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## TURRILL, The Shoe Man.

PHONE 248.

### S. S. SERVICES

The anniversary services of Park street Methodist Sunday school were held yesterday morning, afternoon and evening, and the church was well filled at all the services.

Rev. S. Salton, of London, preached a beautiful object sermon to the children in a body in the morning. The sermon was very interesting. Mr. Salton having the undivided attention of the children throughout.

Miss Edythe Hill sang "That Sweet Story of Old" very acceptably in the morning.

In the afternoon the children assembled in the Sunday school hall and marched into the church, making a very pretty sight. After opening choruses Rev. S. Salton made a short address to the little folks on the Bible, its meaning, etc.

The pastor, Rev. G. H. Cobblestick, also made a short address to the young people. Miss Hill rendered a solo in excellent voice in the afternoon.

In the evening Rev. Mr. Salton preached a good sermon from Isaiah 32nd chapter and part of the 20th verse, which reads, "Blessed are ye that sow beside all waters." Near the close of his sermon the reverend gentleman said that the great interest of the church work should be centered in the Sunday schools. To get the children when they were young and not allow them to get into the bad ways was the object. He advocated the use of the Catechism among the young scholars.

The annual Sunday school concert will be given by the children in the church to-night.

### KILLED DURING A RIOT.

#### A RUSSIAN TOWN WITNESSES MUCH BLOODSHED.

Twenty-eight Persons Killed and Fifty More Injured at Slatouk in the Ural Mountains.

St. Petersburg, March 30.—A great strike riot, accompanied by much bloodshed, has occurred at the Town of Slatouk, in the Government of Oofa, among the Ural Mountains. Twenty-eight persons were killed and fifty were injured.

The strike started in the State Iron Works, where 500 men walked out, demanding the release of three of their comrades who had been arrested. The Governor of the Province, who went to inquire into the affair, was mobbed as he was entering the house of the manager of the works. The rioters stormed the house and smashed in the doors and windows. The Mayor, with a force of gendarmes and a detachment of troops, then arrived on the scene and ordered the rioters to disperse. The latter, however, stood their ground and the Mayor was wounded by a revolver shot. The gendarmes and troops immediately replied, firing volleys at the mob, and killed or wounded seventy-eight men.

### DEWEY TALKED TOO MUCH.

Admitted Pointed Reference to Germany.

Washington, March 30.—At the instance of the President, Admiral Dewey called by appointment at the White House Saturday and made explanation of a recent newspaper interview in which the admiral was quoted as saying that the Caribbean Sea manoeuvres were "an object lesson to the Kaiser more than to any other person." The admiral assured the President that he had no intention of reflecting on Germany, her Emperor, or her navy, and that while the statements credited to him were substantially what he said, he neglected to caution the interviewer against quoting him.

Berlin, March 30.—The German Foreign Office officials say they do not believe that a diplomatic incident will result from the recent interview with Admiral Dewey, published in a newspaper of Newark, N.J., and containing references to the German navy and German Emperor. The officials say they are reluctant to believe that the admiral was correctly quoted, "especially in view of the good-will he showed toward Germany in the messages exchanged with Prince Henry."

The interview with Admiral Dewey has angered the newspapers. Even those of a usually moderate tone refer to it in a bitter manner. For instance, the Vossische Zeitung says: "The American navy is evidently suffering from a disease of infancy—lack of modesty. Its leader evinces something unspeakably immature. One can only stand amazed that such intensified self-complacency should take root in a people of Germanic origin. Such behavior would not excite wonder if it had occurred in some Central or South American republic, or in Haiti. Admiral Dewey is a worthy imitator of Captain Coghlan, who at a New York club gave a boastful toast bristling with insults to Germany, and warmed up the exploded story that Admiral Dewey compelled the German fleet at Manila to lie to when it refused to respect the blockade. Captain Coghlan seems, however, to have spoken from Admiral Dewey's own heart. Captain Coghlan was disciplined, and President McKinley expressed to the German Ambassador his regret that the incident occurred. The same thing must perhaps be done now, in order that superheated Deweys may be cooled down. Political generals and admirals, at any rate, are not a sign of wholesome political conditions."

### FIGHT TO A FINISH.

#### SEVENTEEN THOUSAND ON STRIKE AT LOWELL.

The Question of Union is the Crux of the Situation—Both Sides Determined.

Lowell, Mass., March 30.—In preference to fighting the textile union of Lowell, the agents of seven big cotton mills have ordered an entire suspension of work for an indefinite period. Two days ago these agents officially announced that a canvass of the mills showed that upward of 80 per cent. were non-union and were opposed to a strike. This sentiment changed yesterday, and when a second canvass was taken of the loom fixers, mule spinners, carders, nappers, weavers and beamers to-day, it was seen that the Textile Council was able to fulfill its threat by calling a strike and close the mills to-day.

Without delay notices of a shut-down, to take effect at once, were posted on the gates, and as the piece hands completed their work they were told to leave. When speed went down at noon fully 17,000 operatives were in idleness. The length of the shut-down is problematical, but it is likely to last many weeks, as the unions have promised financial support from the United Textile Workers of America, the National Mule Spinners' Association, the American Federation of Labor and from the local Trades and Labor Council, composed of 45 unions.

Agent W. S. Southworth of the Massachusetts Mills, Secretary of the Manufacturers' Association, says that if the mill people think the shut-down will be for a fortnight they are greatly mistaken. He will last, he says, until the agents are positively told that all the operatives want to work and when this time comes the agents will consider the matter of resumption. Other mill agents say the strike fever has been brewing for years and that while a few little strikes have been won by the mills, the great principle of union dictation has not been fought to a finish. The agents admit that the battle will be fought now.

The shut-down will cause many hundreds of people to leave the city, especially those who came here from the Canadian Provinces. Every spring the French-Canadians, who have farms in Quebec, return, and the number will be greatly increased. Hundreds of Nova Scotians will leave, and the city will be avoided by provincials, who flock here seeking employment in the building trades.

President Conroy of the Textile Council, who stands as the strike leader, says of the agents' opinion: "The action of the mill agents simplifies matters. They have simply anticipated us. If they had waited for a shut-down, we would have closed them up, anyway, and they know it. This makes it easier for us to handle the men. In case of trouble at the mills gates they would hold us responsible. Now we can take care of our men better."

### TRIED TO END HIS LIFE.

#### Playwright Shot Himself in a Parisian Theatre.

Paris, March 30.—Another disappointed litterateur has attempted to commit suicide in a Paris theatre. Just as the second act of "L'Autre Danger," at the Theatre Francais, was about to commence, the audience was startled by the report of a pistol shot in the foyer, where a man was seen to fall with a wound in his head. The would-be suicide proved to be a dramatist named Gustave Salvy, aged 60 years, residing at Villejuif, a remote suburb of Paris. He was taken to the hospital, and the bullet, which had lodged in a bone near the right eye, was extracted. His life was found to be in no danger. Mr. Salvy said he had just had a play rejected by the management of the Theatre Francais after having been given to understand that it would be accepted, and, being disheartened, he had resolved to end his life in the theatre which caused his disappointment.

### GEN. GARIBALDI'S SUIT.

Wants Italian Government to Pay Volunteers.

Rome, March 30.—It is the intention of General Ricciotti Garibaldi, son of the Italian patriot, to bring suit against the Government for the payment of property which at one time belonged to the crown kingdom of the two Sicilies, and which, according to General Garibaldi, should have been distributed among the Garibaldian volunteers after the war of 1860. This distribution was refused by the elder Garibaldi. The property in question amounts to about \$17,000,000. General Ricciotti Garibaldi contends that his father only had the right to refuse personally to distribute this property. He is ready to compromise his suit if the Garibaldian volunteers each receive one franc a day.

### TO KILL THE CZAR.

#### Wealthy Jew Said to be Implicated in a Plot.

New York, March 30.—The Sun has the following special from Rome:—There was a stormy debate in Parliament to-day over the mysterious arrest of the wealthy Jew, Goetz, at the Grand Hotel, Naples, last Monday, on suspicion of being implicated in a plot to kill the Czar during his coming visit to Italy. Deputies of all parties strongly disapproved of the action of the Ministry, saying it showed too much subservience to Russia. Signor Gollitti, Minister of the Interior, explained that Goetz was a dangerous individual, and the arrest was a preliminary step to his expulsion. The Minister admitted, however, that the papers seized in Goetz's trunk did not reveal any crime, thus covertly alluding to the rumored plot to assassinate the Czar. Goetz cannot be released now, because Russia has sent an application for his extradition.

### MARRIAGE STOPPED

It was once said, by a person who claimed to know, that "the course of true love never runs smooth."

The reliability of this aphorism was demonstrated the other day in the case of a certain young couple of this city who possessed a fervent and throbbing desire to go through the marriage act. After a number of long years of blissful wooing, the man in the case finally mustered up enough courage to ask for the fair maiden's hand. A few moments of bashful silence, and she blushing consented, then—well, the deal was considered as closed.

The two, shortly afterwards, wended their way to an issuer of marriage licenses and the prospective groom boldly asked for the necessary certificate and ring. They proceeded on their happy way to a clergyman's house. The man with a face beaming with newly found joy, proudly produced the license and petitioned the preacher to honor it with the necessary endorsement. The lad, with perhaps pardonable thoughtlessness, had produced the license from his trouser pocket, and in his nervousness, extracted the entire contents. A couple of greenbacks fell to the floor and the accident seemed to add alacrity to the acquiescence of the matrimonial marketer. He expressed his willingness to perform the ceremony instantly and proceedings were soon under way. The introductory interludes went through on schedule time but, when the clergyman propounded the vital query, the would-be groom sighted a danger signal and reversed the engine.

"What's that?" he questioned in a startled voice, and the preacher repeated,—"You take this woman for life," etc.

It appears that the groom had overlooked the fact that he was joining himself to a woman for life. This put another light on the subject and it was decided, upon the mutual consent of the contracting parties, that the ceremony should be called off for the present. The preacher was dumbfounded. As the ceremony had not gone through he could charge no fee. He, however, kindly offered to finish the job should they ever wish to have it done.

When last heard of the groom-to-be was contemplating a short trip to Detroit, where they are not so much troubled with life vows in the marriage ceremony.

### EUROPEAN IMMIGRANTS.

#### Pouring Into the States by Thousands.

Albany, N.Y., March 30.—The very great increase in recent months in immigration at the port of New York is commented upon in the quarterly report of the State Department of Labor, just made public. Says this report:—"Although immigration at the port of New York surpassed all previous records in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1902, there has since been a steady increase even into the cold season. In the third quarter of 1902 there were 168,000 and in the fourth quarter no fewer than 202,208 as compared with 93,628 in the fourth quarter of 1901. Four-fifths of the recent arrivals belonged to one of the following eight races:—Southern Italians, 26.1 per cent.; aggregate, Hebrews, 11.5 per cent.; Germans, 8.7 per cent.; Poles, 8.3 per cent.; Scandinavians, 6.9 per cent.; northern Italians, 6.9 per cent.; Slovaks, 6.1 per cent.; Magyars, 4.4 per cent. The largest numerical increase is among the southern Italians and the next largest among the Hebrews. Of all the immigrants 27,550 could neither read nor write, most of these being southern Italians."

