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\$1.00 per 100 lbs.

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What's a table  
Richly Spread--  
Without a Loaf  
Of Richards' Bread?  
It's Incomplete,  
That's what.

G. W. Cornell  
Dentist

Cor. 8th and King Sts.,  
Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

#### THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.  
Toronto, June 26—10 a. m.—Fine and  
very warm. Wednesday, southwester-  
ly winds, fine and very warm; perhaps  
a thunder shower.

### LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Garner's condition showed a  
slight improvement to-day and she  
was resting much easier.  
J. J. Ouzens was elected a delegate  
to the meeting of the Grand Lodge  
of the Sons of England, to be held  
Windsor on the first Tuesday in August.

Mrs. George Flater, Queen street,  
who is leaving the city for Toledo, is  
verifying her household goods for sale  
by auction, on Friday, June 29.

The C. M. B. A. excursion to Mount  
Clements to-day was a great success.  
Between 400 and 500 persons took  
advantage of it, including about 75 from  
Dover.

Private Cruz, of the Royal Canadian  
Regiment, passed through this  
city to-day at noon on his way to his  
home in Windsor. Mr. Craig and one  
of the London soldiers were both  
wounded at Passchendaele, and were in  
the hospital, but were invalided home.  
They were the first to return to Canada  
and were given a reception on their  
arrival in Halifax.

On Sunday, Dominion Day, a Gospel  
gathering of three Sunday schools—  
Irving's, Bloomfield, and Providence—  
with parents and friends, will be held  
at J. Montgomery's grove, 5th con-  
cession, at 2:30. Rev. Messrs. Ross,  
George, and Knight, will be the speak-  
ers. Mr. Ollis, of the Lay Preach-  
ers' Association, will conduct the ser-  
vice. Bring your red hymn books. A  
large and interesting gathering is ex-  
pected.

McKeough's School Picnic, Friday  
afternoon and evening; excellent  
music, Boy's Band; sports of all sorts;  
drill by Col. Black's High School Ca-  
det. Over 1000 of the best returned pho-  
tograph, which can be heard distinctly  
a quarter of a mile; General Brock's  
"Long Tom," from Queenston Heights;  
the most brilliant fireworks and  
grand patriotic illumination of the  
school building from basement to attic.

That drawn, squinting expression,  
seen on the faces of many older people,  
is often erroneously attributed to age,  
or "a life of care" or "raising a large  
family." Such alleged reasons may oc-  
casionally be valid ones, but the fact  
still remains that these "unnatural"  
facial conditions are often due to de-  
fective eyes and the need of right  
glasses to remove muscular and nerv-  
ous strain. Save your nervous en-  
ergy. Let good glasses do the work  
now imposed on over-taxed muscular  
and nerve force. Glasses to fit any  
eye. E. J. MacIntyre, leading optician,  
opposite Grand Opera House.



Fountain Syringes, from.....\$1.00 to \$3.00  
Esoma Syringes, from.....50c to \$2.00  
Atomizers, from.....45c to \$2.50

A. I. McCall & Co.  
Druggists and Opticians

#### THE IDEAL STORIES FOR SUMMER READING

RALPH CONNOR'S  
**BLACK ROCK**  
AND  
**THE SKY PILOT**  
Tales of the Rocky Mountains

Clay, Gilt Tops, Each \$1.00

Ralph Connor uses a pen dipped in the  
very colors and tones of the canyon and  
the sunlit hills, his grasp of the charac-  
teristic slang is free and graphic, and  
his knowledge of the primitive vices  
and virtues is obviously no mere book-  
lore. The way the "Swan Creek  
Church" got opened while the little  
"Sky Pilot" lay a-dying will lighten  
the eyes of the sentimentally inclined.  
Such a tale is sure to find numerous  
readers, for it touches just those chords  
which vibrate luxuriously in the popu-  
lar heart.—*Boston Transcript.*

**Dingman's**  
King St., Chatham

### NON-JURY CASES.

Several Heard and Decided Be-  
fore Justice Meredith.

An Action Over Ridgeway Market  
Site—Some Suits Settled and  
Discontinued.

