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RIVER FLOODS.

When H. S. Clements, Kent's earnest and capable representative in the Dominion Parliament, brought up in the House the question of river floods, he struck upon probably the one subject in which the residents of Kent County are most vitally interested at the present season of the year.

Mr. Clements showed his far seeing grasp of the needs of his riding in urging the Government to take up this very important work and provide some immediate relief for the people of this district.

The suggestion to send a competent engineer to look over the ground and study out some feasible scheme whereby the thousands of dollars which are now lost every year would remain in the pockets of the Kent farmers, is a good one, and will receive the endorsement of every one of the said farmers.

Mr. Clements also suggests a cut off, as a remedy. This has been talked of several times by people who have interested themselves in this matter, and only last year Geo. Cowan, who was Mayor of the city at that time, in company with a number of the Reeves of the County, appeared before the Government and advocated this project. Nothing definite, however, was done in the matter, and if Mr. Clements can convince the powers that be, that it is about time they were up and doing, he will perform a very important service for his constituency. He has shown already, that if nothing is undertaken by the Government, it will be through no fault of his.

Mr. Clements, in moving for a return of papers, plans, etc., pertaining to relief from the overflow water from the River Thames between London and Lake St. Clair, spoke at length on the great damage to property which arose from floods in the district named. He suggested that if the channel were dredged from the mouth of the river into deep water in Lake St. Clair floods might possibly be prevented. Millions of dollars, he estimated, would not cover the aggregate of loss from floods, and the matter was so important that it was the duty of the Government to step in and provide a remedy. Owing to the improved drainage system the river was called upon now to take care in three or four days of a volume of water the disposal of which was formerly spread over as many weeks. A cut-off to Lake Erie or St. Clair was suggested as a remedy by Mr. Clements.

Mr. Hyman, in reply, referred to the loss of valuable lives and destruction of property in the vicinity of London as a reason which justified him in sympathizing with the movement to remedy the difficulty. The matter of drainage, however, was one for the Province to deal with, and, therefore, did not come within the purview of the Federal Government. The department had given consideration to the whole question and had a report from the engineer who made an investigation. Mr. Hyman intimated that he would be glad to bring down the papers asked for, and to give any information available on the subject.

Dr. Sproule contended that the real need was to break the ice in the river, and the Dominion Government should send an ice-breaker to the River Thames for that purpose.

Mr. W. B. Northrup urged that, the Thames being navigable, the Dominion Government had jurisdiction. Mr. Hyman stated that the river is only navigable up to Chatham, and last year he endeavored to get ice-breakers across the lake to break the ice, but found it impossible to do so in time to be of any use.

UNGRATEFUL HUMANITY.

The Chatham Planet tells of a young man in that city who is having a whole lot of trouble in courting the girl (or rather woman) of his choice. Other young men are "joshing" him and making his life miserable. In fact the police authorities have been appealed to in his behalf. All the fuss is because the young man is keeping company with a woman alleged to be considerably older than he is—in fact "old enough to be his mother," is the way

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some ill-mannered people put it. But who can tell the lady's age? The Planet speaks vigorously in defence of the young man's right to keep company with an old lady if he wants to. But the Planet man goes out of his way to throw a shaft in this direction:

"These obtrusive young men, who are usurping the rights of their fellow companion, should be taught to attend to their own affairs to the exclusion of all others. If there are not enough young girls in the neighborhood to go around, let some of the less fortunate ones seek other pastures. They might go to St. Thomas. There are lots of maidens in that burg who would be glad to see a young man coming around. It should not make so very much difference whether the said maidens are beauties or not—and besides, young men who are so evidently 'out of it,' as those at Kent Bridge seem to be, should not be too particular."

The advice to come to St. Thomas is good, and may be considered complimentary, for it is well known all over the country that the young women of this city and county are among the cleverest and handsomest to be found anywhere on this green earth. But if Chatham young men want to get clever and excellent young women here they will have to bring along certificates of character. St. Thomas girls know better than to take up with hoodlums, and are not giving themselves away—St. Thomas Times.