### TO BUILD A NEW THEATRE.

#### Mr. A. J. Small Having the Plans Drawn Up.

Toronto, March 30.—Mr. Ambrose J. Small has decided to build at once a new theatre to replace the old Toronto Opera House, destroyed by fire last Wednesday morning. He has engaged Mr. Walter S. Painter, of the firm of Mason, Reed Hill & Painter, of Detroit, architects to draw up the plans for the new house, and Mr. Painter is at present in Toronto engaged upon the work.

## CORRUPTION IN POLITICS

### Rev Mr. Knowles Scores the Introduction of "Scheming, Bribing and Lying" to Maintain Power.

#### A Strong Appeal for Uprightness and Integrity in Public Affairs—Other Issues Touched.

"Christianity is for the daily life," commented Rev. W. E. Knowles in the course of his address at the First Presbyterian Church last evening. "It is not something that must not be allowed to escape from Sunday into the work of the week."

"To confine the pulpit ministrations to mere platitudes is a grave mistake. We should take Christianity seriously as a guide and rule in life. The Gospel enters into the solution of every problem and the Golden Rule into everyday life. This is a charge and trust to the Church of Christ."

There is much need for righteousness in the public life of our Province. We have had this much strongly impressed upon us recently. Public men seemed so sunk in hide-bound partyism that they will scheme and bribe and lie to keep in power, to continue and prolong their existence, to minister public affairs. Bribery, corruption and trickery are in evidence to the shame and disgrace of our fair Province. Is the moral standard deteriorating? There are men throughout our country who decline to exercise their franchise, who refuse to vote unless they get a dollar. Partyism should be thrown to the winds, party interests should be trodden under foot when they conflict with uprightness and integrity."

Continuing, Mr. Knowles referred to the liquor interests and their influence for evil, the impurity of the playhouse unfortunately sometimes tolerated, and the evils of trusts and monopolies as evidenced in the labor issue.

### DIED IN DAKOTA

Word was received here Saturday by Mrs. Horning of the sad demise of her brother, Mr. Abram Lighthouse, of Milton, North Dakota. Mr. Lighthouse was seized with pneumonia and passed away very suddenly. Deceased leaves a wife and one daughter to mourn his loss.—Dresden Standard.

Mr. Lighthouse will be remembered as a former citizen of Chatham.

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### Fernie Strike Settled.

Rossland, March 30.—A special despatch to The Rossland Miner from H. G. Leaman, a member of the Conciliation Committee in connection with the strike at the Crow's Nest Coal Co.'s collieries, says: "The settlement has been completed, an effective majority of fifty-six has been secured in favor of the terms arrived at by the Conciliation Committee. The agreement thus ratified by the miners covers the period of two years."

The British Columbia Government has requested the Dominion Government to send a detachment of Northwest Mounted Police to Fernie, the centre of the strike, and a squad of 50 men has been ordered to proceed from Calgary.

### German Empress Improving.

Berlin, March 29.—The German Empress who broke one of the bones of her left forearm through being thrown from her horse last Friday, is making good progress. There is no local swelling or pain.

### THE ANDERSON CREDITORS.

#### An Effort to Settle With Bank of Hamilton.

Quebec, March 30.—A most important meeting of the creditors of the defunct private bank of C. M. Anderson & Son was held Saturday, with a large attendance. The inspectors submitted a statement from E. R. C. Clarkson, assignee, giving the advice of S. H. Blake, K.C., in favor of the best possible settlement with the Bank of Hamilton, since litigation would be most expensive and funds would be required to continue the fight from court to court. Most of the creditors favored the adoption of the course suggested by Mr. Blake, and a motion was unanimously carried to leave the matter with the assignee and inspectors to settle with the Bank of Hamilton. The final result of the meeting was the passing of the following resolution by an almost unanimous standing vote:—"That the assignee, with the approval of the inspectors, is hereby authorized finally to deal with and settle all claims, as assignee, against the Bank of Hamilton, and all rights as assignee, and of the creditors, in respect of all property held by the Bank of Hamilton, in such manner as may be advised by the Hon. S. H. Blake, K.C., counsel for the assignee."



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# THE REDISTRIBUTION BILL AND KENT COUNTY.

The redistribution bill will be introduced at Ottawa within a few days and there is much speculation in regard to the probable changes in the boundaries of the constituencies. Owing to the proportionately small gain of Ontario in population, the province stands to have its representation reduced by five members, and while it is certain that Bothwell will be wiped out, Kent with its 57,422, and Lambton with its 56,642 population must be content with two members each, although the two counties are almost entitled to five members according to the unit of population for each member. We speak of counties above because it is assumed that the Government will stand, in this case at least, by the old Liberal pledge to not divide counties even to equalize the representation.

The County of Kent, therefore, will be given two members, and here it is that local politicians find room for speculation in regard to how the county will be divided, so as to have the two ridings nearly balance in population. Some naturally conclude that the present division of the riding for Legislative purposes will be followed, but when it is pointed out that according to the recent census returns, West Kent's population exceeds that of East Kent by over 10,000, they are not quite so sure of their ground. The fact is, as the figures prove, that while the two ridings were nearly equal in population in 1871 (the East at that time having a population of 19,772 and the West a population of 20,862), the latter has been constantly increasing, while the East, since 1881, has been losing, until the disparity, as already stated, exceeds 10,000.

The Dominion authorities cannot well follow the division of the county for Ontario elections.

The following detailed table taken from the three last census returns, taken in connection with the total returns for 1871 given above, will no doubt prove interesting at this particular time.

East Riding	1901	1891	1881	1871
Orford	3347	3479	3796	3113
Howard	3243	3626	3962	4512
Ridgeway	2405	2254	1838	
Harwich	5494	6017	6410	5974
Blenheim	1653	1708	1212	
Camden	2811	2993	3239	
Thamesville	854	798	740	4086
Dresden	1613	2168	1979	
Zone	1326	1401	1395	1083
Bothwell	907	887	965	995

Total	23,663	25,231	25,306	19,772
West Riding	1901	1891	1881	1871
City Chatham	9068	9652	7873	5873
Chatham Tp.	9049	8160	5907	5036
Wallaceburg	2763	2726	1925	
Dover	4484	4415	4447	3315
Raleigh	4844	4955	5298	4081
Tilbury East	3456	3033		2872
Tilbury Village	1012	925		1846
Romney	2103	1534	1082	711

Total 33,759 32,790 29,004 20,862  
West over East, 10,969 7559 3698 1090  
It has been suggested that Harwich and Blenheim be transferred from the East to the West, and Chatham township and Wallaceburg given to the East in return. That would give a west riding with 32,104, as against an east riding with 25,318. A little better, but still a difference of nearly 7,000.

Nature comes to the aid of the politicians with a solution. The River Thames naturally divides Kent county, and instead of an East and West Kent, why should there not be a North and South Kent, the city of Chatham going with the north? The new north riding would have a population of 29,865, and the new south riding a population of 27,557, a difference of 1,300—Ridgeway, Dominion.

A Dresden man ordered a barrel of fish for Lent to be shipped to the local depot. On calling for the goods and noticing C. O. D. in large letters on the barrel, he exclaimed: "—those people, I ordered herring."—Glencoe Transcript.

Premier Ross has now two shining examples in the resignation line—Frank Sullivan, son of "Cap" Sullivan of that ilk, and President Castro. Surely Hon. G. W. is not going to be made to look like an also-ran by these pure-souled, high-minded patriots.—Ottawa Citizen.

**A GENTLEMAN DEFINED.**  
Cardinal Newman.

A gentleman is one who never inflicts pain. He carefully avoids whatever may cause a jar or a jolt in the minds of those with whom he is cast; all clashing of opinion or collision of feeling; all restraint or suspicion or gloom or resentment, his great concern being to make everyone at ease and at home. He makes light of favors while he does them, and seems to be receiving while he is conferring. He has no ears for slander or gossip, and interprets everything for the

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**It May Be the Reason.**  
"Do you know why all the world loves a lover?"  
"Is that a conundrum?"  
"It is."  
"Well, what's the answer?"  
"Because he makes such a blooming fool of himself, and the world likes to laugh."—Chicago Post.

**Our Language.**  
Mistress (calling downstairs)—Oh, Bridget! What was that crash? You haven't gone and broken that vase?  
Bridget—Yis, mum. Oi—  
Mistress—Oh, how did you come to do it?  
Bridget—Oi didn't go to do it, mum.—Philadelphia Press.

**Her Only Comment.**  
Diggsby (glancing over paper)—Ah, here's another case of a man committing suicide because his home was unhappy.  
Mrs. Diggsby—Well, I suppose the widow's home will be happier than the wife's was.—Chicago News.

**Cause For Opinion.**  
He—I always thought that Bragge belonged to the yacht club until I met him there last night.  
She—And doesn't he?  
He—Well, I inferred from his manner that the yacht club belonged to him.—Town Topics.

**Looking Backward.**  
"Pa, did you ever have any halcyon days?"  
"Oh, yes; lots of them." Mr. Henpeck replied, looking cautiously around. "I didn't get married until I was nearly thirty years old."—Chicago Record-Herald.

**A Sure Cure.**  
"It was a good thing for Stutterton that he married Miss Gassaway. She's curing him of his stammering habit."  
"You don't say?"  
"Yes. She doesn't give him a chance to talk at all now."—Philadelphia Press.

**Helped Him Out.**  
"How did he happen to back her as a star in that new play?"  
"Oh, she overheard him one day singing 'I Want to Be an Angel' and helped him have his wish."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

**Bleeding Patients.**  
Caspar—Among the ancient doctors bleeding the patient was the first operation in treating a case.  
Charlie—And now it's the last.—Harvard Lampoon.

## NEURALGIA

If a person has neuralgia in his system this is the season when it will be felt. It is an ailment that may spring from a variety of sources. Anæmia or any depressed state of the bodily functions are frequent causes. The exhaustion resulting from rheumatism also makes it easy for neuralgia to get a foothold.

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## Pessimism of Educated Youth.

Almost any evening, at dinner time, there may be seen in a well-known downtown restaurant a group of young men, who occupy always the same corner and spend a long time talking over their coffee and cigars. They are all college graduates of a recent date, occupied in the day in getting a start in life, or, as one of them, who is engaged in some sort of literary work, more picturesquely puts it, "bucking the metropolis with a stub pen." Few have heard their talk, for when a stranger falls among them they are decorously polite, but uncommunicative, in the spirit of their leader. A few, however, have been initiated, and describe the conversations as "a series of carefully cultivated cynicisms, led by a lecture." Thus do their guests become victims to phrase-making.

"It would be hard to diagnose their complaint," said one of these victims; "they are so cheerful in their woe. Nothing at present suits them, and they all pronounce their daily tasks a bore. But they are not bothered with reform notions and don't make a public fuss. I suspect they all cherish secret ambitions of winning commonplace successes, and swap their melancholy epigrams because they have no other way at present to maintain that academic seclusiveness your college graduate usually feels the lack of during the first years of his plunge into life. However, there's some truth and humor in their talk that needn't be summarily dismissed as dowdy faced cynicism."

