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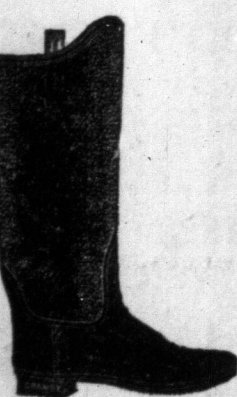
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MUSICAL DIRECTOR CARTER SECURES JUDGMENT FOR LIBEL

Court Gives Him Vindication on the Innuendoes Published Against Him—Proffered Apologies Were not Accepted and Nominal Judgment was Entered.

In the case of Carter vs. Woodward, for libel, judgment was entered yesterday for the plaintiff, R. Victor Carter, musical director of the Krause Conservatory of music, against the defendant, publisher of the Banner-News for the nominal verdict of one shilling and full costs, by consent. One shilling, the nominal verdict, is equivalent to 20 cents.

The costs will approximately amount to \$500.

The above is the official vindication of Mr. Carter in his much discussed case against the Banner-News, in which he charged that that paper had libelled himself and injured the financial standing of the institution over which he presides. The newspaper through its counsel proffered a retraction in the court, which was not accepted—neither was the apology drafted by Mr. Wilson agreeable to Mr. Rankin.

Upon the case being called for trial the judge asked if any settlement could be arrived at and called upon Mr. Rankin for the grounds of his defense. Mr. Rankin urged that the Banner-News' statements were not libelous, but the judge said he had carefully read them and would tell the jury that they might find them libelous because they imputed insolvency, and for the further reason that they held Mr. Carter up to ridicule.

Upon this statement being made Mr. Wilson for the plaintiff offered to take a nominal verdict with costs of action, and parties withdrew to see if a settlement could be arrived at. Upon returning into the court room counsel for the plaintiff and defendant stated that they had agreed that the Banner-News shall pay all costs and should give such apology as the learned judge thought proper for the vindication of the plaintiff. The judge, however, declined to write the apology, or to state just what it should contain and, after some further discussion, the defendants accepted the offer which had been made by Mr. Wilson, and consented to a judgment going in favor of Mr. Carter, directing defendants to pay 20 cents damages and the full costs of action. During the discussion Mr. Wilson suggested that the defendants ought now to express some regret for having published these articles, but the learned judge interposed the remark, "Of course the defendants regret it when they have to pay the costs."

And he simply entered judgment for plaintiff for 20 cents and for full costs of action, upon the High court scale. It appeared during the discussion that the plaintiff had always been willing to accept either an apology or a nominal judgment with costs.

"I don't think a newspaper has any right to say whatever it pleases about a man's private business, and I shall certainly charge the jury to that effect."

These words were addressed to Mr. Rankin and Mr. Wilson by Judge Meredith at the County Court yesterday afternoon when the libel case of Carter vs. the Banner-News came up for trial.

"It is a very petty case," continued he, "and one that ought to be settled out of the Court. I have read the articles over very carefully, and I think that Mr. Carter is, to some extent, justified in bringing on the suit, they gave the reader the impression that Mr. Carter was insolvent."

Mr. Rankin—The writer of the articles did not mean to convey that impression.

The Judge—Then why does the paper not repent and apologize and save all the unnecessary expense of trying the case.

Mr. Rankin—We do not wish to do that.

The Judge—What business is it to the public whether Mr. Carter is able to pay his debts or not?

Mr. Rankin—The parents of the pupils were liable to have to pay twice.

The Judge—Why?

Mr. Rankin—Some of the teachers had instructed their patrons not to pay their money into the Conservatory. If they did they would probably have to pay twice.

The Judge—The parents are not the public. I don't feel like thrashing out this petty affair. If you have found out you are wrong, say so.

The question is whether the article is capable of injury to Mr. Carter. It would be just as well. You would save these hundreds of dollars of expense.

Mr. Rankin—Probably it would be just as well if the parties would get together this evening and see if some amicable arrangement can be made.

The Judge—I think that would be a good plan. If it is tried at this Court it will only go to the Court of Appeal and then the Supreme Court and so on and the result then would be very unsatisfactory. It is not proper. The end would never be reached, and it strikes me that before it had gone far both parties would be sorry that they ever embarked on such an endless amount of litigation. The best way out of the difficulty

is the quickest. If the newspaper finds that they have made a mistake let them retract it and let the matter drop. The trial would certainly be as interesting to me as any one else.

Mr. Rankin—The defendant says he did not mean to say that the plaintiff was insolvent.

The Judge—Then if he thinks that the articles are capable of conveying that impression he should retract. When I read the articles I thought it was capable of being construed in that way. I also thought that it held the plaintiff up to ridicule. An editor has no right whatever to treat a private citizen in that manner.

Mr. Wilson and Mr. Rankin then retired to see if they could make some settlement. When they returned Mr. Wilson said—

"We have come to an agreement that any retraction which Your Lordship thinks proper will be published in the paper. The defendant is willing to pay all the costs. All we ask is a retraction of what he published, and regret for so doing."

Mr. Rankin—We will publish anything which will take the sting out of the article. Anything which your Lordship deems advisable will be accepted by us.

The Judge—I don't wish to interfere in this matter personally. Let the defendants draw up an article apologizing for the article.

Mr. Wilson—And that they regret it.

The Judge—They will certainly regret it if they pay the costs.

Here the court was convulsed in laughter, but were instantly checked by the stern voice of the prior calling them to order.

The jury in the Carroll vs. McVean case then came in and gave a verdict for the plaintiff for \$400 and costs.

HANGED TO A POLE

Swift Retribution at Helena, Montana—Accused Taken from Jail.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 2.—James Edward Brady, a man who assaulted five-year-old Ida Pusley, in Helena yesterday, was taken from the jail by a mob at 1.30 this morning and hanged to a telegraph pole in the Haymarket Square, about three blocks from the jail. The crowd was orderly, and after the hanging quickly dispersed. There were about 200 men engaged in the affair, and they were all masked. They attacked the jail door with a battering ram, and it soon yielded. On gaining admittance they demanded at the point of a gun the keys of the jailer, and threatened if he did not yield the man they would kill him. The jailer then got the man out of his cell, and he was given to the mob. When they first took him Brady asked: "What is it, gentlemen?" The march to the hanging place was placid. There Brady was given a chance to say a word. He declared that they had the wrong man although he was positively identified by his victim, and a score of other persons who had seen him with the child. He also asked that some money that was due him from the Montana Central Railroad be sent to a niece, and then he was pulled up. The end of the rope was tied in the pole and the crowd dispersed. Later Sheriff McConnell cut the body down and placed it in a coffin. There will be an investigation to-day.

TWO YOUTHS LYNCHED.

Shelbyville, Ky., Oct. 2.—Jimbo Fields, aged 16, and Clarence Garnett, aged 18, both colored, were lynched here early this morning for the alleged murder of Willie Hart, a printer, who was stoned to death on Saturday night, Sept. 21. The mob went to the jail and were refused entrance. The doors were then battered down, and the prisoners quickly removed and swung from a railroad trestle. The details of Hart's death are not accurately known, but the evidence was conclusive that Fields and Garnett were his murderers.

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VESSELS FOUNDER

Schooners Drake and Michigan Lost off Vermillion Point.

Sault Ste Marie, Michigan, Oct. 2.—The Northern Wave entered the canal at 8.30 o'clock, with four of the crew of the steamer Drake and schooner Michigan, undoubtedly foundered off Vermillion Point this afternoon.

When about 15 miles west of Vermillion Point with a 55-mile gale blowing and in a heavy rain and snow storm, the Michigan, in tow of the Drake, began to fill. The Michigan was abandoned, her crew being taken on board the Drake. While the Drake was rescuing the Michigan's crew the two boats came together, the Drake losing her smokestack and having her decks and cabin stove in. Little headway could be made by the Drake, and her cabin was cut up for fuel. She began to fill and was flying distress signals when sighted by the Northern Wave. Capt. M. S. Peterson, in attempting a rescue had his boat badly damaged. Two of the crew of the Michigan, and two of the Drake's crew got aboard the Northern Wave and the balance were picked up by the Crescent City. Capt. Peterson believes both the Drake and Michigan went down, as there were four inches of water over the Michigan's cargo of iron ore and 20 inches in the Drake when they were abandoned.

The Michigan went down at 2 p. m., and all agree that it was only a question of a short time when the Drake would founder as she was filling fast when abandoned at 5 p. m. The Crescent City is not damaged.

Kingston, Ontario, October 2.—The steamer Richelieu, owned by the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co., and engaged on the route between Kingston and Belleville, foundered today while bound for this city. She was within three miles of port when she took a header and sank. A fairly heavy sea was running, which caused her cargo of freight to shift and before she could be righted she filled and went down in about 60 feet of water. Her crew and the passengers got ashore safely.

The Richelieu carried 60 tons of tomatoes. She was built at Montreal in 1845, was owned by Capt. Fligault of Montreal, and was valued at \$8,000.

SCOTCH SHOW

Ex-Mayor Smith Speaks Highly of the Glasgow Exhibition.

"I suppose you took in the Glasgow Exposition," Ex-Mayor Smith was asked this morning.

"Yes, Spent two days there."

"How did you like it?"

"I was very much disappointed with it, but probably I expected too much but I consider the Toronto exhibition a long way ahead of it."

"What parts of the exposition did you consider the best?"