That's right. Same old story. Try to do a good turn for somebody, and invariably they don't appreciate it. The St. Thomas man says that the girls there are clever and handsome. Yes. The same old bunch that have been crowding over for the last 35 years. He also says that they are not giving themselves away. That's the trouble and it is disparaging for the poor unfortunate fathers who have had to keep them all these years. If the Times man keeps on queering the poor girls' chances for ever getting married, as he does in the above article, he will soon be the most unpopular man in that burg.

SICK HEADACHE

Many varieties of headache exist, those most prevalent being sick or bilious headache, nervous headache, headache from constipation, etc.

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AULD LANG SYNE

FROM PLANET FILES OF HALF A CENTURY AGO

From The Planet files from Sept. 8, 1894, to Sept. 29, 1894.

A Chatham man named William Gouin was killed in the conflict between the Kearsage and the Alabama in the fight off the coast of France near Brest. He had many friends in this city and was well liked and respected by all who knew him.

Over 500 Chathamites attended the great review held at London, special trains being run to convey them to that place. Many of Canada's leading regiments were present and the affair was a brilliant success throughout.

The Chatham regiment won praise from all as one of the best in the field, and an expert declared that they were equal to any other regiment as regarded smartness of dress and the execution of their drill movements.

In the return cricket match between Chatham and Detroit, played at Chatham, Detroit ran out easy winners. The score of 23, the highest made on the Chatham side, while Mr. Oldshaw came second with the creditable score of 19, not out.

Correspondent informs The Planet that Mr. John Stinson, of lot 12 concession 13, Usborn, cradled for acres and a half of spring wheat in four hours and a quarter. Stinson is open to race any reaping machine for a straight levelling of one acre of good grain.

To men, Tyler Dodge and M. Stinson of Tilbury East, were serious hurt while chopping wood in thicket.

Andrew Rock Robertson, M. D., one of the earliest settlers in Chatham, passed away on Sunday, Sept. 11, 1894, deeply mourned by the whole community.

Rail and White enlarge and improve their well known photographic and printing establishment. They supply the new carte de visite phoband every other class of this

SATCHEWAN LEGISLATURE.

For Opening of the First Session at

Re. Sask. March 30.—The formal opening of the first session of the Legislature of the Province of Saskatchewan was a successful event yesterday. The attendance was quite in keeping with the importance of the occasion.

Honour Lieutenant-Governor Forth, the speech from the throne, addressed to the establishment of the line noted the approaching visit of R. H. Prince Arthur of Connaught, and invited patronage and naught advantage of which would be taken, conveyed, through him, to His Majesty King, "the assurance of our feeling of loyalty and attachment to his crown, together with our grateful appreciation and warm wishes for the kind message sent to us on inauguration day, in which His Majesty expressed an earnest hope for our prosperous future."

1000 Bushels of Wheat.

Thurs. day of the province had to be most auspicious in so far as reward given to the laborers (agriculturalists) was concerned. The result of the first harvest had just been accurately determined. It had indicated that within the bounds of the province 26,000,000 bushels of wheat had actually passed through the threshing machine during the season. In 1904-5 over the area given the Provinces of Alberta Saskatchewan only 16,000,000 bushels were threshed.

Event would be exerted by the Government to suggest in some cases and its provide means for co-operation educational work, such as from time to time might be deemed of advantage to giving the industry such an impetus as shall ensure the most satisfactory basis. Extension would aid in settlement.

As the terms of the Saskatchewan Act in force at the date of the opening of the province are noted by the constitutional charter has taken place, so long as these continue to give satisfaction, the intention of the Government leave them, only asking for amendment or appeal, as circumstances demand. For general consideration, however, it was deemed advisable to have all the laws now in force and consolidated at an early date and a bill with that object in mind be presented. As a consequence the establishment of the province has become necessary to ask for approval of measures pertaining to the Lieutenant-Governor, the executive, the Legislative Assembly and several departments of the public.

