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## Friday, Nov. 9th TWO DAYS OF VERY SPECIAL DRESS GOODS BARGAINS Saturday, Nov. 10th

We have had a very large volume of business in our Dress Goods Department this season—and being anxious that at inventory time our stock shall be at the lowest possible point. We have sorted out three tables of seasonable lines, which we will offer on Friday and Saturday at Bargain Prices. This Sale will afford an opportunity for economical people to purchase Dress Goods at away under regular prices—in many instances at half the regular value.

### 39 Cents.

A table of Dress Goods, in 40 to 44 inch widths, in both plain and fancy weaves, and Tweed mixtures, many of them being specially suitable for children's dresses. The original prices of these lines were 50c. to 65c. per yard.

### 50 Cents.

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### 75 CENTS

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250 Choice Building Lots, at your own prices, in the growing town of TILBURY, ONT., on

**SATURDAY, NOV. 10th, 1906**

Commencing at 10 a. m., and continuing all day until the last lot is disposed of PERFECT TITLE. NO RESERVE. TERMS—\$10.00 or more down, \$5.00 or more per month, 5% interest on unpaid balances, or 5% off to cash buyers. Hundreds are being housed in tents, barns, &c., in the oil fields. Tilbury, being in centre of the fields, is now growing by leaps and bounds. These lots are in the heart of the town, and adjoin property recently purchased for a new Town Hall. Five minutes' walk from the Post Office and business section. All Lots 40 x 120 each. INVEST NOW at your own price. The more Lots you buy the more you will make, as every Lot will surely double in price before Spring. PERFECT TITLE. Don't forget the date of the Auction Sale—Nov. 10th, 1906, 10 a. m. Choicest Lots are on Queen and Canal Streets.

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W. C. Crawford, General Stores.

## THE WORK ON THE SCHOOL

The Bills Commencement to come In And Some Are Too High

### GOOD WORK OF TRUSTEES

The contract inspector's report on the work at the two city schools was read at the meeting of the School Board last evening by Trustee Morley. The report stated that Watt & Sons bill for material was O. K., but that for labor high. The report also drew attention to the fact that bills were sent in by contractors for extras which had been ordered by individual members of the Board. For these accounts he could not certify, as the work was outside the contract and done without his knowledge. The extras ordered by the Board were correct. He spoke of the work at the schools as being generally satisfactory and quite up to the mark.

The report was received and placed on file. Speaking with regard to this report, Mr. Morley said that he had no knowledge of the amount of certain bills for extras until they were presented to the Board. He, however, was of the opinion that the Board should feel highly satisfied with the report presented by the inspector on the work, and he wished to thank Messrs. Paxton, Robertson and Somerville for their very valuable assistance while the work was in progress. He moved, seconded by Mr. Robertson, that the committee on the branch of work be now discharged.—Carried.

Mr. Morley moved, seconded by Mr. McArthur, that the matter of putting down a drain to carry off the surplus water on McKeeough school, and that of having the ceilings in the basement repaired at the same institution, be referred to the managers of the school with power.—Carried.

The report of the Finance Committee, which was read by Trustee Morley in the absence of Dr. McKeeough, made the following recommendations:

The Finance Committee recommends payment of the following accounts: S. Hadley Co., \$9.62. G. W. Sidman, \$44.05. L. B. Beck, \$1.50. John Piggott & Sons, \$25.25. James D. Hunter, \$2.38. J. L. Oldershaw, \$19.50. B. Nick, \$75.00. Pounness & Sprang, \$10.00. Smith & Smith, \$15.00. S. Hadley Co., \$657.91. James Watt & Sons, \$1,305.00. A. J. Dunn, \$24.00. Westman Bros., \$4.45. The News, \$3.50. Tilt & Hildreth, \$37.00. Tilt & Hildreth, \$6.50. S. Hadley Co., \$1.75. J. C. Wapies, \$2.19, \$6.22. Watt & Sons, \$105.71. Waterworks, \$89.82.

We recommend that the accounts of A. I. McCall & Co. for 63 cents and J. A. King for \$1.78 be referred to the secretary-treasurer with power.

Regarding the re-adjustment of the insurance on the schools, your committee reports that the work has been completed with the exception of a couple of policies, which will be adjusted in the course of the next few days.

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## COMPLAINT ON STEAM HEAT

The Central School Heating System Is Not Working Properly

### A TEST WILL BE TAKEN

For some reason the steam heating at the Central school has not been quite satisfactory. Trustee Wm. Robertson brought the matter up at last night's meeting of the Public School Board. He said that the fault apparently lay in the fact that the heat supplied was sluggish, and by reason of condensation failed to reach the upper portions of the building. He thought it would be well to have the Secretary of the Board write to the Steam Heating Company and inform them of the complaint.

Principal Plevess when asked regarding the matter, said that the steam appeared to be so heavy that it would not arise to the top of the building, and this interfered seriously with ventilation, as the openings had to be closed on account of the steam not being hot enough to keep the atmosphere warm while they were open.

Inspector Park stated that many of the rooms were too cool for the children to remain in, and if this thing continued it would make a poor looking prospect for the cold winter months.

Mr. Robertson thought that a test should be made of the temperature, and he suggested that thermometers be placed in all the rooms in the school to see whether the company were living up to their contract, in supplying heat up to the specified temperature.

