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I yard wide Unbleached Cotton, extra heavy, even thread, suitable for sheeting and general wear, regular price oc a yard-on sale

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## RUSSIAN FLEET SHELLS AND SINKS BRITISH FISHERS

Inglerious Beginning of War Career of Baltic Fleet.

Off British Const in North Son the Er tloships Turn the Searchlights On the Bull Fishing Fleet and Without Warning Opened Fire and Dealt Beath on-Ignore Green Flores and Run Like Cowards in the Dark.

Hull, England, Oct. 24 .- A. M. & Co., solicitors for the owners of fifty Hull fishing boats, have notified the Foreign Office and Admiralty of an attack on the Hull fishing fleet by the Russian Pacific squadron

The official information is that early Saturday morning the Russquadron fell in with the Hull fishing fleet in the North Sea. The first portion of the fishing fleet passed safely. Then the Russian fleet turned their searchlights on the British vessels for some time and a little later opened fire. The steam trawler Crane was sunk and the decapitated bodies of her skipper and mate have been brought to Hull. The boatswain and other members of the crew, who are understood to be seriously injured, are on board a missionary ship. The only slightly injured member of the crew has arrived at Hull. The steam trawlers Moul. The steam trawlers Moulmein and Mino have arrived at Hull, serlously damaged by shots, the lat-ter having 16 holes in her hull. It is feared that other damage was done to trawlers and that at least Where It Occurred.

According to other reports the affair occurred 200 miles off Spurn-head. The Russian ships were steam-ing in line. The leading ships passed without incident, though most of the vessels turned searchlights on the trawlers long enough to prevent any mistake as to identity. After the bulk of the squadron passed it opened fire, nearly all participating in the firing. The Crane was struck be-low the water-line and raked above deck. Skipper Smith and Third Hand Leggott had their heads carried clean away by a shot, many of the crew being seriously wounded. Another trawler also was sunk, but the Sea Gull, which brought the news, to Hull, has not particulars as to her

The news has created an intense sensation and indignation in Hull.

The Moulmein arrived with her flag at half-mast. Her skipper states that the trawlers were fishing about 220 miles east by north of Spurnhead, at one o'clock Sunday morning, the wea-ther being hazy, when the outlines of several vessels, apparently warships, several vessels, apparently warships, sailing in line, were dimly seen. Whilst the crew were watching the warships, searchlights were flashed upon them, in the glare of which the Moulmein's crew observed what they took to be torpedo boats approach-ing apparently with the intention of boarding the Moulmein

### Herrified By Fire.

They steamed away, however, and soon the fishermen were horrified to find they were being fired upon. First one and then another trawler was struck by flying shot. What seemed to be a round shot went through the Moulmein's galley. The Mino, lying near by, also was struck with many shots, but fortunately the demands. shots, but fortunately the damage was above the water-line and none of her crew was struck. The bombard-ment lasted twenty minutes. When it had ceased the fleet sailed southward, and some of the trawlers sent up rockets. The Moulmein steered in the direction of the rockets. Soon cries were heard, and the Crane was found sinking, with another trawler taking off some of her crew. Those seriously injured were removed to a mission ship and the bodies of Smith and Leggott were placed aboard the Moulmein. The other men with minor injuries were put aboard the trawler

not arrived at Hull. Crowds have gathered around the dock, but no further information is available.

Representatives of the fishing fleet started late last night for London to consult with the authorities there.

No motive can be assigned for the

extraordinary procedure of the Russian warships.

One Selitary Burviver.

The only survivor of the Crane, who has reached here is J. A. Smith, son of the deceased skipper, and who, with the captains of the Moulmein and Mino, is going to London to consult with the authorities. Young Smith was asleep in his bunk when the firing aroused him. Just as he was getting up a shot struck the starboard and penetrated to the forecastle, smashing a lamp near where he was standing. He rushed on deck, where the searchlights reon deck, where the searchlights refather and Leggott lying headless and the deck strewn with the injured. It was soon found that the vessel was sinking, and signals for as-sistance were sent out. Smith and others concur in the de-

tails of the firing that have already been given.

### Ispored Green Flares.

From interviews with members of trawler crews, it appears that the admiral of the fishing fleet burned green flares to show that they were harmless fishermen, but these signals were ignored. Eighteen injured men are here un-

der treatment.

One trawler, the Wren, is missing, and it is feared she has been sunk. There were many distressing scenes

at Hull during the day and night, re-latives enquring after friends.
There is a rumor that the Great
Northern fishing fleet was also chased by the Russians. This report has not yet been confirmed.

Survivor Tells the Tale. London, Oct. 24.-The steam cutter Magpie, belonging to the Game-cock trawler fleet, which was fired on by the Russian Baltic fleet, arrived in the Thames last night. Her captrin, Peaker, confirmed the details of the story received from Hull. He

"Friday night there were about 40 vessels of the Gamecock fleet fishing in lat. 55 degrees, 15 minutes, and long. 5 degrees 6 minutes, east. It was a misty, drizzly night. We spread over an area of some miles, Our admiral had just previously sig-naled by rockets and colored lights the fishing direction for the night. Whether that has anything to do with what followed, I do not with what followed, I do not know. The whole thing is a my-

Presently through the mist there appeared the lights of many vessels, big and small. Knowing that the Baltic fleet was en route, we naturally assumed that they were Russians, but I cannot say for certain.

They were signaling one another, and with powerful searchlights spied out every one of our fleet. Suddenly some of the warships started firing at about 20 boats which were near est them. We at first supposed they est them. We at first supposed they were blank shots, and the boatswain of the Tomtit, which was close in, held two big fish out at arm's length. Some say he was offering them to the Russians in fun, and others that he meant to acquaint the Russians with the fact that we were Russians with the fact that we were peaceful fishermen and not disguised enemies. In any case, there was no mistaking our occupation, for we were close enough for the Russians to see that our men were all en-gaged in gutting fish. When we realized that the Russians were firing shot, and that men were being wounded, all became terror and confusion. Nets were cut away, steam was gotten up, and the trawlers hur-

ried away as fast as possible.

"Judging by the rapidity of the shots, they were from quick-firing guns. I have seen some of the shots embedded in boats. They are about the diameter, but not the length of a big cucumber, and with brass

"What with the darkness, the rain and the glare of the searchlights, we were unable to identify the warships. After about half an hour the firing suddenly ceased, and the fleet steamed away speedily in the direc-Captain Peaker confirms the tails of the fate of the trawler Crane

rush for stoves having

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Sea Gull, which at a late hour had shd her crew and speaks with intense indignation of the condu the Russians. He says:

'It is impossible that we could have been taken for anything but trawlers. I can only imagine that the Russians lost their heads blazed away in confussion, and when they discovered their mistake steam-ed off."

### AN APOLOGY BUE.

enden Papers Declare the Situation

London, Oct. 24.-As Foreign Minister Lansdowne and Russian Ambas-sador Benckendorff were out of town yesterday and all the Government of-fices in London were closed, no offi-cial view could be gleaned of the firing by Russian warships upon a British fishing fleet in the North Sea. The first reports of the affair received in London were regarded as almost incredible.

### Heartlessness of Float The worst feature of the story as

viewed here, is the heartlessness dis-played by the Russian fleet in steaming away without taking the trouble to ascertain even whether their fire had inflicted any damage and without any effort to rescue the victims. While admitting the necessity of a suspension of judgment for investigation and explanation, the morning newspapers are unanimous in de manding that the Government instruct Ambassador Hardinge to make the strongest representation to the St. Petersburg Government and obtain reparation and apologies and assurance of the Russian Leet's good behavior for the future.

Demand Immediate Satisfaction.

Considering the circumstances in the case, the newspapers treat the matter with commendable calmness, but are firm in demands for immediate satisfaction.

The Chronicle says: "The next 24 The Chronicle says: "The next 24 hours must settle it one way or the other. Only two modes of settlement are possible. Either explanation, apology and generous compensation to the victims' families or an ulti-

matum."
The Standard says: "An explana-tion should be promptly and sternly demanded for the intolerable outrage. The Russian Government should be informed that it is expected to recall its ill-starred squadron, first, in order that proper investigation may be held, and, second, to keep it eat of harm's way for the future."

Queen Might Have Been In It. It is remarked that but for an eleventh hour alteration of arrange-ments for Queen Alexandra's depar-ture from Copehagen the Royal yacht, which arrived home with the Queen yesterday, might have been in the neighborhood ol the Bussian fleet when the trawlers were fired

M. Sazoneff, one of the officials of the Russian Embassy, last night ex-pressed deep regret for the North Sea incident. He was convinced, he said, that the unfortunate event was the result of accident. If there had been firing, it could only have been due to suspicion of some hostile attack upon the fleet.

Baltic Fleet Meves.

London, Oct. 24.—The Russian Pacific (Baltic) fleet, comprising seven battleships and four cruisers, passed Dover in three sections be-tween 6 o'clock yesterday morning and 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and later passed Eastbourne. They were watched by large crowds from

Nothing has been seen of the tor-pedo flotilla, which may, however, have passed during the night, as Lloyd's at noon reported four Russian torpedo boats passing St. Catharines Point, "apparently boarding a

A despatch from Cherbourg reports that three Russian torpedo boats, escorted by the volunteer cruiser Krie, are moored in the roadstead there to take coal, water,

### Searched Merchantmen

Portsmouth, Oct. 24.—The report is confirmed here that vessels of the Russian Baltic fleet stopped and searched merchantmen off the Isle of Wight.

And At Cherbourg. Cherbourg, Oct. 24.—Four more Russian torpedo boats have arrived here, conveying a collier. They will not leave until Monday.

### ANNIVERSARY

Rev. Dr. Briggs, of Toronto, the Methodist Book Steward, preached at the anniversary services held in the Park street Methodist church yes

terday.

The church was crowded on both occasions and the sermons given by Mr. Briggs were eloquently given and favorably received. Mr. Briggs is a powerful speaker and an excellent one.

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The choir, under the direction of Miss H. Edythe Hill, gave excellent music of a special order. Two splendid anthems were rendered by the choir and solo parts were taken by Miss Hill, Miss Potter, Miss White and Mr. Hallman. A duett was also given by Miss Hill and Jaspar Wilson.