And the speaker narrated as nearly as he could a speech of the leader on the subject of "How to Be Successful Though Educated." The young man knocked his cigarette ash into the dregs of his coffee and said: "I've thought this all out, as Devery does his brilliant. It's not impromptu. I was burdened with the conception by too much paternal advice on how to succeed. We get too much of that advice on all hands. The path from the log cabin to the White House has been exploited and explained; we have been taught how to be happy though married, and it only remains to put the teaching into practice—a minor detail; magazines conducted by underpaid editors have told us how to get from home to college with a cow for capital; the lives of our captains of industry have been laid bare from their always humble beginnings, but the really useful work is the one not done. Who will tell us how to be successful though educated?"

"The worst that may be said of a college training (until the chair of success is founded) is that it gives a young man ambitions. After all, the youth whose capital is a cow in most instances prefers to keep his capital and milk it; the boy in the log cabin hopes some day to build a house with store shingles; the young worker in the steel mill thinks he may in time rise to be a foreman, and is content if he does. But the college graduate has ambitions. Nurtured in romance, fed on history, filled with the keen relish for intellectual excitement and the power of intellectual mastery, he is yearly turned by the thousand into the hard world, with ambitions, but no job."

"There are open for him the law and medicine; but each requires three or four more years of training, and then an additional period of unremunerative waiting. There is business, but already the high school graduate has a four years' start, which, when all is said, the classics and French literature do not help to overcome. He might write novels, but his taste is too good, and his knowledge of art bars him from the drama. To be sure, there is teaching; the world still puts up with a little education in its teachers. Yet, as women will teach cheaper, even that field is restricted. It is no wonder that there are so many men of culture in the mines of Mexico and Alaska, or that so few of us college men marry before we are thirty."

"Then someone asked this gloomy teacher of twenty-three, whose remarks were greeted with no applause, but quiet approval, said the outsider, 'what he proposed to do about it. His answer was characteristic. To-morrow I play golf,' he said."—N. Y. "Tribune."

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Our host was showing us through his club. In one room we found a haggard man, surrounded by a score of stenographers, typewriters and messenger-boys.

"I am going to sit into a little game of poker," said a club member who rushed into the room.

"Send word to Mr. Jones's house that he is detained down town to pass judgment on an exhibit of pictures," said the haggard man to one of the stenographers.

"I am going to the Flipp Theater to see the new burlesque," announced another new-comer.

"Boy," ordered the haggard man, "run out to Mr. Smith's and tell his wife that he will not be home to-night, because he has to attend to a perplexing column of figures."

"I am going to attend a quiet little wine-supper," whispered a third new-comer.

"Send a note out to Mr. Johnson's, saying that he will be compelled to endeavor to find that perplexing balance to-night," ordered the haggard man.

"Who is he?" we whispered as our guide drew us on.

"He's the official excuse-inventor," explained our guide. "It's his new idea of ours to have our excuses for absence from home of such a nature that they may be said to be absolutely true."

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"Oh, it was easy," said our guide. "He has been married six times."

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About three years ago I contracted rheumatism. I at once put myself in my doctor's care and he relieved me. In a few months the rheumatism came back a great deal worse than it was before. I then tried different advertised cures, but I did not receive any benefit. By this time I was in a bad condition and was discouraged. I suffered intense pain and my wife put on hot water applications, which eased me a little. I was at this time recommended to try Powley's Liquefied Ozone. In a short time I began to feel better and by the time I had taken a few bottles every symptom of pain and rheumatism had left my body. This was in January, 1901. I have not had the least symptom of this distressing disease since.

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Yours truly,  
A. SHEPHERD,  
Toronto, Jan. 29, 1902.

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## WAYS OF GETTING MARRIED.

Cosmopolitan London Affords Examples of Curious Customs of Nations.

Until recently few people seemed to be aware that such a large number of foreigners—Germans, Poles, Russians, Armenians, and Chinese—were resident in England.

These people to a great extent retain many of their quaint manners and customs as well as their language. In no particular is this more noticeable than when a wedding takes place.

Pearl street, Spitalfields, is crammed with Poles, exiles from their own country. Although miserably poor, weddings are very frequent with them. These take place at the Greek Church, and a curious ceremony is enacted when nuptials are about to be celebrated.

The best man gets to church first and takes possession of the bridegroom's seat. The latter next arrives, and makes the former a present to vacate it. Then the veiled bride arrives, escorted by four men bearing a crimson cloth in front of her. This is to conceal her from her future husband's gaze. The bride's "Suacha," or agent, goes through a pretense of dressing her hair, and then puts a crown upon her head. From a silver basin the priest takes a handful of hops and throws them over the heads of the assembled guests. Having ascertained the patron saints of the young couple the priest next holds pictures of them over the bride and bridegroom, and makes an invocation on their behalf. Wax tapers are next lighted and given to the man and woman to hold. While doing so they drink three glasses of wine. The womenfolk present at this juncture make a pretense of taking hold of the bride's dress and pulling her away from her newly acquired husband. The bride on her part clings to her groom's arm. Rings are exchanged, and then the pair are one.

Mr. W. H. Abdullah Quilliam is a Liverpool solicitor and Sheikh-ul-Islam of the British Isles. In other words, he is the shepherd of all Mohammedans resident in the United Kingdom. The mosque in West Derby Road is a large room containing a single glass window, "looking toward Mecca," which is stained with the crescent moon and a single star. Verses of the Koran in Arabic decorate the walls, and the floor is covered with a large carpet. There are no chairs, and at a wedding which took place there a short time ago, at which the writer was permitted to be present, all the guests removed their boots and retained their headgear.

The bride was a tall young lady, dressed in every respect as a Christian bride would be with the exception that no veil was worn. The bridegroom, a young Hindu, was most gorgeously arrayed in a pink silk coat, embroidered and brocaded in gold. He wore a red and white silk turban, and his brilliant robes had cost him £120. The other gentlemen of the party were attired in English dress, but each wore a red fez. Mr. Quilliam, who was arrayed in his gorgeous official garments, officiated, the service being in sonorous Arabic.

Three times was the question asked of both the bride and the bridegroom if he or she were marrying by his or her own consent and free will. An affirmative having been given, the Sheikh next turned to the guests and asked them to bear witness. Then, in the name of Allah and Mohammed his prophet, the pair were declared man and wife.

Prayers followed, and each of the male friends of the man kissed him twice on the brow and on either cheek.

Mile End is the Mecca of the German Jew. Numberless little synagogues are to be found in this district, with very devout congregations who can scarcely speak English. Perhaps the ones in New Road and Vinecourt are the most typical.

A patriarchal gentleman in a high hat, with a gold band and an elaborate cloak, the arms of which are likewise adorned with gold lace, is really the presiding genius at every German-Jewish wedding.

The other day a most prepossessing German-Jewish widow was married in Mile End. The synagogue was packed. The wedding party proper, to the number of twelve, took their stand on the dais. The arrival of the bride, attended by six friends of her own sex, was the signal for two more ladies to come forward and make pretense at dressing the bride's hair and to adjust a veil. She was then escorted to the dais and took her stand beside the groom under a canopy held by four gentlemen friends. The rabbi now stepped forward and read the marriage articles. These were signed by the bridegroom and the bride's relations.

Then the former took the bride's hand and said: "Be thou my wife." Rings were then exchanged, for the man must wear a wedding ring as well as the woman, and the couple drank wine from the same glass, which had been blessed by the rabbi. The bride now walked three times round the bridegroom, and he twice round her. Then the bridegroom dashed the glass into a thousand fragments on the floor.

This act signified that he and his newly made wife could no more be separated than the broken wine glass could be made whole again. As the couple left the church the congregation exclaimed: "Blessed be the man and woman who goeth."—London Mail.

Italian Newspapers Bribe Their Readers.

So keen is the competition among the Italian papers that all sorts of attractions are held out to subscribers in the shape of prizes.

Thus the Secolo offers villas and country houses, and The Tribuna and several other journals hold out the bait of money prizes up to £20,000. Motor cars are now, however, the favorite attraction, and The Italia, The Stampa, and The Gazzetta di Venezia offer to each group of 2,000 or 5,000 subscribers motor cars by all the best makers.—London Mail.



Fantastic stories have been written of magic mirrors in which the future was revealed. If such a thing were possible many a bright-faced bride would shrink from the revelation of herself, stripped of all her loveliness. If there is one thing which would make a woman shrink from marriage it is to see the rapid physical deterioration which comes to so many wives. The cause is generally due to womanly diseases.

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**Competition.**



"Why didn't you come around earlier? The snow is all melted now."  
"Test my luck! Even de sun is in de conspiracy ter keep me down."—New York Evening Journal.

**His Desire.**  
New Cook—Does the master like his beef well done?  
Mr. Higgins—Mr. Higgins says that his only requirement is to have his meat well cooked.—Somerville Journal

## LOOKED LONG. FOUND AT LAST.

**A. W. Holman Used Dodd's Kidney Pills for Diabetes.**

And The Dreaded Kidney Disease Speedily Vanished—His Statement to the Public.

Toronto, March 30.—(Special).—One of the most dreaded and dangerous forms of Kidney Disease is Diabetes. With its sense of weight and acute pain in the loins, bleeding of the gums, swelling of the feet and ankles, emaciation and weakness, and its other painful and disagreeable accompaniments, it is held almost in horror by those who have been unfortunate enough to make its acquaintance, and every evidence of a complete and reliable cure is hailed with delight by all classes of society.

For this season the statement of A. W. Holman, of 193 1-2 Mutual Street, Toronto, is of peculiar interest. Mr. Holman says:

"I have been troubled with Diabetes for years and I have tried all kinds of medicines, but it was of no use. My attention was called to an advertisement of Dodd's Kidney Pills and I determined to try them. From the first box I got relief, and after using six boxes I am in a position to say that I am completely cured. I highly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all who may suffer as I have done."

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## THE LEVEES BREAK.

Large Sections of Missouri and Louisiana Flooded.

Greenville, Miss., March 28.—The Levee four miles south of Greenville broke, and immense volumes of water are now pouring through a three-mile wide crevasse, rapidly flooding the most fertile land in the great Yazoo Delta. Major Sears, in charge of the Government engineers' office here, says it is the worst break ever experienced on the Mississippi side, and he fears the whole delta from New Orleans, March 28.—The first crevasse in the Louisiana levees occurred yesterday, when 150 feet of the levee near Lucy, 10.5 miles above the city, gave way. It is estimated the line between St. Charles and St. John parishes. It is a big levee, four feet above the water, and is estimated to have been cut. It is a mile and a half from the Texas & Pacific Railway. With the water pouring through the break and spreading over a wide area, the ends of the crevasse are reported to be slowly crumbling. The flood will find its way to the Gulf, and while the property loss will be considerable there is absolutely no danger to the inhabitants. As the Lucy break is on the opposite side from New Orleans, the effect will be beneficial here.

## A POISONOUS BUG.

People Bitten by This Insect Suffer Agonies.

Mendon, Mich., March 28.—Excitement runs high in Mendon, another man having been bitten by the poisonous winter bug. Hon. De Vos Olinberg, the famous entomologist, of Wheeling, W. Va., is the latest victim.

