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## Jackets and Furs

Here are a few items that will interest every Lady, more especially those who are attending the Fair. Jacket and Fur weather is here and we are prepared for it with just the finest assortment of those two necessities ever shown in Chatham. Not only is the stock the largest, but it is the most up-to-date and lowest priced. We invite you to come and take a look through.



### FURS

Ladies' Astrachan Jackets, 24 and 36 inches long, made of close curl astrachan, skins, lined with quilted satin, very special. \$25.00  
Ladies' Electric Seal Capeline, trimmed with sable tails, high storm collar, extra quality, special. \$10.00  
Sable Collar, finest quality, with six large tails and two heads, very stylish and comfortable. \$10 and \$12  
Ladies' Astrachan Jacket, finest quality skins, very best linings, 24 or 36 inches long, curl almost as even as Persian Lamb, special. \$45.00  
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At \$11.00—Swell Tailor-made Jacket, 19 inches long, the very newest New York cut, made of Oxford Camel's hair Frieze, stylish dressers should see this.  
At \$11.00—Handsome Kersey Jacket, silk trimming on collar and lapels, closely stitched, lined with heavy satin, colors black and fawn.  
At \$5.00—Neat Frieze and Curl Cloth Jackets, in the very newest and most approved styles, lined throughout.  
At \$7.50—Pretty Tailor-made Jackets, in fawn, blue, grey and black Kersey, lined throughout with Roman satin, extra style and finish, you've paid \$10.00 for not nearly as stylish a coat.

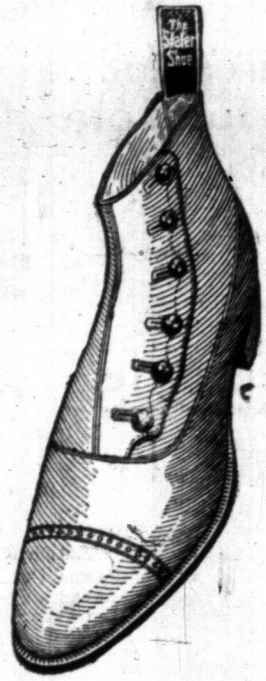
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money-refunded "Non-Aqua" Shoes—Strictly Hand-Sewed Shoes—Strictly Hand-Turned Patent Leather—Strictly Hand-Welt Patent Leathers—Velour and Box Calf. Ideal and Glaze Kid, Hand-made Shoes—For "Dress" and "Street" wear. Scores of exclusive styles, \$5.00.  
But this is no "one line" shoe store. It is a shoe store that offers "Everything in Shoes for Men." And thoroughly reliable quality, no matter what the price. We do not insult your intelligence by claiming to sell a \$5 or \$6 shoe for \$3.50, but in asking your inspection of the famous "Slater \$3.50 Shoe" we assure you more shoe value—more shoe style—more shoe service and satisfaction for \$3.50 than you can get elsewhere. "Slater \$3.50 Shoes" for gentlemen—all styles—all leathers.

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## Ready for Fall Wear

Triumphs that other stores could not match if they tried and values that discount the best we have ever offered in jackets, tailored costumes and skirts. We don't have to make all our money out of the mantle room and don't have to use extravagant language to sell our products. They are known and sell themselves if once seen, tried on and carefully examined. **REMARKABLE ANYWHERE BUT HERE.**

Ladies' Tailored Suits, smart perfect fitting styles, in all wool homespun, chevrons, serge and ladies cloth, shades of gray, fawn, navy, myrtle and brown, best of linings, thoroughly finished, at \$8.50, \$9.00 and \$10.00  
Tailored Suits, heavy, all wool frieze cloth, in new blue shade, Eaton coat, new shawl collar, silk stitched finish, skirt made with double inverted pleat back, unlined, with 7 row stitching on bottom, the handsomest costume in the market at \$13.00  
Ladies' Black Cheviot Suits, fine all wool quality, cost made with fly front, step collar, new back, lined with rich Roman satin, latest style skirt, best noise finish lining, velvet facing, our leader at \$14.50  
7 Only Ladies Suits, (manufacturer's samples) various styles, materials and shades, made to sell at \$9.00, \$10 and \$12.50, our clearing price \$7.45  
Ladies' Jackets, superior quality, all wool kersey cloth, cut in latest styles, applique or plain silk stitched finish, in shades of fawn and black at \$9.00 and \$10.00  
Fawn Jackets, handsome styles in fine heaver and kersey jackets, silk and mercerized linings, perfect fitting, extraordinary values at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$8.00 \$9.50, \$7.00, \$7.50 and \$8.00  
Black Boucle Jackets, up-to-date styles, rich metallic lining, perfect fitting, our special at \$3.75  
All Wool Frieze Coats, pretty styles, in dark oxford gray and black, double front, coat collar lined with rich Roman satin, all sizes, the best value we have ever offered at \$5.50