In view of numerous applications for the grant of railway charters, a question had been engaging, and a bill dealing with the would be submitted.

TO CE THE CANAL.

Mr. Emile Assurances to the Canadian Men.

Ottawa.—A deputation 400 strong of natives from the municipalities which the Trent Valley Canal called upon the Government asking that the work of the canal be carried on.

Hon. Mr. Hon. Wm. Patterson, and Mr. Hyman received the deputation and the former replied to the deputation that the plans and estimates for the completion of the canal would be presented to the House at the November session, and would be asked for the

work is done on the premises. The salt well reaches a depth of 700 feet and strong salt deposits are found.

Captain Savary, of the 47th Regiment, paddled from London to Chatham in a small skiff only 15 feet long.

On Tuesday last Cornelius Shea, a maitre d'hotel in Chatham, 60 years, and engaged in the manufacture of staves in the Township of Raleigh, after partaking of a hearty dinner, went into the woods to work. His son, who was sitting on a stump, a short time after, unable to move. He set off for assistance but on his return found that the old man was dead. An inquest was held by Dr. Siveight and the jury returned a verdict of "Death by visitation of God."

A brakeman named Robert Morris was smashed to pieces at the railway depot in Chatham. He fell off a gravel train going east and ten cars passed over his body.

A pacing race between Mr. Mailor's horse, "Crapeaux," and Mr. Shiley's mare, resulted in a win for the former.

On Friday, Sept. 23, 1894, Sylvester Hadley's big sack and door factory on Sixth street caught fire and was burned to the ground. The fire brigade, finding it impossible to extinguish the fire, contented themselves with saving the neighboring buildings, and their well directed efforts were responsible for the little damage that was done to the adjoining factories and houses.

Everything connected with the factory was lost, the total loss being over \$9,000, nothing being covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to have originated from a spark from the boilers being blown in through an open window and alighting on a heap of shavings.

The destruction of this establishment threw many hands out of employment and its loss will be keenly felt. Much sympathy is expressed to Mr. Hadley and for Mr. Northwood, who owned the building.

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Italian Shot in Free Fight.

Montreal, March 30.—An unknown Italian was shot Wednesday night during the progress of a battle between some 20 or 30 Italians, resulting from a card playing dispute. Nearly every one of the Italians was provided with a revolver, and the battle was fierce for a time.

Chas. Green Dead.

London, March 30.—Charles Green, the Toronto traveling man who fell over the balustrade at the Teumess House Wednesday night, died last evening at 7.25.

It is generally the other fellow always gets licked.

MATHESON EXPOSED HIM

Agreement of Hon. R. Harcourt With a London Company

THE SALE OF THE BONDS

Toronto, March 30.—The feature of the afternoon's sitting of the Legislature yesterday was the review by Hon. Mr. Matheson of the clauses of the Government's Liquor License Act which have been the chief controversial ground since the introduction of the measure. Mr. Hanna in moving the second reading covered all the controversial points in detail, after which Hon. Mr. Ross spoke strongly against some of the clauses. Mr. Hanna in his reply showed that the Government only proceeded as far as sure enforcement would reason, and in concluding read the testimony of a number of temperance organizations, that the license law was being well enforced. The bill was read a second time.

The Budget Debate.

After the discussion of Mr. Hanna's license bill, Col. Atkinson of North Norfolk resumed the debate on the budget. He was followed by Mr. Smith of the 500, and then the Opposition's case was closed by Mr. Ross, who closed by moving an amendment censuring the Government for its recent financial transaction.

Matheson's Expose.

By an agreement made with the brokerage firm of Coats, Sons & Co., of London, England, Hon. Richard Harcourt, on Oct. 10, 1904, bound the province not to entrust any other firm with the sale of Province of Ontario bonds.

So said Hon. Mr. Matheson on rising to reply to Mr. Ross. He produced a copy of the agreement and copies of several communications on the subject. The discussion that ensued was warm at times and both Col. Matheson and Premier Whitney hinted at a corrupt deal.

"What was the consideration?" they asked.