The case of Oscar Newasky, the young farmer, who became a raving maniac as a result of being bitten by the winter bug, has baffled medical science. Physicians from a distance have been summoned, but are unable to conquer the terrible swelling of the body which began the day following the biting.

Prof. Olinberg came here in the interest of the National Museum at Washington to procure specimens of the hideous bug, which was supposed by scientists to have become extinct, especially in the northern States. Olinberg examined the specimen received, and was amazed and alarmed by Newasky, and began a search among the sloughs and bogs in the vicinity. He discovered a nest of the insect, and in his endeavor to capture them he was attacked by one, receiving a painful bite on his chin. In his attempt to reach a neighboring farm house he began to reel and stagger, and within an hour had relapsed into a semi-conscious condition. Medical assistance was called, but scientific treatment is still unable to relieve him.

## Roosevelt and the Reporter.

President Roosevelt is regarded as a ready assistant to newspaper men, and it is no uncommon thing for him to discuss freely state and political matters with correspondents. But there are occasions when his friendliness is put to severe tests. One of these came soon after the Roosevelt family arrived at Sagamore Hill last summer, when many greatly exaggerated stories of the exploits of the Roosevelt children found their way into the columns of the daily press. The President decided to put an end to these stories, and one day summoned a correspondent who had been active in supplying his paper with this class of news. The reporter lost no time in stating the object of the summons.

"I have noticed, Mr. —, that a great many stories have appeared in the — regarding the exploits of my children. They have been very good stories, indeed, and I assume you are responsible for them. I have only one fault to find with them, and that is that they are not strictly accurate. Now, you know I am always ready to give you the facts, and hereafter whenever you wish exact information about the doings of members of my family, I wish you would come to me. I shall only be too pleased to oblige you. I will give you a bully good story right now, if you wish it."

The reporter sat up eagerly, even if somewhat crestfallen over the rebuke, as the President continued: "Mrs. Roosevelt and I are going riding just as soon as you depart. We shall ride 'cross country, jumping exactly twenty-seven fences and six ditches, and when we return we shall go bathing in our riding-habits. My son Theodore is hunting this morning, and I have just received a bulletin from the jungle informing me that he has already killed two elephants and a tiger."

The reporter saw through the President's little play, but there was no way to escape.

"Isn't Theodore a wonder!" cried the President, and then continued: "Archibald, my second son, went out a little while ago to fish for tadpoles to be used as bait for whale. Ethel is tearing down the windmill at this very minute—step around the house and you can see her. Kermit, aged about seven, has just thrown a 200-pound secret set catch-as-catch-can wrestling match, and Quentin, my baby, is even now setting fire to the back part of the house."

"There, Mr. —, you have what I should call a fine story!" said Mr. Roosevelt, in all seriousness. "The facts are exactly right, and I trust you will not exaggerate if you tell them. After this, please come direct to me, and I will give you these stories about my family whenever you desire them. Delighted to have seen you. Good morning."

## Real Aristocracy.

The real aristocracy of Europe, such as the consular families of Rome and the magnates of Austria-Hungary, hold English pretensions to long descent in supreme contempt. It is not only true they despise the peerages of the Victorian age and such growths of the Reform as the Cecils and the Cavendishes and the Russells, but they even think scorn of our mediaeval glories, and hold Seymours and Howards and Percys to be merely ennobled squires. There are, however, some three or four English families which are ranked as great even by the exacting requirements of Rome and Vienna, and eminent among these are the Talbots, the Stanleys and the Nevilles. This reflection gives piquancy to Lord William Nevill's just-published book on convict life. To number "Warwick the King-maker" among his ancestors, to have one's home in the oldest enclosed deer park in England, to have been oneself the best-looking, best-dressed and most popular young man in London, and then to pass with perfect tranquillity and contentment to drawing a cart on a convict farm and washing medicine bottles in a convict infirmary, is, indeed, to have established a social record of unusual interest.

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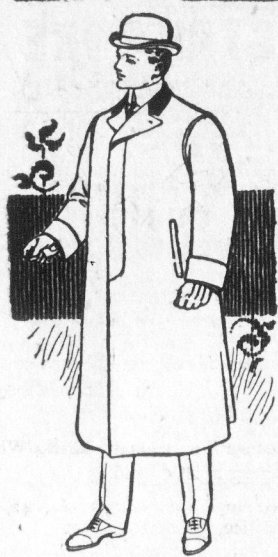
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rain.

The following figures were registered  
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weather bureau:  
Thermometer 33.  
Highest yesterday 48.  
Lowest yesterday 29.  
Direction of wind, north.

### THE LOCAL BUDGET

R. O. Knight, of Kent Bridge, is in  
town to-day.

J. A. Jermyn, Park St. East, is laid  
up with la grippe.

S. L. Wellwood, of Merlin, was in  
the city on Saturday.

E. Sloan, of Tilbury, was a Chat-  
ham visitor on Saturday.

W. G. McGeorge is in Wallace-  
burg to-day on business.

James L. Baird, of Ridgetown, was a  
visitor in the city to-day.

A. M. Elliott, of Bothwell, was a  
Chatham visitor yesterday.

John Waters, of Ridgetown, was a  
visitor in the city on Saturday.

R. Watson, of Mull, was registered  
at the Merrill House on Saturday.

The retail clerks of the city will  
hold a meeting to-morrow night.

Miss Susie McQueen sang an O. Sal-  
utaris in St. Joseph's Church last evening.

J. W. Smith and J. W. Campbell, of  
Stewart, were Chatham visitors on  
Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Montague, of Austin's,  
spent Sunday with Miss L. Marshall in  
Chatham township.

Humane Officer McGregor has been  
confined to his home for the last  
few days with la grippe, but is able  
to be out again attending to his duties.

Mrs. John Thornton, of Smith's  
Falls, is in the city spending the day  
with Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Thornton.  
She leaves this evening for Petrolia,  
where she will visit Mrs. Harry  
Thornton, who is seriously ill.

W. B. Wells has returned from Big  
Point Club. He brought back two  
dead wild geese besides the two live  
ones which he took down to use as decoys.  
They were out in the water  
anchored by stones and were calling  
loudly. Two Frenchmen heard them  
and, sneaking stealthily up, were just  
going to bag Mr. Wells' geese when he  
saw them. By the exercise of considerable  
lung power the veteran sports-  
man succeeded in saving the lives of  
his two wild geese.

Frame house in good location for sale—parlor, dining-  
room, kitchen, pantry, three bedrooms, bathroom, clothes  
closets, city water, gas for cooking, cistern. Price \$950.00.

Frame house in North Chatham, brick foundation, par-  
lor, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, three bedrooms, clothes  
closets, summer kitchen, gas, city water, stable. Price \$1,150.

Frame house, double parlors, dining room, kitchen, four  
bedrooms, bath-room, clothes closets, furnace, city water, stable,  
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O. B. Hulin has a comfortable house  
to rent.

S. L. Hungerford, of London, is in  
the city to-day.

James Anderson, of the C. M. Co.,  
is in Glencoe to-day on business.

Pat. Kelly has purchased the old  
fuel house from the G. T. R.

The dusting machines are now in  
operation at the Chaplin wheel works.

C. W. Lambrook, who has been  
visiting in the city, has returned to  
his home in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Miss Lydia Pardo, who has been  
visiting at the residence of Ald. Ed-  
mondson, Head street, has returned  
home.

Mr. Harris, of Petrolia, who struck  
oil on the Art. Sullivan place, lot 16,  
concession 13, Raleigh, says he has a  
pretty good well. He says it pumped  
eight barrels in seven hours, but is  
not being pumped now.

#### LOCAL LEGAL

At Osgoode Hall, on Saturday, be-  
fore Winchester, Master, in Cham-  
bers, the following cases were tried:—

McDonald v. Park.—Casey Wood, for  
plaintiff, moved for order setting aside  
præcipe orders for security for costs.  
B. N. Dars and C. A. Moss for defend-  
ant, contra. Motion refused with  
costs.

This motion was brought in connec-  
tion with the suit to set aside the will  
of the late Sarah Jane Macdonald,  
Chatham. J. G. Kerr and G. B. Doug-  
las are acting for the defendants.

O'Flynn v. Middleton.—C. A. Moss,  
for defendant, moved for order remov-  
ing and discharging certificate of his  
pendens with costs. E. E. A. DuVer-  
net, for plaintiff, contra. Reserved.

#### AGAINST THE JESUITS.

Not Likely to be Readmitted to Ger-  
many.

Berlin, March 30.—The Govern-  
ment's intention to abolish the Jesuits  
from Germany announced in the  
Reichstag by Chancellor Von Buelow  
recently will not be realized. It is  
learned that the agitation against the  
measure that followed the action of  
Bishop Korum in March last, in threat-  
ening the parents of Roman Catholic  
children who attended the State  
schools of Treves with ecclesiastical  
penalties, has resulted in such changes  
of views on the part of the various  
Governments that the Bundesrath now  
has a majority against the Jesuits'  
readmission. The question goes to the  
Bundesrath after Easter, where it will  
either be voted down or indefinitely  
postponed.

#### Dead on the Track.

Bothwell, March 28.—Two oil men  
returning from the midnight relief dis-  
covered the body of George Macdonald  
of West Bothwell lying between the  
tracks. Macdonald had evidently  
been struck by the eastbound Wabash  
express. An inquest will be held. Mac-  
donald was about 28 years of age and a  
son of Robert Macdonald, a farmer of  
West Bothwell.

#### Death of G. F. Swift.

Chicago, March 28.—Gustave Franklin  
Swift, President of the Swift Packing  
Company, died at his home to-day of in-  
ternal hemorrhages, resulting from a sur-  
gical operation performed several days  
ago. He was 65 years of age.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.  
Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tab-  
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OPEN HIGHEST CLOSE LOWEST				
May	72 1/2	73 1/2	12 1/2	73 1/2
Wheat, July	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
May	43 1/2	44	43 1/2	43 1/2
Corn, July	43 1/2	44	43 1/2	44
May	32 1/2	34	32 1/2	33 1/2
Oats, July	30 1/2	31	30 1/2	31
May	17 1/2	18 1/2	17 1/2	18 1/2
Pork, July	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
May	98 1/2	100 1/2	98 1/2	100 1/2
Lard, July	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
May	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
July	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2

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Bank, Fourth Nat. Bank, Fifth Nat.  
Bank, Lafayette Nat. Bank, Mercan-  
tile Agencies, Cincinnati, O.

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Shingles,  
Cedar Posts,  
&c.**

If you are going to build we will  
save you money. We take con-  
tracts either for complete buildings  
or supply Lumber and Mill Mill as  
required.

**J. L. Scott & Son**

#### A CANNERS' COMBINATION.

Consolidation of a Number of On-  
tario Factories

Toronto, March 30.—A big con-  
solidation of a number of  
the canning factories of the Province  
is announced under the name of the  
Canadian Canners' Consolidated Com-  
panies, Limited, which has just receiv-  
ed incorporation. The authorized cap-  
ital of this latest syndicate is \$2,500,000  
and the head office of the company will  
be in Hamilton. The company will not  
only do a general canning business  
but is also authorized to take over ex-  
isting firms. Those at present asso-  
ciated with the new concern are Messrs  
Hugh Macdonald of Chatham, Samuel  
Nesbitt of Brighton, David Marshall of  
Aylmer, W. H. Whitely and W. Fer-  
guson of Delhi, Russell Bowley of Wa-  
terford, T. N. Dunn of Strathroy, Wel-  
lington Boulter and A. W. Hepburn  
of Picton, F. R. Lalor of Dunnville, W.  
P. Innes of Simcoe, and H. I. Matthews  
of Lakeport.