"I considered the fruit exhibit of Canada the most important part of the show, as it was certainly fine, and in splendid condition, and the Irish exhibit was very interesting, and their buildings and surroundings were typical of the country and they deserve special credit for their display. The display of Canadian buggies was not up to the mark and Gray & Son, or Miller's work I consider far superior. From a financial standpoint, the exposition is a great success so long."

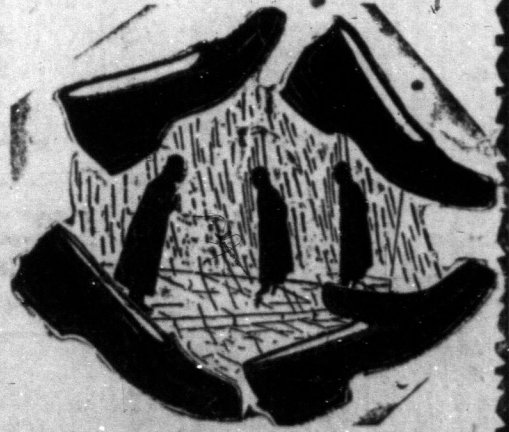
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If your paper fails to arrive regularly, or if you can suggest a better connection, or a better route, please communicate with the circulation department.

THURSDAY, OCT. 3.

GOOD ROADS.

At the Good Roads Congress in Buffalo there was a general agreement among delegates that the rise of public interest in good roads was steady and strong, and it was believed by the delegates from every section that much progress would be made in the next few years. This hopeful view is probably well founded. In nearly every important district there are enough good roads, or samples of roads, to serve as object lessons, and it is certain that wherever people have an opportunity to use and enjoy fine highways they will demand the improvement of other roads near by. Comfort and convenience in the use of public roads soon seem necessities to those who have an opportunity to ride on highways such as all prosperous civilized countries ought to consider indispensable. Then ways and means of building and maintaining them are found even though it may have seemed impossible to do so when all the roads were bad.—London Free Press.

THE SYRACUSE CASE.

The star chamber finding of the ministerial committee of investigation in the McAmmond and Sanderson case seems to be as unsatisfactory to the friends of the accused as to the general public. The following selection from an editorial in the Smith's Falls News is especially significant in view of the fact that it is generally understood that Mr. J. H. Ross, proprietor of the News, was the commissioner who proceeded to Syracuse on behalf of the defendants to collect evidence. In the course of a lengthy review of the finding, the News says:

"To the general public the finding of the committee simply means that both ministers were guilty of wrong doing, but that Rev. Mr. Sanderson was the guilty, and the committee went to their extreme limit with him and passed him over to the tender consideration of the Montreal conference which meets next June. To one who is thoroughly acquainted with all the evidence before the committee, and to one who knows all the facts in connection with the unfortunate case, the finding is a most one-sided and unfair one. And in fact to the general public, who are not acquainted with all the details, the finding is pronounced an unfair one. The false registration of the names in the hotel register is the clue to all the unpleasant charges which follow. Had not Mr. McAmmond registered falsely the explanations of himself and Mr. Sanderson as to the unfortunate incidents would have been taken without question, but viewed in the light of that false registration, which in itself implies a desire to cover up and hide their identity, those after incidents, have, to say the least, a very suspicious look to one who is not acquainted with all the evidence that has been procured."

FOREIGN MARKETS.

A communication from Mr. J. S. Larke, Canadian commercial agent in Australia, which has recently appeared in the press, strongly emphasizes the view that Canada's commercial future depends on exploiting foreign

markets, points out the Ottawa Citizen. Fiscal legislation has done all it can in the way of building up Canadian manufacturers by protecting the home market for our own products, but there appears to be a lack of enterprise among Canadians in branching out and making a place for their surplus products in the outside markets of the world. If British merchants and manufacturers rested content with the home market that country would have never attained the position in wealth and prosperity she holds to-day. On the other hand Canadian merchants and manufacturers, through timidity or lack of enterprise, seem content to limit their production of the home market and even if they do not cut rates they limit their production to the local demand instead of increasing production and branching out. According to Mr. Larke even when markets are opened up for them they do not show energy enough to hold them. In 1876 our exports to Australia were \$185,670. The next year an effort was made to extend the trade and in a few years it reached \$661,208. Presumably considering that having secured such a footing our Canadian shippers would do the rest, the government relaxed its efforts and by 1894 the export had dropped back to nearly what it was before. Another effort has been made to increase Canadian trade, and it has been successful, but surely Canadian merchants and manufacturers have enough energy and enterprise to branch out for themselves without depending entirely on the government to put trade their way; and having secured a foothold the least to be expected is that even if they do not increase its volume they will at least hold on to it.

THE G. O. C.'S DETERMINATION.

Ottawa Citizen.
The general officer commanding has probably decided that the khaki boys are not to be allowed to indulge in khaki-nation at his expense.

CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE.

New York World.
When the Isthmian Canal is completed passengers can sit on the deck of ships in transit and enjoy a revolution on either side.

WHO'S WHO?

Ottawa Citizen.
A casual reader of the Globe report of the royal tour across the continent would need to do some mental rubbering to discover whether the receptions were in honor of the royal party or Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

WHY ST. CATHARINES TREMBLES.

St. Catharines Star.
The only objection to the Nineteenth going to Toronto is that when the Duke hears Mr. Peel's band play he will want to take it home with him.

YES, OR IN TORONTO.

Louisville Courier-Journal.
No American who was in Canada at the time of the death of President McKinley could have failed to be deeply touched by the bearing of the Canadians. It was as if the American were in his own land, so general and sincere was the engrossing interest in the tragedy, so mournful the regret, so strong the indignation. Truly it would have been a benign education if every illiberal citizen of our country could have spent two days of last week in Montreal.

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NEIGHBORS.

Detroit Tribune.
Hundreds of people live in Detroit and work in Windsor or Walkerville, while many others, from various reasons, sentimental and practical, live in Windsor and toil in Detroit.

BOTH OF THEM OBJECTIONABLE.

Washington Post.
The wife of an Ohio minister alleges that her husband kicked her because she endeavored to induce him to eat a cold dinner. Cold dinners are somewhat exasperating, but kicking clergymen are worse.

THE DUKE IN CAMP.

Goderich Signal.
The heir-apparent and his gentle partner will remember the incident of their visit to the lumber camp long after the military pageants and the pumped-up enthusiasm of the tuff-lunged have faded from their memory. The three cooks in the lumber shanty who didn't take off their slouch hats to royalty, and who nonchalantly smoked their little black tobacco pipes in the august presence, did more to impress the visitors than Jack Canuck in an embodied business proposition than all the thousands of dollars that were spent to create the idea that Canada is best represented by gillbladder and tinseled trappings.

DISTRICT DOINGS

SOUTH BUXTON.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Gleason have just returned from a few days' visit with friends near Mitchell's Bay.
Miss Mary Doyle, of Chatham, is the guest of Mrs. Jas. Wellwood.
Rev. Mr. McLaren preached and administered the sacrament of the Lord's Supper in St. Andrew's Church last Sunday.
Mr. McKenzie has left for college, and Rev. Mr. Scott, of Leamington, takes his place.

CHARGING CROSS.

Ed Chambers has returned to Fargo after relieving Mr. Smith the M. C. R. agent, who has completely recovered a severe attack of typhoid fever.
Mr. McKenzie paid a flying visit to his home on Sunday.
Quite a number from here are going to take in the Pan-American next week.

Wm. Walker spent Monday in Chatham on business.
A. Robertson and A. Jacobs, spent Sunday in Fargo among friends.
Blonde Bros. of Chatham, have almost completed the contract of A. Wright's new residence.

Most of the farmers in this section are busy sowing their fall wheat.
George Cleve, formerly of this place but now of Blenheim, spent Sunday here among friends.
Bruce Walker, of Blenheim road, is now working on the M. C. R. R. section.

Miss Lizzie Early is spending a few days with friends in Chatham. Jerry Russell has rented his farm on the Middle Road to Messrs. Simpson & McEachern at a good price per year.
The bean crop in this vicinity is going to be far better than it was expected to be at one time.

Miss Mary Early has returned home after spending a few weeks in St. Thomas with friends.

Fred. Wright is fitting up his carriage team to show at the Chatham fair, and he will surely get the prize if he gets justice.
Harry Jenner, of the Middle Road, bought a valuable mare of George Wright last week for the handsome sum of \$150.

FRENCH'S S. S.

Sunday school rally day, Sunday, Sept. 28th, was observed in a very fitting manner at French's S. S. by a special order of services both in the morning and afternoon. During the morning service a very inspiring address was given by Mr. I. E. Brock; short addresses were also given by the superintendent and the secretary of the school. A duet by the Misses Brock was very well rendered. In the afternoon an illustrated temperance address was given by Warren Martin, who in a very able manner contrasted the wine cup and the cup of righteousness. After the address a temperance pledge was presented and signed by seventeen of the scholars.

TOWN HALL, DOVER.

J. W. Fleming's improved barn is rapidly nearing completion.
Henry Robert had a complete set of single harness taken from his barn on Monday evening last. No clue.
A number from here attended a dance at Mr. Gagnier's new hall, Pain Court, last week.

Miss Annie Bechard, of Chatham, visited relatives here last week.
D. Dagneau will move to Chatham on Tuesday.

Inspector Park visited our school on Monday. While here he gave the Sec. Treas. fifty dollars, special grant for continuation grant.

