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THE BANNER'S "APOLOGY."

Experience should count for something, and it invariably does improve persons who are bright and intelligent enough to profit by it. After the repeated practice which the Banner has had from time to time in the art of "backing up," it was at least expected that they would be able by this time, to compose a better and more complete apology than the one which was evidently intended to be tendered to Ald. Potter last Wednesday evening.

A few days ago the Banner was induced to publish an article concerning certain members of the Council Board, which was taken exception to by Ald. Potter, who was of the opinion that the article in question reflected upon the characters of every alderman at the Board with the exception of Ald. Westman. In a commendable and clear-cut speech Ald. Potter gave the Banner a severe drubbing—the kind which humiliates and stings a newspaper that aspires to any prestige whatever in a community.

Two days later the Banner, evidently touched upon a tender spot, thought that it was "up to them" to say something, and an editorial was published under the caption, "Ald. Potter's Remarks." In the course of that editorial it was stated:

"There was no intention on the part of the News of hinting at devious methods; nor was that done. The News would ask its readers if they have determined why this journal should be attacked as having cast doubt on the honesty of any alderman."

What injured innocence! In order to assist the readers of the Banner in "determining" this point, it might be well to indicate a few excerpts from the article complained of by Ald. Potter. This is how it read:

"IN SOME WAY, it is alleged, Mr. Read secured the support of the majority of the aldermen for a proposition to accept his tender. To say the least, declare the critics, THE WHOLE THING LOOKS SUSPICIOUS. The cause for the sudden change of mind will have to be something more satisfactory to the ratepayers than the excuse made by some of those approached as to their reason for acting as they did."

And so all of this "wise" criticism, coming after the words of the heading, "Why did the City Council do a flip flop act?" and the mysterious insinuation of the whole article, was "not intended to hint at devious methods!" Then why was the article published at all? Did the Banner wish to convey the impression that the Council was going to resolve itself into a circus troupe and do stunts on the trapeze and horizontal bar, and charge admission into the Council Chamber? What did they mean by saying that the whole thing looked "suspicious?" What was the "some way" in which they stated that Mr. Read had "secured the support of the Council?" Why do they in their last editorial throw out the insinuation thrust about the ratepayers who "may" vote for Ald. Potter again?

The Banner is not through with the apology business yet—that is if they wish to make the amende honorable to Ald. Potter, and regain a portion of the public respect which they have lost through the publication of their "flip-flop" article.

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ERIEAU

Erieau, July 25.—Mrs. C. B. Oliver and son Douglas, of Marlin, who have been stopping at the Bungalow, have returned home.

A party of picnicers went to the Park yesterday afternoon in the Togo. It consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Lugsdin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lugsdin, Miss Ida Lugsdin and Mrs. Spicer.

The large maskinonge, caught by Mr. John Perkins, was sold to a Cleveland man, who took it home.

The Misses Colborne, Miss Nona Ferris and several other Blenheimites form a jolly bunch at Mr. Shillington's cottage.

Mrs. Dobson spent yesterday in Chatham.

Dr. Masca and Mr. J. L. Clark, both of Cleveland, are at the light-house.

Mr. O. C. Ringle and Mr. Harper are two Cleveland visitors at the Bungalow.

Miss Margarette Ardagh, of Detroit, who is always a popular visitor at Erieau, returned home yesterday.

Mr. Roy Tobey is a visitor on the bar.

Mr. Dodson is the guest of his brother, P. C. Dodson, at Jubilee. They are enjoying the fine fishing season.

Miss Helen Young's boathouse has a new foundation and is being moved to the front of the lot.

Capt. McLeod, who has been taking Capt. Rowan's place on the Bessmer, leaves to-day for his home. The coal-boat has been delayed in leaving on account of the large coal-boat breaking down. The small hoist, which has not been working for some time, was called into commission.

Miss Belle Stringer and Miss Etta McLaughlin are in the city to-day.

If the Harwich Council see fit to take action in that little matter of the north sidewalk, we feel confident that the ratepayers will not object to the slight increase in the tax rate.

"Bill" Hall's flag pole looks quite fetching in its new coat of paint. The long, graceful folds of the Union Jack at Blenheimville could be seen all over the Eau last night.

The Awa was out last night with the party at Sandy Knows aboard. Ned Cassidy was at the tiller.

Judge Houston and Mr. E. B. Jones were the happy possessors of good string of bass at sundown last night.

Miss Hannah Kinsman, formerly of Blenheim, is the guest of her friend, Miss Clara Morgan, at Lyndotte.

Rev. and Mrs. Gilmore and family have returned to their home in Blenheim, after a very pleasant stay for a fortnight at Genevieve.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac McMullen, of Cleveland, arrived at the Eau yesterday via Dresden. They are stopping at the Bungalow.

Miss Jessie Rutherford and Miss Flora Sinclair joined the party at Drumtochty Lodge yesterday. These young ladies are having loads of fun.

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Shipwreck Heroine Swam Two Hours, Saving Another; Had Never Swam Before

Periland, Ore., July 25.—Miss Maybelle Watson, of Berkeley, Cal., the 16-year-old heroine who supported a drowning woman for two hours after the wreck of the steamship Columbia, arrived here on the steamer George W. Elder last evening. Miss Watson, with three companions, succeeded in entering a lifeboat, but it had hardly been lowered when the Columbia sank and they were thrown into the water.

"When I came to the surface," said Miss Watson, "some persons were singing 'Nearer My God to Thee' and other hymns. I had never swam a stroke before, but somehow I had confidence enough to try. I had gone but a little way when a woman rose beside me and caught me around the neck. I had to support her with one arm and swim with the other. Several men swam past us, but would offer no assistance."