The Empire Machine & Metal  
Stamping Co., Limited, of Toronto, is  
incorporated with a capital of \$200,000.  
It will do a general metal manufactur-  
ing business, and will purchase the  
business of the Stanyon Engineering  
Company.

The City Laundry Co., Limited, has  
been organized to carry on a general  
laundry business and acquire the inter-  
ests of other laundry firms in the city.  
The capital will be \$150,000, and the  
head office, Toronto. The provisions  
directors are P. H. Patriarche, F. G.  
D. Durnford, and J. W. Siddall.

The following companies have receiv-  
ed incorporation:—The McGee Real  
Estate Co., Limited, \$100,000, Toronto;  
Stanley Mills & Company, de-  
partmental store, \$100,000, Ham-  
ilton; Thompson Company, Limited,  
groceries and provisions, \$100,000, To-  
ronto; John McKay, Limited, genera  
lizing, \$75,000, Toronto; the Railway  
Sander Co., of Toronto, Limited, \$40,  
000; Ferguson, McCrae Co., Limited,  
brokers, \$40,000, Toronto; the Grand  
River Metal Works of Galt, Limited,  
\$40,000, the Burlington Canning Co.,  
Limited, \$40,000; the Ontario Storage  
& Cartage Co., Limited, \$25,000, To-  
ronto; Canadian Condensed Milk Co.,  
Limited, \$25,000; the Havelock Electric  
Light & Power Co., Limited, \$20,000.

The Robert Simpson Co., Limited, is  
authorized to increase its capital stock  
from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000. The To-  
ronto Carpet Manufacturing Co.,  
Limited, is authorized to increase its  
capital stock from \$150,000 to \$300,000.

#### RETURNING CONSTABULARY.

Arrivals by the Carthaginian Had to  
Pay Passage.

Halifax, N.S., March 28.—Three ocean  
steamers, the Dominion Line Canada  
and the Carthaginian and Bavarian of  
the Allan Line, landed a total of 3,381  
passengers here on Friday. The Allan  
Line Carthaginian was fourteen days on  
the passage. Her passengers totalled 628—  
22 second and 43 third class. They were  
mostly British, with a sprinkling of  
foreigners. She had among her passen-  
gers 22 returning Canadians of the South  
African Constabulary. They had been  
two months on the trip from Pretoria and  
Bloemfontein. They tell the same story  
about the trip as the Carthaginian, that  
Canadian officers being removed and British  
and burgher officers being put in  
their places, and they were disgusted  
with the manner in which affairs were  
being conducted. They had to pay their  
own way from South Africa to London,  
and Lord Strathcona, the Canadian High  
Commissioner, paid their way to Halifax,  
and they were assisted from here to their  
homes. The returning soldiers were:  
John Lehman, W. G. Birney, W. Thom-  
son, W. MacGillivray, all of Calgary, N.  
W. T. J. Miller, Dunville, F. Hodgson,  
P. Hunter, W. Barker, J. Price, H. Mann,  
Toronto; T. W. Reynolds, Brandon, Man.;  
R. V. Johnson, St. Catharines; J. Ireland,  
Burlington; W. Plunsted, Beaverton; F.  
Hazellett, Fredericton, N.B.; W. Cooper,  
H. G. Bart, and J. M. J. M. N.B.;  
J. A. Fraser, Lancaster, F. S. E. Fisher,  
Chatham; R. L. Willis, Nelson, N.B.; R.  
McIntyre, Duluth, Minn.; K. Taylor,  
Prince Albert, N.W.; H. Cheney, and  
R. D. Muir, Winnipeg; R. Ansie and H.  
Bevan, Galt; C. L. Young, Brantford;  
F. Beaman and J. Beaman, Chesley.

#### "IT'S GOOD TEA."

This is what the proprietor of Red  
Rose Tea claims for it. Some say the  
claim is too modest, but you may no-  
tice that a grocer is very often asked—  
"Have you any good tea?" The  
word "good" in this sense is probably  
intended to mean "best." So perhaps  
Red Rose Tea is The Best Tea.

The Young Men's Literary Club of  
St. Joseph's church have decided to  
put their minstrel show on in the  
Grand Opera House on April 17th.

Dressmakers  
Apprentices—Apply  
to Miss Morrison.

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## What the Big Store Says

We appeal to the people of Chatham and vicinity. This  
great mercantile establishment was created and exists to  
supply their wants, and during the years of our existence our  
patrons have watched us expand and grow, and have vindi-  
cated our liberal policy thousands upon thousands of times.  
Always the very best at the very lowest possible price, con-  
sistent with reliable merchandise. Courteous treatment, truth-  
ful advertising, money refunded on all goods not satisfactory,  
and prompt deliveries have played their important parts in  
making this Chatham's greatest and pleasantest store in which  
to trade.

## Furniture Has the Right of Way...

Perhaps you are anxious for something new—a table, an  
odd chair, a cabinet for the empty corner, or, maybe, an entire  
room or house is to be refurnished. Now is the time to do it.  
These prices simply hint at the values.

Parlor Chairs from \$2.75 to \$18.

Parlor Suites from \$17 to \$60.

Parlor Tables in genuine 1/4 cut oak and mahogany, \$1.25 to \$13.

China Cabinets, Buffets, &c., \$8.50 to \$35.

Sideboards with German Bevel Mirrors, \$9 to \$45.

Extension Tables, \$5 to \$20.

Dining Chairs, 35c. to \$10.

Bedroom Suites, \$8.50 to \$75.

Odd Bureaus, \$5 to \$40.

Couches, \$5 to \$18.50.

Book Cases, Secretaries, Combination Desks, \$2.50 to \$25.

## Furniture Department Second Floor.

## Pretty New Fabrics FOR SPRING

The dress goods section has its own crowd of eager  
critics these days. Everyone is anxious to look over the new  
goods as they appear. Together with the newest Eiolenes,  
Etamines, Crepe de Chenes, Voiles Flake Suitings, etc., we  
offer two very popular lines—Black Lustre and Colored Can-  
vas Cloth—at bargain prices.

#### SILK EIOLENE.

The "Belle" of the new beauties for  
pretty waists and dresses, in black,  
navy, pearl grey, blue grey and pom-  
padour, very special, at per yd, \$1.25

#### PANAMA CLOTH.

Canvas weave, in light weight, soft  
material, for dresses or skirts, shades  
brown, navy, cardinal, grey and black,  
44 in. wide, at per yd, 50c.

#### WOOL VOILE.

A sheer wool fabric of rich finish,  
specially designed for use over con-  
trasting foundations, 46 in. wide, at  
per yd, 75c.

#### FLAKE SUITINGS.

In black, brown, navy and greys,  
with colored knicker effects, pure wool,  
for skirts or suits, 56 in. wide, at per  
yd, \$1.25.

## 65c. Black Lustre at 50c. Yard.

3 pieces of fine black French Lustre with brilliant finish,  
pure Mohair and guaranteed dye, full 46 in. wide, a regular  
65c. line, now at 50c. yard.

## \$1 Colored Canvas Cloth at 70c.

4 pieces of imported Canvas Cloth, made of pure Botony  
Wool, in brown, fawn, pearl and blue grey, nice medium  
weight, for Spring and summer wear, 48 in. wide, regular \$1  
line, now at 70c. yard.

## Spring and Summer Novelties in Colored Cotton Dress Fabrics.

Our attractive showing of new weaves in all the popular  
soft sheer fabrics.

Our care in choosing will make it easy to get the fashion-  
able stuffs. Fresh arrivals.

#### DELAINETTE.

A new fancy wash fabric, a cor-  
rect imitation of the all wool Delaines,  
soft make, ground work of rose, Nile,  
heli, salmon, and light blue, with  
beautiful floral designs and wide satin  
stripe. Price per yard 40c

#### Printed Silk Stripe Delaines.

A new wash fabric for fancy cos-  
tumes, fine wool finish, soft weave,  
light weight material, in all the new  
shades, Blues, Greens, etc., with Pais-  
ley and floral designs, 32 inches wide.  
Special at 25c per yd.

#### FRENCH CAMBRIS.

A very large assortment of new  
stripes in Blue, Pinks and Black and  
White colorings, 34 inches wide. Per  
yard 25c.

#### Colored Dress Organdies.

New Irish Dimities and Organdies,  
Pink and Blue ground work with  
small spots and stripes and floral de-  
signs, perfectly fast color, 25c yd.

#### Fancy Waist Zephyrs.

Snow-flake Zephyrs for fancy  
waists, etc., fancy blue and pink stripes,  
superior quality cloth, 25c.

Fancy pink and blue and white  
mercerised striped shirt waist Zephyrs,  
beautiful coloring, extra fine cloth, 25c.

About 50 pieces Fancy Striped  
Shirt Waist Ginghams, new patterns,  
choice colors, extra fine materials, also  
small or fancy check. Special quali-  
ties, per yard, 10c and 12 1/2c.

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The Leading and Reliable Clothiers



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## QUEBEC MAPLE SYRUP...

Will not be here as early as what comes on our local market. The reason is simple. The season is later in Quebec than it is in Southern Ontario. However, it is worth waiting for, as the finest maple syrup made anywhere, comes from Quebec.

We should be pleased to have your order now to be delivered out of the first lot that comes. Put up only in tins.

1 GAL. (Imperial measure) \$1.20  
3/4 GAL. " 60c  
5 GAL. TINS, " \$5.50

H. MALCOLMSON.

## Spring Remedies.

It has been the custom to take blood purifiers in the Spring. The reason for this is that the blood is most apt to be impure at this season. If you really need a blood purifier there are apt to be surface indications; pimples, blotches, boils or other eruptions. Lassitude, headache, a "tired feeling," and loss of appetite are the constitutional symptoms.

**Our BEST SASSAPARILLA**  
we believe, as perfect a blood purifier as can be made.

**100 Full Doses for Dollar.**  
Money back if you want it.

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We have a large staff of thoroughly competent men who understand the work and will do it in first-class style. Prices extremely low when you consider how well done the work is.

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Residence 245.

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### TO-NIGHT.

Concert, Park St. Church, at 8.  
Western City Lodge meets to-night at 8.

Farewell reception to Mr. and Mrs. Ross, William St. Baptist Church, at 8 o'clock.

The Ladies of the Macabees will hold a social evening in their hall, over Gordon's store, at 8.

### Local Briefs

Ex-Warden A. M. Mason, of Camden, is in the city to-day.

All heights and shapes in Ladies' Collars, at The 2 T's.

Mrs. Dupres, of Wallaceburg, is the guest of Mrs. D. Glass.

Mrs. John Watson, of Dresden, spent Saturday in town.

Chas. Heath, of Wallaceburg, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city.

Harry Sagar and Chas. Gonyou, of Dresden, were in the city Saturday.

