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TO-NIGHT

Skating at the Rink!

Daughters of Rebeccan, in their hall at 8 o'clock.

Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., in their room at 8.

Catholic Order Foresters, in their Hall at 8.

Local Branch No. 21, Association of Steam Engineers, Eberts' Block, at 8 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Wellington Chapter, No. 47, R. A. M., Masonic Temple, King St., at 8.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, March 8.—11 a. m.—Fresh strong southwesterly winds and changing to northwesterly; a few scattered showers of rain or snow.

Friday, stationary or a little lower temperature.

LOCAL

A. E. Mounteer is in Detroit to-day.

G. Blackwell left this morning for Toronto.

Thos. Galer, of Saskatoon, was in this city yesterday.

Good quality for the price, "English Booth's motto."

J. Smith, of Ridgetown, spent yesterday in Chatham.

Ald. J. A. Thompson is spending the day in Detroit.

B. Husband was in Chatham from Wallaceburg yesterday.

J. Hall left Chatham this morning for Berlin Heights, Ohio.

H. Bedford, Louisville, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

H. G. Cliffe, of Dundas, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McGorvie, of Mull, are city visitors to-day.

Rev. J. W. Hoyt, Dufferin Ave., is recovering from his indisposition.

Miss Kitty Shepley, William St., is visiting friends in London this week.

Chas. Bonn, Chief of Police at Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

Thomas Ross, of Blenheim, was visiting his Chatham friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hughes, William St., are visiting in Detroit to-day.

Buy flowers Saturday at English Booth sale at McDonald's furniture store.

G. B. Watson, of Spencerville, O., was in Chatham yesterday on business.

Miss Pearl Johnson, of Ridgetown, is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Patterson, of Detroit, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Douglas, on William St.

Frank McCormick, of St. Thomas, was among the visitors to the Maple City yesterday.

Lost—A key ring with post office key and four others. Finder will kindly leave at this office.

Mort. Sheldon entertained a number of friends to a dinner at his home on Harvey St., last evening.

Mrs. Walker Ebnell, of Blenheim, is visiting her mother, Mrs. G. B. Berube, Church St.

Ross Moir, late of the P. M. R., Chatham depot, leaves here on the 13th inst. for the Northwest.

St. Patrick Concert in Grand Opera House, March 19th. Come and hear Ruthven McDonald and Susie McGill in Irish songs and drills.

Supt. Marshall and Station Inspector Smith, of the C. P. R., passed through Chatham yesterday in their private car.

Miss B. Kime, of the millinery department at the Austin store, has returned from Toronto, where she attended the millinery openings.

Miss Ermatinger will give a talk on Japan, in the Garner House Parlors, Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, in aid of the Japanese booth.

Merchants along King St. make strong complaint about the present muddy state of the main thoroughfare. The mud on the street is almost a foot deep in some places.

Miss Ermatinger has an intimate knowledge of the manners and customs of those interesting people, the Japanese, and has kindly consented to give a talk to aid the hospital fund, in the Garner Parlors, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. You are invited to be present.

Come, spend the evening in Japan; music, song and talk, Garner House Parlors, Friday, March 9th. Admission 25 cents.

"The German Gipsy" at the Grand Saturday night. This company plays in Detroit all next week.

Lost, a silver watch, between Prince street and the Public Library, on Wednesday night; name and picture on back. A reward will be paid for its return to this office.

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25c per pound

At the Kent Bakery

E. A. Mounteer

Phone 186 PROP.

**JUST A LITTLE BIT
OFF THE TOP**

The police have taken down all spring.

This money lenders' investigation seems to be a matter of great interest.

Prof. Ragtag remarks that an onion breath is exceedingly lacking in sentiment.

The License Coms. roasted the newspapers and incidentally cooked their own goose.

If what the assessors say be true, Chatham should have no reason to complain of growing pains.

There has been nothing further heard about Ald. Stone and his by-laws. Guess it's "22" for theirs.

The money lenders are keeping Lent, but they are charging all the way up to 189 per cent. for doing so.

Assessor French says the young men are leaving the city. Most likely they do so because it would be too great a burden to take it with them.

The only difference between the bunco stealer and some loan sharks is, that the former wears striped trousers, a wicked smile and is not seen in church quite as frequently as the latter.

As projecting signs are forbidden on King street, it is still a matter of doubt as to whether or not the man with the red nose should be allowed to promenade the main thoroughfare.

A sleek stranger buncocoed Hamilton hotel-keepers by posing as the brother of the Minister of Public Works. He may have had no connection with public works, but evidently knew something about how to work the public.