Ladies' Jackets, latest New York styles in fine beaver, kersey, boucle, frieze and curl cloth, leading shades of fawn, cardinal, blue, brown and black, perfect fitting garments, at \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$17.00  
Ladies' Golf Capes, handsome new styles at \$8.50, \$10, \$12, \$13.50 and \$15.00  
Children's Reefers, Ulsters and Jackets, the finest range ever offered to Chatham buyers; every worthy style and color, fawns, reds, new blues, myrtle, navy, brown and mixed shades, handsomely finished. We specially invite you to see these at \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50 and \$6  
Golf Caps and Shawls, in new style and coloring, a splendid range to select from, at \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5  
Fur Jackets, rich bright astrachan curls, 28 in. long, high storm collar, double front, heavy quilted Roman satin lining, the best value in Canada at \$25.00  
25 in. Astrachan Coats, made from select skins, rich glossy uniform curl, high storm collar, large point lapels, rich heavy satin lining, easily worth \$40, our special price \$35.00  
36 in. Astrachan Coats, bright full curls, best grade linings, high storm collar, all sizes, extra values at \$29 and \$37.50  
Fur Capes, in Coney, Goat, Hare, Kid, Astrachan, 27 to 30 in. long, full sweep, high collar, quilted linings, special at \$8, \$8.50, \$10, \$11.50, \$13.50, \$18 and \$25.00

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## 337 OUT OF 522!

**SALISBURY IS ROLLING UP AN IMMENSE MAJORITY.**

**Noteworthy English Elections of Yesterday.—Liberals Holding Their Own in Yorkshire.**

London, Wednesday, Oct. 10, 3 a. m.—From the returns received at midnight, it appears that the government gained two seats in yesterday's polling in the parliamentary general election. These are the Middleton Division of South-east Lancashire, where Mr. E. D. Fienden defeated Mr. J. Duckworth, Liberal, who represented the constituency in the late Parliament, and Monmouth, where Dr. Rutherford Harris, who now enters parliament for the first time, received 4,412 votes, as against 3,720 cast for his Liberal opponent, Mr. Albert Spicer, who has represented Monmouth since 1892.

Among the other noteworthy elections was that of Mr. William St. John Broderick, Under Secretary of State for foreign affairs in the Guildford division of Surrey, with a majority of 2,207 over his Liberal opponent, Mr. A. W. Chapman, and that of Mr. John Edward Ellis, Liberal, in the Rushcliffe division of Nottinghamshire. Mr. Ellis has represented Rushcliffe since 1885. The ministerialists, in fighting him, made effective use of his pro-Boer letters recently published by Mr. Chamberlain, and the majority he secured at the general elections of 1895 was reduced by about 187 votes.

The Liberals are holding their own in Yorkshire, and in some districts their majorities of the previous general election. Five hundred and twenty-two members have been officially declared elected, of whom 387 are ministerialists and 185 belong to the opposition. The ministerialists have gained five seats more than their opponents. Considerable adverse comment, Conservative, as well as Liberal, has been caused by the denunciation attributed to Mr. Chamberlain in a recent speech, "A seat lost to the government is a seat added to the Boers." Mr. Chamberlain writes to the Daily Mail this morning, repudiating the statement, and explaining that what he really said was a quotation from the Mayor of Mafeking, "A seat lost to the government is a seat gained by the Boers." The Daily Mail, commenting editorially upon Mr. Chamberlain's communication, still insists that he went too far, in view of the fact that a large number of Liberals have consistently supported the government's South African policy. The paper also declares that Mr. Chamberlain's tactics will not assist him in his struggle for the premiership, and will arouse uneasiness as to his qualifications for the foreign office.

The Liberals have captured the Torquay Division of Devonshire, Mr. F. L. Barratt, Liberal, defeating Mr. C. R. Rankin, Conservative by 129 votes.

