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## HIS MAJESTY KING EDWARD OPENS BRITISH PARLIAMENT

Brilliant Scenes Attending the Ceremony—Royal Procession to House of Lords—Imposing State Pageantry—Their Majesties Enthusiastically Greeted.

London, Jan. 16.—King Edward opened Parliament this afternoon with a ceremonial in all essential respects similar to that of February last. The procession to the House of Lords was of the same character as that witnessed on the occasion of the opening of the first Parliament of King Edward's reign, while within the upper House was seen the same state pageantry, the same historic dresses and the same revival of ancient forms.

On alighting at the royal entrance of the Houses of Parliament, beneath the Victorian Tower, King Edward and Queen Alexandra were met by the high officers of state, and were conducted to the robing rooms. Having assumed their gorgeous robes, the procession was formed, and preceded by the Duke of Devonshire, Lord President of the Council, bearing the Imperial Crown, and the heralds and pursuivants, they entered the House of Peers amid a fanfare of trumpets.



KING EDWARD VII.

King Edward and Queen Alexandra, having entered the House of Peers, occupied their thrones beneath a canopy, with the Prince and Princess of Wales on either side of them. The other members of the royal family were seated on chairs at the foot of the steps leading to the thrones. The scene in the gilded chamber was very brilliant. State officers, ambassadors and ministers in handsome uniforms, and peers and peeresses in vari-colored robes, filled every nook. The King, beneath his robes, wore a field marshal's uniform. The Queen's dress was of black velvet, surmounted by a robe trimmed with ermine. The peeresses all wore ostrich feathers in their hair and were richly clad in evening robes of the most varied colors, while satin, however, predominated. The display of jewels was unusually dazzling.

The Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, General Sir Michael Biddulph, having summoned the Speaker and the members of the House of Commons, His Majesty read the

### SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

The speech was not an important utterance. His Majesty referred in grateful terms to the world tour of the Prince and Princess of Wales, expressed regret at the fact that the war in South Africa was not concluded, said he trusted the decision of the sugar conference would lead to the abandonment of bounties, and noted the conclusion of the Isthmian Canal treaty. The speech opened with a reference to the tour of the Prince and Princess of Wales. "They were everywhere," said the King, "receiving with demonstrations of the liveliest affection, and I am convinced their presence served to rivet more closely the bonds of mutual regard and loyalty by which the vigor of the Empire is maintained."

Referring to Great Britain's relations with foreign countries, the King said:—"My relations with the other powers continue to be of a friendly character."

Contrary to expectations, the King's reference to the war was just as indefinite as the statements on the subject made in the last half dozen messages from the throne. "I regret," said His Majesty, "that the war in South Africa is not yet concluded, though the course of operations has been favorable to our arms, the area of war largely reduced, and industries are being resumed in my new colonies. In spite of the tedious character of the campaign, my soldiers throughout have displayed a cheerfulness in the endurance of the hardships incident to a guerrilla warfare, and a humanity, even to their own detriment, in their treatment of the enemy, which are deserving of the highest praise. The necessity for relieving those of my troops who have most felt the strain of war has afforded me the opportunity of again availing myself of the loyal and patriotic offers of my colonies, and further contingents will shortly reach South Africa from the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia and New Zealand."

In regard to the sugar conference the speech says:—"I trust its decision may lead to the abandonment of the system by which the sugar-producing colonies and home manufacturers of

sugar have been unfairly weighted in protection of this important industry."

Then came the following clause:—"I have concluded with the President of the United States a treaty, the provisions of which will facilitate the construction of an inter-oceanic canal under guarantees that its neutrality will be maintained, and that it will be open to the commerce and shipping of all nations."

Next followed references to the Anglo-Brazilian treaty, to the referring of the British Guiana-Brazil boundary questions to the arbitration of the King of Italy, to the necessity for the continuance of famine relief measures in India, and to the death of the Amir, "whose son, Habib Ullah, has expressed an earnest desire to maintain the friendly relations of Afghanistan with my Indian Empire."

After announcing that the estimates have "been framed as economically as due regard for their efficacy renders possible in the special circumstances of the present exigencies," the speech concluded with mentioning proposed legislation of solely domestic interest, with the exception of a bill to facilitate the sale and purchase of land in Ireland.

The one departure from the extremely decorous character of the proceedings occurred when the King referred to the humanity of the British troops in South Africa. This led to an unprecedented scene in the House of Lords. Peers and Peeresses and high officers of state broke out into a prolonged cheer, which was repeated again and again, to the evident satisfaction of His Majesty, but to the apparent dismay of the officials of the House.

### GREETED WITH ENTHUSIASM.

Their Majesties then retired amid a fanfare of trumpets and attended by the same regal ceremony as accompanied their entry into the House. They were greeted enthusiastically. As they sat in the great state coach, whose gilded pinnacles brushed the boughs of the trees in the green park, King Edward and Queen Alexandra looked for all the world like a flattering painting of Henry VIII. and one of his better-looking spouses. The King and Queen both looked extremely well.