The non-jury sittings of the High Court  
of Justice opened at the court house yester-  
day afternoon before Mr. Justice Mer-  
edith.

Lockerbie vs. Tilbury West, the first  
case upon the list, was referred to Judge  
Bell for trial. J. B. Rankin, Q. C., for  
plaintiff; Wilson & Co. for defendant.

Bank of Montreal vs. Gibbons et al was  
an action to recover dividend from the  
estate of the late E. A. Case. The defend-  
ant, G. C. Gibbons, Q. C., of London, was  
the only witness called. The case was dis-  
missed without costs, it being shown that  
\$300 had been paid by defendant after  
commencement of action. J. J. Fraser for  
plaintiff; E. Meredith for defendant.

The case of Leitch vs. Chatham town-  
ship was adjourned till next court. Judd,  
Drumbo & Co. for plaintiff; Fraser & Bell  
for defendant.

In McMaster vs. Poole it was shown that  
the late Jas. McMaster in his life-time had  
deeded certain property in Ridgeway to  
the town for the market square, under  
power of attorney from his son John, hav-  
ing previously deeded the property to John.  
John is now in London asylum and the  
court directed that an action be brought  
against the administrator of Jas. Mc-  
Master's estate to have it declared that  
John was entitled out of his father's estate  
to the \$2,000, which his father received for  
the market square ground. The judge held  
that the evidence did not show a delivery  
of conveyance from James to John, and in  
absence of delivery of the deed the prop-  
erty never passed to John. Costs of all  
parties out of the estate. J. B. Rankin,  
Q. C., and J. D. Edgar for plaintiff; W. E.  
Gundy and M. Wilson, Q. C., for plaintiff.

In the case of Jordan vs. Jordan, a notice  
of discontinuance of action was served.  
Ontario Loan and Investment Co. vs.  
Catherine Lamont. This was an action  
by plaintiffs who are mortgagees of  
the land of the late James Lamont,  
for foreclosure of mortgage and to ob-  
tain possession of the lands. Defendant  
did not appear. Judgment was  
given for plaintiffs for immediate pos-  
session, with costs. A. O. Jeffrey,  
Fraser & Fraser, and W. F. Smith for  
plaintiffs.

Bishop vs. Bishop.—This is an action  
to have declared that a legacy of  
\$1,000 under the will of the late Wm.  
Bishop, is due to the plaintiff, George  
Bishop, from the defendant, John  
Bishop. The case is now on. Wilson  
& Co. for plaintiff; Fraser & Bell,  
for defendant.

**Auction Sale of Household  
Furniture.**  
Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, has re-  
ceived instruction from Mrs. George Flater,  
Queen street, near C. P. B. tract, to sell by  
public auction all her household effects on  
Friday, June 29th, at 1 o'clock sharp,  
consisting of the following:

Parlor, sitting room, dining room, hall,  
summer and winter kitchen also three bed-  
rooms, glassware and garden tools.  
This will be a good chance for any one in  
need of good furniture, as all is first class,  
and Mrs. Flater is leaving the city for  
Toledo, Ohio, and everything will be sold  
without reserve.

There is everything that goes to make up  
a well furnished house. The house is on  
rent at \$10 per month.

Remember day and date, Friday, June 29,  
at one o'clock.

MRS. GEO. FLATER, A. THOMSON,  
Proprietress, Auctioneer.  
3d fl.

Little Joe Brennan, who was drown-  
ed yesterday, was nine years of age  
and a grandson of ex-Ald. James Dil-  
lon.

### HORRIBLE SCENES

Witnessed in the Streets of Tien  
Tsin by the Rescuers.

Everywhere were the bodies of Mas-  
sacred Foreigners, Men and  
Women.

Berlin, June 26.—News has reached  
Berlin from the German consul at Che  
Foo, who announced that the relief  
column entered Tien Tsin during the  
afternoon of June 23, and started again  
June 24 to rescue Vice-Admiral Sey-  
mour, who, with the foreign ministers,  
was said to be occupying a position  
12 1/2 miles from Tien Tsin, where he  
was surrounded and hard pressed by  
a great force of boxers and Chinese  
regulars. Possibly the Japanese re-  
port that Seymour is a prisoner and  
that the ministers had left Peking  
guarded by Chinese soldiers is merely  
a distorted version of the Berlin story.  
But, in any event, definite news may  
be expected speedily, and it is con-  
fidently believed Seymour and his com-  
panions will be safely rescued.

