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LOCAL

Curtain goes up at nine p. m. to-morrow night.

All kinds of New Vegetables at the King Edward Green.

Are you a judge of good hats?

If so you will buy from The 2 P's.

Liquid Veneer is not sticky, like varnish, but it does wonders to furniture. Geo. Stephens & Co.

Mr. J. W. Plewes leaves for Toronto to-night in response to a message from P. H. Bowyer, M. L. A., re Normal School affairs.

Use Jap-a-lac for a new surface on furniture, floors or metal. Geo. Stephens & Co.

When buying here you have the guarantee of the world's best makers, either American or English. The 2 P's.

Mr. Keyes and bride, of Toronto, are in the city on their wedding trip, and are the guests of Sam. Bullis, Park street.

Maple City Creamery Butter and Ice Cream is the Best. Chice Dairy Euter and Fresh Eggs. Family trade a specialty. Phone 242.

Rev. F. E. Malott has heard from his brother, Mr. W. H. Malott, of San Francisco, that he and his family are safe. At the time of writing his home was still unharmed.

The Heintzman Piano Company, for which Mr. John M. Glassford is the popular local agent, will open their opening to-morrow in their new and up-to-date showrooms in the Garner Block.

To-morrow the Heintzman Piano Company, of Toronto, will open their show rooms in the Garner House Block, with a full display of their famous Upright Pianos. No firm of piano makers has a higher reputation.

LARGE FUNERAL

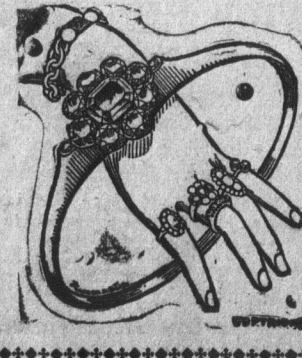
The funeral of the late Alice Mary Johnstone, who died on Monday last, took place yesterday afternoon, at two o'clock, the attendance being very large.

The cortege proceeded from the late residence of the deceased, on King street, to the Maple Leaf Cemetery, where the interment took place.

Miss Johnstone was very well known and highly esteemed in this city, and her relatives have received many messages of sympathy from friends and acquaintances.

JAPS WANT LONGER LEGS.

Japanese scientists attribute the superior stature of the English-speaking races to their meat-eating habits, and the Emperor is reported to be considering a scheme to put the nation on a meat diet to make his subjects grow taller. A native physician of Tokio, who was educated in England, is advocating the general use of the bicycle to achieve the same purpose. In his opinion the bicycle is the most successful body builder and muscle developer the English people possess. He recommends that young Japs, of both sexes, be taught early in youth to ride the bicycle.



"SUCCESS ASSURED"

Manager Brisco is assured of a big house to greet the "Yankee Consul" at the Grand to-morrow night. Already out of town orders for tickets have been received from Wallaceburg, Dresden, Ridgetown, Blenheim and Kent Bridge.

LOSS FROM FIRE

The house of John Ritchie, in Dover Centre, was totally destroyed by fire at a late hour last night. The cause of the outbreak, which originated in the upper storey of the building, is not known, but it is believed to be due to the dangerous conduct of Mr. Ritchie's children in playing with matches in one of the bedrooms. There was no loss of life but considerable damage was done.

ARE SAFE

County Treasurer J. C. Fleming has received word from San Francisco to the effect that his sister, Mrs. Dolan, who was in the stricken city at the time of the disaster, is safe. Her son also came through the disaster without injury. The house in which they lived was badly shaken up, but otherwise they suffered no loss. They had their household effects all packed in readiness to leave should the fire reach their district. The fire, however, was checked before it reached their section.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Property committee was held last evening in Harrison Hall.

The matter of the old market front was discussed and it was decided that the Market committee will present a report at the next Council meeting, recommending the acceptance of the plans of J. L. Wilson & Son for the reconstruction of the old building.

Other matters dealt with were electric lighting and civic repairs.

WILL SUE THE CITY

A. I. McCall, the druggist, has announced his intention to sue the city for damages on account of the fact that his little child was not properly protected from scarlet fever. This was owing to the fact that Chatham has no isolation hospital, and the city is required by law to provide such an institution. Mr. McCall claims that if there had been an isolation hospital his little child would not have caught the disease.

Mr. McCall claims that two cases of scarlet fever existed within the city limits, and they were not reported to the Health Officer and no precautions were put up. His child, he claims, innocently played around these houses while the disease existed there. His house now is quarantined.

When times seem the hardest the heart and will should be the strongest.