A violin solo was rendered at each service by Miss Smith, of Portland, Oregon, who is a guest of Mrs. Daniel Jordan.

A congregational At Home will be held this evening so that the members of the congregation may become better acquainted. The admission is free and an excellent program will be rendered, consisting of speeches and music.

# TWO NEW BOOKS

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## GRAHAM."

By the author of "The Letters of a Self-Made Merchant." Its a great book by a great author. "Old Gorgon Graham" says :-

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This new book by the Self-Made Merchant" will appear in Sept. Better put in your order in advance.-WM. BRIGGS, Publisher, Toronto.

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### WHY IT DIDN'T

The Stephens organette asks why when the bribery charges were common talk for nearly a year, this great home journal didn't take them

For this reason, little one. This great home journal doesn't deal in "common talk" against a private citizen. But when the "common task" is crystallized into a definite public charge by responsible men against a public man seeking the support and endorsation of the community it serves, this great home journal has something to say-and say emphatically. And what it says is this, that if the man charged cannot disprove the charge "absolutely and conclusively" he has no right to ask for or expect the support of honest men. That's the point.

But why did't Mr. Stephens take action long ago? His case is differ-

### LET US HAVE FACTS

No one begrudges the embryo reporter, who labored so earnestly to place before the few readers of the Stephens' organette a glowing report of his doings at Valetta the other night, any of the celebrity that his friends who receive the carefully marked copies thereof may extend him. In attracting attention to his talents he is doubtless disseminating information that would otherwise never have dawned on a phlegmatic and stupid public.

Yet it is a mistake to let one's enthusiastic estimate of his accomplishments draw him away from the には圖

Let him take to heart the lesson already forced upon the Stephens' organ. True success in journalism-as well as in law - calls for adherence to the truth. Had the Stephens' or gan realized this and governed itself accordingly it would never have suffered the discredit to which its tampering with the recent address of Mr Gundy, one of the Liberal speakers, exposed it. The people take a newspaper to get the facts, not a distorted and untruthful statement of affairs.

### TO THE WORKINGMEN.

The Toner, published in forento the "Official Organ of the Toronto District Labor Council," and the principal organ of Organized Labor in Canada, under the headin, "How midnight oil. Why, they say the Shail the Workingman Yote;" gives young Stephens' solicitor sat up all

this excellent advice: The question has been asked, How shall the workingman votef Men, be-fere you go to the poll to cast your vote, stop for a moment to think. There is not a thing done, not a word spoken, no matter how hasty, but what a thought comes before. So before you vote take time to think. Study the question over with yourself: think of the principles you are going to decide for, whether they are the principles of the manhood standard or not. If a man comes before you at election time with some new scheme, such as the Grand Trunk Pacific, new postof the Yonge street bridge, or whatever it may be-those schemes come at election times only; they loom up quite bright in the public eye. Look for a moment, on the other hand, what has been done with the money that has been spent? What benefit have you received or any other hard working man? The cry is, the times are so much better now for the worker than they were a few years ago. Why should they not be? A wider development of the country has had a lot to do with that. In no period of the history of the world has the Providence of God been more marked than during the last tew years. Be assured, men, that the principles of the present Government have been not for you, but in their own interests. How many representatives have the workingmen in the cabinet, and how many have the capitalists? How many great and grand schemes which were brought before the people at the last election have been carried out for the workingmen? Nothing has been done, only incurring expense through ballot-stuffing, bye-elections, etc.; giving of grafts and easy posi tions to those who have plenty and nothing to the workingman. Men, put it up carefully for yourself. Don't let others decide for you for a paltry sum of money, a cigar or some little graft. Fellow-men, more especially young men, there has come a time for a change, and it is in your power to make it. You have a principle at stake, and probably by you holding to it it will make those in whom you trust the government of your own country to have a principle like yours, the principle of manhood stand-

ard. Nothing else will do."

## Shiloh's Consumption Cure The Lung

cured them of chronic coughs, cannot all be mistaken. There must be some truth in it.

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Stephens and railroad corporation onus seekers. Clements and the people. Which?

Never mind, expert animalculists tell us that Parrotts and Kerrs can be trained. But it takes time.

Now, if that had been Fred. Stone or N. H. Stevens we might have believed it, but Parrott and Kerr-ye

Why did Mr. Stephens refuse to let Reeve Purser and Councilior Boyer speak at his Big Point meeting after chailenging them to be present? An-

Neither Mr. Stephens nor his organ has yet explained why the would-be member did not make a move to serve his \$5,000 High Court writs till the eve of the election.

Can't understand why Principal Plewes overlooked that clever travelling menagerie, the Parrott and the Kerr, at his pet show exhibit. What a hit they would have made!

You'll notice George Stephens and his organ steer carefully clear of Mr. Mattlew Wilson, K. C. They prefer to squeeze the \$5,000 on their High Court writs out of the farmers—if

Was it because The Planet insisted on sticking to the facts and refused to mutilate and distort the words of the speakers on both sides that it incurred Mr. Stephens' vituperative outbreak?

Mr. Gundy's exposure of the Stephens organ's mutilation of his words for party purposes will not be lost upon the public-especially as that gentleman is a Liberal speaker. But it is only a sample of the style of campaign that Mr. Stephens is con-

It's no wonder the Stephens organette would like to get away from the bribery charges. Mr. Stephens tried the same thing when he was afraid to let Reeve Purser and Councillor Boyer speak at his Big Point meeting after challenging them to

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rou'll be kept busy. And the Armories that the Regi-ment looked for never came.

Dredge the River Stephens will perng those Armories.

For four days we have had no assurance from Mr. Stephens that the Armories would be built.

own speeches for the Banner or does he just put in the applause? Having called the farmers "ignor-amuses," the Banner now is poking fun at the honest colored man.

Does Johnnie Kerr write up his

Why did the Banner insinuate on Saturday that clean politics couldn't be expected from the colored voter?

Banner editor's instructions to the type-setter—Be sure and stick in a lot of "applause" when you set up Kerr's speeches.

Why doesn't the Banner just put in the applause and leave out the speech. There seems to be more applause than speech.

All that George Stephens needs now is an affidavit from E. E. Parrott. He wasn't at the meeting and he says that the charges are false.

Henry Primeau says that if a cou-ple of ballot boxes are needed at the new polling sub-division they can be secured at the Urban Store.

And now with one calm sweep of the hand M. Wilson, K. C., sweeps away the only argument that the Grits had, and they stand face to face with the cold, bald bribery charge.

The Banner says that J. G. Kerr "had the pleasure of driving a few nails home and clinching them." I don't see how they missed him in that nail-driving contest they had over at the Central School Fair last week. Perhaps the teachers wanted to give the other boys a chance.

### AT ST. PAUL'S

The Rev. A. H. Kippen, of West Lorne, preached the anniversary ser-vices at St. Paul's Presbyterian Lorne, preached the anniversary services at St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Harwich, yesterday. There was a good attendance at both services and the discourses of Mr. Kippen were much enjoyed. At evening worship he took as the subject of his remarks, "And thou shalt call his name Jesus; for He shall save his people from their sins." Mr. Kippen pointed out God's purpose in bringing Christ into the world. Our Saviour was the connecting link between man and God and in Him was united united the attributes of each. He included in his sermon an earnest appeal to all to follow the precepts and teachings of Jesus Christ.

The music by the full choir, under the direction of Mrs. Sydney Walker, was much enjoyed. Mrs. Walker and Miss McCormick sang a duet that was very much appreciated. The quartette by Mrs. Walker, Miss McCormick, and Messrs, Riscborough and Robertson was very fine. The choir St. Paul's Presbyterian arwich, vesterday. There

Cormick, and Messrs. Riscborough and Robertson was very fine. The choir also rendered several anthems, in one of which Robert Houston took the

## ABOUT EXAMS.

"There is something radically wrong with the manner in which examina-tions are conducted in our present educational system," remarked City Engineer Jones. "At least that is the tions are conducted in our present educational system," remarked City Engineer Jones. "At least that is the way it appears to me. From what I hear, the whole object and purpose of the teacher seems to be to have the pupils learn enough to pass an examination. The teacher tells the pupil and the pupil has to store what he or she is told up in the mind till examination day. Then the student can forget it. You can't blame the instructor, for the pupil has to be fitted to pass an examination in a given time, and as the pupil passes so is the teacher judged. Naturally the pupil with the best memory always succeeds. That is why, I think, that you often find that the gold medalists do not always made a success in after life. When the pupil goes out into the world to hustle for a living, he finds that brains are needed in addition to a good memory and while his memory has been cultivated his reasoning powers have been idle and as a result are not as well needed in addition to a good memory and while his memory has been cultivated his reasoning powers have been idle and as a result are not as well developed as they should be. The system used in educating children should be changed so as to inculcate in the pupils the use of all their mental facilities. The teacher should give the child a start and then let it reason out results. Some pumps won't work without a little water to prime them, and when a little water is given to the pump it brings forth water in abundance. The teacher Should occupy the same position as regards the child. He should prime the pupil with a little knowledge and then let the child bring forth knowledge in abundance from what has been given. To make the child reason, not commit to memory should be the aim of our educational system."

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### 24TH AT CHURCH

Maple City Regiment Attend St.Andrews And Hear Exellent Address From Rev. Dr. Battisby

The 24th Kent Regiment visited St. Andrew's church yesterday morning and listened to a particularly fine sermon delivered by the pastor, Rev. and listened to a particularly line sermon delivered by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Battisby. The doctor pointed out the lessons that might be learned from the present war in the far east. He said that no matter what the outcome might be, Russia would in any event learn a lesson which he hoped would be a benefit, not only to the country of the Czar, but also to the world. The reckless bravery of the Mikado's troops, Dr. Battisby pointed out, was admirable and Christians should have a moral courage of a similar kind. When a young man yielded to vice and got in trouble he generally complained that the world was against him while in reality he had only allowed his baser nature to overcome the dictates of his conscience. There was always of his conscience. There was always of his conscience. There was always a great war raging. On one side were the soldiers of Christ, on the other the forces of Satan. The doctor closed a very interesting and instructive sermon with an earnest appeal to all to carry on the war on the side of right and to copy the energy and enthusiasm of the Jap-anese, then success was assured. The music rendered by the choir was especially good. Miss Gertie

was especially good. Miss Gertie Somerville has a voice that it is alsomerville has a voice that it is al-always a great pleasure to hear, and the anthem in which Miss Somerville and Morton Sheldon took the solo parts was very much enjoyed by all present. The duet by Misses Gertie Somerville and Miss Ada Ross was also splendidly rendered.