Inspector Park explained that according to the regulations there should at present be thermometers in all the rooms of the city schools. It was moved by Mr. Robertson, that the Secretary be instructed to write to the Steam Heating Company with regard to the matter, and that thermometers be installed in all the rooms in the city schools.—Carried.

Mr. McArthur announced before the close of the meeting that the distribution of medals would take place at McKeeough school next Thursday, and on behalf of the Principal, Miss Abram, he extended an invitation to the members of the Board, the Inspector, the Secretary and the press to be present. Mr. Paxton is scheduled to act as chairman at the event.

Those present at last night's meeting were Chairman Paxton, Secretary Macnabb, Inspector Park, and Messrs. Robertson, Somerville, Lenfesty, Andrews, Morley, McArthur and Bracklin.

## MAY CLOSE UP BRIDGE

Ald Edmondson Says The Electric Railway Is Breaking Their Agreement

### THIRD STREET TROUBLE

It is whispered around in municipal circles that the Council may soon have to deal with the matter of closing the Third street bridge unless the Electric Railway Company change their ways.

Ald Edmondson brought the matter up prior to the Council meeting the other night, and pointed out that the company is not living up to their agreement with the city. He said that he had noticed of late that freight traffic over the bridge is becoming quite general, and this is directly against the agreement under the present circumstances.

"The company should not take anything but passenger cars over that bridge until it is strengthened," said Ald Edmondson, "and nearly every day I have noticed cars of apples, etc., being drawn across. This is directly against their agreement with the city, and they should be stopped at once. The bridge has not been strengthened as was promised by the company, and if anything should happen, it would place the city in an awkward position."

"The company promised to have materials here for the strengthening of that bridge early in August, and they have not arrived yet. It seems that they will not do the work until the city gets after them and forces their hand in the matter, and if this is the case, the sooner this is done the better for the city. The city is taking a risk every day that this work remains uncompleted."

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## KNIFE USED AT A PARTY

Another Startling Story Comes From The Township Of Dover

### YOUNG MAN SKIPS OUT

Another startling story comes from the Township of Dover. A short time ago the readers of The Planet were informed of an affray which happened near Pain Court, in which a young man named Gore was badly slashed with a knife. This affair has not been properly and publicly cleared up, and now, while the incident is still fresh in the minds of the public, another quite similar affair is reported.

The principal in the present affray lives in Chatham Township, or at least did live in that Township, for some time ago through which he became a hunted creature of the law, he has cleared out and no one seems to know of his whereabouts.

It is said that the young man intimidated above went to a party in Dover where there was a very large gathering of young people. Things were going quite smoothly until the man from the neighboring Township arrived, and it was noticed that he was the worse for liquor. He proceeded to disgrace himself before the eyes of the assembled guests, and his brother became ashamed of his erring relative, and remonstrated with him. The result was a brotherly quarrel.

Reports of the incident say that it was a quarrel of words at first, until the young man with the liquor displayed the unreasonableness of a drunkard, and fists were resorted to. It is claimed that the sober one of the two was getting the better of the fight when the other, realizing this, pulled a knife. He was grabbed by some of the other guests before he could do much damage, and he immediately tore himself away from the party, and it is understood that he since left the country. It is said that the police authorities are looking anxiously for his return. It is more than likely that he will make an extended stay.

### AN ARTISTIC TREAT

Mr. Newton Beers, the popular Boston impersonator, was greeted by a good audience at the Brisco Opera House last evening, on the occasion of his rendering his interesting dramatic monologue, "David and Jonathan." Mr. Beers was given close attention during his impersonation of the various characters represented in his play, and he was the recipient of frequent and hearty applause. It was a most interesting literary treat to all, and a complete success financially and artistically. The entertainment was given under the auspices of Chatham Lodge No. 29, 1 O. O. F.

## BRISCO OPERA HOUSE

FRIDAY, NOV. 9.

The Sensational Western Comedy Drama,

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## BRISCO OPERA HOUSE

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## WILL BUILD NEW HOTEL

Old Klondyke and Adjacent Shacks To Be Torn Down

### MAKES IMPROVEMENT

A fine new hotel building, three stories high, built of pressed brick and cut stone, modernly equipped throughout will shortly be erected on the site of the old Klondyke House on Thames St. The news that the old Klondyke building and the adjacent wooden shacks are about to be torn down and modern structures built in their stead, will be welcomed by all property owners in the vicinity, as the erection of these up-to-date buildings will undoubtedly greatly enhance the value of real estate and other property in the neighborhood.

J. L. Wilson & Son, the local architects, have been awarded the contract by Mr. Herb Mount of preparing designs for a new hotel building to replace the old Klondyke. It is Mr. Mount's intention to make it one of the most modern hostleries in Western Ontario.

The work of erecting the new hotel will be commenced at once, and it is expected that it will be ready for occupation by May 1, 1907.

On learning that Mr. Mount was about to build, Mr. John McKerrall, who owns the property adjacent to the hotel, decided to also make improvements. He has ordered plans from Wilson & Son for a new block to replace the present old wooden buildings. This block will be built at the same time as the hotel. The ground floors will be made into stores and other places of business, while the upper flats will be devoted to living apartments. Mr. McKerrall says that he would have built on this site before had it not been for the condition and appearance of the hotel nearby, which was a source of danger should a fire break out, and also kept the value of the property in the vicinity down.

The new hotel and business block will much improve the view from Fifth St. bridge, and will make a spot that will be a credit to North Chatham.

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