The dog that spends all of his time barking never buries many bones.

WALL PAPER!

All who have seen the up-to-date and artistic selection of Wall Paper that we have secured this season, have been highly delighted with it.

We are pleased to say that owing to the great quantity of paper that we have already sold, it has been necessary to duplicate our orders with the manufacturers, and so you will be wise and save money to come in and inspect the stock of

LINDSAY S. PARROTT,
King Street East.

Rings

Ranging from the Plainest Gold Band to the most ornate finger ring imaginable, encrusted with sparkling diamonds, ruby rubies, opalescent pearls or other gems. They are all here to suit every taste, every purse and of all kinds, just as you want them. Special orders executed promptly and satisfactorily.

E. J. MacINTYRE,
The Leading Jeweler
and Optician.
Marriage License

LAI'D TO REST

The funeral of the late Miss Grace Drury, whose sad death occurred on Sunday, took place Monday afternoon, and was very largely attended. The pall-bearers were, — Ed. Lettich, Charles McPherson, Albert Crow, Donald McPherson, Jas. Richards and Thomas Hanson.

The deceased, whose late home was on the fourth concession, Raleigh, passed away, after a lingering illness of about two years' duration. She was very highly esteemed, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drury. Besides her parents, she leaves to mourn her loss one brother and four sisters. William of this city, Mrs. Norman Clements, Chatham, and Misses Annie, Pearl and Lucy, at home.

Our Best Advertisement

Perhaps more than once when passing a shop window your attention has been held by a legend to the effect that "a satisfied customer is our best advertisement." Usually the patrons of a great transportation concern like the Canadian Pacific Railway are content with good service and do not express their satisfaction in as many words, but just occasionally a more appreciative traveller voices the opinions of the silent majority, and behold, "our best advertisement."

The following letter from Rev. Dr. Sutherland, a well known Toronto divine, speaks for itself.

Vancouver, B. C., March 20, '06.

E. J. Coyle, Esq.,

Passenger Department C. P. R., Vancouver.

My Dear Sir,—Permit me, before embarking for the Orient, to express my high appreciation of the courteous attention extended to me by yourself and other officers of the company. My room on the Empress of Japan is all that could be wished for, and will contribute much to the comfort and satisfaction of my trip across the Pacific. It will always afford me pleasure not only to speak in high terms of the completeness of the company's travelling equipment, but to make any practical acknowledgement in my power of the kindness that has been shown me. With best wishes, believe me,

Yours faithfully,

A. SUTHERLAND.

YE OLD FIRM

Heintzman & Co., Toronto, will open a Show Room in the Garner House Block, TO-MORROW

where they will exhibit a full range of their UPRIGHT PIANOS

And the public are cordially invited to inspect these instruments.

J. Glassford, district manager, desires to thank the public for the very liberal patronage extended to this firm, and desires to extend a cordial invitation to the citizens of Chatham and surrounding districts to visit these rooms at any time.

He will be in attendance for a short time at the show rooms to answer any questions prospective purchasers of instruments may desire to know regarding the different styles and to make quotations.

A cordial invitation is extended to the general public.

SEND TROOPS TO EGYPT.

British Troops at Crete Are Ordered Forward to Check Turkey Should She Prove Offensive.

Cairo, Egypt, April 27.—A battery of the Royal Horse Artillery and three companies of the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, now forming part of the British contingent of the international forces in the island of Crete, have been ordered here to reinforce the British garrison in Egypt. The first battalion of the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers is expected here shortly from Belfast, Ireland.

Deemed Advisable.

London, April 27.—Foreign Secretary Grey replying to a question in the House of Commons yesterday, said that the British garrison in Egypt was being strengthened at the suggestion of Lord Cromer, the British agent there, who considered the step to be desirable in view of the Turkish Government in connection with the Tabah boundary incident.

The report that orders had been received at Aldershot for the mobilization of the first division of Gen. French's army corps in view of serious developments in South Africa or elsewhere, is unfounded. No troops have been ordered to prepare for foreign service in the near future.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TEAMS WANTED

20 teams wanted at \$4.00 per day to work at the M. C. Ry. Charing Cross. There will be steady work for one or two months. Apply to

J. G. MITCHELL

GRAND... OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday, May 2nd

WM. A. BRADY'S

Endorsed by JOS. R. GRISMER.

WAY DOWN EAST

The Success of the Century. A Metropolitan Production.

PRICES—25, 35, 50 and 75c, and a few \$1.

Sale of Seats Monday.