### DR THORNTON SPEAKS IN EAST LAMBTON

Dr. A. W. Thornton, president of the West Kent Liberal-Conservative Association, spoke at the great mass meeting in the Opera House, Petrolea, on Saturday night, with W. J. Han-na, M. P. P., and Jos. Armstrong, the candidate. It was a magnificent meeting with the swing of victory in the sir.

the air.

"There is no doubt whatever expressed as to the re-election of Mr. Armstrong in East Lambton," said Dr. Thornton, on his return this morning, "and splendid news comes from the western constituency where many say our esteemed friend James Clancy will redeem the riding. It is a very hard fight, but his Triends have little fear for Mr. Clancy."

### FROM ENGLAND

Sam Horn, Deleware Ave., but recently returned from England, has many a good story to tell of his trip.

"England is all right but it's no place for the workingman," remarked Mr. Horn. "They were discharging any number of men in the shipyards when I was there. If I had made my fortune and wanted to retire, I wouldn't ask for a finer place to spend the rest of my life. Canada is the place after all, though. I wished I was back home after I was in England two weeks.

"When I was down in Devonshire I found fruit very scarce but up in Lincolnshire, it was very plentiful. They had so ms." apples they could not give them away.

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## The Letter-Box

To the Editor of The Planet:

Dear Sir,—I notice in the issue of The Planet under date of Sept. 24th last, headed "Local View of Fish Scandal" signed by Caleb Wheeler, and as one of the fishermen referred to, I wish to take this opportunity of replying to Mr. Wheeler's statements. In the second paragraph Mr. Wheeler states that nets are not allowed on the American side of the line I wish to deny this statement, as I know that nets are allowed on the American side of the line at any time of the year, there being no close season whatever. I am informed on good authority that Mr. Stephens has nothing whatever to do with this department. Mr. Pardo has, as this question is dealt with entirely by the Toronto House. The fishermen of the places referred to in this letter, who are also farmers, saw no such petition as referred to in this letter. As far as I know there are no foreigners, retired tradesmen or farmers in this fishing business whatever. We are born Canadians who live near these waters and we spend all our money in this County of Kent. I can guarantee that any fisherman would give at least a quarter of a cent preference to any Canadian firm or party who would be willing to buy our fish, and-not a man in this business in this county is under any American Trust whatever. All nets and supplies are purchased by US direct from the manufacturers, and are paid for spot cash, C. O. D., express, and Mr. Wheeler can verify these facts by referring to any express office office in this city, I emphatically deny the statement that we are agents of any Trust or Trusts, whatever.

We are abiding strictly by our license and there are no nets set in cense of the content o

We are abiding strictly by our license and there are no nets set in marshes or elsewhere as prohibited by said license. I must admit that there are a few bass caught in the hoop nets, but these are certainly released as soon as the nets are lifted. It would be impossible to aviod the taking of some bass in these nets. If that portion of the lake between Grassey Point and Tick Tack Point is filled with the nets, as Mr. Wheeler states, how is it that at this season of the year tugs with five and six large scows loaded with sugar beets are continually running between these points. How can we fishermen who are fishing outside these points destroy the spawn of the green bass in Mitchell's Bay? Our principal catch is coarse fish and I doubt if any fisherman on these waters ever lifted a net and found more bass than coarse fish. Although the license calls for a lead of only 8 rods in length, we must inform Mr. Wheeler that the Minister of Marine and Fisheries has given us a special permission to use a lead of 125 yards, and I can assure you that a lead longer than this is never used. For the past three years we have been using the same lead.

It is the carp that destroys the ever. We are abiding strictly by our li-

It is the carp that destroys the spawn of the bass. We have also per-mission (and have had for the past span of the bass. We have also permission (and have had for the past three years) to take and ship pickerel. This permission was given by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries. Any person wishing to go for a day's outing and have a fish, can catch as many fish as he could ten years ago. I must give our inspectors credit, as they come at least two or three times a mouth and not only supervise the shipping but also go out and see the nets lifted, and see that they are placed all right.

Mr. Wheeler or any one else can come and inspect our shipments at any time and I will guarantee that they will be found all right, and as I said before, Mr. Wheeler or any one else can come and buy our fish for a quarter of a cent less than any American at any time of the year.

Mr. Wheeler who claims to be such

Mr. Wheeler, who claims to be such Mr. Wheeler, who claims to be such a sport, has never been seen by me anywhere fishing yet, and I firmly believe that if he ever wanted to catch any of his so-called green bass he would not take the trouble to go to any water but simply stay in his own shop and catch them, in fact this is where he would rather catch them.

them.

I have been a fisherman for thirty I have been a fisherman for thirty years and fish are of a better quality and more plentiful now than they have ever been. According to Mr. Bastedo the present laws are both fair and just to both the angler and the net fishermen. I give Mr. Stephens credit for coming down and inspecting the surveying party and Mr. T. L. Pardo came down and inspected the fisheries with the Minister of Fisheries. Both of these gentlemen found everything all right when they went over the waters.

Thanking you for your valuable space, I am,

space, I am,
Yours truly,
JOHN BAGNALL,
Jeannette's Creek P. O., Oct. 13, '04.

## AN ELECTION DODGE

The Public Works Department of the Dominion of Canada are contem-plating the spending of more money at Rondeau, harbor with a view to improving it and making it an even better port than it is for the increas-ing traffic that is being carried on there.

there.
Mr. Walter C. Brough, of Goderich. Mr. Walter C. Brough, of Goderich, a civil engineer, has been sent to Rondeau this past week by the Government to get details as to what can be done. It is thought that by building a breakwater out into the lake the filling up of the channel leading into Rondeau will be prevented. Accordingly, if the breakwater is built, it will extend out from the east pier into the lake, and from the end of this another will run south. Mr. Brough will submit his plans and estimates to the Department.

There is no doubt but that a breakwater such as is planned would improve the harbor, as the present channel is continually filing in and constant dredging is necessary to make it of necessary depth.— Blenheim News-Tribune.

## <del>\*</del> THE STAGE

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A unique event was celebrated on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Fuce, Jackson street, the occasion being the celebration of their golden wedding. A handsome and abundant dinner was partaken of by the guests at one o'clock. Tables were spread in the house and under the trees and the scene was very pretty. Afterwards a most enjoyable time was spent in social intercourse.

James Fuce was born on Feb. 3rd, 1829, in Oxfordshire, England, and when but four years of age came with his parents to Canada. They settled at once in the Township of Raleigh, and Mr. Fuce's earliest remembrance of Kent County is the wilderness that it certainly must have been at that time. unique event was celebrated on

Martha Ann Hinds was born in the County of Kent, England, on Feb. 6, 1836, and like Jas. Fuce, came with her parents to Canada when four

ears of age. Both James Fuce and Martha Ann Both James Fuce and Martha Ann Hinds grew up in Raleigh Township, and on the 18th of October, 1854, they were married. For twenty-six years Mr. and Mrs. Fuce lived in Raleigh. Then in 1890 they retired from active labor of five life and made their home in Blenheim.

Three children blessed the union of Mr. and Mrs. Fuce. Oliver J., now a resident of Toronto, Mrs. (Rev.) A. D. Whaley resides at North Amherst, Ohio, and Alice, who died at the age of five years.

of five years.

The arrangements for the anniversary of the wedding were inaugurated and carried out by the son and daughand carried out by the son and daughter, who are living 350 miles apart, entirely without the knowledge of their parents. A remarkable feaature was that ten persons were present who were at the wedding 50 years ago. Five grandchildren and one great grandchild were also present. From the verandah of the house on Tuesday afternoon addresses appropriate to the occasion were given by Rev. W.E. Kerr, Peter Jenner, Charing Cross, and ex-Mayor Jas. Greenwood, of Blenheim. No one could help noticing that Mr. and Mrs. Fuce are still in good health and bid fair to still in good health and bid fair to be able in ten years to observe their diamond wedding.

## AT HALF MAST.

Sometimes we are greeted in the norning by flags at half-mast for some prominent official who yesterday was apparently in perfect health. When we inquire the ailment by which he was stricken it is not uncommon to be told "acute indigestion" or "stomach trouble."

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Quinlan & Wall's Minstrels—Oct. 26. Rodnev Stock Co.—Oct. 27-29. Marie Wainwright in "Twelfth Night,"—Nov. 2. Way Down East—Nov. 7. On the Bridge at Midnight—Nov. 14.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Mummy and Humming Bird-

Nov. 17. Anne Blaucke, in A Little Outcast Dec. 9th Al. H. Wilson, in Prince of Tatters Dec. 16.
Alice Neilson, in the Fortune Tell-

Bonnie Briar Bush-In March.

A GUOD COMPANY.

The Rodnev Stock Company who played three nights at the Grand, gave universal satisfaction for a popular-priced attraction. The company is one of the most evenly balanced Stock Companies we have had for a good many years. The specialties were away above the average. The plays were all powered to the stock of the sto plays were all new and up-to-date. The Rodney Company plays all week stands. We understand the company are going to play here three nights, beginning Thursday, Oct. 27 and on the first night ladies will be admitted free under the usual condition. This company is deserving and should be well patronized. They will play at the same popular prices, 10c, 20c and 30c. Thursday night ladies free.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

A SOUTHERN PRODUCT.