Following is the standing of the pupils in S. S. No. 13, for the month of September:
Class IV.—M. Cadotte 132, A. King 126, C. Faubert 118, H. Caron 50.
Class III.—N. Desmarais 52, E. Belisle 41, Al. Bechard 40, R. Leish 31.
Class II.—M. B. King 59, M. King 34, W. Faubert 17, D. Bechard 13, A. King 12, M. Charbonneau 8, R. Caron 3, V. Desmarais 3.
Part II.—A. Faubert and B. Campbell 83, E. Faubert 73, F. Bechard 63, J. King 60, M. McLean 59, Th. Lauzon 57, J. Campbell 50, P. King 40, Geo. Cadotte 35, A. Faubert 24, L. Leish 19.

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Men's Tweed Suits—Nobby patterns in good, all wool tweeds, stylish cut, serviceable linings, perfect fitting, in light and dark colorings, fall weight, sizes 35 to 42 in., at \$5.90, \$7.50 and \$8.50.	ed, silk stitched, best grade Italian linings, sizes 34 to 42 in. the best value in Chatham, at \$10.00	Boys 2 pc. Suits, in fine tweeds and navy serges, single and double breasted, nobby styles, well made, sizes 23 to 28, special at \$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.00.
Fine Tweed Suits—Pure wool quality, made up in latest styles, medium and heavy weights, extra good linings, guaranteed to give satisfaction in wear, sizes 35 to 42 in., matchless values at \$8, \$9 and \$10.	Men's Serge Suits—Fine firm all wool quality, clean crisp finish, indigo dye, double breasted saque style, properly tailored, choice linings, sizes 35 to 42, our leader at \$8.00	Boys 3 pc. Suits, nobby patterns, in tweeds and serges, smart styles, well made substantial linings, sizes 28 to 33 inches, special at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00.
Men's Suits—Good, solid wearing tweeds in neat patterns, autumn weights, well made, sizes 35 to 42 in., special at \$5.50, \$5 and \$4.50	Men's O. Coats—Fine imported pure wool Kersey overcoats, extra well tailored, best grade linings, navy and black, made in two lengths; a wonder for the price, \$10.00	Young Men's Suits, new patterns, in fine tweeds, also indigo serges and worsteds, extra well tailored, fine Italian linings, perfect fitting, size 33 to 35, special at \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00 \$8.00 and \$10.00.
Men's Black Worsteds Suits—Fine pure wool, imported quality, smooth, soft twills, best black dye, single breasted saque style, properly tailored, \$4.00	Young Men's O. Coats—Black boucle cloth, fly front, velvet collar, medium length, Italian linings, sizes 32 to 36, special at \$4.00	Underwear, for men and boys; we are now showing the best values we ever offered; see them before buying.

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SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria avenue, and six on Maple street. For full particulars apply to S. Stephenson, Planet office.

FOR SALE—\$500 will buy one and a half acres on Victoria avenue. \$400 will buy two lots in one block on Maple street. Apply at Planet office.

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HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—125 Wellington St. West; lot 56 x 208. House in good repair; brick foundation; 7 rooms, closets, pantries, bath room, etc. Leaving the city; will sell cheap. For full particulars apply to Jno. A. Tilt.

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TENDERS FOR PRINTING

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until October 10th, 1901, for printing Dover Township by-laws in 300 pamphlets. Copies of the by-laws can be seen at the clerk's office, Head street, Chatham. The lowest tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN WELSH, Township Clerk, Chatham, Ont.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders will be received up till noon, Monday, October 7th, 1901, for the erection and completion of a verandah, including brick work, stone work, wood work, and tile roof, for Mr. Jno. Waddell, City. Plans and all information may be had at the office of Jas. W. Carswell, architect, with whom tenders are to be left.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. JAMES W. CARSWELL, Architect, Chatham, Ont., Oct. 1st, '01. 4td

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And get the best work in the city.

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Satisfaction
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Bread delivered to any part of the
city.

W. S. Richards
Phone 156. Kent Bakery.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

W. N. Drader is in Glencoe to-day
on business.

Geo. Wanda, of Merlin, was in the
city yesterday.

A. E. Edsall, of Thamesville, was in
the city yesterday.

Mrs. Clark, of Comber, is visiting in
the city to-day.

J. L. H. Bellis, of this city, is
visiting in Tilbury.

F. A. Ogilvie, of Dresden, spent yester-
day in the city.

E. J. Whitford, of Blenheim, was
in the city to-day.

Peter Duff is spending a few days
with friends in Leamington.

F. P. Weldon is spending the day in
Ridgeway attending the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. James Taff are at-
tending the Fall Fair in Ridgeway to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. James, of Til-
bury, were Chatham guests yester-
day.

John Bullis, of Kingston, is in the
city to-day calling on his friend T.
M. Tennant.

Foreman Jacques and Coyle have
completed washing out the pavilion
at the fair grounds.

At the Police Court this morning
Jake Enos charged Fred Moore, D.
R. McGavin's foreman, with assault.
The case was dismissed.

Miss Payne, stenographer at the
Lake Erie offices, is enjoying a couple
of weeks' holidays. Her position is
being taken by Edward Griffith.

J. F. Maime, of the London Life In-
surance Co., stationed at Chatham, has
returned home after spending a few
days in the city.

O'Keefe & Drew report that the
markets in live hogs are very dull. It
is exceedingly hard at present to make
any sales. It is expected that the price
will be lowered considerably next week.

The funeral of the late Miss Gertrude
Toll, whose death was reported in
Tuesday's Planet, took place this after-
noon at 2 o'clock from her late home,
9th concession, Raleigh, to Maple Leaf
cemetery.

We Want to Buy a House

In a good location, with a bedroom
downstairs. We will pay \$2,000 to
\$1,200 cash for same. Come at once.

Money to Loan. Fire Insurance
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We Expect a Visit from You

As soon as you can make it convenient to call.
You have weak eyes and we want to strength-
en them for you. We know you have weak
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to read for any length of time without twisting
and turning your book constantly.

Your eyes probably smart, burn, ache—and
very likely you suffer from headache. These
are all common and well-known symptoms of
overworked—overworked—tired eyes. We meet
with them every day in our business, and know
exactly what to do to relieve the trouble.
Glasses are the cure. We adjust them cor-
rectly—accurately. EXAMINATION FREE.

A. I. McCall & Co., Druggists
and Opticians

ALL PASSED

Regimental Officers Who Attended the
Special Course of Instruction.

All of the officers of the 24th Regi-
ment who attended the military school
at London this summer were success-
ful in their examinations. In the list
of successful candidates received by
Lieut.-Col. Rankin are noticed the
following:—

Field Officers—Lieut.-Col. Rankin,
Major Scholfield, Capt. W. Mowbray,
and Capt. Spry.
Captains—G. Massey and G. W.
McLaren.
Subalterns—Lieuts.—J. S. Black, F.
Stone and O. Watson.

TO THE JURY

Sifton Murder Case Goes To-day—De-
fence All in.

London, Ont., Oct. 2.—The Sifton
murder trial is almost at an end.
Only his lordship's charge to the jury
remains to be given. The defence cut
its case shorter than had been an-
ticipated and are depending almost
solely upon the medical testimony to
clear its client.

This afternoon the defence called
two witnesses who claimed to have
seen the deceased Sifton on the way
to the barn on the morning of the
tragedy carrying an axe on his shoulder.
This was calculated to disprove
Walter Herbert's story that Gerald
Sifton had taken the axe to the barn
himself.

The addresses of counsel to the jury
occupied four hours and forty min-
utes, of which E. F. B. Johnston for
the prisoner used up three. The
learned counsel apparently made an
effective address, devoting much of
his opportunity to fiercely criticising
the three Mordens, who were crown
witnesses.

The prisoner is showing marked
evidence of the terrible strain which
is upon him and the whole afternoon
his young wife sat close to the dock,
where she wept almost continuously.

IN TROUBLE

Detroiters Wanted to Visit Fancy Ball
and Go Into Mix-up.

The red house in the valley was de-
serted last evening. The Ever Ready
Society was having a fancy ball at
the Basewood Tavern in the country
about ten miles from Chatham. About
10 o'clock last night a cab drove up
to Tilly Wilkins' little red house in
the Brookly Valley with a man
from Detroit. He had been to the
corner of Duke street and no one was
at home and the man from the City
of the Straits was likewise disap-
pointed at Tilly's cardinal hue domicile.

He learned of the ball which the
valley residents were attending at the
Basewood Tavern and all undant-
ed he set out for the scene of festi-
vities at 2:15 a. m. P. C. Thos.
Groves saw the man at the Rankin
house. He had just returned from
the fancy dress ball which he had
so eagerly set out to attend.

He had evidently run up against
the stern realities of the ball, for his
face and features were badly changed
and cut. There was nothing fancy
about his appearance, although he
certainly looked odd. He said a
young man had pounded him in the air,
but had not shot at him.

This morning the man, who gave
his name as Ned Thedy, and swore
out an information for assault in the
County Court. Detective McGregor
arrested the defendant this morning
at six o'clock on his return to the
city.

He was arraigned in the County
Court this morning but, the witness
not being presentable, the case was
adjourned till 4 o'clock to-day.

A BUILDER—Are You Losing
Weight?—The D. & L. Emulsion will
always help and build you up. Re-
stores proper digestion and brings
back health. Manufactured by the
Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in
Cows.

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NOTICE that sweet, delicious taste
that our bread, pies, cakes, etc.,

are always fresh and tasty. Once a
customer you will stay with us.

Wm. Somerville,
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Next Standard Bank Chatham.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

HIGHGATE.

R. F. Decker, Leamington, is the
guest of Wm. Morrison.
Miss Addie Scott has returned from
a visit with friends in Shelden.
Mrs. and Miss Livingston, of Ridge-
town, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Logan on Sunday last.

