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T. Jacques of Toronto, will be at McGavin Bros., Feed Stables, Chatham, on Saturday, August 19, 1905.
To buy one carload of Horses. They must be sound and in good condition for shipment.

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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Bicycles for hire, Briscoe's, Tel. 297.
W. T. Shannon spent the holiday in London.

A. I. McCall is spending a couple of days in Toronto.

Lots of good ten-cent cigars, but only one box—the Lord Lake. Misses Bertha and Hattie Northwood are visiting in Detroit.

John Lee, of Highgate, is spending a couple of days in the city. For quality and workmanship, Sugar Beet Cigars, 5c., have no equal.

Miss Hill, of the King Edward Grocery, spent Civic Holiday in Detroit.

O. K. Lawson, of the Standard Bank staff, left on Saturday on a two weeks' vacation.

Excelsior Paint will give you what you desire—a nice glossy finish. Try it. Dray & McCallum.

Miss Lena Gage, of Chatham, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Empringham, Ridgetown Dominion.

Miss Adamson and E. Adamson, of Scranton, Pa., were guests at the Garner House over Monday.

A competent committee will have charge of the refreshments on the I. O. F. excursion, Tuesday, Aug. 22nd. Mrs. Robert McPhail, of Chatham, is visiting friends here and renewing acquaintances.—Highgate Monitor.

Miss Mitchell and Miss Glassford, of Chatham, are visiting Miss Lena Gage, of this place.—Ridgetown Dominion.

Mrs. Pedlar, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Northwood, at Erieau, returned home to Oshawa on Saturday.

Found, on Tecumseh Park, Aug. 10, a lady's watch. The owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement.

Mrs. P. H. Bowyer and daughters, Eileen and Phyllis, left on Monday to spend a week at St. Catharines and Niagara Falls.—Ridgetown Dominion.

L. H. Bedford, of Detroit, is spending a few days with his brother, Frank M. Bedford, the genial agent for the Gerald Heintzman pianos.

A good time is promised all who go with Court McGregor, I. O. F., Aug. 22nd. One hour extra in Detroit. Opera House Orchestra will furnish music.

The Opera House Orchestra will furnish music on the I. O. F. excursion to Detroit, Aug. 22nd. One hour extra in the city; come and have a good time.

A. C. Rutherford, M. P. P., Strathcona, has been elected as Liberal leader in the new province of Alberta. He is a brother of Mr. J. A. Rutherford, of Blenheim.

The Christ Church choir boys leave on Thursday for Erie Beach, where they will spend a week camping. A good jolly time is being looked for. They will be under the care of the rector, Rev. Robert McCosh.

The Impression is abroad that quail shooting will be open this season. It is still a question of doubt with sportsmen whether it would be wise to hunt them, as the supply appears to be rather short. Will Wigle, game warden, says: "So far this year nothing has been done to close the season for quail, but an order in council will be passed in time to protect them again this year."—Windsor Record.

ASK YOUR GROCER —FOR— RED FEATHER TEA.

CANADA FLAKES

The Food of Quality and Quantity

ENORMOUS YIELD

A Dover farmer, who is too modest to allow his name appear, has sold to T. H. Taylor & Co., 673 bushels of Michigan Amber wheat taken from 16 acres on the bank of the River Thames that tested 63 pounds to the bushel, an average of 42 bushels to the acre. The same farmer has two more fields of wheat that, from appearances, will give almost as good an acreage.

JUST RIPE

The holiday season is just ripe—a new Outing Suit will help to make yours more pleasant.

All our Summer Suitings at greatly reduced prices. Come and see and be convinced.

MORLEY & CO.

GREAT LANDSLIDE.

Twenty Indians Killed and as Many More Seriously Injured at Spence's Bridge, B. C.

Vancouver, Aug. 15.—Twenty Indians were killed and as many more seriously injured Sunday afternoon in a landslide which occurred about 180 miles from Vancouver. The top of a mountain, came down in an avalanche more than 2000 feet wide and wiped out a native village.

The catastrophe occurred within half a mile from the Town of Spence's Bridge, on the line of the C. P. R. This slide was on the opposite side of Thompson River from the railway track and the point where it occurred was plainly visible from the windows. The Indian village, nestled on a little flat at the foot of the mountains.

Just after 3 o'clock there was a rumble from the mountain side and a minutes later it was all over.

Great rocks and trees were carried down and overwhelmed tiny houses. A few of the natives ran down along the river when the slide was approaching, but not more than seven or eight got away. The others were caught at the extreme edges and got off with comparatively slight bruises.

Half an hour after the catastrophe occurred a relief party arrived on the scene from the C. P. R. engines.