## PARLIAMENT'S PROCEEDING

British Liberals Advocate Conciliatory Policy Towards the Boers.

Addresses by Salisbury, Rosebery, Chamberlain and Harcourt.

London, Jan. 16.—The House of Lords was well filled when business was resumed. The Prince of Wales occupied the seat formerly used by his father. Many Peeresses were in the gallery.

The Lord Chancellor, Earl Halsbury, formally read the King's speech.

The Earl of Harrowby, Conservative, in moving the address in reply to the speech from the throne, referred to the non-interference of foreign powers in the South African war, as being evidence of their friendly relations.

The Earl of Lytton, who seconded the motion, congratulated the government on their more than friendly relations with the United States and the South American Republics, and added that though affairs in Ireland were considered critical, they might safely

be left in the hands of the government.

Earl Spencer, Liberal, criticising the address, said that while he recognized the impossibility of granting the Boer demands for independence, yet he deprecated insisting on unconditional surrender. His Lordship urged the government to promise the Boers autonomy similar to the governments of Australia and Canada.

Thereafter, Lord Salisbury, whose entrance into the house was greeted with hearty applause, said he was glad to hear Earl Spencer vent an utterance, for which he, the Premier, had been frequently and unapologetically condemned. It was quite true that there was no possibility of granting the Boers independence. Neither was it the government's business, after being gratuitously attacked, to inform the Boers on what terms they would be forgiven, especially since the Boers had not yet expressed a wish to be forgiven. Lord Salisbury continued by defending the martial law in South Africa, and urged the opposition to remember they were not dealing with the question whether they could make out a good case against the government. The Premier pleaded that they should not allow their eagerness to improve their party position and make them forget the issue whether or no Great Britain should be victor in the war. He reminded the opposition that a wrong settlement now would impose grave difficulties and embarrassments upon the nation many years to come.

Replying to the Premier, Lord Rosebery said:—

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FRIDAY, JAN. 17.

## OUR FOREIGN NEWS SERVICE.

The Planet thinks there is certainly ground for the strictures of the Saturday Review on the character of the British news furnished to the press of Canada through the United States channels. Much of it is colored to suit the American market, with no thought of the Dominion. We have often to alter the wording of the despatches supplied us, which are charged with a pronounced contempt for British sentiment.

If the Saturday Review saw those despatches as they appear unedited in some of our contemporaries, it does well to protest. A day or two ago, for instance, a despatch as it appeared our contemporaries spoke of Chancellor von Bülow's unwarrantable attack upon Mr. Chamberlain as a "rebuke administered" to the latter, and of a certain article in a German imperial organ as a "snub administered" to Great Britain.

These are mere matters of phraseology, but are calculated to mislead where they do not offend. Still worse is the rubbish greedily gathered from yellow sources, for the sake of being more "newsy" than one's neighbors. Opinions of the joint correspondents who serve some papers, are, of course, subject to the blue pencil, but it is sometimes difficult to eliminate animus.

There has been a great improvement of late, however, in this respect. The better class of newspapers in the United States are becoming more exacting with regard to facts, and less tolerant of opinions sent in the guise of news. But there is still plenty of room for improvement in the general service as regards Canada. The origin of the trouble is with a certain type of journals in New York, which have flaming sensations every day, which sensations are unguardedly reproduced. A special Canadian news service would hardly mend the matter, as, even after the great expense had been incurred, newspapers would not deny themselves the news matter, good and bad, which comes to their hand so easily through the American press.

The plan of a government subsidy would hardly work well, as news so supplied would clearly be open to an opposite suspicion.

## LIFE'S HAS-BEENS.

A man pointed to an express wagon horse standing on Yonge street, writes Charles F. Raymond, in the Toronto Star, and said: "That horse has been a good one in his day; he was a racer once, but now you could buy him for a song."

And I went up to the old fellow, and patted him for his past. And as I stroked his neck he turned his head and looked with a mournful eye, for petting was not what he knew best.

In the past, thousands had watched him as he warmed up to the race, criticized his form, and admired his beauty. They had risen to cheer him as he had flashed down the stretch, and under the wire, with nostrils distended, mane and tail flying, and a winner. They had seen him blanket, rubbed down, and walked about to cool, and cared for kindly.

But here he was without a blanket, without care; thin and miserable. The driver came from a store, and jumping on the seat he pulled his whip, and the horse tried to go faster than his usual slow old trot, but he couldn't, though the blows were cruel ones.

Oh, the pathos of the has-beens! How the world, forgetting all their splendid past, drives them on till, stumbling along, they fall for the last time, and rise no more.