Young, bright, full of dash and roung, bright, full of dash and ginger, is the best way to place the adjectives around the name of Emil Subers, whose enthusiastic outbursts of wit and humor permeate the very atmosphere of the Dan Quinlan and Wall Imperial Minstrels, which appears at the Grand, on Wednesday, Oct. 26, Emile Subers is without



doubt the best exponent of negro wit, humor and dialect on the stage to-day and why shouldn't he be, for he was born and raised down in the Sunny South, in the very heart of the black belt of America, and what he don't know about the character-istics of the real genuine colored man is not worth knowing.

Miss Marie Wainwright, who is to Miss Marie Wainwright, who is to appear here soon in Shakespeare's amusing "Twelfth Night," filled Wallack's Theatre in New York with large and admiring audiences for 600 consecutive performances. That she has played all the leading female roles in Shakespeare's plays to those greatest of the Bard's interpreters.—Booth, Barrett Salvini and McCallough is Barrett Salvini and McCullough, is all the guarantee that stage lovers of this city require to feel that she will render the part of Orsino's sweetheart page in the most perfect manner. An early date for her appearance is now being arranged.

"Way Down East," which comes to the Grand on Monday, No. 7th, had its premier in Newport, R. I., on Sept. 3rd, 1897, and was quickly transferred 3rd, 1897, and was quickly transferred to New York, where it jumped into immediate popularity and had one of those extraordinary runs which are the envy of managers and authors. It is absolutely innocent of great pretence as a drama; but it sets forth in a realistic and in some respects an idyllic way, the everyday life which is to be encountered in New England. Everywhere it has been presented the public has crowded in to laugh and cry over its exquisite touches of nature.

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## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Vote for Clements and Willson! Ald. Walter Piggott was in Sarnia Dr. S. G. Story, of Blenheim, spent

Saturday in town

Saturday in town.

J. N. McCoy, of Wallaceburg, spent
Saturday in the city.

Lost, a bunch of four keys. Finder
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James Rhody left Saturday on a few weeks' visit in Windsor. Clarence Chrysler and Henry Mit-chell, were Detroit visitors yester-

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William George, of Tupperville, is in the city, attending court as a

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wilson, of Port Juron, were guests in the city on Huron, we Saturday.

Wallace Simpson is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Bert Shepherd, Dela-ware avenue.

Lost, Saturday night, long black curly fur. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office. Charles R. Ball and bride, of Waco,

Texas, are visiting Mr. Ball's father, William Ball, Victoria Ave. William McFadden and Harry Card

of Moose Jaw, Assa., were registered at the Merrill House, on Saturday. Scott Bros. & Co. have the contract for a storehouse for G. O. Scott at the corner of Queen street and Park avenue.

Lost, Sunday, Oct. 17, ladies' gold-plated, hunting case watch, name on inside. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

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Scott Bros. & Co. lost a fine horse on Saturday night. It was one of the bay team purchased from Alfred Langford, Kent Bridge, in the spring.

Miss Harmer, Thamesville, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Bounsall, Murray Street, Saturday and Sunday. Beautiful pearl opera glasses for \$5.00 a pair, other kinds from \$1.50 up to \$20.00 a pair. E. J. MacIntyre, leading jeweler and optician.

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A citizen's letter has been sent to member of the Board of Health, as The Planet cannot recognize anonymous correspondence.

After closing a very successful three nights' engagement at the Grand, the Rodney Stock Company has been requested and urged to play a return engagement here this week for three nights, commencing Thursday. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Ladies free Thursday, Oct. 27.

The musical portion of the re-open-

The musical portion of the re-opening services of Christ Church was repeated yesterday to large congregations. In the morning Miss Verna Heyward sang a solo and in the evening a selection was given from evening a selection was given from a mixed quartette composed of Misses Helen Thomas, Mae Peate, J. W. Wil-Helen Thomas, Mae Pea son and R. W. Angus.

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Miss Grace Gammage is laid up with sprained ankle. Mrs. Eli Hazlett, Wellington street, confined to the house through ill-

Herb. Bowes, of the Blonde Co., spent Sunday at his home in Wallace-

Earl Davis, of the Electric Light Co., ran a rusty nail in his foot last week and will be laid up for a ouple of weeks.

osuple of weeks.

A young girl is wanted to fill a position of trust and make herself generally useful. Must be good at figures and write a fair hand, Address box 641, city.

Norman W. Ford, of Toronto, is a guest at the Garner House to-day. Mr. Ford is a former editor and proprietor of the Banner newspaper.

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price. E. J. MacIntyre, Leading Jew-eler and Optician. 2t

Invitations are out for the wedding of Mrs. Edith Maud Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rolls, of De-troit, and Ernest Steffins Pickel, also of Detroit. The event takes place on Oct. 12. They will be at home to their friends after February 1st, their new home Charlotte Avenue at their new home. Charlotte Avenue apartments, Detroit.

CHICAGO MARKETS Reported by F. W. Dillion, Chatham, Ont October 24, 1904

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### NOTICE

All Union Men are requested to attend at Union Hall on Tuesday 25th inst., to attend meeting in Skat

JAS. Le BER. Laborers', 10,390.

## Rubber Goods

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We wish to draw attention to the display of Rubber Goods in our window. Quality is the first consideration, and our prices are as low as we can make them.

Our New Hot Water Bottle

It is of finest quality maroor rubber, with an improved handle for convenience in filling and carrying, and we guarantee it for two years. The price is

## J. H. DENNIS

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# Great Anniversary

## IT'S OUR BIRTHDAY

This week is the Ninth Anniversary of the Opening of Our Store in Chatham, and we shall commemorate the event by holding a SPECIAL SALE FOR THE WEEK. Nine years of such marked prosperity deserves special recognition on our part, and for one week we are not going to worry about profits. We are to CELEBRATE and the best way we know of is to give you some BARGAINS worth coming for and remembering us by. Anniversary Week is a time for making new friendships as well as for renewing the old. If there are any who have never been in this store, let them come now and see how different it is to many other Chatham stores.

If there are any who have ever turned away, for any reason, let them come back and see how easy it is to right a wrong. You will find everything that is being sold at Less than Our Regular Prices, marked in plain figures on a special card.

Here are a few of Our Birthday Offerings :--

# shaped top, three drawers, and two cup-boards under-hand carved, mirror 18x3, German bevel, some dealers price this board at \$25, our Anniversary Sale price \$18.

100 yds Irish crash towelling, pure flax, very heavy, blue and red border, free from lint, regular 10c value, sale price per yard

Dark grey twilled rollering, heavy quality, 17 inches wide, red and blue borders, 10c value, sale price TABLE LINEN

TOW+LLINGS

150 yards half bleached table da-mask, pure flax, choice floral designs, 60 inches wide, heavy firm weave, regular 50c value, sale price FLANNELETTE SHEETING

VICTORIA LAWN

**TOWELS** 

## Plain or twilled grey flannels, good value at 15c, sale price per yard 12 1-2c Plain or twilled extra fine pure wool, very heavy, soft make, 35c value, sale price per yard

## DRESS TWEEDS

54 inch all wool dress tweeds, in stripe and fancy tlake, regular \$1.25 values, sale price

### **GREY HOMESPUNS** 54 inch all wool grey homespuns, regular \$1.00 values, sale price

SHAKER FLANNELS

WRAPPERETTES

price per yard

GREY FLANNELS

THE KIND YOU NEED

300 yards plain grey, brown and white mixtures, heavy quality, soft fleecy finish, wide width, correct for quilt linings, undergarments, etc., regular 10c value, sale price per yard 8 1-2c.

250 yards extra heavy light shaker

flannels, in small or large checks and plaids, in pink and blues, 34 inches wide, correct for children's dresses,

night gowns, etc., regular 15c value sale price per yard

13 pieces fancy wrapperettes, medium weight cloth, good assortment of patterns, suitable for wrapers, quilt linings, etc., regular 8 1-2c value, sale price per yard 7c.

25 pieces new wrapperettes, in pinks, blues, cardinals and fancy colorings, good patterns for waists, dresses, etc., regular 10c value, sale

GREY AND BLACK FRIEZE

## Good heavy weight, regular \$1.00 values, sale price

## CULORED HOMESPUNS

54 inches wide, in brown, grey, black and navy blue, regular 75c values, sale price

## **JACKETS**

At \$8.50.

Stylish Jackets, 30 inches long, fit- FOR \$4.00ted back, straight front cape trim med with stitching, stand-up collar, finished with inlaid straps of velvet, 1904 style, regular price

Three-quarter length, back pleated and belted, sleeve pleated to cuff, colors lawn and black, and white, tweed effects, 1904 style, regular price

### READY-TO-WEAR WAISTS

At \$2.98-Broken ranges grouped at

price; materials are silks, lustres, brilliantines, lined or unlined, fine or wide pleats and trimmed with insertion, sale price

At \$4.98-

Waists of Taffeta and Louisine silks ream, blue and castor, handsome styles, side or box pleats and nicely stitched, regular prices \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$7.50, sale price

Excellent quality mercerized sateen underskirts, cut full, deep flounce, trimmed with 5 small ruffles, each put on with stitched band and cord-ing.

1 piece plain grey shaker flannel sheetings, 72 inches wide, best quality, regular 35c value, sale price

Extra special, 45 inch, Victoria lawn, fine weave, soft make, 15c value sale price

6 dozen only, pure linen crepe to-wels, hemmed ends, red borders, 18 x 36 inch, regular 12 1-2c value, sale price each

DRESS ZEBELINE Fancy stripe zebeline, regular 750 values, sale price

### BROWN HOPSACK

56 inch all wool brown hopsack regular \$1.00 values, sale price

Regular \$1.75 values, sale price \$1.25. SPECIAL LINE DRESS GOODS 42 and 44 inches wide, in grey, browns, black, green, fancy plaids, checks and plain goods, regular 50c and 60c values, sale price

## MYRTLE GREENDRESS GOODS

40 inch wide all wool, regular 85c and 40c values, sale price

### **FURS**

\$16.50

Also go to swell the list of anniversary bargains. ruff, fur lined.

trimmed with 6 tails, regular price Caperine of electric seal and grey squirrel, large storm collar, regular

FOR \$9,98-Large natural muff, satin lined, re-1 1 4 612.00 gular price FOR \$10.50-

OR \$10.50— A natural Alaska sable ruffs, trimmed with 8 tails, regular price \$13,50 FOR \$12.50-Ukrainer caperine trimmed with thibet, satin lined, large collar, re-gular price

FOR \$12,50-Electric seal caperine with long front, sable collar and trimmings, regular price

FOR \$14.50—
Columbia able Victoria, 60 inches long, finished with clasp, and 4 large tails.