Chas. McDonald, of Detroit, formerly of Chatham, is visiting friends in the city.

James Sutherland and S. Somers, of Wallaceburg, were Chatham visitors Saturday.

The schooner McVea left Saturday for a cargo of cedar posts for J. L. Scott & Son.

Miss O. Shaw, of the C. B. C., spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Ridgeway.

Alex. Mason, a prominent Conservative, of Wabash, was a Chatham visitor Saturday.

"Original" Chatham's Union Cigar, the best five cent cigar in Canada. Sold only by Bates Bros. 1m

Thos. Wangenheim will dispose of his household furniture, as advertised, on Tuesday, April 7th.

Wanted! Millinery apprentices and boy to learn the dry goods business. Apply to Thos. Stone & Son.

The "Waldo," a new collar just out in New York City, came in to-day at The 2 T's store; wide hem with black stitching. See them in The 2 T's window.

Harry Gillard, of Wallaceburg, an old C. B. C. boy, spent Saturday in the city. Mr. Gillard is now attending school in Cleveland.

The first of the eight new houses, to be erected on Patterson Ave. is under construction. The roadway is being opened up to Queen St.

C. I. Star Course No. 5, Monday, March 30. The Boettelmann String Quartette and Carl Crane, Basso.

Seat plan opens on Friday. Single ticket, 35 cents. 5td

The Saturday Evening edition of the Toronto News was being read in the Garner House at 7 p. m. Roy Chrysler, the hustling news agent, had arranged to get these papers on the C. P. R. special.

A hobo wandered into the office of the Growler one day last week, giving his name as W. G. Walton, "Billy the Hobo," who writes articles of his wanderings for the Detroit Free Press. He wrote up the Growler.

Try a load of coke to finish out the season; the cheapest fuel for furnaces, stoves or ranges. Price reduced to 10 cents and 12-1-2 cents, or \$3.25 and \$3.75 per full cartload of 30 bushels. 5td

Mary Robert, aged 37, wife of Mr. Robert, 4th concession, Dover, died on Friday night. She leaves a small family to mourn her loss. Deceased was formerly a Miss Dillor, of Raleigh township. The funeral took place to-day to St. Joseph's Church.

Alex. Macdonald has leased Calixte Bechard's fishing ground and nets. The fishing ground is just above the Lake Erie R. R. bridge. Macdonald paid \$2.50 down, gives Mr. Bechard five fish a week and pays \$20 balance of rent one month from date of first payment.

J. W. Fleming, of Dover, sold out all of his farm stock and implements by auction Friday. A. B. McCoig was the auctioneer. Seven horses sold for \$1,400, which is considered a good price. Mr. Fleming intends to move into the city and will reside on William street.

### Out of the Cloth

Displayed on our tables the most fastidious dresser can easily select something that will exactly suit him.

Each order filled by us makes a new friend. Nothing but good material, perfect fit and fine workmanship could do this.

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Call and see our : : :  
Pillow Shams,  
Door Panels,  
Dresser Covers and  
Sideboard Drapes,  
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15c.

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### Chatham's Millinery Store!

We are showing the prettiest of  
**Spring Hats.**

Our Ready-to-Wear Hats are very good—some very choice styles.

**COOKSLEY'S**

Opposite the Market Square.

Mrs. W. A. Hadley and sons left for Amherstburg to-day.

Robt. Willmore lost a valuable collie dog, for which he offers a reward.

W. A. Thrasher, of London, spent yesterday at his former home here.

Thomas F. Colles, of Listowel, is visiting his brother, Rev. Mr. Colles, Queen St.

McKeough & Trotter have completed the repairs to the boiler of the tug Ariadne.

Misses Grace and Maude Stover, of Sombra, are the guests of Miss Bury, St. Clair street.

On Sunday, March 29th, to the wife of W. C. (Dick) Cartier, of Detroit, of a son.

The light at the corner of Lorne Ave. and Raleigh street, is said to give very poor service.

Gus Taylor is rejoicing over the birth of a son, which totals nine children in the family of the popular cigar dealer.

Miss Allie Samson and Miss Otley McGregor, of Blenheim, spent Sunday in Chatham, the guests of Miss Minnie Samson, Thames St.

Mrs. Frank Kiborn and sons, of Ingersoll, are visiting Mrs. Kiborn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wing, Centre street, for a few weeks.

At James Fleming's sale in Dover township, Friday, N. A. McGeachy, of Harwich, bought a team of Clydes, paying \$412 for them.

The call firemen paid a visit to Gray's factory the other night to inspect the fire arrangements and to get acquainted with the system used for fire protection.

Chief Holmes says that ex-Ald. John Liddy must surely have made a mistake when he said he was only 63 years old. Mr. Liddy, he thinks, really meant 73.

Driller Daniel McCallum was in the city Saturday. He has finished a second well at Charing Cross, but it was not a success, only a small showing of oil was secured.

The Growler suggests that John McKay take School Trustee Herb Clements' place while that gentleman is away, as he (McKay) had the next highest vote in ward 4.

Quite a number from Chatham have been down at Lake St. Clair lately. They report a goodly number of geese flying around, but they are flying high and are not coming down to any extent.

Handsome household furniture, the property of Thos. Wangenheim, who is moving to Brantford, will be sold at his residence, King street west, on Tuesday, April 7th.

Geo. Lamphard was compelled to kill his pet coon. It was only a year old, but had become so vicious that it had to be destroyed. The little animal weighed 35 pounds. Frank Hallinan will remove the hide.

C. E. Lister, of the Maple City Creamery, has made arrangements with a Chicago firm to install a Carbonic Anhydride Refrigerating plant and will also put in the most up-to-date system for pasteurizing all the milk and cream to be sold for table use as well as for making ice cream and butter.

W. E. Rispin, city passenger and ticket agent, is advertising specially low rates to Manitoba, the Canadian Northwest, British Columbia, California, and all coast points, with special train arrangements. Passengers desiring to go to any of these points would do well to write or call on Mr. W. E. Rispin, 115 Wing street, Chatham.

Dr. T. K. Holmes and Mrs. Holmes left to-day for Europe. They will make an extended tour of the continent and will not be home until about July 12th. Dr. Holmes has kindly consented to furnish The Planet with a series of letters concerning his tour, which courtesy will be much appreciated by Planet readers.

Fred Tobey left on the two o'clock C. P. R. express for Toronto this morning. There he will be joined to-night by Wilton Ball, Alvin Moore and W. J. Moore, who left on the C. P. R. at 8.30 this afternoon. Wilton Ball will spend the summer near Regina.

Fred Tobey and Alvin Moore will go up to Prince Albert, where they will be homesteaded. Mr. Moore will stay with the boys until they get settled.

The Chatham Oil Company started hauling oil from their well, Hall's Big Hit, on Saturday. This well is on the Suitor farm and is considered much better than Stevens' Strike.

The new well on Stephen Brown's property, being put down by the Chatham Co., will be finished by Wednesday. The tools got stuck last week in the well being put down by the same company on the Suitor farm. They, however, have been fished out, and operations were resumed to-day.

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Our White Mercerized and Basket Weaves are the new dainty fabrics for shirt waists and dresses, ranging from 25c. up.

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## Easter Gordon

is showing all the new things in  
**Dress Goods.**

New Silk Crepe de Chene in willow, grey, castor and Black. Voile de Paris in fawn, castor, navy, light green and black.

French Eoliennes—colors linen, light green, grey and black.

New Ripley Pique finished all wool suitings, warranted unfading dyes, will not shrink or cockle, with the wear of the wool and the richness of the silk.

All the new weaves in black goods for Spring and Summer wear.

The very smartest Tailored Suits, latest Spring styles, from \$6.50 to \$20.00.

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up your homes with comfortable bed room wear—never in Sheetings, Pillow Cases, Bedspreads, Towels and Towelling have we shown a bigger stock or better values.

See our Twilled and Plain 8-4 White Sheetings at 20c and up.

See our Pillow Casings—40, 42, 46 in. at 12c, 14c, 15c yard.

Our Sheets and Pillow Cases, ready to use, are time and money savers.

See our Marsell's Bedspreads—marvels in value—\$1.50 and \$2.

**LADIES' WRAPPERS**—Two splendid lines, at \$1 and \$1.25.

The APRIL STANDARD 10c DESIGNER is a Gem.

# William Gordon

### VICTORIA AVE. LEAGUE

At Victoria Avenue Methodist League Friday evening a nominating committee was appointed for the election of officers.

A large number of delegates were appointed to attend the annual convention. It is the object of the League to have as many representatives at the convention as possible.

A solo was rendered by Horace Davis and a duet by the Misses Maggs.

### GENEROUS OFFER

Bandmaster Harry Philp has a valuable suggestion to offer in connection with the proposed bungalow building on the Park. The members of the band—about 24 in number—will receive their half pay from the Regiment this year. The total amount due to the band will be over \$400. Mr. Philp proposes to donate this money to the building fund, providing the building is arranged so that one room will be set apart for the use of the band in practice, etc.

A balcony can be built off the building facing the Park and here the band can give their popular band concerts during the summer. The suggestion is a good one and will likely be acted upon. Citizens generally are taking a live interest in this bungalow scheme and if will, no doubt, be carried to a successful issue.

### THE RETURN RUN

The special C. P. R. passenger train which went through the city from Detroit to Toronto the other day, carrying the kindergarten teachers of Detroit, returned Saturday night.

The run from Detroit to Toronto was made in four hours and 23 minutes, but the trainmen Saturday night, when their train stopped at the local station to take on water, said they would beat that time.

Leaving Toronto at 3.30 in the afternoon it arrived in Chatham at 7 o'clock, having lost a good deal of time between Toronto and London.

The trip was made, according to the London Free Press, in four hours and 24 minutes, five minutes less than the former trip.

"So the G. T. R. still has the record," said an employee of the G. T. R. this morning, "and we can beat the C. P. R. record half an hour with one of our good engines. Besides, we'll back our statements with the green, too."

The roads are about dried out now and the scraper hasn't been used yet. In fact some of the roads are so hard that it would be impossible to scrape them. It looks as if the Board of Works were just a little slow.

## YOU ARE NOT INTERESTED? OUR PRICES.

7 lbs. Rolled Oats, 25c  
7 lbs. Rolled Wheat, 25c  
3 lbs. Mixed Biscuit, 25c  
7 lb. Pail Jam, 48c  
Maple Syrup, 25c per quart.  
Cooking Figs, 4c per lb.  
Broken Soda Biscuits, 5c per lb.  
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### SAY!

Are you looking for a DINNER, TEA or CHAMBER SET? We have them, also a lot of fine CHINA, LAMPS and GLASSWARE. To make a long story short, we will make a reduction of 10 per cent. on the above Crockery and China.

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### PLANET ADS

"I put an advertisement in The Planet Friday for a baker," said Thos. Martin, of the firm of Thos. Martin & Son, bakers, "and by eight o'clock next morning I had secured a man. That's quick work, I can tell you."

### ARBITRATION

The arbitrators appointed to consider petitions for formation of Union School Section between parts of S. S. No. 1, Camden, and 18, Chatham Tp., met in Judge's Chambers Saturday morning. His honor Judge Bell was appointed chairman, and Inspector Colles secretary of the Board. The Board meets in Dresden at 10 a.m. on Monday, April 30th, to hear evidence. Jos. W. Simpson represents Chatham Tp., and Alex. Mason Camden.