According to the report of a Chin-  
aman refugee who has arrived at Shang-  
hai, the condition of Tien Tsin is hor-  
rible. Everywhere in the streets are  
the bodies of massacred men and wo-  
men, American as well as all other  
nationalities. The Hong Kong and  
German banks, he adds, were both de-  
stroyed early during the bombardment.

#### TO AID THE RELIEVERS.

Washington, June 26.—The navy de-  
partment has received the following  
from Rear-Admiral Kempf: Taku,  
June 25.—Relief force reached Tien  
Tsin June 23, loss very small. Peking  
relief force, which left Tien Tsin June  
10, reported 10 miles from Tien Tsin,  
surrounded; force left Tien Tsin June  
24 to render assistance.

#### REPORTS NOT CREDITED.

London, June 26.—The unauthenti-  
cated reports of the relief of Tien Tsin  
and capture of Vice-Admiral Seymour  
are not credited here. A private de-  
spatch read here this morning says  
that Tien Tsin was relieved on June  
23rd, and the march towards Peking  
began next day.

### DESERTING DAILY.

General Dewet's Burghers are  
Very Tired of the War

London, June 26.—The Times corre-  
spondent at Kroustad, says Dewet  
is showing capable generalship, but is  
unable to prevent his men from de-  
serting daily.

As Roberts, apparently, is carrying  
out important combined operations,  
the slackness of news from South Af-  
rica will probably continue until they  
are completed. The fact that the  
foreign military attaches are home-  
ward bound indicates that in their  
opinion the war is over. But the re-  
ported refusal of Roberts to spare any  
troops for service in China seems, if  
true, to show the field marshal con-  
sidering much work remains to be done.

Large quantities of bar gold, receiv-  
ed by merchants in the Western part  
of the Transvaal from Kruger, ostensibly  
in payment of requisitioned  
goods, have been seized by the Brit-  
ish. If the genuineness of the ac-  
counts can be proved the gold will  
probably be repaid.

Boers sharply attacked Gen. Ran-  
dall's transport near Senekal June 23,  
but were repulsed.

The official report of the capture of  
a convoy of 50 wagons, escorted by  
Highlanders, between Rhenoster and  
Heilbron June 4, was only received to-  
day. Lord Roberts reports that the  
convoy was surrounded and sent mes-  
sengers to the nearest posts, asking  
for assistance, but reinforcements  
were unable to reach the convoy and  
150 Highlanders, in reply to a flag of  
truce from Gen. Christian Dewet, sur-  
rendered during the morning of June  
4th.

#### CHICAGO MARKETS.

By W. J. Strong's Private Wire.  
Opn. High Low Close  
Wheat—July... 85 1/2 86 1/2 85 3/4 86 1/4  
Aug.... 86 1/2 87 1/2 86 3/4 87 1/4  
Corn—July... 41 1/2 42 1/2 41 1/2 42 1/4  
Aug.... 41 1/2 42 1/2 41 1/2 42 1/4  
Oats—July... 25 1/2 26 1/2 25 1/2 26 1/4  
Aug.... 25 1/2 26 1/2 25 1/2 26 1/4  
Pork—July... 12 3/4 12 3/4 12 1/2 12 3/4  
Sept... 12 3/4 12 3/4 12 1/2 12 3/4  
Lard—July... 6 5/8 6 5/8 6 3/8 6 5/8  
Sept... 7 00 7 00 6 95 7 00  
Ribs July... 7 05 7 05 6 95 7 00  
Sept... 7 07 7 15 7 02 7 07

#### ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The election of officers in Western  
City Lodge, No. 83, I. O. O. F., took place  
last night, the following being cho-  
sen:  
James, Holmes, I. P. G.  
Willard E. Merritt, N. G.  
Richard J. V. G.  
Neil Gibson, R. S.  
A. M. Lafferty, F. S.  
Thos. Challinor, Treas.  
Richard Chrysler was elected repre-  
sentative to the Grand Lodge.