FLORENCE.

Miss Bertha Hall has returned from
visiting at Galt and Kingsville.
Rev. Mr. Drumm, of Thamesville,
will occupy the Presbyterian pulpit
on Sunday next.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hanks cele-
brated their golden wedding on the
4th inst. A very pleasant time was
enjoyed by the large family gather-
ing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Taylor, of Mor-
peth, visited friends here last Sunday
and Monday.

Miss Ida Corbett has returned to
Windsor after spending a couple of
weeks' holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Scarlett and chil-
dren are visiting near Blenheim.

The Presbyterian W. F. M. S. held
their annual Thanksgiving meeting
last Friday evening. After the usual
business was conducted a good pro-
gram was rendered.

Miss Maggie Trotter is visiting
Mrs. (Dr.) Craig in Detroit.
A farewell at home in honor of our
Presbyterian ministers, Revs. Brown
and Young, was given last Wednes-
day evening by the Methodist and
Presbyterian congregations. The
Orange Hall was prettily decorated
for the occasion and was filled with
a large number. After ample justice
was done to the good things provid-
ed the evening was spent in social
intercourse, addresses, music and re-
citations.

MORPETH.

Collins Handy, Jr., west of the vil-
lage, is away on a visit to his son,
Hon. S. T. Handy, of Crystal Falls,
Mich.

Miss T. Wade is on a visit to re-
latives and friends at Toronto and
other points.

The heavy winds of last week play-
ed havoc with the fishermen's nets
along the shore in this locality.

Mrs. Charles Sparham, "Wood-
lawn," has returned home after spend-
ing several weeks in the north for
the benefit of her health.

Mrs. John Palmer, of Detroit, is at
the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Cyrus
Stanton, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Stephen Thatcher is visiting
relatives at St. Thomas.

Dr. Charlesworth, of Mount Can-
non, has decided to locate in the vil-
lage.

The Fairchild farm, west of the vil-
lage, was sold one day last week to
Francis Favat, of Harwich.

Wm. and Herbert Taylor, Talbot
street, were married on the 18th inst.
for several weeks have returned home.
They say there is no place like Onta-
rio.

Mrs. Walter Springsteen and little
son, Stanley, of the Lake Shore, have
returned from a visit to relatives in
Exeter.

Louis Bently and Miss M. Lane,
daughter of George Lane, Talbot
street, were married on the 18th inst.
Mrs. McCain, who has been suffer-
ing from an attack of typhoid fever,
is improving.

Mrs. Hiram Gardiner, of Detroit,
is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Jas.
McKinley, Talbot street.

Special Thanksgiving services will
be held in St. John's church on next
Sabbath. Special music will be ren-
dered by the choir and the church
will be appropriately decorated for
the occasion. Services at 11 a. m.
and at 7:30 p. m.

PLANET ADLETS.

WANTED—Two men, at once, to can-
vass and collect. Address D. Plan-
et Office.

WANTED—Two boys, about 18 years
of age, to work in planing mill. J.
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Business expectations in great modern retailing rest upon the ability to sustain
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will begin. Therefore the most powerful incentive to action, progressive, broad,
deep, urges a constant forward movement. We could not pause if we would, we
would not if we could. Thus it comes about that the most interesting stock of
merchandise in Chatham now awaits your inspection here.

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For seeing and generous preparations have made this linen store almost
attractive place of its kind.
The price of flax is steadily rising and with it the price of linens; but
prices here, for the purest linens have not moved up with the rest. Hence,
pick where you will among this superb stock, you will find each price an un-
matchable one elsewhere.

2 pieces 72 inch heavy cream table damask, choice patterns, superior fin- ish, guaranteed all pure linen, regular 65c class, for	heavy make, regular, \$2 goods, for \$1.75 dozen
5 dozen 18-1x19 all pure linen nap- kins, grass bleached, very choice pat- terns, special	\$1.15 dozen
12 only, 30x30 Lunch Cloths, plain lin- en, with wide hemstitched hem, hand worked,	Only 50c each.
17x27 Tray Cloth to match,	only 30c each.
5 dozen 20-1-2x20-1-2 pure bleached table napkins, guaranteed pure flax, fine satin finish, assorted patterns,	\$1.25

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT

BARGAINS FOR FRIDAY SELLING THESE USEFUL LINES AT BARGAIN PRICES

3 pieces navy coating serges, 42 in. wide, best wool and dye, dustless finish, regular price 50c. yard, Fri- day special	the trade; we mark it for Friday only
	75c. yard.

Dress Linings

8 pieces fancy wool-plaid, 42 inches wide, for pretty waists or children's wear, patterns all new, regular price 40c. yard, Friday at	Every good sort, every style of lining that has proved by test its pre-eminence over others of its class is here. In cases where two or more worthy rivals each claim recognition all are here; every color, shade, style weight. A most satisfactory stock from which to choose. Prices from 6c. to 50c. per yard.
	25c. yard.

CORSETS

FOR THE NEW COSTUMES

That primary requisite to the stylish, well-fitting gown—a good corset—can easily
be selected from among this representative collection of the latest, best models from the
hands of leading foreign and Canadian corsetiers. For the Fall and Winter Costume
the straight-front corset is the accepted one, and many excellent, new models are to
be found among the following:—

E. T. Corset, bias cut, straight front, drab or white	\$1.25	The New Century Waist
E. T. bias cut, straight front, drab only	\$1.00.	Perfection and Long Waist former is a simple little device that attaches to this corset and is used to give that long graceful effect to the shirt waist without having to slope the waist band or wear erect form corset. It is self adjusting to both long and short waisted figures. Price
P. D. short corset	\$1.40.	25c.
E. P. Empire corset	\$1.00.	
Bust Form, 50c. and	\$1.00.	

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

CLOTHES FOR THE BOYS

Why do we sell such great quantities of Boys' Suits, Overcoats, Reefers, Trousers,
Hats, Shirts, Etc.? Why is this department the talk of the trade, as well as the
favorite with mothers and boys? Because of confidence in values offered and certainty
of finding the proper article. Customers know that if they buy Boy's Clothing at
Austin's it is right.

Right in Quality, Right in Fit, Right in Style, Right in Price

If those who are not yet customers will but
make a visit, it will prove a pleasant surprise
and open their eyes to the money they have
misapplied by not coming before.

Here are Some Big Leaders
for School and Dress
Wear.

MEN'S SCHOOL SUITS Boys' two-piece suits, neat pin check, grey effects, double breasted coats, ages 5 to 13 years	\$1.98	BOYS 3 PO. SUITS, AGES 9 TO 16 YEARS Made from plain blue serges, single breasted sack coats for ages 10 to 16 years	\$2.95
Boys' two-piece all wool tweed suits, nobby blue and green mottled patterns, single and double breasted styles for ages 5 to 13 years.	\$2.50	Boys' three-piece suits, made from honest wearing tweeds, single and double breasted styles, neat grey and brown shadings all sizes, special	\$3.48
Boys' two-piece suits—Fine all wool tweeds, nobby grey checks and over- plaids, single and double breasted styles, ages 5 to 13 years, dressy.	\$3.00	Boys three piece suits, made from all wool tweeds in neat grey checks double and gentel, all sizes.	\$4.00
Boys' three-piece suits, in smartweave patterns, natty checks, made single and double breasted coats and vests made either style, the best we ever had, all sizes, 28 to 33.	\$5.00		

Boys' 2 and 3 Po. Suits in Pure Botany Blue Serge

2 PO. SUITS Made single and double breasted coats, very fine quality imported dark blue worsted serges, fine and wide waists, for ages 5 to 13 years, dressy and wearers.	\$4.00	3 PO. SUITS Made from imported worsted blue serges, fine and heavy waists, single and double breasted coats and vests made either style, the best we ever had.	\$6.50
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C. Austin & Co.

Pancakes and Maple Syrup

Are good things for this cool weather. We have some of that extra fine Quebec Maple syrup, 35c a jar, and good self-rising pancake flour. It's a fine combination.

BEST SYRUP, 35c a quart.
MOLASSES, 10c a quart.
GRAHAM FLOUR, 3c a pound.
CODFISH, 8c a pound.

H. Malcolmson

When Your Purse Cautions Carefulness

Advices economy, and your inclinations lean towards neatness and stylishness in dress, this clothing of ours steps in and points out the way to money saving.

And what's more your tastes are satisfied.

Prices are low because of the methods employed. Goods look like tailored garments because they ARE tailored garments.

Would you like to buy a suit on this basis?

SCOTT & CO.,

Chatham's Leading Clothiers.
Sole Agents for the Celebrated Saskatchewan Coats and Robes.

Farmers!

What do you need worse at this season of the year than a

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in sizes 5 bbls. and up, always on hand at

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Wood's Phosphorine.
The Great English Remedy.
Sold and recommended by all druggists in Canada. Only reliable medicine discovered. Big packages guaranteed to cure all forms of Sexual Weakness, all effects of abuse or excess, Mental Worry, Excessive use of Tobacco, Opium or Stimulants. Mailed on receipt of price, one package \$1.50, six, \$8. One will please, six will cure. Pamphlets free to any address.
The Wood Company, Windsor, Ont.

Wood's Phosphorine is sold in Chatham by C. H. Gunn & Co., Central Drug Store.

E. Putnam
Market House
only kills young heifers and guarantees tender meat. All meats hang one week before being offered for sale.
Phone 201

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Styles and Fabrics In Gentlemen's Garb

With the autumn weather comes the demand for heavier clothing, with the autumn tints come the new designs and colorings in fabrics, and in these days changes are as radical in men's wear as in ladies.