FOR \$22.75-Natura! stone marten, Victoria fine silky fur, A1 quality, finished with claws and tails, regular price

FOR \$28.50-A quality natural sable, flat stole, trimmed with fine large chenille ornaments, regular price

## Anniversary Sale in Our Men's Store...

75c to \$1 Negligee Shirts Anniversary Sale Price, **500.** 20 Doz of gentee, patterns in the new grey, burnt orange and neat pattern effects, during Anniversary Sale, 50c, sizes, 14½ to 17

500 Silk Nookwoar, Anniversary Sale Price. 250. Handsome four-in hand, bows, knots, strings and novelty patterns and genteel effects, regular 50c silks on sale at 25c



In reliable wearing whipcords, good weights, just right for early fall and suitable to wear under heavy winter coat, odd sizes in youth's and men's

just in, good weights, patterns easily worth \$2, good value, full range of sizes, pant on sale for Anniversary Special, \$1.50.

Men's Refted Overcoats, Anniversary Special, \$9. The popular Overcoat: This season's: neat chalk line Cheviot, good weight, dark effects, belted back, full range of sizes, 34 to 42. Very special at \$9,00.

BACK COMBS—Ladies hne Celluloid Back Combs in dark brown only, regular 30c. value, Anniversary Sal 2 for....25c

High Class Winter Under-

High Glass Winter Underwear. Manufacturer's Samples 25 per cent. off. English makers' fine wool unwear, mostly drawers, a few shirts in the lot. We cleared the Canadian traveller's samples at 25 per cent. off. You get 90 qualities at 69c. \$1.00 qualities at 75c. \$1.25 qualities at 97c. \$1.50 qualities \$1.18, \$2.00 qualities \$1.69. \$2.50 qualities \$1.98. \$2.50 qualities \$1.48.

Imported Fine Wool and \$7.50 Men's Oashmere Sox, Special 25c. - Spe-Topcoats, Anniversary Special, \$5.
In reliable wearing cial Scotch fingering yarn sox in plain-black, red, grey and natural colors, also fide black English Cashmere Sox, extra weight, no better sold anywhere at 35c. Anniversary special 25c pair.

> Men's New Fall Suits—Anniversary Special \$10. We have just opened up this line. They were bought to sell at \$12; single and double breasted, sack suits, new brown effects, all sizes. During Anniversary, special each \$10.

Boys' Winter Suits. Anniver sary Special \$2.48. Made from honest wearing tweeds and chalklines, single and double breasted, Norfolk styles, suits regular value at \$3.00, during Anniversary Week \$2.48.

Boys' Storm Rectors--Annivery Special \$2.48—Made from heavy all wool Frieze, plain greys, big storm collar, double breasted, tweed lined, value regular \$3 oo and \$3.50. Anniversary Special \$2.48.

EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS

— Ladies Embroidered Handkerchiefs of fine
India Muslin in hemstitched or shaped

## Worthy Offerings from Our Carpet and Drapery Rooms

Carpet Offer No. 1-

during sale at 121/2 c Each

5 patterns in best all wool carpet, 21/2 ply, worth 90c. and 95c per yd, made and laid during sale at 79c. per yd

## Twilled Net Curtain Offer No. 2-30 pairs only, pretty ruffled Net Curtains, 3 yards long by 45 in. wide, worth \$2, during sale to do at \$1.19 a Pair

Curtain Rod Offer No. 3— 75 only Extension Rods with brass or silver ends, to clear

## Window Shade Offer No. 4-

10 dozen Window shades in best Oilcloth, worth 40c regular, while they last during sale at 25c Each

## Door Panel Offer No. 5-

1/2 Dozen Battenburg panels worth \$2.25 for \$1.75 1/2 Dozen Battenburg Panels worth \$1,50 for \$1.10

Silkoline Drapery Offer No. 6— 8 patterns of Silkoline, 1 yard wide, of regular 18c. and 20c. quality, to clear at 121/2c

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## DUTCH EAST INDIA JAVA

The largest single shipment of genuine Java Coffee that ever came to Chatham, passed into our stock last week. This Coffee has been properly aged, and makes a most delicious drink.

Generally we sell it mixed with Mocha-and that way it is usually preferred.

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### MATTER OF LENGTH

There is seldom a time when Doc-There is seidom a time when Doctor Thornton has not a good joke.

"They tell me that they are charging Grits 50 cents for a shave, now," he commented this morning.

How's that?" he was asked.

"Because they have such long faces" he replied as he continued filling the cavity in a patient's tooth.

### A LARGE FUNERAL

The funeral of the late Mr. Towl took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence to the Maple Leaf Cemetery. It was very largely attended, His fellow employes in Gray's factory attended in a body as also did the members of Chatham Lodge No. 29, and Western City Lodge No. 93, I. O. O. F., About 12 veteran firemen also marched in the funeral procession. Those present from a dispance were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Greene, of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. John Mains, London. The pall bearers were Chas. Ayeres, Hugh Garrett, Geo. Wanless, S. McCormick, and A. Heath. Rev. G. H. Cobbledick conducted the obsequies. The funeral of the late Mr. Towl

## Bad Weather Coming.....

which demands good strong SCHOOL SHOES for the BOYS and GIRLS.

## Soap Bargains

Our special Discount Sale applies to all our Toilet Soaps. Our window shows part of the fine line we carry. We have not room here to enumerate, but ask you to take a look in our window and you will be surprised at the line of bargains.

Our special brand 'Oatmeal and Lettuce' sells at 3 Cakes for 8c, during the Sale.

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## HOLY TRINITY HARVEST HOME

of Daniel Ross VanAllen by his family.

In the morning Rev. Mr. Smith preached an earnest and eloquent discourse, taking as his text Romans ii, 4: "The goodness of God leadeth thee to repentance." Our subject falls naturally into two divisions, said the speaker. First, the goodness of God. We shall think of God's loving mercies, blessings, gifts, abundance; and secondly let these all direct us to one lesson—repentance. I would have you come with me along a path of blessing and goodness to God Himself. Above all things to-day let us listen for the still small voice that speaks through God's mercies.

self. Above all things to-day let us listen for the still small voice that speaks through God's mercies.

The first blessing we thank God for is an abundant, harvest in this district has not been so abundant as usual, but there is no famine, Our church is appropriately decked with the gifts of our farming people in this parish, and we must conclude from observation that they are earnestly thanking God to-day. But not only does the farmer rejoice for an abundant harvest, but the king upon his throne depends upon the fruits of the earth for his daily sustenance. And there are other blessings, the blessing of home and happiness and family love, the associations and endearments that centre there. Let each of us ask to-day what we are gloing to preserve and foster these. And then can we not find some home needs the sunshine you can give; some little children whose lives you can give; some little children whose lives you can cheer and gladden with your presence. And the blessings of health

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in s ock now that we ever had, and at small prices, too.

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And then can we not find a give; some little children whose lives you can cheer and gladden with you go mean deep gratitude. In and strength and vigor and youth and manhood, which we seldom realize until we lose them. I shall be personal to-day and speak of some things which cause me deep gratitude. Three years ago to-day I spent my first Sunday with you in this parish. At the end of that time it is something for any minister to be thankful for that he is urged by his people, as I have been, to remain with them for Thanksgiving Sunday instead of inviting a stranger, as is the custom. Three years ago we had unpaid accounts amounting to eight or ten hundred dollars. In the face of this the annual endowment yeas withdrawn. Yet since that time we have improved the church and rectory to the extent of \$700, the schoolhouse has been improved to the extent of \$250, new furnaces have been installed at a cost of \$275, and this evening the new electric lighting will be used for the first time; and to-day the last payment by the Mite Society of the church's debt will be placed upon the plate. The great part of this work has been undertaken and paid for by the self-sacrificing endeavors of the women of the congre-

gation. No worker in this parish wishes to offer to God what costs nothing but amusement.

Turning to the missionary work of the church, I find the Woman's Aux-iliary ten days ago sending away the most valuable bale that has been sent in three years. Instead of sending a comparatively small collection each Memorable and Delightful Services Yesterday—Rev.
Mr. Smith's Magnificent Address.

New Lights and Heating System Installed—A Memorial to Mr. Van-Allen—Exquisite Musical Service.

The special Harvest Home festival of Holy Trinity church was successfully observed yesterday, the occasion also commemorating the fourth year of the pastorate of the esteemed and valued rector, Rev. 1, Beverley Smith. The sacred edifice was beautified with becoming and graceful decorations, significant of Nature's bountiful goodness. There were other features of the services which bespeak the prosperity and zeal of the cannest efforts of the Ladies' Aid Society were in operation and in 'he evening the new electric lighting system, the gift of the Willing Workers, was in operation. A handsome brass tablet has been receted to the memory of Daniel Ross VanAllen by his family.

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### BADLY RATTLED

Amusing Predicament in which a Disturbing Young Solicitor Found Himself at Bridge End-Splendid Clements Rally

erals. The Conservatives were a little too much for the Liberals and J. M. Pike enjoyed very much the opportunity afforded of tieing J. G. Kerr up into a knot.

J. B. O'Flynn opened the meeting and gave a very masterly addressupon the tariff. J. G. Kerr followed. He made some statements which the Conservatives challenged and Mr. Kerr promptly became both angry and rattled. Although he was allowed twenty-five minutes he couldn't get away from hog cholera and spent part of his time explaining how hard the Government inspectors worked.

Mr. N. H. Stevens always receives a good hearing and he made his usual quiet and moderate address. He travelled over to the old country and back and those in the hall enjoyed the travelled over to the old country and back and those in the hall enjoyed

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W. E. Rispin is now selling tickets to St. Louis Exhibition at a rate of \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \$\text{1.15}\$, good to return for seven days exclusive of day of sale. Tickets good going any day except Fridays and Saturdays.

with his son Edwin Bell, LL. B.