### Wouldn't Read This Ad.

Doubtless you have a preference for good clothes. Few people really  
do not care what their personal appearance is. You are not one of them,  
else you would not be found reading this advertisement. But you have  
had difficulty in obtaining clothes that pleased. It may be we can help  
you out. Of one thing you may rest assured—our prices are not high.

Morley & Co.

The Leading Tailors

Dress Making and Millinery | C. Austin & Co. | Carpets Clothing

## Dress Findings And Trimmings

Here is a department that is often found wanting, not so  
with us. We pay special attention to this department and in it  
you will find everything required for first-class dress making.  
Note these lines and our prices:—

#### American Percales

38 in. wide, in black and colors, a sheer  
but firm cloth, making a perfect lining,  
15c.

2 cards spring hooks and eyes for 5c.

#### Linenettes

In black and colors, 36 in. wide, recom-  
mended by all dress makers, our price  
10c.

Mohair Brush Binding, 5c per yard.

#### Gilbert's Oriental Silk

For fine dress lining, a full range of  
black and colors, a perfect substitute  
for silk, 25c per yard.

Twill Covered Featherbone, all colors,  
9c per yard.

Red Cross Cambric, all colors,  
5c per yard.

#### Tuxedo

For dress facing, a perfectly shrunk  
linen duck, soak it in water and it will  
dry out as good as ever. Black and  
natural, 20c per yard.

Chicago Dress Shields, 2 for 25c.

#### Canvases

The Bargain Centre for the best value in  
Canvases. See our Pure Linen French  
Elastic Canvas, black and natural, at  
12 1/2c per yard.

All Right Dress Stays, satin covered,  
at 12c per dozen.

We always carry a full range of the  
following lines:— Dress Stays, Dress  
Shields, Featherbone, Piping Cord,  
Braids, Gimps, Ribbons, Binding and  
all Dress Making Requirements.

## BARGAINS BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY

Those are the days when price cutting occurs in the  
most unexpected quarters of this store. Every effort is  
being made by this department to get the stock cleaned  
up before the fall goods arrive. That means a "weeding  
out" of surplus stock, broken assortments, odd lots or  
any lines of which we have to many or to few goods.  
There will surely be some of these lines you want—such  
as Gingham, Curtain Scrims, Dress Lawns, Fancy P.  
K's, Zephyrs, Etc.

1ST LOT—Over 800 yards fancy  
zephyrs and gingham, very pretty  
patterns, good colorings, dark or  
light, reg. 18c, 20c, 25c and 30c  
qualities, bargain price

12 1/2c per yard

2ND LOT—400 yards American  
Goblin Moll Drapery, beautiful  
colorings, new designs, 30 in. wide,  
reg. 20c goods, bargain price

12 1/2c per yard

3RD LOT—About 150 yds. Extra  
Fine English P. K's, with colored  
silk stripes or checks, special for  
waists or suits, regular 45c and 35c  
qualities, bargain price

15c per yard

4TH LOT—125 yds. Fine Ameri-  
can Plaid Lawns, beautiful color-  
ings, wide widths, just the stuff for  
this hot weather, reg. 25c goods,  
bargain price

10c per yard

5TH LOT—2 pcs. only, White  
P. K's, with pink or blue spots,  
regular 20c quality, bargain price

15c per yard

9 pcs. Wide Warp Welts, in pink  
or white grounds, with stripes or  
small figures, special

12 1/2c per yard

6TH LOT—About 200 yds. Fine  
Corded Zephyrs, fancy plaids and  
checks, 20c and 25c qualities, bar-  
gain price

15c per yard

7TH LOT—10 pcs. yard wide,  
American Shirting prints, in fancy  
or plain stripes, 12 1/2c quality, bar-  
gain price

10c per yard

8TH LOT—We have em. Black  
India Linens and Organdies, just in  
this week, get what you want at  
once, as these goods are very scarce  
this season, prices

18c, 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c yard

Leading and Reliable Clothiers

C. Austin & Co.  
The  
Bargain Centre  
Market Square Corner