The Liberal flood continued in Derbyshire,

(Schweizer Reueke,—thirty six miles southeast of Vryburg, on the Hart's River—was held by a tiny British garrison which was surrounded by the Boers early in September. On September 17th Lord Roberts reported that the defenders had strongly entrenched themselves, and having sufficient food, were in no danger of surrender so long as the provisions lasted. A relieving force was, however, being organized, comprising Page's Horse, Cape Mounted Rifles, and Diamond Fields Horse and Scouts.)

**AN INDIAN HERO.**  
Durban, Oct. 9.—The commandant of Durban has convened a public meeting for the purpose of presenting to a loyal Indian a coat of honor, the gift of Lady Carson of Kledon. This Indian greatly distinguished himself as a signaller throughout the siege of Ladysmith, and after the relief, when it was decided to honor him, he was only discovered with great difficulty, as he had returned to the colonies to work.

## ALLIES AWAKE!

**They Are Now Rapidly Concentrating at Pao-Ting Fu.**

**The Chinese Will Oppose Any Attempt to Pursue Imperial Court.**

London, Wednesday, Oct. 10.—The Berlin correspondent of the Standard understands that the Chinese imperial edicts are regarded there with skepticism, and that Count Von Waldersee has been instructed to resume operations.

**ALLIES AT PAO TING FU.**

The Shanghai correspondent of the Times, wiring Monday, says it is reported that the allies have arrived at Pao Ting Fu without opposition. The Times has the following from Tien Tsun, dated Oct. 7:—"Three French battalions started yesterday for Pao Ting Fu. The British are waiting for them. The allies may start without them."

**CHINESE CONCENTRATING.**

The Standard's Tien Tsun correspondent, wiring on Sunday, says—"I hear that the Chinese are concentrating at Hwang Lo Pass, leading into the province of Shan Si, with the intention of opposing any attempt of the allies to pursue the imperial court."

**THE VICEROY'S THREAT.**

A Shanghai despatch says:—The Chinese assert that the governor of Shan Tung and the Yang Tse viceroys have sent a joint memorial to the Emperor declaring it to be impossible to guarantee the despatch of money and provisions to Si Ngan Fu, and threatening to resign unless the court returns to Peking. It is believed that Emperor Kwan Su is anxious to return and that the Empress Dowager waved until she heard of the expedition to Pao Ting Fu. Li Hung Chang's secretary reports that foreign troops, supposed to be British, have already arrived at Pao Ting Fu. It is said that Li Hung Chang has advised the Emperor to return to Peking, on the ground that the powers can stop supplies from reaching the province of Shan Si.

**EMPEROR TO RETURN.**

Peking, Oct. 6.—Prince Ching has received an edict from the Emperor, dated October 1, in reply to a note sent at the request of the legations, saying he will return to Peking as soon as the negotiations take a favorable turn.

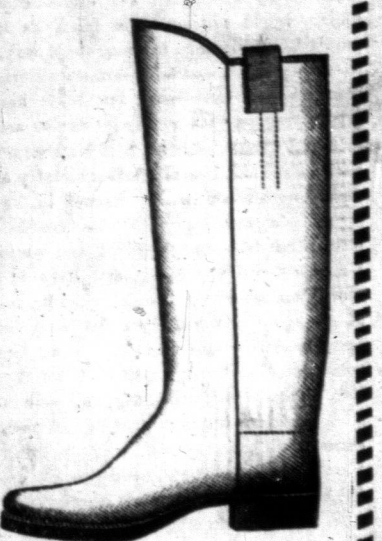
**WAITING FOR THE GERMANS.**

The Pao Ting Fu expedition is waiting for the Germans, who are not ready to start. It is reported that there are 12,000 Chinese imperial troops at Pao Ting Fu. Gen. Chaffee has returned here.

**EMPEROR SERIOUSLY ILL.**

Trustworthy Chinese reports say that the Dowager Empress is seriously ill at Tai-Yuan-Fu (province of Shan-Si), and the free hand of the Emperor in affairs of state of late is regarded as confirmatory of these reports.

## BOOTS



Some men wear boots—always have worn boots and always will wear boots. These men know what they want and when they want boots. We have boots for them. Only the very best stock and shoe making go into our Men's and Boys' Long Boots. You will not say a word about prices. If you are a boot man come in. Largest stock by far in Chatham to choose from!

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CHATHAM, ONT.