"I struggled alone as best I could until I was picked up more than two hours after the collision by Third Officer Hawes and his boat. I insisted that he take the woman in first, which he did, and soon had me in the boat. The people in the boat thought she was dead and so did the doctors in the San Pedro, but to oblige Mr. Hawes they made a determined effort to save her, and succeeded."

The woman whom Miss Watson saved is Miss Emma Griese, of Cleveland, O.

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Dress Muslins at Almost Half—400 yards Fine Dress Muslins, choice patterns, fast colors, Saturday special a yard, 6c.

15c. Muslins 9c. yard—690 yards American and English Muslins, reg. up to 15c. yard, Saturday special, 9c.

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A Clearing of Ladies' Wash Suits—45 only Ladies' Fine Percale and Zephyr Suits, stylishly made, trimmed with ruffles and tucks, good range colors, in plain and stripes, size 32 to 42, reg. \$1.50 and \$1.75 a suit, special Saturday, 99c.

19 Only Ladies' Suits—Made of white lawns, white duck, check percales, etc., all new styles, trimmed with lace insertion, embroidery and tucks, sizes 32 to 42, reg. \$2.50 to \$3 each, special Saturday, \$1.89.

\$1 Lustré Skirts for \$1.98—38 only Ladies' Full-pleated Skirts, made of good quality plain and check moiré lustré, colors navy, brown, green and grey, in all wanted sizes, reg. value \$4 each, special Saturday, \$1.98.

Ladies' Coats at Half-price—10 only Ladies' Summer Coats, in tweeds, checks and cream serge, short and three-quarter lengths, reg. \$5.50 to \$17 each, special Saturday, Half-price.

A BIG DRESS GOODS SNAP.
 \$1.12, \$1.40 and \$1.50 Suitings for 68c. yard—18 pieces Pure-wool Suitings, in stylish grey mixtures, checks, stripes, etc., 48 to 56 in. wide, all new fresh goods, reg. up to \$1.50 a yard, special Saturday, 68c.

Fancy Fans at Half-price—20 doz. Fancy Colored Folding Fans, reg. 10c. and 15c. each, special Saturday, 5c.

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40c., 50c. and 65c. Ribbons, 29c. yd.—34 Pcs. Rich Pure Silk and Duchesse Satin Ribbons, in elegant satin over-checked plaids, with black coin spots, plain colors and rich Dresden patterns, all 4 1-2 to 6 in. wide and extra quality, sold regularly at 40c., 50c. and 65c. a yard, special Saturday, 29c.

Hand Bags and purses at Half—10 dozen including large size Squaw Bags, stylish frame, Hand Bags and Purses, in various styles and colors, reg. 75c., 90c., \$1 and \$1.25 each, special Saturday, 68c.

Long Gloves—Fine quality Lisle thread, mousetaire finish, in tans, browns and beaver shades, 18 and 20 in. lengths, special Saturday a pair, 90c. and 75c.

Long Lisle Gloves—18 and 20 in. long fine qualities, in white and black, special Saturday, a pair, 60c. and 50c.

Long Silk Gloves—White, black, cream and grey, fine qualities, 18, 20 and 24 in. long, at a pair, 75c., 90c., \$1 and \$1.25.

\$2.50 Silk Waists \$1.89—34 only Rich Pure Silk Japan Taffeta, white only, made with front of clusters, tucks and fine val. insertion, short sleeves, trimmed with val. lace and insertion, tucked back, val. lace and insertion on collar, sizes 32 to 42, reg. value \$2.50 each, special Saturday, \$1.89.

\$3.50 Silk Waists \$2.89 each—3 doz. beautiful Waists, rich, pure washing silk, white only, front with 4 rows finished val. insertion and lace on collar and cuffs, short sleeves, clusters tucks on back, sizes 32 to 42, a snap, reg. at \$3.50, special Saturday, \$2.89.

White Lawn Waists—Several lines of beautiful Waists clearing special Saturday at One-third Off.

Millinery at Half-price—Saturday we put all our Colored Hats on sale at Exactly Half-price.

Flowers that were up to 75c. a bunch, special Saturday, 9c.

Flowers that were up to \$1.50 a bunch, special Saturday, 19c.

Flowers that were up to \$2.50 a bunch, special Saturday, 33c.

A Clearance of Wash Goods—All our Colored Muslins, Dimities, Lawns, etc., have been sorted out in four lots to clear as follows—

At 6c. yard—400 yards Colored American Lawns, in spots, stripes and figures, fast colors, light and dark, at a yard, special Saturday, 6c.

At 9c. yard—795 yards Colored Lawns, batiste dimities, etc., all new styles and fast colors, reg. up to 15c. a yard, special Saturday, 9c.

At 14c. yard—560 yards Fine Dress Muslins, all this season's styles, fast colors, reg. up to 25c. a yard, special Saturday, 14c.

At 19c. yard—White Vestings, fine 19 American Muslins, White Swiss 1 Muslins, etc., wide choice in patterns, reg. up to 35c. a yard, special Saturday, 19c.

The New Linoleums Go, Too—Over 2,000 yards New Linoleums included in the Clearance Sale, as follows—Rich, floral and tile pattern, 3 yds. and 4 yards wide, at a yard, special Saturday, 45c.

Very Heavy Imported Linoleums, 2 yds., 3 yds. and 4 yds. wide, in rich carpet and tile patterns, special on Saturday, a yard, 50c. and 58c.

Saturday we offer special Clearing Price Inducements in White Underwear, Belts, Kimonos, Wrappers, Lace Curtains, etc.

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