The main covered the centre of the village with 40 feet of rock and trees. No attempt was made to remove this, as the work will take days and all buried there were undoubtedly dead.

A dozen men and women with broken arms and legs were found in a brief search made of the outer edge of the slide and these have been taken to the hospital at Spence's Bridge.

The disaster is the worst since the great slide at Frank, Alberta, three years ago.

Twenty-seven injured. Victoria, B. C., Aug. 15.—A serious landslide is reported from Spence's Bridge, a small village on the C. P. R. Twenty-seven were killed or injured by the disaster. Relief parties are at work.

The Thompson River is filled by the debris and has flooded the C. P. R. tracks.

O. P. R.'S GREAT YEAR.

Directors Declare 2 and 3 Per Cent Dividends For Half Year.

Montreal, Aug. 15.—At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway yesterday a dividend of 2 per cent on the preference stock for the half year ended June 30 last was declared. A dividend of 3 per cent on the same period was also declared on common stock.

The results for the financial year to June 30 last were:

Gross earnings, \$50,431,882.
Net earnings, \$15,475,040.
Working expenses, \$35,006,794.
Total net income, \$17,059,752.
Less fixed charges, \$7,954,060.
Less amount applied against ocean steamships and pension fund, \$2,000,000.
Revenue available for dividends, \$8,875,682.

After payment of all dividends the surplus for the year carried forward is \$1,784,553.

TOUGH ELEMENT LET LOOSE.

Stirring Things Up at Cobalt — Aid From Attorney-General.

Toronto, Aug. 15.—There was a bit of a riot at Cobalt on Sunday night and the tough element, more than 1000 in number, who have been the centre of a lot of miners who have moved around a bit, but have so far been fairly orderly.

The Attorney-General was notified of Sunday's outbreak. The Department will spare no pains to enforce law and order in the district.

Parties who have recently returned from Cobalt say the rough element is warming up there and will have to be looked after.

TESTING THE BAIT ACT.

Gloucester Fishing Vessels in Newfoundland Harbours to Take Bait.

St. John's Nfld., Aug. 15.—Three Gloucester fishing vessels, with appliances for getting their own bait, will enter western harbours, where American fishermen enjoy fishery rights under the treaty of 1818, and have announced their intention to take supplies of bait. The Government has telegraphed the customs collector instructions whether or not to allow this. Premier Bond having said last winter that the Government's interpretation of the treaty rights applicable to coasts were inapplicable to harbours or inland. The Ministry is now considering the matter.

Venezuela Must Pay.

Northfield, Vt., Aug. 15.—Claims aggregating five million francs, held by the French Government against Venezuela, have been allowed by Referee Frank Plumley of Northfield, to whom they had been referred for a decision and final adjudication. Mr. Plumley's decision is final.

Dr. McKay Resigns.

Woodstock, Aug. 15.—Rev. Dr. W. A. McKay, for the past 28 years pastor of Chalmers' Church of this city, yesterday tendered his resignation to the church board. This action was rendered necessary by ill-health. He is an ex-president of the Dominion Alliance.

New Fort at Kingston.

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—It is understood that the Militia Department will shortly undertake the erection of a fort at Kingston for the protection of the lower entrance of the great lakes. This will be the next battery that will be built after the one is finished below Quebec.

Earl Grey Will Attend.

Winnipeg, Aug. 15.—His Excellency Earl Grey has promised to be at the ceremonies attending the inauguration of the new Province of Saskatchewan at Regina.

Yellow Jack Record.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 15.—Official yellow fever report to D. M. yesterday: New cases, 55; total to date, 1,013; deaths, 12; total to date, 166; new subsided, 8; total to date, 210.

TEMPTING AS ICE CREAM IN THE DOG DAYS

Gordon's August Bargains

Glance over these items. Note the prime values, make out your list, make us a visit, come early in the day and you will make it pay.

Fur and Cloth Coats

We have a lead in the fur market and are acknowledged as foremost in the fur garment trade of Kent County. We shall show you the largest and most complete stock of fine fashionable Furs you have ever examined in this city. They will be ready for your inspection about the 15th.

Ladies' Cloth Coats

For the Fall and Winter, we are for many seasons unsurpassed, as in all our ready-to-wear garments, but, especially Coats and Jackets, of which we are specialists.

In Rain Coats

Our purchasing and importing facilities with years of experience gives us advantages which few possess, by which we can secure you the very best value for your money. With these early August intimations we hope to secure an equally early inspection of styles and prices, confident in your taste and judgement for your patronage at the Gordon Store.