THE ARK

Window Shades

Mounted on spring rollers, complete, eight colors, with and without lace, 36 in. wide, 6 and 7 ft. long. Price 30c. to 65c.

Curtain Poles

Complete with wood or brass trimmings.

Price 25c

Brass Rods

Solid and extension,

10c. and up.

Curtain Chains and Hooks, Moulding Hooks and Picture, Nicked Towel Bars, &c. See samples in window this week.

H. MACAULAY

Prompt delivery of goods.

WANTED

WANTED—Good dining room girl for Hotel Merrill.

WANTED—Two dining room girls. Apply Grand Central Hotel.

JOB PRINTER WANTED—A good job printer, at The Planet Office.

WANTED—Several boarders. Apply Mrs. R. Jordan, corner Pitt and Barthe streets.

GIRL WANTED—In a family of three. Apply to Mrs. J. W. Wilson, King St. West.

WANTED—A good girl, the best of wages paid; no washing or ironing. Apply to Mrs. John Piggott, Lacroix street.

WANTED—To rent, a small shed about 40 x 20, to be used for manufacturing purposes. Apply Box 2, Planet.

BOY OR MAN WANTED—To take care of a horse and cow in the city, and make himself generally useful. Apply at Planet Office.

WANTED—To rent, two or three unfurnished rooms or small cottage. No children. Address Box 3, Planet.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. No objection to one going home at night. Apply at Planet Office.

A FEW CANVASSERS WANTED To sell goods and repeat orders from the same customers. Liberal inducements. Apply Alfred Tyler, 355-7 Clarence St., London.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT

TO RENT—Furnished rooms, centrally located, modern conveniences, housekeeping if desired. Terms very moderate. Enquire of P. O. Box 197.

FOR SALE—Moderate sized house with modern improvements, for sale, on Victoria Ave., at a bargain. Apply to Mrs. Scullard or The Planet Office.

FOR SALE—Desirable lot on Victoria Ave., for sale, next to the residence of W. R. London. Apply to Mrs. Scullard or The Planet Office.

WANTED—Big mail order house wants local assistant as district distributor for few counties. Permanent work. Salary \$18 paid weekly from home offices and expenses. Expense money advanced. No investment required. Address Standard Company, Como Block, Chicago.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—150 acres in Howard, half way between Ridgetown and Troy; land selling for from \$80 to \$100 per acre. This farm can be bought for \$800 per acre on easy terms; renting for \$550 and taxes. One head street brick building and four lots can be bought for \$1,600. M. H. McGavin, Fifth street, in N. H. Rathven's office.

HANDSOME JEWELRY—Special advertising offer of very handsome jewelry—solid gold design, and beautifully finished in Roman Gold finish. Your choice of Brooch, pair Cuff Links or Searl Pin, for 35 cents, and the names and addresses of 25 persons. The Best Jewelry Co., 75 Yonge Street, Toronto.

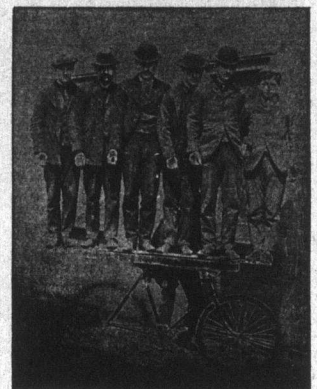
FARMS FOR SALE—I have for sale 50 acres of land, part lot 17, concession 5, Dover Township, owned by Albert Laprise; 75 acres, concession 13, Dover, owned by Ed. C. Wemp; 40 acres, River Road, Dover, owned by John David; 50 acres, concession 5, Dover, owned by Julius Bechard. I have money to loan at very lowest rate of interest on land mortgages. Henry Dagneau.

OPPORTUNITIES TO VISIT CALIFORNIA.

Do not let this go by. Very low rates will be in effect via Grand Trunk Railway good going April 24th to May 5th, returning until July 31st, and good going June 24th to July 7th, returning until Sept. 15th. Choice of any direct route going and returning, and certain stop over privileges allowed. Call on agents for full particulars or address J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Room 808, Union Station, Toronto.

Hard workers are usually honest; industry lifts them above temptation.

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THE MONEY-SAVING SPOT



Don't Buy Junk

When you buy a wheel. Let us sell you a good wheel, one that you will take pleasure and comfort with and be proud of. We haven't a new wheel in stock that we can't recommend to you for its lightness, easy running and strength. If you want one that will give thorough satisfaction, get Brantford. We will sell you one at an attractive price.