City Engineer Jones wound up the granolithic sidewalk laying for this year on Saturday. A large number of walks have been laid this year and there are some more that should be put down but the season is now too far advanced and the weather is against any further undertakings in this respect.

# As a Great Home Remedy THE GORDON STORE

Comes to the rescue of every overworked mother. From head to foot we are Great Outfitters in Dress Goods, Furs, Coats and Suits, and all kinds of Underwear.

SPECIAL LINE OF DRESS GOODS

In Tweeds with Fancy Checks, &c., regular value 75c. for 50c a yard SPECIAL LINE OF DRESS GOODS

In Plain and Fancy Designs, 75c. and \$1.00 values for 50c. a yar

CHILDREN'S LONG JACKETS Navy Serge, stole front, fancy buttons, \$2, \$2.40, \$2.65, \$2.85, \$3

CHILDREN'S: WOMEN'S AND MEN'S NIGHT WEAR and SLEFPING GARMENTS-health, time and money savers at r \* our prices, 50c to \$1

MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

Penman's Natural Wool and Watson's Unshrinkable Underwear-pric ording to size, from 50c up FURS

Special line of Ladies' Electric Seal Coats, perfect beauties, best in Canada for the money, \$30. Fine Bacharan Coats, latest swell styles, Sable Collars and Revier plendidly lined and trimmed, \$42

Special Seal Jackets, Sable trimmed, pride of Ontaric-can't be ma ched, at \$42, \$45, \$50 Solid comfort in Ladies' Astrachan Coats, fine curls, at \$14, \$20, \$25 upwards Norweigan Sable Scarfs-Dark Brown, full length, something very new and choice, from \$5 to \$10 Fur Scarfs—Isabellz Fox, Baum Martin and Sable Fox with large nobby Fox Tails, \$9 to \$20

Isabella Oppossum, very pretty and serviceable, all the new styles, \$5 to \$15 Our strongest attraction in Scarfs are the Natural Alaska Sabies from \$10 to \$35

Western Sable, specials, only a few left, \$7 value for \$4.90

Black Coney Fur Scarfs, large tails, \$1.25 to \$2.50

IN FALL MILLINERY

We show you styles that are not just what you see everywhere and on everyone, but in quality and design, are decidedly unique. This is where we excel.

Take a good look round the store and you will find you are in touch with special values

Use Standard

Park St. Methodist League, S. S. hall, at 8.

Sons of England, in their reems, at 8 o'clock.

Western City Lodge meets to-night at 8 o'clock.

The Conservatives of Ward No. 3

at Central Committee Rooms at 8.

Meeting of Conservatives of Ward
2, at John Darling's shop, at 8.

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Local Briefs

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R. B. Hunter, of Ridgetown, was in the city on Saturday.

Charles Reg. Atkinson, Esq., and bride, Little Current, Ont., are spend-

A large budget of locals were un-fortunately crowded out of to-day's paper but will appear to-morrow.

Robert McGarvin, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting his father and other relatives here. It is just 40 years since Mr. McGarvin left Chatham. Harry Flowers sang King David's Lament at the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church yesterday. The solo was a fitting sequel to the splendid sermon preached by Rev. F. E. Malott, on Absalom.

Scott Bros. & Co. have the contract for the lumber for a new store for James Paul on St. Clair street. They also are building a new residence for Jacob Sparks on Head street, opposite the Wagon Works. When completed it will cost \$1,400.

Judge Houston has been asked to preside at the anniversary concert and tea meeting at St. Paul's church. This is the first time since the church was built that they have the same chairman has been asked to officiate

Joseph Bell and daughter, of Cali-fornia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bell. It is 27 years since Mr. Bell left Chatham and since then he has been ranching near California. Mr. Bell is east on a short visit with his son Edwin Bell, LL. B.

ing a few days in the city.

## Patterns—Fashion Sheets Free.. WILLIAM GORDON All Standard Patterns now

## DR. A. W. THORNTON

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PROBABILITIES. Special per G. N. W. Toronto, Oct. 24,-11 a. m.—South to southwest gales and showery to-night. Tuesday, strong northwester-ly winds, clearing and colder. FO-NIGHT. Philharmonic Society meets at 7.45 in the I. O. O. F. auditorium.

travelled over to the old country and back and those in the hall enjoyed the trip.

H. S. Clements was exceedingly well received and delivered to the good people of Bridge End a particularly good address, in which he dealt with the many short-comings in the Liberal Government. Mr. Clements certainly had the meeting with him.

J. M. Pike followed. He went into the Dover briber, charge very extensively. He pointed out that J. G. Kerr had not mentioned these charges at all, although he had come out with a satchel full of affidavits, he had not dared to exhibit them. Apparently Mr. Kerr had began to realize that he couldn't hood-wink the electors any longer with these wonderful affidavits. Mr. N. H. Stevens was interested in the road. No doubt, when he was abroad, he was building castles in the air, as to what he would do with the money he would make out of the electric road.

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Mr. Stevens interrupted to say that Mr. Pike might be glad to travel on the road.

"I wouldn't have a pass in my pocket like George Stephens," was the ready retort of Mr. Pike and it met with the loud approval of the gatherning. Mr. Pike pointed out how much it was to the interest of George Stephens to get the road through owing to the bonuses and the binding privileges which was \$20,000 a mile. A feature of the evening was the calling of J. G. Kerr's bluff by H. S. Clements. Mr. Kerr stated that there was no cure for hog cholera. Mr. Clements replied that he knew a gentlemau in Dover who had a sure, Mr. Kerr tendered a het of \$500 that he was right but when H. S. Clements offered proof, the Chatham lawyer backed down.

W. E. Rispin is now selling tickets

James McCormick gathered a most unique specimen from an apple tree in his Harwich orchard this morning. It is apparently two apples grown together on the one stem. They are two fine Baldwins.

There was a good attendance at There was a good attendance at the gospel temperance meeting held in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium yesterday afternoon. Rev. G. H. Cobbledick gave an address and dealt with the financial side of the question, showing that same amount of capital invested in any other industry. invested in any other industry gave four times the amount of employment the liquor business gives. A trom-bone duett was given by Messrs. Gonne and Pickett,

## THE ASSIZES

The fall assizes were opened at the Court House at half past two o'clock this afternoon with a good attendance. Chancellor Boyd was presid-

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The following gentlemen composed the Grand Juy:
William Battains, Ridgetown.
James Chinnick, Chatham township.
Daniel Camerou, Orford Township.
Alexander aCssedv, Tilbury Village,
James Cruikshanks, Zone Township.
James William Moore, city.
J. D. McPherson, Harwich.
John E. McDougal', Wallaceburg.
Samuel Reek, Romney.
William D. Samson, Blenheim.
Ed. D. Smith, Tilbury East.
D. S. Williams, Howard.
Henry Wilson, Tilbury East.
W. D. Samson was elected foreman.

As the Judge was late in arriving Court was immediately gone on with.

SERVICE OF SONG

A special service of song was held in the First Presbyterian Church last evening, when an admirable address on the one hundredth psalm, by the pastor, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, M. A. was enhanced by an exquisite musical service under the direction of E. B. Arthur. The church was thronged. The large congregation enjoyed a particularly enjoyable and delightful inspiration in the exquisite solo, "Rest in the Lord," sung by Miss Addie Lilywhite, of London, sister of Mrs. John Cooper, and pupil of Cyril Dwight Edwards. Miss Lilywhite has a voice of marvellous range and expression and her magnificent contribution to the service of song was much apppreciated.

Other delightful numbers were, in addition to anthems by the choir, duetts by Mrs. Cooper and Miss McGeorge and Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. Bogart and solos by Miss Richards and John R. Smith. The whole service was a very helpful and enjoyable one.

Claude Eberts spent Saturday and Sunday in Wallaceburg.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

HOUSE TO RENT-On Wellington street west. Apply to W. Berhorst, St. Joseph's Hospital.

LOST - Thoroughbred bay gelding, broke out stable Wednesday night with halter on, no shoes, stands 16 hands, aged 6, small head, ears and eyes, scar on left hock, collar marks. Dr. Sivewright. A liberal reward will be paid for its return.

# Now They're Needed

Isn't it time to look for your Winter Underwear? We are showing extensive lines of

## Ladies, Girl's, Men's and Boys Underwear.

We buy Underwear direct from the mills and can guarantee the best goods at lowest prices.

See our assortment of LADIES' VESTS at 25c, 35c,

75c and \$1.00. OUR CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR STOCK is complete from Infants' sizes. Price 121/2 c to 75c

In MEN and BOYS' we carry the All Wool Union and Fleece Lined, at all prices, from 25c. to \$1.50 per

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Let Us Measure You To-day!

\$22.50 MORLEY & CO, LEADING

Morley & Co., King St

Your Order, are Winners. clusive lines of bright new fabrics

The styles that are pleasing to the most exactive dresses—just the thing for Fall weather. They are winners, and need no further commendation. We make Suits for all prices from \$15.00 to \$40.00, from upto-date materials, Stripes and Overchecks, Plaids and other combinations.

Our \$22.50 Suits Made to

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first Monday of every mouth, in the Masonic Hall, Pifth St., at 7.30 p.m. Visiting brethren

ALEX. GREGORY, See'y.

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OR. LUDLOW'S DENTAL ROOMS are located at the head of the short stairway, second door west of Bank of Commerce, and opp. the Gar-ner Hotel. All work neatly, cheaply and satisfactorily performed.

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London, Oct. 22.—The British Army Council has issued an important order, under which, instead of enlisting three years with the colors and nine in the reserve infantry of the line, will in future enlist for nine years with the colors and three in the reserves, thus practically abolishing the short service system.

War Secretary Arnold Forster foreshadowed this change in a speech last July, in which he declared that the existing system had proved a

last July, in which he declared that the existing system had proved a failure because so few men volunteer-ed to extend their service with the colors. Some critics, however, de-clare that the existing difficulty of obtaining recruits will be greatly en-hanced under the new order.