MORLEY & CO.

Tailors, Etc., keep close tab on all styles changes in men's garments. We have learned that they appreciate the high-class, and we are showing the latest designs in all the best makes of imported goods.

An Inspection Invited.

King Street MORLEY & CO. Fine Tailors

PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, Oct. 3.—10 a. m.—Fresh breezes and moderate gales; westerly and northwesterly; fair and cool. Friday, west to northwest winds, increasing in force; fair and cool; frost at night.

Local Budget

Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. If Seymour, of Blenheim, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, spent yesterday in the city.

James Sterling, of Blenheim, is spending the day in town.

George Perrin, of Detroit, is spending a few days in the city.

George Miller, of Blenheim, spent yesterday in the city.

Four lines of double fleece shirts and drawers 50c each at The 2 T's.

Dr. J. T. O'Keefe, of Mt. Clemens, is visiting his relatives in the city.

Mrs. Davis and mother, of Wallaceburg, were Chatham visitors yesterday.

Dr. J. I. Wiley, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday calling on his Chatham friends.

Mr. Nickerson, who has been quite ill in the Public General Hospital, is somewhat improved to-day.

Remember, the Fair will be Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week—Oct. 8th, 9th and 10th.

Mrs. Capt. Shanks, of Spokane, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Edward Smith, LaCrosse street.

Meals, well cooked and well-served, only twenty-five cents, at the Grand Central Hotel.

F. Downey, of Owen Sound, arrived in the city last evening on business to the building of their factory here.

Miss Mary and Lydia Jordan King street West, have returned from a trip to the Pan-American and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. J. W. Strong left to-day for her home in Kingston, after spending a month with her mother, Mrs. T. F. Brown.

The main building at the Peninsular Fair, is just about all taken up, so those wanting space will have to apply for it quickly.

Mrs. S. C. Walker has discontinued her voice culture with Elvin Singer, Detroit, for the winter, and will study with Miss Eida Idle.

When you ask for a five cent cigar you want the best. Try our "King Buffalo" and you will ask for another.

Mrs. Burr and family, of Dresden, will arrive in the city to-day and will live in the house lately occupied by J. W. Carpenter, Elizabeth St., North Chatham.

The annual meeting of the Ladies of the Home of the Friendless will be held in Harrison Hall Monday, October 7th, at 3 p. m. All interested are urged to be present.

E. D. Smith, M. P., member for South Wentworth, while in the city on Wednesday, was the guest of Thomas M. French, Dover Fruit Farm. Mr. Smith is the largest fruit grower in Canada.

Miss Margaret Houston has made arrangements with the faculty of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, by which her pupils will be allowed to pass the examinations held by that institution in June.

Barrister W. F. Smith states that on behalf of his client, the defendant in the case of Clunis vs. Sloan, he will enter an appeal against the verdict delivered against the defendant Sloan for \$500 damages and costs.

The ground of the appeal will be that the judge misdirected the jury.

One of the horses attached to Glenn & Sons dray met with an accident this morning. It was standing on the platform at the rear of the Ark when the boards gave way. Quite an exciting time was experienced, but the horse was finally extricated from its unfortunate position.

Those who are busy in preserving fruit for winter use are reminded that granite or porcelain Kettles are the proper ones to use in the process, and that wooden spoons should be used in preference to those of metal. The acid of fruit acts on the metal, giving a harmful as well as a disagreeable taste to the preserves.

PINCHED AND PUNY

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R. M. Brisco, accompanied by his son Clarence, left to-day for his home in Napanee, after a brief visit with his son, Fred H. Brisco, the Maple City business man.

Sunday night thirty head of cattle belonging to N. A. McGeechay & Sons, got into the sweet corn, with the result that five cows died yesterday morning and ten others are not expected to recover.

COLUMBIA

Once More the American Yacht Sails to Victory.

Shamrock Led for the First Two Legs—Columbia Caught Her on the Run Home.

Special per C. P. R. Telegraph. New York, Oct. 3.—A steady north-west wind has been blowing since early this morning and is now 24 miles an hour at Sandy Hook.

9.05—Sandy Hook reports the wind steady at 22 miles from the north-west; both yachts are now going out in tow.

10.05—Both racers are near the lights. They are still in tow, and the wind holds steady and strong.

10.46—The preparation signal was fired at 10.45.

10.53—Both yachts are at starting line and manoeuvring for position.

10.56—The committee has set the signal for a triangular course—first leg east half south, second leg south-west half south, third leg north-west; the warning signal was fired at 10.35.

11.01—They are off, Shamrock to windward.

11.05—Shamrock crossed first, unofficial time being:— Shamrock—11.07. Columbia—11.01-45.

11.12—Columbia staggering along under stiff wind. Shamrock seems to stand up better and is ahead.

11.20—The official time of the start as given by Marconi wireless telegraphy was:— Shamrock—11.00-43. Columbia—11.01-47.

11.25—The yachts have covered nearly half the distance of the first mark both are holding a fine wind and Columbia seems to be slightly decreasing the Shamrock's lead.

11.39—The yachts are nearing the first mark, going at a terrific pace, Shamrock well ahead.

11.49—They are very close to the mark, the Shamrock still well ahead and will turn first.

11.51—The Shamrock turned first mark at 11.50-55.

11.53—Columbia turned first mark at 11.52-20.

11.55—Both boats are now on the starboard tack, heading for the second mark.

11.59—Columbia seems to have gained slightly; the wind holds true.

12.07 p. m.—During the last fifteen minutes of sailing the Columbia seems to have held her own without gaining, the wind is increasing but the sea is smooth and they are fast reaching toward the second mark.

12.15—The official time of turning the first mark, as given by the Marconi wireless telegraphy, is:— Shamrock—11.51-06. Columbia—11.52-15.

12.30—The boats are rapidly nearing the second mark, both hold at about the same angle and there has been apparently no change in their relative positions.

12.38—Boats are now two miles from second mark; wind increasing; Columbia slightly gaining.

12.45—Shamrock has turned the second mark.

12.46—Columbia has turned the second mark.

12.53—The unofficial time of turning second mark, as given by the Marconi wireless telegraphy, was:— Shamrock—12.45-37. Columbia—12.46-39.

12.58—Shamrock is to windward and still ahead; the wind holds strong.

1.00—The boats are very close to each other; Shamrock to windward and apparently blanketing Columbia; Shamrock is footing very fast, but Columbia seems to out-point her.

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1.17—Columbia is apparently ahead.

1.28—The Columbia is now well ahead.

1.48—Columbia continues to gain.

1.59—The boats should finish within the next ten minutes.

No Time—Both yachts have gone about on the starboard tack and are heading for the finish line, Columbia leading by a quarter of a mile.

Flash—Columbia wins.

2.15—Columbia crossed at 2.15, unofficial.

Shamrock crossed at 2.16-20, unofficial.

2.18—Columbia won by 3 min. 37.7 seconds, corrected time, official.

Correction—The official time of turning first mark:— Shamrock—11.51-10. Columbia—11.52-22.

2.29—Official time as received by Marconi wireless telegraphy:— Columbia—2.15-05. Shamrock—2.16-23.

2.35—Official time for second turn is:— Shamrock—12.45-51. Columbia—12.46-39.

2.33—The committee has decided to race again to-morrow.

Stanstead Junction, P. Q., 12th Aug., 1893.

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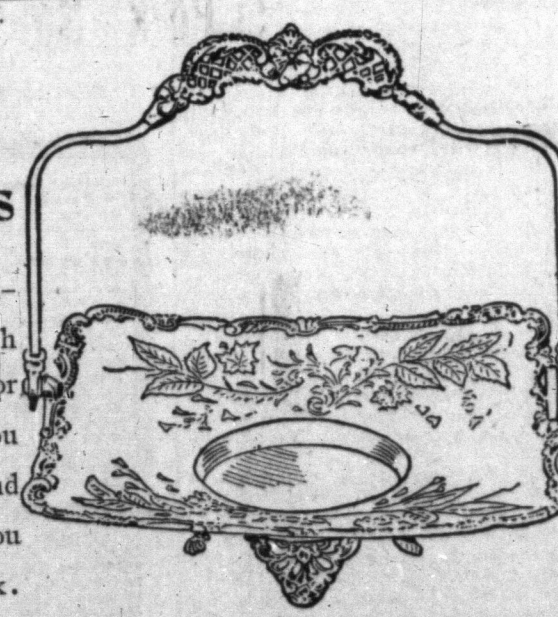
Gentlemen—I fell from a bridge leading from a platform to a loaded car while assisting my men in unloading a load of grain. The bridge went down as well as the load on my back, and I struck on the ends of the sleepers, causing a serious injury to my leg. Only for its being very fleshy, would have broken it. In an hour I could not walk a step. Commenced using MINARD'S LINIMENT, and the third day went to Montreal on business and got about well by the use of a cane. In ten days was nearly well. I can sincerely recommend it as the best Liniment that I know of in use. Yours truly,

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LIBRARY BOARD

Proceedings at the Regular Session held last evening.

The public Library Board met last night, when there were present Chairman Scullard, Secretary Davis and Messrs. Smith, Sheldrick, Charteris and Twohey.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

A shipment of books on approval was received and those wanted were picked and the remainder will be returned.

A communication was read from Peter McKellar, recommending the purchase of some books from Henry Smith, but the board found that they had already gone about the limit of their estimate.

The Gas Co's bill for \$4.10, and Wm. R. Baxter's account for \$6 were ordered paid.