Lawn Mowers

Our Special Ball-bearing 4 blade, any width, at \$6.50 is worth inspecting.

Lawn Hose

It will be worth your while to inspect our different lines.



THIS IS THE SEASON

When all are anxious for out of door sports. When it comes to the demand for

Baseball Goods

Foot Ball Goods

Lacrosse Goods

Tennis Goods,

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Before making your purchases come in and look things over. Prices are moderate.

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BABY CARRIAGES RE-TIRED

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The Largest Sporting Goods House in Western Ontario.

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C. AUSTIN & CO
KING ST. CHATHAM.

Priestley's Cravettes

Money Saving —IN— Carpets and Rugs For 10 Days

This week and next we purpose giving a number of record making bargains in Carpets and Rugs—no time more opportune. Bring your room sizes and get our figures, as this sale means money to you, for instance:

English Brussels Carpet 100 yards of good dependable Brussels, valued at \$1.10 yard. During sale made and laid at only 75c yard.	9 Wire Tapestry 1 pattern only in green and rose, valued at 90c yard. Made and laid during sale at 65c yard.
English Wilton Carpet 150 yards choicest Wiltons in fawns and greens, regular \$1.50 value. Made and laid during sale at \$1.18.	7 Wire Tapestry 125 yards only in fawns and green, worth to-day 65c. Made and laid during sale at 52c yard.
All Wool Ingrains 300 yards all pure selected yarns, good designs and colorings, worth 90c yard. Made and laid during sale, 79c yard.	5 Wire Tapestry 1 design only for bedroom or hall use, worth 40c. During sale at only 29c a yard.



FINE UNDER MUSLINS

We pride ourselves on the excellence of our Under Muslins. Each year as the demand has gone on increasing we have endeavored, and always successfully, to bring to our patrons goods just a little better—prices a little lower than in previous years. **This Season** our exhibit is of surpassing excellence. Our selections are large—our styles are exclusive, and our prices are equally attractive with the goods themselves.

Muslin Gowns

From 50c to \$4.50 each

\$3c.—Made with tucked yoke and trimmed with insertion, finished around the neck and sleeves with ruffle of embroidery.

\$1.00.—Six styles, charmingly pretty—made from good materials, lace and embroidery trimmed, special values.

\$1.50.—Of Nainsook, low round tucked yoke and short sleeves.

\$1.65.—Very dainty gown with low round yoke of insertion and short sleeves yoke and sleeves trimmed with torchon edging.

\$1.25.—Extra outside size gowns of fine English cotton, made with yoke tucked in clusters.

\$2.85.—Of fine muslin, low fancy yoke trimmed with French valenciennes insertion and lace, short sleeves.

Muslin Drawers

Very attractive and very dainty are our selections in the umbrella drawers—artistically trimmed and thoroughly well made from specially selected materials. Prices 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and up.

Muslin Skirts

All our white petticoats are cut and made up with extreme care, sufficient material being used to insure ample fullness. From the plainest to the most elaborately trimmed, our garments are perfect in every detail. Prices, 35c to \$3.75.

50c.—Of Lawn with deep flounce, tucked and finished with ruffles.

\$1.00.—Muslin Petticoats trimmed with deep flounce of embroidery or lawn with torchon lace and insertion.

\$2.00.—With deep muslin flounce, alternate rows of cluster tucking and wide torchon insertion and finished with ruffle of torchon lace.

\$5.00.—With deep flounce tucked and finished with three rows of eyelet insertion with ruffle of embroidery to match.

\$7.50.—A very dainty skirt with knee flounce of muslin trimmed with valenciennes insertion, tucks and 15 in. ruffle of valenciennes lace.

Corset Covers—A variety of styles in pretty corset covers, daintily made and prettily finished, lace trimmed at 20c. Prices range from 12½c to \$1.25.

SATURDAY in the AUSTIN Men's Store

Special Showing of Our
PROGRESS BRAND RAIN - COATS
FOR MEN.

SEE EAST KING ST. WINDOW for samples.

Plain and Fancy Cloths Waterproofed, an Overcoat and Rain Coat Combined \$9.00 to \$15.00.

EXTRA—Another lot of those Special Austin Rain Coats just in to-day, new patterns, value at \$10, here \$7.90.



Men's Sock Sale Saturday.

Men's Merino Mix Cashmere Sox, in plain black, all sizes, very special 15c pair, or 7 prs. for \$1.00.

Men's Imported Fine Cashmere Sox, fine quality all wool, in black, blue and tan, plain shades, while they last at 10c. pair, or 6 prs. for \$1.00.

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