The independent arbitrators are Inspectors Colles and Park and Judge Bell.

### DIED IN TORONTO

Mr. John Walker, for twenty-five years secretary of the Crompton Corset Company, Limited, of this city, died suddenly yesterday afternoon at the General Hospital, at the age of 61 years. Deceased, who had been ailing for about five months, suddenly grew worse about a week ago, and was removed to the General Hospital. Death was, however, entirely unexpected.

Deceased was born in Dunoon, Argyllshire, Scotland, in 1842, and came to Canada in 1867, settling at Chatham, Ontario. He became secretary-treasurer of the Crompton Corset Company there twenty-six years ago, and came to Toronto when the company removed here in 1877. He was married at Chatham in 1874 to Miss Ellen Fitze, who survives him. He also leaves one brother, Mr. William Walker, of Chicago. He was a member of the A. O. U. W., and of the Anglican Church, and had numerous friends. The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from his late residence, 60 St. George street, to St. Stephen's Church, thence to Mount Pleasant—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Mr. Walker will be well and favorably remembered by the older citizens of Chatham, who will much regret to hear of his rather sudden demise.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

### Important Auction Sale of Household Furniture

Andrew Thomson, Jr., Auctioneer, has received instructions from Thos. Wangenheim, who is leaving the city, to sell without reserve all his costly furniture, on Tuesday, April 7th, at one o'clock, sharp, at his residence, King St., opposite LaCroix St., consisting of the following:—

One Williams piano, walnut case, slightly used; one parlor suit, six pieces silk covering, one quarter-cut oak rocker and arm chair, two fine centre tables, walnut, and one wicker table, one brass parlor lamp, one parlor bevelled mirror, parlor and drawing room velvet carpet, Crossley make; pictures, music rack, hall tree, hall chair, fine lace curtains, one massive walnut sideboard, one walnut china closet, one walnut extension table, very large; six walnut dining chairs, including gentleman's arm chair upholstered in finest of leather; one walnut secretary, one dinner set, silverware, glassware and china, one platform rocker, Ottoman large dining rug, jardiniere, twelve-day clock, one fine coal and wood range, William Buck makes, one couch, six cane chairs, one quarter-oak bedroom set, mattress and springs; one dresser and bedstead, mattress and springs, one fine walnut wardrobe, one large rug, two Brussels carpets, one hall carpet, Brussels; chenille curtains, two toilet sets, one Williams' sewing machine, new; one lawn settee and one verandah settee, one refrigerator, kitchen utensils, one kitchen cook stove, rubber hose, garden tools, some wood and coal, and other articles too numerous to mention.

This sale will be worth the attention of anyone needing a superior class of furniture, as the above is of the best workmanship and material, and a chance, as all will be sold absolutely without reserve.

Remember Day and Date, TUESDAY, APRIL 7th, at one o'clock, sharp.

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J. G. Green, coal and wood dealer, Queen street, has a large assortment of the best grades of hard coal at lowest prices. Orders for delivering will have prompt attention. Telephone 54. 4td

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and **Style, Combined** with value, are the most essential qualities in millinery. Ours possess all those in the highest degree.

Our opening display yesterday and to-day has been the most successful we have ever had, resulting in the sale of many hats and taking many orders. Our workroom is now very busy, but not too busy to attend to your orders. Come early if you can, but no matter when you come our milliners will give you the very best attention.

**THIBODEAU & JACQUES**



It has been said of him that he was utterly incapable of appreciating O'Connell's denunciation of slavery in the United States, that he was a niggard in his praise of devoted men who took up his cause when he laid it down, that he was to paraphrase Orsini, "a prince of words, a beggar in action."

Charity, Hope and Protection  
the three cardinal principles of  
Order. By a combination in the  
order of each member of these  
attributes we have men of a  
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mon good. These features should com-  
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God hath given the same power  
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#### DRESS FABRICS

In Gowning and Suitings in every new shade and Black Cotton Fabrics for Waists and Shirt Waists Suits, and especially a display of White Wash Fabrics unequalled in variety and beauty.

#### NEW GLOVES

In **Kid** and **Fabric**. In kid every new shade for Spring in dressed and undressed.  
In Fabric Gloves, every new design, in the leading shades and Black.

#### Household Linens for Easter

A stock of rich linens, unequalled in quality, design and price.

**Wm. Foreman & Co.**

#### WESTERN WEDDING

The wedding of Miss Birdseye Knox, daughter of the late Gov. Knox of the National Soldier's Home, to Dr. Oscar Chrysler, took place on Feb. 18th, 1903, at the home of Senator and Mrs. Jno. L. Mitchell, Meadowmere, Milwaukee. The service was read by the Rev. E. P. Wright, of the Soldier's Home, the ceremony taking place in the south parlor beneath a bower of palms. The bride was robed in white brocaded satin trimmed with lace. Her veil was of white tulle and she carried a shower bouquet of white carnations and lilies of the valley. She was attended by two little flower girls, Misses Harriet and Ruth Mitchell, who were robed in white organdie trimmed with lace, and carried baskets of flowers. Miss Martha Mitchell was the maid of honor, and wore a pink liberty silk and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Dr. William Thorndike was best man. The Soldier's Home played "Lohengrin" wedding march as the bridal party entered the parlor.

Dr. and Mrs. Chrysler will occupy a new residence on the Soldier's Home grounds, Milwaukee, and will be at home after May 1st. — Milwaukee News.

Dr. Chrysler is a brother of Mrs. Albert Humphrey, of this city.

#### LOST.

Dog Lost! A black and tan collie dog three years old, short hair, white on breast, answers to name of "Jack". Strayed on 16th inst. from the C.P.R. station. A liberal reward will be given for his return or such information as will lead to his recovery. Robert Wilmore, Chatham P. O., or The Planet.

#### WANTED.

PRINTER WANTED—Young man to work on advertisements. Apply at this office.

WANTED—Competent men to appoint agents, whole or spare time. Commission paid. Apply John Doyle, Drawer 531, London.

#### FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

TO RENT—Office room, ground floor, central locality. Address Box 159.

FOR SALE—6 1-2 acres planted into 46 lots on Poplar and Sandy Sts., Chatham, close by J. H. Davis, 28 Mansur St., Detroit, Mich.

TO RENT—House on corner of William and Water Sts., with furnace and modern conveniences. Apply Jas. Glenn.

HOUSE TO RENT—House on Lowe street, four large rooms, hall, pantry, closet, summer kitchen. Apply to O. B. Hulin, 42 Head street.

FOR SALE—A few desirable houses and lots in the city; also a few good farms at low prices and easy terms of payment. Apply to J. A. Walker, Barrister, King street.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Three houses on Grant St., and house and lot on Victoria Ave. For particulars, apply to Thos. Scullard, Victoria Block, or at this office.

FARM FOR SALE—The south half of lot 6, concession 2, Township of Camden, containing 100 acres more or less. Good dwelling house and barn, also a good well on the premises. For terms apply to Bank of Montreal, Chatham, Ont.

DESIRABLE RESIDENCE FOR SALE—Large, white brick residence and ten acres of land, including orchard, stable and small frame dwelling house, formerly occupied by the late Mrs. John E. Brooke, on Park Ave., being part of lot 2, concession 2, Township of Harwich, just outside the corporation limits, low taxes; the house contains eleven rooms with large basement and attic and would make a desirable residence for a retired farmer or a market gardener. Will be sold cheap and on reasonable terms. For further particulars apply to Edwin Bell, Barrister, Fifth St., Chatham.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

#### SACHEL

—OF THE—

#### SATELLITE

It is reported that the coat of arms of the Banner will be an eagle eye.

The Council is spurring the railroad to pull up that Colborne street spur.

The Grits should get "Cap." Sullivan and son Frank to practice that Reaume person's vanishing act.

I see nothing ahead but the workhouse for my friend, John W. White, if he persists in being so philanthropic.

Good-bye, dear jail, I don't need you any more. I will leave you because I can't take you with me—Annie Reaume.

Joker John Lee had the toothache when he made his speech in Parliament last week. That isn't exactly the same kind of pain he gave his auditors.

There is no particular proof that a cage was left at the office of our contempt that the man with the eagle "I" might have a home of his own.

I think I would sooner burn my money than put it in some oil companies. In the first case you would see something for your money at any rate.

The fools are not all dead yet. But their number was shortened by one last week, when a man named Nichol rocked a row-boat on Bass Lake, up-set it and was drowned.

No, Dear Alright Yes, these oil companies are certainly not speculative concerns. If you have a thousand dollars to invest in speculation, try the bucket shop. Your money may last a little longer. Both are sure things and you needn't worry. Just kiss your money good-bye.

OPEN-HEARTED PHILANTHROPY.

To the writer of "Things that will not happen":  
"That J. W. White is going to build that athletic bungalow on the Park as a monument to his own importance." Just say, although I am not a resident of the city yet, I will endeavor to subscribe a sum at least equal to what you may give towards building the athletic bungalow, after the canvassers for subscriptions call and get yours. Kindly ask them to see me. Yours truly, J. W. White.

#### DIED IN WINDSOR

George McColl, a former resident of this city, passed away in Windsor on Saturday. Mr. McColl was a prominent contractor and carpenter, and was well known in Chatham. He was born down the river, in Raleigh Twp., and lived for many years in Chatham. Senator John McColl, of Nebraska, was a brother and Mrs. John Adams, Chicago, a sister.

Besides the widow, a family of six are left. They are George, Toronto; E. Blake, Chicago; Mrs. John Raymond, Detroit; A. K. and Cora, who live at home, and Ada, who is married and lives in Windsor.

Mr. McColl was long a resident of this city, and liked by everybody. He grew up and lived here until about 18 years ago, when he moved to Windsor.

Tax Collector William Rennie, at the request of the relatives, made the funeral arrangements to-day. Interment will take place to Maple Leaf Cemetery to-morrow. The remains will arrive on the 2.23 p.m. express from the west, and the funeral cortege will leave the station immediately afterwards.

Mr. McColl was in his 70th year. He was ill only three days, suffering from pneumonia.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

#### NOT ON THE PROGRAMME.

ACTORS ROTTEN-EGGED IN A NEW YORK THEATRE.

Were Presenting "McFadden's Row of Flats," Which Displeased a Large Number of Irishmen.

New York, March 30.—Two hundred Irishmen, whose feelings had been outraged by the performance of the travesty "McFadden's Row of Flats" at the new Star Theatre, rose in their seats in the theatre, at a signal, to-night, and pelted the performance with rotten eggs, decayed vegetables and fruit. The audience of over 2,000 were thrown into an uproar, and the actors were driven from the stage. Five of the disturbers were arrested.

