors regarding the Defiance Iron Works, the Chaplin Wheel Works and the Dowling Spring and Axle Works, which he said some of the following speakers would clear up. All of these concerns were doing well and were living up to their agreements with the city. If the people of Chatham turn down the by-law, he said, it would simply mean retrogression, and a black eye to the workers who are trying to build up their city.

PRESIDENT GRAY.

President Robert Gray was the next speaker. He had no hesitation in endorsing the by-law to the people.

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JACK FAUBERT PAID HIS FINE AND COSTS

Jack Faubert, the man found guilty of petty assault in the Police Court yesterday, was a caller at the Planet office this morning. Mr. Faubert complained of the statement made in yesterday's report of Police Court proceedings, in which it was said that he did not have the money to pay his fine, and had to go to jail.

At the conclusion of the case, Faubert stated that he did not have the money, and he was told that he would have to take the fifteen days in jail. The Planet was correct in its statement thus far. Afterwards Faubert got the money and paid his fine, and is now a free man. The reporter left the courtroom after the judge had stated that Faubert would have to take the fifteen days, and thus was not in a position to know that Faubert afterwards secured the money to pay his fine.

JUDGMENT RESERVED IN JENKINS—HARVEY CASE

The Jenkins-Harvey case was resumed before Judge Dowlin this morning. Judge Dowlin, after listening to a continuation of the evidence, reserved his decision.

This was the case which came before Judge Houston some time ago, when the latter gave judgment in favor of the complainant. Since the appeal, additional evidence has been brought in, but all of a circumstantial nature. O. L. Lewis is getting for the defendant, and Crown Attorney Smith is prosecuting.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.—Moderate to fresh winds, mostly east and south, a few local showers, chiefly at night, but mostly fair. Thursday, some local showers, but partly fair and warmer.

MISS NELLIE CARSWELL, of Highgate,

is spending a week in the city. Lost—Last evening, between the Roller Rink and the Victoria Block, a stick pin set with pearls. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.

J. G. Kerr left this afternoon for the north, where he will spend a few days whipping the streams for speckled trout. Mr. Kerr will be accompanied by his brother, Dr. William Kerr, of Bay City.

The Eady case, which was to have come up in Police Court this morning, was adjourned till May 28. In this case cruelty to a horse is preferred against Alex. Eady by Humane Officer James McGregor. Neither the complainant nor the defendant showed up in Court this morning.

The secretary of the Board of Trade has received a communication from the secretary of the Bureau of Labor, Toronto, regretting that Chatham had been overlooked in a report of that department. An inquiry blank is also enclosed, asking the amount spent in improvements, sidewalks, buildings, sanitation, etc. Chatham has been neglected for over five years in reporting to that department.

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VISITED THE GUELPH O. A. C.

Dr. R. W. Hall Returns From Attending the Prov. Health Board

Wonderful Method Of Nitrogizing Grain With Bacteria

Medical Health Officer W. B. Hall has returned from attending the annual convention of the Provincial Health Board, which was held in Hamilton and Guelph this year. Dr. Hall says that it was a most profitable convention for all concerned, and much useful information was obtained through it.

The Board first met in Hamilton, where they took up the matter of the coal oil inlet, and they personally inspected the city slaughter houses and creameries, and also the city's method of disposing of sewage. They condemned some of the creameries and slaughter houses, and recommended their removal from the city, and the abolition of the present sewage system, which they advised should be replaced by the septic tank system. The meeting adjourned at Hamilton on Monday night, and the members of the Board paid a visit to the Agricultural College at Guelph. Dr. Hall was more than pleased with what he saw at the O. A. C.

"I saw the finest stable of Holstein cattle there that it has ever been my pleasure to look over," he told a Planet reporter this morning. "One cow of this herd holds the record of producing an average of 200 lbs. of butter per month, and the milk tests at 4.2 butter-fat. This is indeed a remarkable showing."

"I was greatly interested with the methods used at the Model Farm for the nitrogization of the soil. For this purpose, a species of bacteria is used. This bacteria, it has been found, will extract the nitrogen from the air, and fertilize the seed with it. The experts cultivate the bacteria in bottles, and they are afterwards diluted in water, which is used to dampen the seed of the grain. In this way, the bacteria are sown with the grain, they cling to the roots of the plant life and draw down to them their most effective food."

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TO-DAY'S NEWS AT BRADLEYS

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