The Librarian's report was read and adopted. It was as follows:— New borrowers, 0. Books given out, 1,136. Received for fines, \$2.61. Received for catalogues, 60c. Received for papers, 32c. Total, \$5.43.

The secretary was instructed to see the landlord, re the double windows on the north of building.

Moved by Davis and Twohey that the secretary be instructed to draw on the city for \$100; also that the salaries for the month be paid. Meeting was then adjourned.

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DEATH'S CALL

Demise of John Scott, an Esteemed Resident of the Maple City.

John Scott, aged 68 years, passed peacefully away at his residence, Adelaide street west, last night, from an attack of heart failure. Deceased has until lately enjoyed the best of health, but was stricken about a week ago. He was subject to these attacks and his death was sudden and unexpected.

The funeral will probably take place from Mrs. Geo. Harvey's at three o'clock on Friday to the Maple Leaf cemetery.

Five daughters are left to mourn his loss. Those who reside in Chatham are Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Kendall and Mrs. Rose. Mrs. Dewet, Cairo, Mich., and Miss Annie, Chicago.

Deceased was a well and favorably known citizen and his demise will be regretted by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

CON. 5. CHATHAM TOWNSHIP.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Arnold have returned to their home from Toledo. M. F. Bozair, of Canard River, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. H. Lanigan. Clinton Overstreet has purchased a wheel.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Arnold, of San Francisco, Cal., is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

HIGHGATE.

Perry Gosnell, who has been in Waskada, Man., has returned.

Rev. J. Argo, of Exeter, gave a missionary address to the Epworth League on Thursday evening last.

Mrs. E. T. Beattie was a Pan-American visitor this week.

Mrs. John Addison, of St. Thomas, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. J. F. Stone.

Frank Tape and Miss Mary Tape and Miss E. E. Hardcastle visited the Pan-American last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Guild attended the Glencoe Fair last week.

G. C. Scott spent Sunday in Thamesville.

Messrs. Sam and Milton Attridge have returned after a visit to the Pan-American.

S. S. NO. 8, RALEIGH.

The following is the result of examinations held during the month of September:

Class IV.—Verna Hea 82, Roy White 71, Ethel Hilman 59, Fern Pardo 36, Ethel Knott 35, Florence Knott 34.

Class III.—Florence Russell 83, Earle Jenner 65, Arthur Rogers 66, Maurice Russell 56, Edith Jenner 54, Wilbur Athorp 52, Willie Jenkinson 48.

Class II.—Joan Dale 91, James Jenkinson 76, Ethel Taylor 67, Christopher Boyes 56, Hanlan Pardo 50, Harry Jenner 42.

Class I.—Elmer Jenner 71, Maud Broadbent 66, Morley White 64, Pt. El. Class.—In order of merit: Eva Jenkinson, Douglas Hea, Pearl Knott, Gertrude Barks, Louis O'Phee, Laurence Bennett, Edna Broadbent, William Dale, Hannah Russell.

Class I.—Mary Simpson, Freddie White, Solomon Bennett, Rosie Pepper, Charlotte Knott, Dwight Broadbent.

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Curious Bits of News.

It is said that the pawnshops of Paris are filled with bicycles, and that when the wheels are put up at auction it is hard to get a good bid for them. "What a change has come over the scene in a few years," says a Paris paper. "And may not a prophecy regarding automobiles be safely risked? It seems to be only a question of time with most fads and fancies."

The "Canadian Gazette" (London, England), prints a paragraph stating that a professor in a Toronto college made a test of the literary knowledge of 40 of the second-year students. Ten of the 40 could not mention six plays of Shakespeare, 14 did not know who wrote "In Memoriam," 22 did not know Sam Weller, 34 were unacquainted with Falstaff, 26 could not mention a book by Ruskin, and 35 were similarly ignorant of Wordsworth and Browning.

Some days ago a swarm of bees entered a roadside letter-box near Mullingar, in Ireland. A number of letters were in the box, and the postmaster-general offered a reward of two shillings (fifty cents) to any person delivering the bees. This tempting offer resulted in the sending of a stinging letter from the owner of the swarm, who threatened, if the bees were injured, to take legal proceedings against Lord Londonderry, as his own offer to remove the intruders was rendered fruitless by the refusal of the post-office authorities to allow the door of the letter-box to be opened.

During the burning of the Standard Oil Company's tanks at Bayonne, N.J., in July, 1900, an immense column of smoke, shaped at the top like an umbrella, rose into the air, where very little wind was stirring, to an elevation, measured by triangulation, of 13,411 feet, or more than two miles and a half. Above the column white clouds formed in an otherwise cloudless sky, and remained visible for two days, the fire continuing to burn and the smoke to rise. After the explosion of a gas oil-tank flames shot up to a height of 3,000 feet, and the heat radiated from them was felt at a distance of a mile and three-quarters, where it was more noticeable than close to the fire.

Houghton Hall, which is to be the residence of the British heir apparent and of the Duchess of Cornwall, after their return from their trip around the world, enjoys the peculiar distinction of being haunted, not merely by one but by two ghosts. The one is supposed to be the ghost of Dorothy Walpole, sister of Sir Robert Walpole and wife of Viscount Townshend, a little brown figure who enjoys the credit of having disturbed the rest of King George IV. at Houghton Hall, and of having scared him away, cursing his hosts for having put him in a room which they knew to be haunted. The other ghost is understood to be that of a member of the Walpole family who was shot by his brother on the premises, which is supposed to haunt the billiard-room after dark.

The old rule for obtaining one's expectation of life—subtracting your present age from dividing by 2—which has been floating the rounds of the newspapers for many years, is no longer used by insurance companies. The rule which was based upon 35 years as the limit of life is now considered obsolete. It was originated by Demolivre, whose name it bears, and was used in his treatise on annuities, written by 1725. It was at first deemed correct by insurance men, and was used in preparing tables when life insurance was comparatively new. By these tables a person of 20 may expect to live 42 years; a person of 30, 34 years; a person of 40, 28 years; a person of 50, 21 years; and a person of 60, 15 years; figures being given without the decimals.

A Chinese Funeral.

A prominent Chinaman died the other day in Boston, and his fellow-countrymen, according to their custom, prepared to bury him with the rites of their race and religion.

The coffin was placed on a stretcher in the middle of the street. At its head stood a small table on which were platters containing roast pigs, a fowl and other food. At the foot lay a mat. From the houses on either side the friends of the dead came, in white garments, to burn joss-sticks and offer prayers. The dead man's son, also robed in white, came out alone, and loosening the long hair of his queue until it hung about his face, knelt sobbing on the mat.

The Chinese as we see them are a stoical people, but it was plain that the son was a mourner in fact as well as in name, and if he heaved counts for anything, so, too, were some of the dead man's friends.

Meaning a crowd of white men—was gathering on the sidewalk, and in a little while was pressing close about the coffin and commenting aloud and cracking jokes. In the very midst of the service a photographer pushed to the front, and, shoving some of the mourners aside, ordered others to stand where they were while he took a picture of the ceremony for an afternoon paper.

Let us suppose for a moment, says the "Youth's Companion," that the Chinese mourners are Americans instead of Chinamen, the rites Christian instead of pagan; now crowd the spot with a mob of uninvited strangers, who chatter in a strange tongue and laugh, and having satisfied their curiosity, go away. Is it hard to imagine the feelings of the dead man's son in either case?

Worse and Worse.

"'Cordin' t' th' statoots," began Judge Wayback, as he stood up. "T' he v' giv' y' ten yer's t' th' pennytan-chury."

"But," exclaimed the lawyer for the defendant, jumping to his feet, "there are extenuating circumstances."

"They is?" cried the judge in alarm. "Ef I thought that, durned ef I wouldn't giv' 'im fifteen yer's."

Teacher—As I have been telling you, there are two general classes of workers. Tommy, does your father make his living by using his brain or by using his muscles? Tommy—Neither one, ma'am; he's a policeman.

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He has placed his remedy before the public under the name of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets and so confident of its positive curative qualities of these Tablets for backache, lame or weak back, drowsiness, headaches, pain in the loins, brick dust deposits in the urine, puffiness under the eyes, swelling of the feet and ankles, scalding, irritation, frequent rising at night, dribbling, inflammation or ulceration of the bladder, gravel, Rheumatism, Bright's Disease and Diabetes (except in the last stages), bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, constipation, puffiness and pasty appearance of the face, dropsy, backache and weakness of women, urinary weakness of children and old people or any symptomatic indications of Kidney disease that to anyone suffering from any of the above troubles, who uses the Tablets faithfully, according to directions, and derives no benefit therefrom, their money will be cheerfully refunded.

Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets are so potent a box at all druggists or sent by mail. The Dr. Zina Pitcher Co., Toronto, Ont.

"I am afraid that my conversation is uninteresting," said Willie Washington. "Don't let the thought trouble you," answered Miss Cayenne sweetly. "I was a little bit sleepy, anyhow."

WOMEN WHO WEAR WELL.

It is astonishing how great a change a few years of married life will make in the appearance and disposition of many women. The freshness, the charm, the brilliant smile like the bloom from a peach that is rarely dimmed, a faint echo of the charming maiden. There are two reasons for this change, ignorance and neglect.

Few young women appreciate the shock to the system through the change which comes with marriage. Many neglect to deal with the unpleasant drains which are often consequent on marriage and motherhood, not understanding that this secret pain is robbing the cheek of its freshness and the form of its fairness. As surely as the general health suffers when there is derangement of the health of the delicate womanly organs are established in health the face and form at once witness to the fact in renewed comeliness. Half a million women and more have found health and happiness in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This makes weak women strong and sick women well.