Another Shooting Accident,

Kingston, Oct. 22.—While out shooting at the high banks below Kingston Mills yesterday morning William Milne, University avenue, was injured by the accidental discharge of a ed by the accidental discharge of a companion's gun. The shot struck him in the left shoulder, tearing away part of the collarbone and touching the second and third ribs. The shot scattered and came out in The shot scattered and came out in front of the breast. It did not en-ter the chest. The injured boy was conveyed to the city with all pos-sible speed and removed to the Gen-eral Hospital.

Careless Handling of Shotgun.

Brockville, Oct. 22.-The careless Brockville, oct.

Brockville, of his right foot. In moving about in the boat the hammer of one bar-rel struck something, causing it to discharge and the contents entered his foot, tearing away the flesh and shattering the bones. He was quickly rowed to Brockville and placed in an hospital for treatment. It is thought the foot can be saved.

Kingston, Oct. 22.—On Monday night last a colored man, named James Hedliger, committed an in-decent assault upon a domestic in the vicinity of the English Church, in He was arrested, tried before Magistrate Daly and sentenced to one year in the Central Prison. Hedliger comes from the United

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## Potato Blight

Ottawa, Oct. 22.—Reports from many districts indicate that potato blight and rot are again causing serious loss to the farmers of Cana-This disease has been quite pre valent in various parts of Ontario and Quebec, and, although a good preventive is known in the Bordeaux mixture, few growers seem to have sprayed their potatoes. L. H. New-man of the seed division, who visited nearly every county in Ontario during the summer, confirms this statement, and reports that in many cases he found growers sadly wanting in knowledge of the disease and me-thods of preventing it.

Seized Custom House.
St. Thomas, D.W.I., Oct. 22.—It is reported here that the United States has seized the custom house at Puerto Plata.

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## **BIG BATTLE IMMINENT**

Appearances Suggest Japs Will Assume the Offensive.

Indomitable Courage and Energy of the Japanese Infantry Saved the Situation At the Shakhe River Dattle-Bussians Too, Were Desperate of Courage-Kure patkin Appears to Be Preparing to Hold the Plain in Frent of Mukden.

London, Oct. 22.—The Times Fokio correspondent says that des patches from Oyama's headquarters seem to indicate the Shakhe River as the immediate scene of the origi-nal advance and that appearances suggest that another great battle is imminent in which the Japanese will assume the offensive.

What Saved the Situation The Standard's Yentai correspondent, describing the final stages of the Shakhe battle, refers to the danger which temporarily threatened Field Marshal Oyama's right near Bensihu, where the Russians, in overwhelming force, nearly succeeded in turning the Japanese right and isolating the men sent to protect Oyama's right wing. He says it was the indomitable courage and energy of the Japanese infantry that saved the situation. Detailing the struggle of Oct. 13 south of the Shakhe Rivor the Shake Myser, the Shake Myser, the correspondent pays a tribute to the desperate courage of the Russians. The Japanese infantry, he says, again had the task of carrying a formidable position by supreme effort and self-sacrifice. The slope up which they swent was swent by a

which they swept was swept by a storm of lead. The thin dark line way storm of lead. The thin dark line wavered under the blast and broke and scattered back down the hill, but a handful of heroes rallied and rushed-headlong up the slope, halted, reformed and dashed on again, their formed and usued on the work of they advanced and once again they were swept back in confusion they were swept back in confusion down the hillside. Another company pushed forward with left well thrown

Unavailing Volleys.

Again volleys crashed out, but this inavailingly against the desperate unavailingly against the desperate headlong rush and the little men gained the summit. The Russians rose to their feet, the ranks closed and rifle and bayonet were at work in one wild melee. It was only for a moment. Shaken by the courage of the Japanese, the Russians broke and fled to their comrades below, already in retreat. The Russians fell back to a range of low hills border-ing the Shakhe River, whence, on the 14th, the artillery failing to dislodge them, the Japanese drove them in the afternoon by a magnificent spectacle of disciplined war involving terrible carnage, pursuing them down to the Shakhe River.

Kuropatkin's Plans. The same correspondent, under date The same correspondent, under date of Oct. 17, says: "General Kuropatkin appears to be preparing to hold the plain in front of Mukden. He is concentrating troops and strengthening his defence works in three lines, the outer along the Shakhe River, the second along the Hun River and the innermost close to Mukden."

Tokio, Oct. 22.—The military authorities have released the captured paymaster of the Russian armored cruiser Rurik, who is 70 years old, on account of his age; thirty-four Russian hospital attendants, and 12 battle maimed soldiers. In the future it is probable that the Japan-ese will release prisoners whose wounds are healed, and who are incapacitated from further fighting.

Every Man Wounded. Mukden, Oct. 22.—Every man of the two hundred Cossacks, command-ed by Captain Tourgenieff, who on Tuesday night reconnoited the Jap-anese left southwestward and who near Sandopu unexpectedly encountered a good-sized Japanese force with every horse except Capt. Tourgenieff's was hit by the bullets from the Japanese machine guns. Tourgenieff, though mortally wounded, carried off one man behind his saddle while others managed to creep back to camp. But, as already cabled, not one man was killed on the field. There is the greatest fear on the part of the Rus-sian wounded of falling into the hands of the Japanese, the Russians being convinced that they torture

Inactivity.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 22.—The rival armies of Russia and Japan en-trenched a short distance from each other south of the Shakhe River, are forced to continued inactivity until the fine weather now prevailing dries the sodden guns and the tired warthe sodden guns and the tired warriors are sufficiently rested to resume operations. A despatch from
Mukden to the Associated Press reports that the Russians yesterday
confined themselves to a bombardment of Shakhe station and the adjoining Village of Lamatung, the
Japanese feebly responding. This
page lears are transfing point. news clears up an interesting point and shows that Shakhe station is not held by the Russians. The Fifth Siberians.

Russian correspondents report that some regiments of the Fifth Siberian Corps have been engaged in slight skirmishes on the advance line the skirmishes on the advance line the past few days. The fact that the first and fifth Siberian were the only corps hitherto unmentioned in reports of the fighting on Oct. 19 shows that General Kuropatkin has sent the reserves to the trenches, giving much tried corps a thorough rest. Meanwhile the Cossacks are raiding the Japases lines.

Can't Get the Guns.

It has developed that after the Lone Tree Hill rout the Japanese were unable to remove a number of cannon, in addition to those left on the hill, and those which remained midway between the Russian and Japanese trenches. As they lay, these guns were so exposed to fire from

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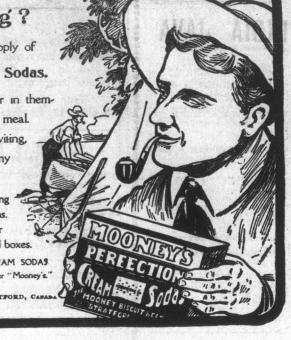
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## ROAST FOR G. R. PARKIN

London Morning Post Sneers At His Reckless Talk.

That If 25,000 German Soldiers Were Landed On Western Australia the Whole of Australia Could Not Save Invaded Territory Without Command

London, Oct. 22.-(C.A.P.)-At the Navy League yesterday Mr. Wyatt, replying to the toast of the United Empire, expressed his gratitude to the many eminent men in the colon-ies who had assisted him during his tour. It had been proved to the colonies that they were dependent upon the power of the sea. The shadow of the Monroe Doctrine was over Cana-da, and the Monroe Doctrine itself rested on the command of the sea.

Dr. Parkin, who also responded, said it was intensity of conviction that counted in this world, and they had a most remarkable instance of this in their envoy, Mr. Wyatt. Dwelling on the importance of teaching the value of sea power to the colonies, Dr. Parkin said if 25,000 German soldiers were landed on West-Australia the whole of Australia could not save the invaded territory without command of the

The Morning Post, commenting on Mr. Reeve's and Parkin's speeches, says it supposes that if they had been talking as recklessly as they did lest right not to fifty or a hundred last night not to fifty or a hundred eminently respectable ladies and gentlemen, but to a few thousand workers with votes, they might have heen taken seriously and some one might have thought the nation wanted men of their stamp to manage its

London, Oct. 22.—(C.A.P.)—Referring to Right Hon. H. Asquith's opinion that the proposed conference will cause friction, Colonial Secretary Lyttelton, speaking at Dart-ford, said that nothing more pusil-lanimous had ever been omitted as an opinion-not even by the Radical an opinion—not even by the Madded party—than to say we were afraid of going into a conference with our col-onies for fear of friction.

onles for lear of friction.

Mr. Asquith, at Inverness, said Britain was hard pressed in the race of industrial rivalry. We could not hold our own by folding our hands and

living on the past.

Haldane's Opinion.

London, Oct. 22.—(C.A.P.)—Right Hon. R. B. Haldane, M.P., speaking at Dunfermline, said Mr. Chamberlain's scheme was positively mischievous to the Empire, based as it was upon interference with the liberty of the colonies. The latter part of his speech was mainly devoted to advocacy of the establishment of an Imperial Council.

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DISTRICT DOINGS

### TILBURY

Oct. 24.—Rev. T. Dobson, in St. Andrew's Church yesterday morning, preached an eloquent memorial sermon on the late Bishop Baldwin, to large congregation. The church large congregation. The church was handsomely draped in black and purple, and flowers added greatly to its appearance.

J. J. Miller, Jr., of Sault Ste. Marie,

is spending a couple of weeks with his family here. Political matters are beginning to

warm up here, the principal topic being the Dover bribery charges against Mr. Stephens, and his failure to fully explain his position.

A special children's service will be held next Sunday morning by Rev. T.

Dobson. Rev. Mr. Nichols conducted union services yesterday morning in the Presbyterian Church, and in the ev-ening in the Methodist Church, in the absence of the latter's pastor.

### BLENHEIM

Oct. 24,-W. J. Baird was in London nd Stratford on Saturday on busi-

The memorial service in memory of Bishop Baldwin, late Bishop of Huron, will be held in Trinity Church next Sunday morning. Special service and music will be given in the evening. The Rector will preach. The theme of his discourse will be "The Word of God." Mrs. Tait, of St. Thomas, is visit-

ing her sisters here.
A. G. Shillington goes to Chatham
to-day being summoned on the petit
jury of the assizes being held there this week.

this week.