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LOOKING FOR DANE

The police authorities are in receipt of the following letter from the Chief of Police of Ridgetown:

"Look out for Neil Nelson, a Dane 20 years old, blue eyes and light hair, wears a brown suit and cap. Is about five feet six inches tall. He stole a gold watch and chain, \$19 in bills from Frank Gossnell. Arrest and wire."

"JOE BLAKE,"
"Chief of Police."

How often people wish they knew how to tell only that which should be made known.

ASK YOUR GROCER

—FOR—

RED FEATHER TEA

PLEADS INSANITY

Defence in Belleville Murder—Coroner's Jury Verdict.

Belleville, March 8.—Mrs. Wilhelmina Kleingbell, who was killed by her husband on Monday afternoon, will be buried to-day from the residence of her daughter in this city.

When the coroner's inquest was continued yesterday afternoon the finding of the medical men who made the post mortem was submitted. In effect it was that the woman came to her death through heavy blows on the head and neck. She was also severely bruised about the body and limbs.

Some unimportant witnesses were heard and then the case was given to the jury, who brought in a verdict that Mrs. Kleingbell came to her death through blows administered by her husband, Ferdinand Kleingbell.

The prisoner will be brought before the magistrate for a preliminary hearing in a day or two, and will be tried at the assizes, which will be held in about three weeks. The plea, it is said, will be temporary insanity.

POOR PLUMBERS

Beginning of Trial of Fourteen Charged With Conspiracy.

Hamilton, March 8.—Nearly the whole day was taken up at the Assizes yesterday by the conspiracy charge against the following fourteen plumbers: Isaac Walsh, Wm. J. Fitzsimons, W. J. Walsh, Wm. J. Clouston, Hugh S. Wallace, J. H. Stewart, J. P. Cumming, C. J. Miles, Henry Harding, S. Mellon, H. Jones, J. S. Kennedy, Andrew Rogers, and Wm. D. Smith.

It was agreed that they should be tried separately, beginning with W. J. Walsh. The case will probably last two days.

E. A. DuVernet, K. C., and Crown Attorney Washington are prosecuting, and George S. Lynch-Staunton, appeared for the plumbers.

The charge is that the plumbers conspired and combined during the years 1902 to 1905 to unduly limit facilities for supplying or dealing in commodities, etc.

The first witness was Henry Morley, a local plumber, who said he had all kinds of trouble in getting supplies because he was not a member of the Master Plumbers' Association. Some firms charged him from 25 to 35 per cent. extra, and afterwards refused to sell him goods at any price.

Thomas A. Stevens, London, a dealer in plumbers' supplies, acknowledged that he was a member of the Central Supply Association, and had signed an agreement not to sell to any one outside the Master Plumbers' Association, but he claimed that he did not live up to the agreement, and sold on the quiet to plumbers outside the association. He had to do this secretly, he said, or else he would have lost the trade of the association. Previous to 1904 he charged those outside the association 20 per cent. more than members of the association.

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LADIES' MANTLES—All our Winter Coats and Mantles are being closed out at and under first cost.

WILLIAM GORDON

EXCELLENT PRODUCTION

A good audience assembled at the Grand last night to witness the performance of Joseph Legrant's melodrama, Over Niagara Falls, by the talented members of Rowland and Clifford's touring company.

The piece is described as a scenic melodrama, and as such deserves great praise. The realistic staging of the mighty Niagara Falls is something to be remembered by all who see it, while the other scenes are of a very superior nature.

The play admits of much thrilling acting, strong dramatic tableaux, and exciting episodes, and the artists take full advantage of this fact so that the play is thoroughly enjoyable and fascinating from start to finish.

Last evening the applause of the house was both hearty and unstinted and all present were unanimous in declaring "Over Niagara Falls" to be one of the best scenic productions ever witnessed in this city.

The full orchestra was in attendance and furnished splendid descriptive music during the play.

Manager Briscoe announces that he has secured a return visit of Alex. H. Wilson, the "golden voiced singer," in the rollicking comedy, "The German Gipsy," which will appear here on Saturday next, the 10th inst.

Fashionable Tailoring...

H. Avichouser & Son have already got in their Spring Patterns for Nobby Spring Suits. Call and see them. If you see them you will surely not leave without one.

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We will teach at Chatham from Mar. 9th to Mar. 22nd, 10 days from 8.30 to 5. All wishing to learn, or for full particulars be sure to see us at the Garner Hotel, on Thursday, March 8th between 10 and 5 o'clock.

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