Mamma—I have been almost distracted since Uncle Frank gave Bobby that drum for a birthday present.

Papa—Well, you can soon get over that. Make him a present of a nice penknife.

Victims of Catarrh, Prejudiced.

Tried snuffs, they failed. Ointments and washes failed. There was no cure. Knew there wasn't because he had tried them all. This is how prejudiced acts. There is, however, a balm in Gilead, a sovereign remedy for Catarrh, not dangerous in health. It acts quickly, not unpleasant because it is sure to cure. Its name is Catarrh-zone. It destroys germs, it soothes, it heals. As certain as death to cure, as pleasant as sunshine to use. That's Catarrh-zone. Your money back if it is not so. 25c. and \$1.

Judge—Are you represented by any counsel?

Prisoner—Well, did here is me lawyer—I don't want yer t'ink he represents me any way but legally.

EVERY Housekeeper must often act as a family physician. Pain-Killer for all the little ills, cuts and sprains, as well as for all bowel complaints, is indispensable. Avoid substitutes, as there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c. and 50c.

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There is this to be borne in mind in these days when so many young men are giving so much attention to muscular development, in gymnastic and athletic exercises, that there cannot be permanent muscular strength where there is not blood strength.

Hood's Sarsaparilla gives blood strength, promotes digestion and assimilation, and builds up the whole system.

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CANADIAN HEAD FOR MILITIA

Gen. O'Grady-Haly Will be Last Imperial Officer in Charge of Canadian Forces.

his Term of Office Will expire on December 31 and a Canadian Will Succeed him.

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—Important changes are contemplated in connection with the command of the militia. There has been a growing feeling in the Dominion for some years that the time was rapidly approaching when a Canadian should be appointed to the supreme command of the militia forces of the country, and this feeling has been intensified since so many Canadian officers have gained experience of actual warfare on the South African veldt. Major-Gen. O'Grady-Haly's tenure of office as general officer commanding the militia will terminate on Dec. 31 next. His appointment originally was for one year, from July 19, 1900. This was extended for three months, and now the further extension is made to enable him to complete his report of the military operations of the year.

It is pretty well understood that Major-Gen. O'Grady-Haly will be the last imperial officer, at any rate for a long time, to occupy the post of general officer commanding in Canada. The government intends to bow to the sentiment of the country and give a Canadian official a trial. Under our militia act as it stands at present, a Canadian cannot be appointed, but after Gen. O'Grady-Haly leaves the position will be filled tentatively until such time as the requisite changes can be made in the militia act. It will be necessary to amend the clause which provides that the general officer commanding shall be "an officer who holds the rank of colonel, or rank superior thereto, in his majesty's regular army." Power will also be taken to promote Canadian officers to rank higher than that of colonel. The only provision in this respect now existing gives this right to the government in times of war to create major-generals.

THE CAPTURE

How Miss Stone Fell Into the Hands of Turkish Brigands.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 30.—A detailed account of the capture of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the missionary, by brigands in Turkey, has been received in a letter from Mrs. H. C. Haskell, of Samokov, Bulgaria, to a relative here. Her letter says Miss Stone had been hearing her usual summer school for Bible workers at Samokov, Macedonia. On Sept. 3 a party of six students from the Collegiate Institute at Samokov, three or four Bulgarian teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Taslicka, who had spent several years in America, Mrs. Chisler, and Miss Stone, started for Baniak, 12 hours farther from there, they were to go to their different homes. At 4:30 o'clock that afternoon, as they were resting in the mountains, Miss Stone and Mrs. Taslicka being on horseback and driving the flock, they were surrounded by thirty or forty armed men. These men were dressed in Turkish costume, but were masked or masked. They ordered the party to march, and drove them up to the steep mountain side. Miss Stone told the boys they were taking them away from the road to rob and perhaps kill them. She did not speak of capture, as it almost seemed of her for brigands to take women.

After going an hour's distance the brigands stopped and demanded their money. They took what gold they had, but returned the silver. When this was done one of them said to Miss Stone: "We want you," and ordered her and Mrs. Taslicka to go with them. She made no remonstrance. Mr. Taslicka made a move to follow his wife, but they forced him back. A part of the brigands kept watch on those that remained to keep them from hurrying to inform the government, but next morning let them go. The brigands murdered one of the men of the party before they released the captives, to get his horse. They took this animal as well as the horse ridden by Miss Stone and also the horse ridden by Mrs. Taslicka. The news spread over Bulgaria like a flash, for Miss Stone was widely known and greatly beloved.

FALL FAIRS

Secretaries of the different agricultural societies are requested to send to The Planet, as soon as possible, the dates of their fairs.

PENINSULAR, Chatham—Oct. 8 to 10. Harwich—Blenheim, Oct. 10 and 11. Chatham, Dover and Wallaceburg—Oct. 15 and 16.

Florence—Oct. 4 and 5. Ridgeway—Oct. 2 to 4. Rodney—Oct. 9 and 10. Leamington—Oct. 2 to 4. Harrow—Oct. 8 and 9. Highgate—Oct. 11 and 12. Thamesville—Oct. 2 and 3. Norwich—Oct. 8 and 9. Woodbridge—Oct. 16 and 17. Aldborough—Oct. 9 and 10.

Mary Egan, wife of Patrick Bulger, was found guilty of manslaughter at Montreal in the shooting of Timothy Corbett, her brother-in-law, and sentenced to two months in the common jail.

Joseph Kennedy, an ex-convict, whose body was found on the railway near Kingston, had stolen a horse at Pictou, and in trying to escape pursuit jumped on a freight train. He was killed while trying to alight.

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Station	Express	Mail and Express	Mail	Mail and Express	Mail
Blenheim	7:30 a.	10:30 a.	7:45 a.	12:15 p.	7:05 p.
Ridgeway	7:30 a.	10:30 a.	7:45 a.	12:15 p.	7:05 p.
West Lorne	"	"	"	"	"
Dutton	"	"	"	"	"
S. Thomas	"	"	"	"	"
London	"	"	"	"	"
Leamington	7:45 a.	"	4:15 p.	"	"
Kingville	"	"	"	"	"
Wallaceburg	"	"	"	"	"
Windsor	"	"	"	"	"
London	"	"	"	"	"

7:30 a. for London is a through train, other trains connect at Blenheim for East and West changing cars.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Corrected Nov. 8th, 1900.

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2:36 a. m. B. Express... 1:11 p. m.
3:32 p. m. Express... 11:06 a. m.
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10:32 a. m. Express... 8:15 a. m.

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Board of Health After Inspector
Guttridge's Scalp.Outbreak of Scarlet Fever in School
Which Parents Feared—Building
Thoroughly Disinfected.

A special meeting of the Board of Health was held yesterday. There were present Chairman, Dr. Thornton, A. D. Westman, W. S. Richards, Dr. R. V. Bray and the Mayor.

The following letter was read from Dr. W. R. Hall, M. H. O.:

Sir,—I requested the chairman to call this meeting on account of a large number of cases of scarlet fever appearing in connection with the attendance at Queen street school, six cases in less than two weeks, four from Baxter street, one from Adelaide street and one from Park avenue. There were two cases of diphtheria also reported from this school. I would recommend thorough disinfection of this school to-night. These are the only cases of contagious diseases in the city.

Principal Flew states that the cases were not promptly reported to him by the Inspector. This is an important part of the Inspector's duty. On the motion of the Mayor, seconded by W. S. Richards, it was decided to thoroughly disinfect the school.

That the sanitary officer be notified to hand in his resignation to the Board of Health at their next meeting, to be held on Monday next at 3 o'clock p. m.

Theatrical

TO-NIGHT "THE BROWNIES."

At the Grand Opera House to-night Palmer Cox and Malcolm Douglas's elaborate production, "The Brownies in Fairyland," will be seen for the first time in Chatham for the benefit of the Kent Children's Aid Society. The full rehearsal at the Opera House last night, with orchestra, gave every evidence of surprising cleverness on the part of all concerned in the unique spectacle, and there was a high degree of cleverness shown by the various characters. Nearly 150 will be in "The Brownies in Fairyland" to-night, and the extravaganza will be full of catchy music, specialties, etc. The curtain will rise on a beautiful scene in Fairyland, showing Queen Flora and her pretty Elf subjects. The Brownies, who are described in their talloons upon a tour around the world, fall in a parachute, and come tumbling helter-skelter upon the stage. All the funny characters are seen: the Duke, Policeman, Indian, and the rest, and they provoke roars of laughter from the audience. For two acts the fun wages fast and furious, and the curtain finally falls upon the Fairy Queen and Brownie Prince happily wedded, and a state of general interest in both Brownieland and Fairyland. One of the big features in to-night's performance will be a Brownie cakewalk, whose merits will be decided by the audience when the cake is awarded.

The play will be repeated to-morrow night. Prices are only 50, 35 and 25 cents.

IS SERIOUS

South African Situation Demands Mobilization of the Reserves.

London, October 3. — The Standard says: "The Boers are fighting with a determination and a contempt for their own lives such as were seldom shown in the early periods of the war. Their plan is to keep Lord Kitchener's army busy in the north and to give the roving commandos of Cape Col. on an opportunity to raise the Cape Dutch against Great Britain."

It is believed that the Government at last recognizes the necessity of meeting the renewed Boer activity. Preparations are being made to replace Lord Kitchener's exhausted men by fresh drafts. An order has been issued rendering it impossible to obtain discharge by purchase from any of the army reserves, sections of which are being prepared for mobilization.