After a very lingering illness from consumption, Joseph Lane, passed away to the Great Beyond on Saturday evening. The deceased leaves a widow and two children to mourn his sad demise. The funeral was held at the house, the service being conducted by Rev. G. McQuillin. The remains were interred at the Evergreen Cemetery. The funeral was in green Cemetery. The funeral was in charge of the K. O. T. M.
Jas. Shaver has returned from the Eau, where has has been spending a few days, duck shooting.

### DR. THORNTON'S LECTURE

The entertainment and lecture on Monday evening was well attended, the church being well filled.

The hot dinner served by the Ladies' Aid in the basement of the church did credit to those who labored so assiduously to prepare the repast. Chief among the articles of cuisine was chicken. Everything else that goes to make up a hot dinner was also in abundance.

Dr. Thornton's lecture on "Ireland and the Irish" was a subject well prepared and attractive and proved to be of great interest to those who attended. The subject was taken up

to be of great interest to those who attended. The subject was taken up mostly from an historical standpoint, yet was interspersed with anecdotes of true Irish wit, and consequently the talk did not lag in interest nor the audience tire of the talk. Dr. Thornton showed that he had made a splendid preparation of his lecture and gave it in an inimitable style peculiar to one native born. The lecture covered over a century and a half of Irish history and Dr. Thornhalf of Irish history and Dr. Thorn ton is well worthy of a place beside Canada's platform lecturers. The proceeds of the entertainment were \$51.75.—Merlin Mirror.

### THE PETREL

The Dominion Government steamer Petrel left here Tuesday afternoon with Basil Fraser, assistant engineer of the Marine and Fisheries department, and Freel. Forster, of K.ngsville, who has charge of the works at Colchester, on board. Mr. Fraser will inspect the work on the new lighthouse on the middle ground of Pelepassage and also the repairs made on Colchester reef light. Capt. E. Dunn said that the cruiser had made 750 seizures of gill nets already this season, since May 1st, and that the Americans are keeping pretty well from the Petrel. Doubtless they didn't relish last year's proceedings when a number of boats were taken. He doubted the report in a Toronto paper which said that the Vigilant, the new cruiser, would make her trial trip on Oct. 22nd. The new boat will be 176 feet in length, 52 feet longer than the Petrel. It will have a larger ergew and will have four modern quick-firing guns instead of one, which the Petrel carries. The Vigilant will be much faster than its predecessor. The Petrel will probably find her graveyard as a lighthouse tender. The Petrel has made her summer headquarters at Por: Stanley and will soon remove to Amherst-The Dominion Government steamer find her graveyard as a lighthouse tender. The Petrel has made her summer headquarters at Por: Stan-ley and will soon remove to Amherst-burg, which will be her depot until nav.gation closes. The cruiser will be docked for the winter months at either Walkerville or Owen Sound, preferably the former.—Amherstburg Echo.

Advantage to C.P.R.

London, Oct. 22.-Lord Strathcona, interviewed, said the Grand Trunk Pacific would be for the ad-vantage of the C.P.R., and in no wise hinder its future expansion. By wise hinder its future expansion. By two competing railways, the commercial interests of the Dominion would likely be advanced. Asked whether the Conservatives, if returned in the November elections, would repeal the Railway Act, Lord Strathcona, while protesting to be no partisan in Canadian politics, was confident the people of Canada would not withdraw from their agreements, although any act, of course, is subject to modification or amendment in the details.

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### AFRAID OF THEM

Reeve Purser and Councillor Boy-er, the two men of Chatham, who accused George Stephens, the Lib-eral candidate, of an attempt to eral candidate, of an attempt to bribe them, were refused a hearing at the Liberal meeting at Big Point Tuesday night. The Liberals had invited the two councillors to be present. Immediately on their arrival there was a cry for Messrs. Purser and Boyer, but the chairman positively refused to let them speak.—St. Thomas Times.

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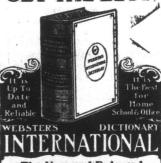
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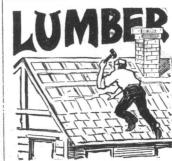
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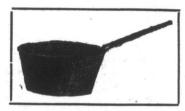
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MR. GUNDY'S POSITION.

The Editor The Chatham Planet, Chatham, Ont:

Dear Sir,—I have read with much surprise your report of an interview with me in your issue of the 22nd

The headlines of your article par-ticularly are inaccurate, misleading and exagerated.

The connection of the various por The connection of the various portions of the conversation is so arranged as to give to such of my expressions as you do report a construction and meaning which was not fairly to be gathered from what I said, and you have put in various places quotation marks around phrases which are not my words at all.

I was urged by your reporter to say that the Daily News' report was neither a fair nor truthful report of what I had said, and refused to make any such statement, at the

make any such statement, at the same time pointing out that it was not a full nor accurate report of my words, and offering to dictate to him as nearly as I could remember it a statement of what I had said, and at his request I did dictate to him a statement which you have not seen fit to publish.

You have suppressed the statement

You have suppressed the statement which I gave you for publication and have distorted the conversation not intended for publication.

The Daily News report did not purport being a verbatim or complete report of what I said at Bridge End, and in view of the unwarranted use that you have made of my name in connection with ways about the statement. connection with your characterization of that report I feel bound to say that as a summary report, written up at a late hour after the meeting,

up at a late hour after the meeting, it was a model of accuracy compared with the treacherously misleading article published in your paper.

My statement to Mr. Purser was, that I had deliberately abstained from referring to him in connection with the charge against Mr. Stephens in his own township of Dover; that I had only referred to the matter at two meetings during the campaign, and had at both of these meetings referred to him as a man whom I had known very well for several years and a gentleman for whom I entertained the highest respect; that the Daily News report was not a full or an accurate report of my words, and that both he and the reporter would understand what such a summary newspaper report was.

These statements were the only

newspaper report was.

These statements were the only foundation for the big headlines and the ridiculous criticism of the Daily

News report.

As a matter of fact, your publication of anything else than my dictated statement is a gross and contemptible breach of confidence and when, instead of publishing the conversation as it took place, you distort it as you have done, I can only characterize the conduct of your of your characterize the conduct of your re-porter as that of a coward and a

I am sending a copy of this letter to the Daily News.
Yours truly,
W. E. GUNDY.

Chatham, Oct. 22nd, 1904.

It is unfortunate that Mr. Gundy does not point out one specific sentence in which this great home journal misrepresented or misquoted him. It would be more manly and dignified, we fancy, than dealing in empty generalities and handing out angry epithets to the reporter, and would have given The Planet an opportunity, if any injustice had been done him, to rectify the same-something that would have been done with pleasure had he shown any error on

our part.
Mr. Gundy doesn't attempt to instance one paragraph in The Planet's report of the interview -- the quoted parts of which were taken verbatim -which misrepresents his words. The burden of his complaint seems to be that there was a breach of confidence in publishing the same. Mr. Gundy can hardly charge this. What could have been the purpose of Mr. Purser's invitation to the reporter to accompany him other than to give publicity to what occurred? Again, is it fair either to Mr. Purser or to the public, for Mr. Gundy to say one thing in the privacy of personal conversation and have something entirely different credited to him in his newspaper organ? Doesn't it savor a little of an attempt at deception or

Frankly. The Planet sympathizes with Mr. Gundy. It quite under-

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stands the uncomfortable position in which he finds himself placed. It is not unusual, unfortunately, for a man to have private convictions and be driven by the force of circumstances to apparently maintain a diametrically opposite position publicly. And we quite realize, too, the discomfort his political associates would occasion him until the foregoing letter was written.

However, if there is one paragraph or sentence in the whole of Mr. Gundy's reported statements which he will instance as misquoting or misrepresenting his words The Planet will be pleased to deal with the mat

As to a "dictated" statement which was excluded, surely Mr. Gundy's memory is at fault. To do him jushowever, we will reprint in black-faced type his own signed synopsis of what his statement was:-

"My Statement to Mr. Purser was that I had deliberately abstained from referring to him in connection with the charge against Mr. Stephens in his own Township of Dover; that I had only referred to the matter at two meetings during the campaign and had at both of those meetings referred to him as a man whom I had known very well for several years and a gen-tleman for whom I entertained the highest respect; that the Daily News report was not a full or an accurate report of my words, and that both he and the reporter would understand what such a summary newspaper report was.

-Editor Planet.

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S. Stewart, of Thamesville, was in the city on Saturday. Wm. Henry, Mayor of Blenheim, was in the city on Sunday.

K. Fraser, of Blenheim, spent Sunday with his Chatham friends. J. L. Scott lost a horse on Saturday for which he refused \$175 on

Ben. Willson, Conservative candidate for East Kent, was in the city

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wigle, of Leaming-ton, were registered at the Garner House on Saturday. Thomas McCallum and E. E. Dad-son, of Wallaceburg, were in the city to-day on business.

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John C. Dent and wife, of Bothwell, spent Sunday with friends in town. Dan Robertson and Bert Thomp-son, spent Sunday in the "City of the Straits."

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Bert Thompson, of Toronto, who has been visiting his friends in town, ha sreturned home.

Thomas Dennelly, A. Craig and Thos. Arnold, Highgate, are spending few days in town.

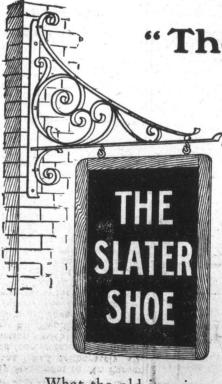
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Stanley Boyes, of Detroit, spent yes-terday with his many friends here. Mr. Boyes is an old Chatham boy.

word has been received in this city that Mrs. Eliza McKinley, formerly a resident of Chatham, passed away at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Stenson, Niagara Falls. The funeral will take place from the Wabaah depot, at 1.25 this afternoon to the Maple Leaf Cemetery. Deceased was a widow of the late John McKinley, who at one time, lived on the River Road, Chatham Township, and who died some years ago in this city. He was latterly a resident of Gray St.

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