Parasol and Sun Umbrella Sale

A bargain table of these goods at push prices 50, 75, 90c. Standard Catalogues and Designer for September and Fashion Sheets free.

Wash Goods Bargain Table

To clean ends of Linen Suitings, Sateens, Prints, Percalines and Muslins, etc., former values from 10 to 25c a yd., our great August push for.....8c

Ladies' Hose Supporters

The Sanita celebrated Supporters, a few doz. left, our August drive while they last.....10 and 25c

White Ware Table

Bargains in Corset Covers, Drawers, Petticoats and Night Robes, beautiful goods but broken lots, half price

White Waistings

200 yds. of fine mercerized stripe waisting at.....10c
3 pieces fine French Organdie Muslin, 2 yds. wide, former price 40, 50 and 60c per yd., August push.....38c
40 in., white tucked Apron Lawn.....20, 15 and 10c

Thrashing Tablings and Towels

Heavy Cream Table Linens for Harvesters and Thrashers at 25c and 2 yds., wide at per yd.....50c
2 special lines Harvester's Linen Towels.....10 and 15c
Pure Linen Crash Rollers.....8, 10 and 12c
Glass Cloth, pure Linen, plain.....5 and 10c

Cotton Specials

rhine White, 35in. bleached Skirting cotton per yd.....7c
Fine white, Lonsdale finished, 46 in. wide, 10c for.....8c
Fine English special, 45 in. Pillow Cotton.....12 1/2c
Plain or Twill, 2 yds. wide Sheetings.....37c

August Skirt Sale

Black and White, and White and Black Boston Petticoats, mercerized Silk finish, knife-pleated, flounce and frilled \$1.50 reg. price, push price.....79c

WILLIAM GORDON

ECHOES FROM ERIEAU

The steamer Golspir with light-house supplies visited Erieau yesterday.

Beach bon-fires and taffy pulls are now being arranged for and many pleasant evenings are anticipated.

Manson Campbell's electric launch made a fine trip up the lake to Erieau Saturday. The lake was calm and excellent time was made.

The steam yacht Speedy, a magnificently equipped and finished private yacht on a pleasure cruise, anchored at the Eau over Sunday.

On Saturday evening E. E. Tillson made a phenomenal catch while trolling, landing a splendid muskellunge three feet long and weighing twelve pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goodeve and daughter, who are spending the summer cruising, arrived at the Eau yesterday and came on to Chatham as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Stephenson.

Crown Attorney H. D. Smith, who is now established in his summer cottage, is securing a fine little yacht which he purposes rigging up in first class style to be put in commission at once.

To-day the great annual Scottish picnic is taking place at the Eau and special trains have been carrying in hundreds of excursionists all day.

Several bands and pipers are in attendance and a splendid program of athletic and aquatic sports is being pulled off.

A rather remarkable stormy weather catch was made early yesterday morning when Miss Jean Ross and Commodore Harry H. Dell, who were out trolling, landed three large pike within half an hour. They were splendid specimens of this popular fish.

Rev. George MacQuillin, of Blenheim, closed his series of Sabbath evening open-air services on Sunday last. These have been much appreciated by scores of the cottagers.

The proposal has been made and is meeting with much favor for the erection of a modest church building at Erieau. Rev. Mr. MacQuillin has signified his willingness to take up the project with the cottagers and there is every probability that the worthy enterprise will be consummated.

Yesterday a gale blew all day and white-caps bedecked the turbulent waters of the Eau. None of the yachts ventured out till afternoon, when the Awa, with Skipper Beeston at the tiller, took a couple of short spins through the wild spray.

The lucky party included Misses Helen Young, Jean Ross, and Rose Morrison, with Messrs. Beeston, Young and Anderson. Shortly after the helm, made a gallant trip, and later Brother Thompson put across to Shrewsbury in the Wavecrest. These were the only yachts that ventured to brave the elements and all experienced a thrilling sail.

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Smoked Shoulders, 12-12c. per lb., whole.

Long, clear bacon, 12-12c. per lb. Pure lard, 12c. per lb.

Compound lard, 9c. per lb. Corn-starch, 6c. per package.

10c. Tumblers French Mustard for 5c.

2 Cans Salmon, 25c. 6 Bars Comfort, Beehive or E. Soap, 25c.

25c. Packages Beaver Roll for 20c. Mixed Pickles, 10c. per

CRACKERY Fall 44 pieces \$6 Chin Tea Sets for \$4.50.

97 Piece Dinner Sets for \$5. 10 Piece Chamber Sets for \$1.90.

Pretty Glass Vases for \$1.90. Cups and Saucers by the dozen, 85c. In fact, everything in Crackery, China and C. answers at low prices.

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