The fact developed that Mr. Harcourt's leader, who was Treasurer of the province at the time, did not know that such an agreement was entered into.

In the course of his speech Col. Matheson asked that the Coats' firm be paid proper brokerage fees.

Mr. Harcourt Replies.

Mr. Harcourt said the House had just listened to most extraordinary statements from the Treasurer. It was complained that he (Harcourt) had concealed the facts from his Treasurer, and yet he had filed the document where all might see them. The gravamen of the charge was that he had entrusted the Coats & Co. with the negotiations for the sale of the Temiskaming bonds. One must entrust someone with the negotiations. He had told Coats & Co. that as the province was to make its first mark as a borrowing country he would not consent to the securities being disposed of at a lower rate than par. He added: "I was told to them in no way, unless they came to me with an offer at par."

The Premier was to have closed the debate, but at a late hour he said, in view of the serious disclosures that had been made, he would move the adjournment and the matter would be further discussed.

To Protect Druggists.

Directors of drug companies carrying on business in Ontario must be registered druggists. This was the decision of the special committee of the Legislature which yesterday approved of Mr. Downey's bill to amend the Pharmacy Act. Dr. J. A. Preston, who spoke for the druggists, said that 6,000 of them had asked to be protected in this way. One result of the bill, it becomes law, will be the practical prohibition of drug departments in departmental stores.

Premier Whitney and Hon. Mr. Hanna, Provincial Secretary, yesterday morning listened to the views of a deputation of 150 members of the Ontario Branch of the Dominion Alliance, on the new Liquor Bill, and in replying to their arguments defended the new bill as fair to all parties. For this stand the Premier stated that he expected to be traduced, sneered at and met with vituperation, but he said: "We wait to time to place our trust where it lies now, and where our power comes from, the opinion of the great mass of the people of the province."

Three Sets of Figures.

Ottawa, March 30.—The Exchequer Court yesterday morning gave judgment in the case of the King v. Dodge and Bowles, arising out of the expropriation of lands near Kentville, N. S., for a Dominion rifle range. An arbitrator had awarded the holders of the property \$38,000. The Crown appealed, claiming \$12,400 was sufficient. Judge Burridge awards \$22,649, with interest and costs.

Was Pastor; Is Expelled.

St. John, N. B., March 30.—Rev. W. A. Taylor, who was expelled from Leinster street Baptist Church, this city, a few weeks ago, for misconduct, and who ostensibly left for Toronto, where he said his wife was dangerously ill, was last night expelled from Cobourg street Baptist Church, which he joined after leaving the Baptist.

Must Be No Outbreak.

Mogileff, Province of Mogileff, Russia, March 30.—Premier Witte has telegraphed to the Governor-General that the Government has received information that anti-Semitic outrages are imminent there, and instructing the Governor-General to prevent an outbreak at all hazards.

English Cotton Men Investigating.

Boston, March 30.—A committee representing a federation of English cotton spinners and manufacturers arrived yesterday. The committee is visiting this country for the purpose of investigating the growth of cotton and its use by the manufacturers.

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Stricken With Heart Failure.

Cobourg, March 30.—While driving a short distance from the town yesterday morning to call on one of his patients, Dr. W. J. Douglas, one of Cobourg's leading physicians, was stricken with heart failure and died before medical aid reached him. Dr. Douglas twice declined the nomination of the Liberal party of the local House.

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Servian Regicides to Retire.

Belgrade, Servia, March 30.—The leaders of the regicides will shortly be placed on the retired list, thus paving the way for a resumption of diplomatic relations with Great Britain. The most prominent will be debared from wearing the army uniform. As a sop to the regicides some thirty of their most active opponents will also be retired.

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Mutineers' Boats Sunk in Sea.

Odesa, March 30.—Acting under the orders of Vice-Admiral Chouknin, commander of the Black Sea fleet, the bodies of Lieut. Schmidt and his three comrades who were shot March 19 for mutiny, were exhumed Wednesday night, taken to the open sea and sunk.

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