Kitchener has sent home a fresh batch of imperial yeomanry and other troops from organic diseases uniting them for life on the veldt, together with a strong protest against the waste of public time and money in enlisting such men.

There is further evidence of the seriousness of the situation in Cape Colony. The Cape premier, Sir John Gordon Sprigg, has gone to Johannesburg to meet Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner in conference, probably on the subject of declaring martial law in Cape ports.

Lord Kitchener to-day reports that two officers and 31 men have been killed in an attack made on Col. Kekewich's camp at Moedwill. The Boers, who were under Commandants Delarey and Kemp 1,000 strong, had 14 officers and 114 men wounded, after two hours night fighting, when the Boers were driven off. Col. Kekewich was among the wounded. Moedwill is 75 miles west of Pretoria and

15 west of Rustenburg. Kitchener confirms the heavy losses of the Boers, about 250 killed and 300 wounded, during their attack on the forts at Italia and Prospect. The British have dug up the guns captured by the Boers at Vlakfontein recently.

A mixed column under Gen. Kitchener, Lord Kitchener's brother, has been sent to relieve, presumably, Natal from Commandant General Botha's forces. It has reached Vryheid.

The casualty list shows that in the fighting at Caledon river last Friday Col. Plummer lost two officers killed and 10 men killed and wounded.

WHITE PLAGUE

French Societies Unite in a Fight
Against Consumption.

Paris, Oct. 2.—French activity in fighting tuberculosis has, since the London congress, redoubled in intensity.

The last week has seen the consolidation of all individual leagues against the dread disease into a single gigantic union for the struggle against consumption.

Delegates representing all the mutual aid, mutual insurance and co-operative societies met at the Hall of the Sorbonne and agreed to contribute a fund of \$10,000 yearly in support of a hundred beds in the hospitals of each large city in France, besides supporting at least three hundred free consulting rooms in public sanatoriums throughout the country for the coming year.

Moreover, the members of the new union propose to publish a periodical devoted solely to fighting the disease, of which Dr. Calmette, head of the Pasteur Institute at Lille, will be editor.

The French railroad authorities have issued lengthy instructions to their employees regarding the best means of avoiding contagion or tuberculosis, and the factory owners of Northern France have taken the same course, while certain large employers of labor in Paris have established a corps of medical examiners, whose sole duty is to inspect workmen's homes to insure healthy conditions.

Among the general instructions which this corps of doctors has posted in every workman's home are the following: "Don't smoke; drink milk in large quantities; eat all the meat possible; avoid draughts; wash the mouth daily with listerine; take daily cold-baths; don't cough except when you must; never swallow expectorations; stay in the fresh air all you can."

WAS TERRIBLE

The Identity of Chatham's Chief Magistrate got Fangled.

Malcolm Douglas, who is staging the Brownies here, has a good story to tell.

"I wanted to see the Dramatic Mirror," said Mr. Douglas, "so I went into that store near the Hotel Garner."

"I asked the clerk, 'Have you got the Mirror?'"

"No," replied the clerk, "he is down at the post office."

"I said, 'What! the Dramatic Mirror?'"

"Oh," says the clerk, "I thought you said the mayor."

"Of course I didn't know that the proprietor was the mayor. They didn't have the Dramatic Mirror so I said that I would take the Detroit Free Press if that too, wasn't down at the post office, and securing it, I departed to smile by myself."

WITHOUT WARNING

Terrible Explosion Buried Three
Corunna Firemen Fighting Flames.

Corunna, Mich., Oct. 2. — Fox & Mason's big furniture factory of this city was totally destroyed by fire at 9 o'clock to-night. The blaze was discovered in the varnish room, and may have been caused by spontaneous combustion. The loss is \$40,000; \$19,000 insurance.

The slowness of the fire department gave the fire 20 minutes start. The Owens department, four miles away, got ready to start at a moment's notice, but was not sent for. An explosion while the firemen were fighting the flames resulted in the injury of Chief Charles Wilcox. He will probably be George Evans and William S. Eveleth were seriously injured. The men were on a ladder throwing a stream into the second story, when the wall suddenly flew into a thousand pieces from an explosion within. Wilcox was buried beneath tons of brick, and was taken out bleeding and unconscious. Doctors gave but little hope for his recovery. Brands were badly cut on the head by flying brick, and Eveleth was cut and bruised.

The senior member of the firm, S.C. Fox, is in England, where the firm conducts a wholesale business. Geo. D. Mason, the junior member, says the factory will probably not be rebuilt until spring, which is a hard blow to Corunna, as 125 men will be out of employment. The factory burned out four years ago, and was rebuilt by the aid of a bonus. Corunna has no water works, and a poorly equipped department.

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DAILY RACES

International Yachting Contests Will
now Take Place Every Day.

New York, Oct. 2. — Yachting enthusiasts and the general public are to-night expecting a very exciting race to-morrow between the cup defender Columbia and the challenger Shamrock II. They base their high hopes on the strong wind blowing to-night and which the local weather prophets assert will keep up for 24 hours or more. The Washington weather bureau holds out promise of a strong wind and fair weather for to-morrow. Wind ought to hold good throughout the day.

The contest between the two yachts to-morrow will be over a 30-mile triangular course, the same as that attempted on Tuesday. Under the conditions of this, the second race, the yachts will be sailed 10 miles on each of the three legs of the course. It is the intention of the committee to sail the first leg to windward, which will make the other two a broad reach and a close reach, provided the wind does not shift. At Sandy Hook to-night at 10 o'clock the wind was blowing 36 miles an hour.

In compliance with a request made by Sir Thomas Lipton races will be sailed every day beginning to-morrow, though the race on any day may be postponed at the will of either contestant.

Geo. L. Watson, the designer of the Shamrock II, to-day asked for a remeasurement because of his intention to take out ballast before to-morrow's race, but he finally changed his mind. Whether this plan of removing ballast from the challenger was made with a view of decreasing the stiffness of the boat, or cutting the water line—a matter of a few inches—so as to gain in time allowance, could not be ascertained. It will be necessary for Mr. Watson to decrease the Shamrock's water line length by a foot in order to gain 15 seconds in time allowance, and although the overhang of the challenger both fore and aft is very long, it is thought that considerable ballast will have to be taken out in order to make a gain of even five or six seconds.

Glasgow, Oct. 2.—It is said here that if the Shamrock II is not successful in the present series of races for the America's cup, a West Scotland syndicate is prepared to issue another challenge for the cup.

NO WITNESS FEES

County did not Have to put up Any
thing for Them at this Court.

County Treasurer Shambleau has paid the constables' and jurors' who attended the fall sittings of the High Court held in Chatham this week. The amounts were, Constables, \$37.20; Grand Jurors, \$70.10; Petit Jurors \$43.2. Mr. Shambleau stated that the assesses this time were unique in no particular. For the first time during the ten years he has been in the office of county treasurer, he didn't have any witness fees to pay.

"We were very much pleased with the design you sent. It was beautiful and appropriate." The Victoria Ave. Greenhouses receive such words of commendation every day. Telephone No. 181.

N. S. ELECTIONS

Premier Murray Sustained at the Polls
by a Big Majority.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 2.—The Liberals have carried every county in the Province, except Cumberland, where one Conservative, McLennan, was elected.

Later—Out of thirty-eight representatives in the House, thirty-six Liberals have been returned. A Conservative has been elected in Cumberland, while Hon. T. Black, the other successful candidate, is a Liberal. In Pictou two Liberals have been returned by over four hundred majority. The other seat in this county doubtful, and possibly C. E. Tanner, the Conservative, may be returned by a small majority. All the candidates in the Island of Cape Breton have been elected by overwhelming majorities.

In Halifax all three Liberals were elected. The Conservatives carried the city by a small majority, but the Liberals made gains in the outside districts. The contest in Colchester was a spirited one. B. F. Pearson, Liberal, and John F. Stairs, both of Halifax, contested the county. Pearson and Laughlin, both Liberals, were elected by over one hundred majority. Premier Murray had over five hundred of a majority in Victoria county. The elections passed off very quietly, and were conducted on strict party lines. All the Liberals in Halifax were elected. Keefe, the lowest Liberal, has a majority of 30 over the highest Conservative, Cross.

BLENHHEIM

Oct. 3.—During the regular fire practice last evening the engine boiler sprang a leak, and will require some repairs before it can be used. A. M. Patterson, of Chatham, was in town yesterday.

Wesley Pickering had his finger badly smashed in a door of the public school yesterday.

C. W. Treadgold left last evening for Merlin with his racing horse Tommy A.

The contractors are rapidly pushing forward the improvements on C. L. VonGutten's fine building.

J. B. Pickering was in Wheatley yesterday.

The "Mountebank" played to a crowded house here last evening, the audience being very well pleased with the production.

Miss Gertrude Johnson spent yesterday with city friends at Erieau.

Carrier boys are not authorized to collect subscriptions. Our collector calls in each town once a month; if a subscriber wishes to pay his account before the collector calls he must remit direct to The Planet Office, Chatham, as we will not be responsible for monies paid to carriers.

TILBURY

Oct. 3.—Quite a number from the village attended Merlin fair yesterday and reported that it was very successful.

Mrs. Lee, who has been visiting her son in Highgate, arrived here yesterday to visit her son Fred.

The social given by the ladies of St. Andrew's church on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. G. Munro, was well attended. A musical program was rendered after which lunch was served. A silver collection was taken which amounted to \$15.

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