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that we have a complete range of Men's and Boys' Underwear as we have not advertised them—but we have them to suit all purses and tastes. We quote a few special lines only as we have not the space to give you a full list:

- No. 1—A full range of sizes in Men's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, gray, fawn and striped at \$1.00, 75c and very special at 50c
- No. 2—Men's Heavy Ribbed all wool Shirts and Drawers, at 57c and 50c
- No. 3—Men's fine Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, a snap at \$1.00
- No. 4—Boys' Fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, price from 25c to 45c
- No. 5—Boys' all-wool Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, 37c to 50c

Ask to see our Klondike Overalls and Working Shirts. We have a special in Shirts and Overalls at 50c. A complete range of Dress Shirts and Collars, all sizes and qualities. Ties, Gloves, and Socks in great variety.

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We are too busy to make an Exhibit at the Peninsular Fair, but would be pleased to have all our customers and visitors from a distance call and see the finest and largest assortment of

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### A great deal has been written lately about the high prices of Currants and Raisins. As no doubt you are aware the currant crop was almost a total failure, and then heavy rains spoiled the raisin picking.

We had some information two months ago about the currant situation, and thinking the high price of these might effect raisins also, bought both. You see we were fortunate.

We have received new currants and new raisins, and can give you these at very reasonable prices—that is as long as our early bought stock lasts we propose to give our customers the benefit of our good buying. We feel that we should look after their interests as well as our own.

The fruit we sell is all selected new stock thoroughly cleaned.

New Raisins, selected 10c lb.  
New Currants cleaned 12½c lb.  
New Peels, mixed, 20c lb.

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Keys Lost!—A bunch of Keys. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

## THE MARKETS

**CHATHAM GRAIN MARKET:**  
Planet Office, Tuesday evening, October 9.  
Harry Stevens, of the Kent Mills, gives the following grain gossip:  
Large quantities of grain are coming in. The wheat market is very weak. Exporters have a full supply and millers have their warehouses pretty well filled. Some of the large eastern mills are buying only local receipts.

**Beans**—Market firm, but quotations are only for present delivery, as no dealers seem to have faith in the price remaining at its present figure.  
Corn—Market firm but receipts are practically nothing.

**Wheat, 65c.**  
Mixed oats, new, 21c.  
White oats, new, 23c.  
Corn, 12½c.  
Beans, 70 to 80c.  
Barley, 78 to 80c. per cwt.  
Alsike, \$6.50 to \$7.  
Red clover, \$5.25 to \$5.50.  
Timothy, \$1.25 to \$1.60.

**HAY AND HOGS.**  
Hay, timothy, per ton, \$7 to \$7.50.  
Hay, clover, \$5.50 to \$7.  
Hay, mixed, \$5.50 to \$7.50.  
Buyers are paying \$5 to \$6.  
Live hogs, \$5.50 to \$5.60.

**LOCAL WOOL AND HIDES.**  
Wool, washed 15c cash; 18 trads.  
Wool, unwashed, 10c trads; 8 to 9c.  
Calf skins, No. 1, 70c; No. 2, 60c.  
Lamb and shearings 40c.  
Cow hides No. 1, 5c; No. 2, 5c.  
Horse hides, \$1 to \$1.75.  
Tallow, rendered, 4 to 4½c, and rough 2c.

**SATURDAY'S MARKET.**  
There was a good market to-day. The prices showed little or no change. Peaches, apples and other fruits were shown in quantity. Vegetables were present in quantity at the prices current for the past month. Butter was scarce at 20 to 22 cents and eggs were also in small supply at 12½ to 13 cents a dozen.

Butter, 19 to 20c.  
Eggs, 11c.  
Squash, 2 for 5c.  
Tomatoes, 10c. a peck.  
Carrots, two bunches 5c.  
Potatoes, 12½c. a peck.  
Apples 10 to 15c. a peck.  
Peaches, 25 to 40c. a peck.  
Grapes 25c. a basket.  
Plums, 40 to 50c. a basket.  
Celery bunches, 10c.  
Chicken, 25 to 35 cents.  
Ducks, 25 to 30c.  
Turkeys, 75 to \$1.25.  
Lamb, 75 to 80c.  
Mutton, 5 to 6c.  
Beef, 5 to 6c.

**FISH MARKET.**  
Mullet and sea trout in pieces.  
Herring, 25 to 30c. a doz.  
White fish, 8 to 9c. a pound.  
Pickered, 8c. a pound.

**TORONTO BEAN MARKET.**  
Toronto, Oct. 9.—Easier and plenty coming forward. Choice hand-picked beans are quoted at \$1.55 to \$1.60.