The assault is openly declared to be the work of the allied Irish societies of the city and its vicinity. Major McCrystal, late of the 60th Regiment, declared forcibly last night that the Irishmen of the city are banded to keep up this very kind of work until the burlesquing of Irish characters is stopped. Other Irishmen said the same thing. The protests against the play, which is old, having been brought out by Barry & Fay, of variety stage fame, several years ago, have gone on in New England and in this city, and the Irish have all the time been growing warmer over the continued performances. A few women were among the persons standing up last night as the eggs began to fly. Not a person on the stage escaped being hit by at least two or three eggs, but none of them got more than that. The donkey was a sight. Eggs hit him everywhere, and he stood it just like a donkey. One egg went right into an ear, closing it up, whereat he hissed one eye solemnly, but stood still, as if it were part of the show, and he the hero.

#### A NARROW ESCAPE.

British Government Was Almost Defeated.

London, March 30.—In the lobbies of Parliament Saturday the opinion regarding the Irish land bill was rather less enthusiastic. It was recognized that its only chance of existence lies in the rather doubtful possibility of all parties consenting to accept in a general spirit, and that an active opposition from any quarter must inevitably wreck it. The Nationalists already are displaying restlessness. Late in the afternoon, instead of supporting the Government in the divisions, but last night, on a private member's bill of little consequence, they voted against the Government, with the result that the Ministers only escaped defeat by the narrow majority of thirteen. Had the Irishmen been present in their full strength, instead of only fifty-five of them being in the House, the Government would have been defeated.

This uncertain attitude of John Redmond's supporters is giving the Government great anxiety, and it is believed that the Irishmen show a leaning towards the late bill many Unionist supporters of the Government will counsel its withdrawal, on the ground of its unpopularity among the British electors, who are already smarting under the burdens of a heavy war taxation.

#### ROSEBERY'S DAUGHTER.

Married at Epsom to Lieut. C. J. C. Grant.

London, March 30.—The Earl of Rosebery's eldest daughter, Lady Sybil was married at Epsom on Saturday to Lieut. C. J. C. Grant, of the Coldstream Guards, son of Lieut.-Gen. Sir Robert Grant. The wedding was quiet, only a few intimates and friends of the families being present. Lord Rosebery gave away his daughter, who was attended by eight bridesmaids, including Miss Muriel White, wearing the Earl's racing colors, primrose and pink. A wedding luncheon afterwards was served at the Durdans, Lord Rosebery's seat at Epsom. The display of presents rarely has been equalled. King Edward, Queen Alexandra, the Prince and Princess of Wales and other members of the royal family sent diamond bracelets or brooches. Lord Rosebery's gift amounted to a large fortune in diamonds and pearls, tiaras, necklaces, sprays, bracelets, etc. The Rothschilds and Sassoons sent the bride numerous costly jewels.

#### HE DIED FIGHTING.

San Miguel, the Filipino Leader, was Brave.

Manila, March 30.—The report that San Miguel, Filipino leader, was killed in Friday night's fighting near Mariguina is confirmed. His body has been identified and delivered to his relatives for burial.

San Miguel, with his bodyguard, consisting of thirty men, abandoned the fort at Mariguina and attempted to escape, but the Macabebe scouts surrounded the party, mortally wounded San Miguel and killed six of the bodyguard. After he fell San Miguel emptied his revolver among the Macabebes, and died fighting.

General San Miguel was the last unrecaptured Filipino insurgent. He failed to attain prominence in the insurrection.

The bodies of the insurgents killed in the fighting at Mariguina, to the number of about fifty, were taken to Calocan to-day and surrendered to relatives.

Lieut. Reese and the other wounded scouts will recover.

Killed by a Falling Tree.

Maxwell, March 28.—Thomas Hudson, nephew of Dr. Kerr, Toronto, was killed to-day, near here, by a tree falling upon him.

#### MAY ADJOURN TO-DAY.

If House Concludes, Judges Will Meet Soon.

Toronto, March 30.—The proceedings in the Legislature to-day will to a large extent determine the immediate course with reference to the Royal Commission on the Gamey charges. The Opposition still assume a critical attitude toward the evidence act, but Mr. Foy rather withdrew his open hostility when Colonel Gibson challenged him on the occasion of the last references to the measure. If the bill passes to-day Chief Justice Moss will make a special trip to the Parliament buildings to give royal assent, and the commission will organize some day toward the end of the week, though they may not commence taking evidence before next Monday.

The Opposition promise a fight over the question of adjourning the House until April 21, though Mr. Whitney said he hoped to conclude the business to-day if the members are present for voting. The other contentious matter is the voting of \$200,000 supplies asked for April, without which the service, and all persons having business with the Government will be greatly inconvenienced. Then there will be the address in reply to the speech from the throne, the proposal to pass which Mr. Whitney objected to on Friday night. The disposal of this, however, is not absolutely necessary before adjournment, although his Honor may not think the House very respectful if they defer their formal offering of thanks until after the approaching long adjournment.

There seems little doubt but that Mr. Gamay will go before the commission. At least the concern of the Opposition over the terms of the evidence bill gives color to that view. In any case Mr. Gamay, if summoned, as he doubtless will be, will be under the same regulations for compulsory attendance and answering of questions as any person else.

#### SCOTCHMEN PROTEST.

Desire to Give Macdonald National Funeral.

London, March 30.—The despatch of the remains of Major-General Macdonald, who committed suicide in Paris, to Scotland by train, was the occasion for a remarkable demonstration owing to the fact that his widow had decided that the burial shall take place at 6 o'clock in the morning, immediately after the arrival of the body at Edinburgh. Hundreds of Scotchmen, representing the Highland societies and several Scotch members of Parliament, gathered on the platform at the King's Cross Railway station here. Most of the Scotchmen wore their national costumes, wreaths were placed on the coffin in the name of the different clans, and the pipes played national dirges as the body was entrained. All attempts to persuade the widow to delay the interment and permit the Highlanders to arrange for a national funeral in the Highlands, having failed, a large number of influential Scotchmen adjourned to the hotel in the railway station and held a meeting of protest. The Scotch members of Parliament, Allan and James Galloway and others, made speeches, and a resolution was adopted urging the Lord Provost of Edinburgh to renew the efforts to get the funeral postponed.

#### QUEER TREASURE HOUSE.

A Kalarad Farmer Finds a \$500 Nugget in a Pig.

Belleville, March 30.—Isaac Gunnell of Kalarad, who some time ago found a nugget of gold on his farm, is reported to have found in a pig which he killed last week a big nugget, for which he was offered \$500.

#### Death of Mr. Geo. Read, ex-M.P.P.

Keene, March 29.—Mr. George Read, ex-M.P.P., a pioneer merchant of Keene, died to-day, at the age of 84 years. The deceased had resided in Keene for over sixty years. He leaves one daughter and two sons. His wife and two daughters died some years ago. He was a Conservative.

#### TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Dr. D. Gilbert Gordon died in Baltimore.

M.H.K. producers of Hamilton propose to advance prices.

Mr. James Campbell Taylor, a well-known Hamilton business man, is dead.

The Cuban Senate ratified the treaty with the United States by a vote of twelve to nine.

Frank McDermott, watchman on the C. P. R. at Gravel River, was struck by a freight train and killed.

Mr. Isaac Gunnell of Kalarad found a \$500 gold nugget in the throat of a pig that he killed last week.

The King's journey to Dalkeith and Holyrood next May will be followed, according to reports, by a royal progress through Ireland.

Chancellor Boyd has ordered the Crown to pay the costs of the special case as to the liability of the estate of the late Hugh Ryan for further succession duties.

Hon. Thomas Greenway is fighting the lumber combine in the west, and will ask the Dominion Government to institute a judicial inquiry into its methods.

It is reported that the Streetsville woolen mills, the property of A. W. Bruden & Co., have been placed in the hands of Mr. George H. Edmison in trust for the creditors.

Cache Bay, Township of Springer, District of Nipissing, has been granted incorporation as a town, and nominations for the municipal Council will be held on April 11. The first meeting of the Council will take place on April 25.

The following Provincial appointments are announced:—J. E. Elliott of Toronto, to be associate coroner for Toronto; A. E. Annis of Dryden, to be a notary public; James Harvey of London, to be bailiff of the first division Court for the County of Middlesex.

## REGATTA SHIRTS...

Every man likes to have a goodly supply of pretty patterned shirts. In fact now-a-days he gives the choosing of his shirts as much or more consideration than his necktie.

The season for these goods is at its height and we can please you with more up to-date designs and colorings than is the wont of one store to show. Our \$1 range is worthy of emphasis as the patterns are good, the quality better than usual—and the stock at this price largest. At 75c. there are more especially attractive things in white grounds with blue and white and black and white cluster stripes. Here exclusive patterns and better qualities run as high as \$1.50.

**THORNTON & DOUGLAS, Ltd.**

## BROKEN AT LAST...

"The jug that goes often to the well is broken at last."

To replace the jug or any other piece of broken Crockery you should buy at this store. New Jugs just to hand for Cream, Milk or Water—5c., 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c.

One Dozen Gold Lined Cups, Saucers and Plates, special at \$1.90  
See our 25c. Glass Assortment of Celery Trays, Syrup Jugs, Vinegar Jugs, Biscuit Jars, Vases, Berry Dishes.

**GRAY'S Bazaar and China Hall**

#### FAREWELL MUSIC

Last evening was Miss Blanche E. Baxter's last service as directress of Victoria Avenue Methodist choir and a splendid evening of music was given. Miss Baxter will take charge of William street Baptist choir next Sunday. Last evening's music was as follows:

Anthem, Jerusalem the Golden—W. J. Rutley and choir.

Anthem, Lift up your Heads—Choir.

Offertory solo, Saved by Grace—Baxter.

#### GIVEN A CHANCE

"It is far worse to steal from your employer than from anyone else, because your employer trusts you," remarked Judge Houston this morning in passing sentence on James Bradshaw, convicted of stealing wrenches and shells from A. H. Patterson, the hardware merchant. I have gone carefully over the evidence. I came down early this morning to do it and I find that there is no reasonable doubt of your guilt. If absolute proof were required, there would be very few convictions. In consideration of your previous good character for your family, and the fact that you are a good workman, I will suspend sentence for six months. If at the end of that time you come back with a good character, I will give you a light sentence. Too many regard suspended sentences lightly and only wipe them off when they come up to answer to a second charge." After warning Mr. Bradshaw to return at the end of six months, the Judge ordered his release from custody.

Crown Attorney Herbert D. Smith prosecuted, and O. L. Lewis defended in this case.

#### ABOLISH ENCORES

"Encores should be abolished at church entertainments," remarked Judge Houston this morning. "I know they are nice and that the performers like them, but they make the program too long. One of the best church concerts I ever attended was at the Jarvis street Baptist church, Toronto. The late Mr. Pegley and myself were in the Queen City on legal business. We heard of the concert but decided not to go as we didn't care to be up half the night. A friend told us that we needn't be afraid of that as the concert would begin at 8.30 and be through by 10 o'clock. Mr. Pegley was very fond of music so we went. We learned on our arrival that all encores were forbidden. It was a splendid idea. One of our party desired to hear a solo on the organ repeated. He asked the organist if he wouldn't play it over once. The musician assented, but said that he would have to wait till after the concert and he wouldn't touch the instrument till every person was out of the church. The abolishment of the encore improved the concert wonderfully."

"There is another thing I would like to see advocated, and that is that no person be allowed to enter while a number on the program is being given. Besides annoying the audience and distracting attention, the entrance of anyone always bothers the performer."

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