**TORONTO DRESSED HOGS.**  
Toronto, Oct. 9.—Dressed hogs continue scarce and firm.

**TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.**  
Toronto, Oct. 9.—Wheat—Outside markets were easier again to-day, but local prices are holding about the same. Manitoba hards are scarce and firm. Quotations are as follows:—Red winter, 69½c to 70c; and white 69c, middle freights; goose wheat, 65½c to 66c, middle freights; No. 1, spring wheat, east, 68c; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, 6½c; 8½; Toronto and west 97c; same, upper lake ports, 94c; and float, Fort William, 90c.  
Flour—Steady. Ninety per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights is quoted at \$2.75 to \$2.80, and in wood at \$3.10.  
Millfeed—Scarce. Demand diminishing. Bran, \$12 to \$12.50, asked, and shorts, \$11 to \$11.50, asked, west.  
Corn—Firm. No. 1 American yellow at 48c on track here, and mixed at 47c.  
Peas—Good demand. New Peas, car lots, west, immediate shipment, sell at 57½c, and east at 58½c.  
Barley—Firm. No. 3 is quoted at 38c; and No. 2 at 41c; feed barley, outside, 35 to 36c.  
Oats, easier. New white oats, west, sell at 23½c and east at 24½c.  
Rye—New rye, 48c, west, and 49c east, old 51 to 52c.  
Buckwheat—Quoted at 50c west, and 51c east.

**TORONTO PRODUCE.**  
Toronto, Oct. 9.—Butter—Market is steady and the demand was exceedingly light. Dealers here sell to trade as follows: Dairy tubs, 18 to 19c for choice; large rolls 14 to 15c; creamery tubs and boxes, 20 to 21c; pounds, 22 to 23c.  
Eggs—Demand was better to-day, and supplies showed a falling off. The result was higher prices. Good fresh stock sold at 16½ to 17c, in single cases; and five case lots held at 14 to 15c; and culls at 8c to 9c.  
Potatoes—Deliveries plentiful and the market is easy. Dealers are buying car lots here at 30 to 35c per bag, and sell out of store at 40 to 45c per bag.

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**C. E. UNION.**  
Meeting of Representatives of City Societies to Organize and Hold Convention.

Last evening representatives from the various Young People's Societies in the city met to discuss the practicability of forming a C. E. Union of the various societies of the city. There were present: Miss Echlin and W. F. Cornish from the First Presbyterian church; Miss Sarah McCaw, St. Andrew's; Miss Rispin, Miss Susie Barassin, Miss Lilla Barassin and Miss Lizzie Hales, Christ Church; Rev. J. J. Ross, William St., Baptist church; Fred. Thompson, Victoria Ave. Methodist; Miss Bull and Miss Lou Campbell, Holy Trinity.

Fred. Thompson, was elected chairman, and Miss McCaw, secretary pro tem. A general discussion took place as to the desirability of forming the C. E. Union of the Young People's Societies of the city, and the advisability of holding a convention this fall. It was decided to adjourn till Tuesday evening next. All the members of the Young People's Societies of the city are invited to attend this meeting.

**ALLEGED CONTEMPT OF COURT.**  
Publisher and Editor of the London News are Cited to Appear at the Courts.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—D. W. Saunders, counsel for Gerald Sifton, accused of the murder of his father, and now awaiting trial at London, appeared before the Division Court this morning, and applied for an order requiring Publisher Keeley and the editor of the London News, and Mr. Carman, the editor, to attend and show cause why they should not be committed for contempt of Court, for the publication, on October 6th, in the News, of an article entitled, "Sifton is Doomed." The order was granted. The motion was an ex-parte one, the paper being unrepresented.

**WALLACEBURG.**  
Oct. 10.—A very bad accident occurred to Dr. Standish while he was out driving yesterday. His horse became frightened and started to run away. He jumped out and in doing so broke his leg and had to be carried to his office.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Stenlake left yesterday for Essex, their future home.

Erin MacLeod and R. Broseau, wheeled to Dresden yesterday to compete in the races. They received a second and third.

The town hall was crowded last night to see the Prisoner of Zenda. The play was up-to-date, and everybody was pleased.

**BLOOMFIELD.**  
Miss Ethel Tindall spent Sunday with her brother, John Tindall.

Robert Huff has threshed his beans. They turned out 80 bushels to the acre. They are a good sample.

Fred. Legull spent Sunday with Clyde Wilcox.

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Toronto, Oct. 9.—D. W. Saunders, counsel for Gerald Sifton, accused of the murder of his father, and now awaiting trial at London, appeared before the Division Court this morning, and applied for an order requiring Publisher Keeley and the editor of the London News, and Mr. Carman, the editor, to attend and show cause why they should not be committed for contempt of Court, for the publication, on October 6th, in the News, of an article entitled, "Sifton is Doomed." The order was granted. The motion was an ex-parte one, the paper being unrepresented.

**WALLACEBURG.**  
Oct. 10.—A very bad accident occurred to Dr. Standish while he was out driving yesterday. His horse became frightened and started to run away. He jumped out and in doing so broke his leg and had to be carried to his office.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Stenlake left yesterday for Essex, their future home.

Erin MacLeod and R. Broseau, wheeled to Dresden yesterday to compete in the races. They received a second and third.

The town hall was crowded last night to see the Prisoner of Zenda. The play was up-to-date, and everybody was pleased.

**BLOOMFIELD.**  
Miss Ethel Tindall spent Sunday with her brother, John Tindall.

Robert Huff has threshed his beans. They turned out 80 bushels to the acre. They are a good sample.

Fred. Legull spent Sunday with Clyde Wilcox.

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The Face Behind the Mask.

A ROMANCE.

"Madame La Masque," said Sir Norman, flushed and haughty, "love is not a question of time."

"Two miles from London, beyond Newgate," said the mask. "There stands the ruins of what was once long ago a hunting-lodge, now a crumbling skeleton, roofless, and windowless, and, by rumor, to be haunted. Perhaps you have seen or heard of it?"

"I have seen it a hundred times," broke in Sir Norman. "Surely you do not mean to say she is there?"

"I will go. I might as well do it as anything else, I suppose, but Sir Norman firmly, not to say obstinately, "that she can be seen there."

"Why, you may see a glimmering light—hear strange noises, and if you remove the stones, may possibly see strange sights. As I told you before it is rumored to be haunted, which is true enough, though not in the way they suspect, and so the fools and the common herd stay away."

"And if I am discovered peeping like a rascally valet, what will be the consequences?"

"Very unpleasant ones to you; but you need not be discovered if you take care. Ah! Look there!"

"Do you know these two gentlemen?" she asked.

"Pray God they drive away the plague!" said the Duke of York, as he and his companion passed from view.

The page sprang up the stairs after them, humming, as he came, one of his master's love ditties—songs, saith tradition, savoring anything but the order of sanctity. With the warning of La Masque fresh in their minds, both looked at him earnestly. His gray livery was that of Lord Rochester, and became his graceful figure well, as he marched along with a jaunty swagger, one hand on his side and the other toying with the beautiful little spaniel, that frisked in open violation of the Lord Mayor's orders, commanding all dogs, great and small, to be put to death as propagators of the pestilence.

"Satan and La Masque only know; for they both seemed to have agreed to drive me mad. Where is she?"

"Upon my honor, Sir Norman, this is the most astonishing thing I ever heard of. The certainly was the face of our half-dead bride! What, in the name of all the gods, can it mean, I wonder?"

"I have given up wondering," said Sir Norman, "and if the earth were to open, and swallow London up I would not be the least surprised."

"And yet La Masque told you she was two miles from the city, in the haunted ruin; and La Masque most assuredly knows."

"I have no doubt she is there. I shall not be the least astonished if I find her in every street between this and Newgate."

"Really, it is a most singular affair! First you see her in the magic cauldron, then we find her buried, she comes to life; then we leave her in your room, and fifteen minutes after, she vanishes as mysteriously as a fairy in a nursery legend. And, lastly, she turns up in the shape of a court page, and swaggers along London Bridge at this hour of the night, chanting a love song. Faith! it would puzzle the sphinx herself to read the riddle, and a note!"

HUMOR

One does not see such every day. And yet—and yet—it is most extraordinary!

"I shall ask Rochester about him the first thing to-morrow; and unless he is an optical illusion—which I vow I half believe is the case—I will come to the truth in spite of your demonic friend, La Masque."

"Then you do not mean to look for him to-night?"

"Look for him? I might as well look for a needle in a haystack. Not if I have promised La Masque to visit the old ruins, and there I shall go forthwith. Will you accompany me?"

"I think not. I have a word to say to La Masque; and you and she kept talking so busily, I had no chance to put it in."

"Besides, I have no doubt it is a word you would not like to utter in the presence of a third party, even though the third party be your friend and Pythias, Kingsley. Do you mean to stay here like a plague-sentinel until she returns?"

"Possibly; or if I get tired I may set the dancing lights of the river, prepared to await the return of La Masque."

"The fates, that seem to make a football of my best affections, and kick them as they please, only know. If nothing happens—which, being inevitable, I am sure will be the case—hand of the living—I shall surely be back by daylight."

"And I shall be anxious about that time to hear the result of your night's adventure; so where shall we meet?"

"Why not here? It is as good a place as any."

"With all my heart. Where do you propose getting a horse?"

TIME LOST.

An Instructive Fable by Dean Old Uncle Bill.

[Copyright, 1900, by C. B. Lewis.] One day as the Sage was passing along a highway he came upon several Travelers who were standing around the body of a man lying upon the earth.

"What is this?" asked the wise man as he looked about.

"We cannot agree as to the man lying here," replied one of the Travelers. "I contend that, being a Traveler like myself, he should not pay a toll tax."

"And I contend that, being a Peasant, he must pay the tax," added a second.

"Under the law he must be a Traveler."

"Under the law he must be a Peasant."

Thus they argued and wrangled and discussed, and the Sage looked down at the man in silence. It was finally agreed to leave it to the wise man to decide, and he lifted up his voice and said:

"My dear friends, you may cease your wrangling and go your ways in peace. While you have been arguing the question the poor man has died of starvation, and he is therefore neither a Traveler nor a Peasant, but a cold corpse."

"How high?" inquired unsuspecting little Jim Jenks.

"Shanghai!" cried the funny man, with a violent snort. "There was a dead silence. 'Shang-hab-ee, if you please, Mr. Bunker,' said Miss Tippet of the staff of the summer school."

Grand Promenade Concert

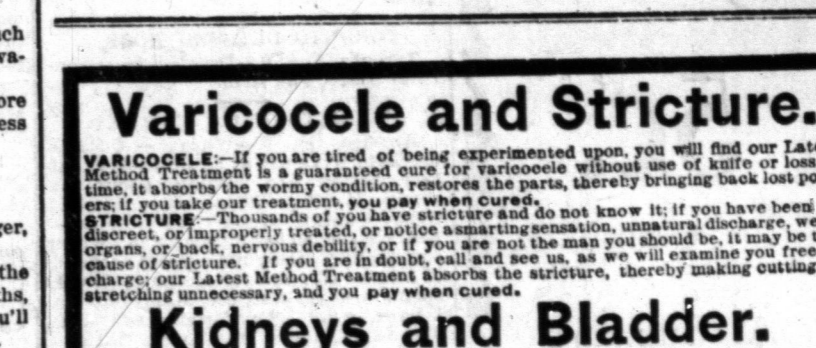
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1900--Dominion Elections--1900

Registration of Voters in the City of Chatham. Qualification—21 years of age, British male subject, resident in the Province one year, and in the city three months, prior to the first day's sitting of the Registrars.

YOTER'S REGISTRATION BOARD. Judge Bell, Judge Woods and Judge Houston and Clerk James Holmes all received official notices this morning to conduct the registration of voters on the 14th and 15th inst.



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THE DISTRICT.

DRESDEN. Oct. 10.—Miss Minnie Powell leaves for Chatham to-night, where she will be the guest of Miss Elna Dennis. While in Dresden Miss Powell visited her sister, Mrs. A. K. Griffin.

THAMESVILLE.

Oct. 10.—A team of horses belonging to Wm. Jackson, caused considerable excitement here Monday, by running away. No damage was done.

APPLEDORE.

A number from here attended the fair at Dresden. Wm. Nottle has returned home after spending a few days in Wallaceburg.

Strong words by a New York Specialist.—After years of testing and comparison I have no hesitation in saying that Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is the quickest, safest, and surest known to medical science.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership. The partnership heretofore existing between Flook & Babcock, as general contractors, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

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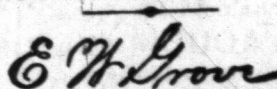
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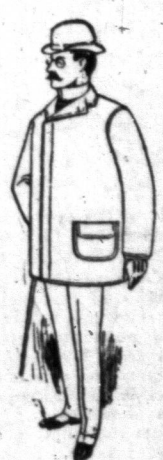
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