Be kind to the once-were, for you and I, my friend, are hurrying on to the general wreck of humanity, and some day they will surely point to us and say: "There goes a has-been."

But better be a has-been than a never-was.

Years ago there lived in Hamilton a prosperous merchant whose heart

was as kind as his acquaintances were crafty, and in the middle-age he woke one day to find his place a wreck.

To forget it all he drank, and with the drink came added poverty, poor clothes, the appealing eye, the trembling hand, and uncertain gait.

And many passed the other way when they saw him, forgetting that it was kindness of heart that brought him there.

But some remembered. And because they remembered the day of his prosperity and kindness, they secured him a home, and to-day, with his hair whitening, he is without want, saved from poverty, a poor old has-been.

On a farm in Wellington County is a splendid home, and just by the orchard in another field is the log cabin built by the man who cleared the land, and old and bent, seared and seamed, he sits in his new home, and often looks through the deepening shadows at the old, old house, with its windows gone, its crevices opening, and the floor wrecked and rotten. The peewee builds on the ledge over the fireplace long deserted, and the groundhog has made his home far beneath the rotten floor. The winds of winter sough drearily through those open eaves, and the snow falls silently, a carpet of spotless white for the home he loves. For the old man does love that home, for it is a has-been; and he, with his white hair, is a has-been, too; and sometimes when the day is bright he walks to the open door and through it, and looks at the open fireplace, and, looking into its dark mouth, dreams of the day when his arm was strong, of the time when she was here, when they both looked into the grate, cheerful and hopeful, in the heyday of youth.

But her body is in the church plot, and he must join her soon, and, reflecting, he walks slowly home, filled with that pleasurable sadness that you know, and I know, too.

And I walked through a church not long ago, where the pulpit was old and the dust was deep; no sexton's tread was heard, no voice save mine and the answering echo, no prayer, no preacher, no choir, no song.

But I knew that many souls had been helped, many lives brightened, between these four walls, and I took off my hat, and walked softly because of the has-beens.

## ABOUT DIVORCE.

That was a significant step taken by Chief Justice Meredith the other day, at the trial of a man and a woman accused of bigamy, points out the Woodstock Express. The man had gone to the United States for a divorce, and, having secured it, married another woman, who knew that his divorced wife was still alive. His Lordship took the case from the jury and dismissed it, holding that the man had gone to the United States for a divorce, "because of the injustice of the Canadian law, which limited the granting of divorces to parliament, where nine-tenths of the people could not afford to go if they wished." There is no question that our divorce law is absurd. It exists for the benefit of a class. Only those who can afford to spend considerable money can afford to take advantage of it. The only argument that can be urged in favor of it is that it discourages divorce; but surely the same end could be aimed at without the maintenance of obnoxious class legislation. Let the causes for which divorce may be secured be restricted as much as may be desirable; but let the law exist for the benefit of all, rich and poor alike.

As it is now the law exists for the benefit of the rich only. As Chief Justice Meredith put it, nine-tenths of the people are debarred from taking advantage of the law, no matter how much they may wish to be free of an unhappy marriage, or how strong the grounds for release. There is no need to make divorce popular in this country. Let the causes for which divorces may be secured be few and well-defined, but let the law be open to all.

There is one good point about Chamberlain's speeches. You know what he means.

We were afraid our esteemed citizen, N. H. Stevens, was doing some damage down there in West York.

The Conservative majority in the senate is reduced to five. The Reforming of this senate has nearly been accomplished by the Grim Reaper.

Detroit is also busy at the popular task of signing petitions. The people of that city to the number of 16,000, are petitioning Roosevelt and Queen Wilhelmina to arbitrate the South African question. Detroit ought to be near enough to Canada and familiar enough with British sentiment to know that this petitioning is a waste of time and utter foolishness.

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At Hamilton ladies quite frequently attend the meetings of the City Council. What's the matter with the attractiveness of the Maple City aldermen or do the ladies in this metropolis not appreciate eloquence and oratory?

BETTERLIFE! London News.

If Joe Chamberlain was dead tomorrow, no man could truthfully say he ever crawled.

DOESN'T EXCITE PERSONAL ANIMOSITY. Hamilton Spectator.

It will be a long time before Post Laureate Austin will write anything with vim enough in it to annoy somebody.

CHAMBERLAIN IS ALL RIGHT. Hamilton Spectator.

If the reader will permit a temporary lapse into slang we'll take the liberty to say that Chamberlain is the stuff. When he intimated that the statesman who is beloved by foreign nations is not the statesman for his own nation, he said what every student of recent British history knows to his sorrow.

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5 pieces French Cheviot Dress Goods—superior all wool quality, heavy weight, 48 to 52 in wide, in rich shades of mid and dark brown, regular price \$1 per yard. Special Saturday, 50c

10 doz. Zephyr Windsor Ties, in assorted plaids and checks, clearing Saturday at each 1c

15 only, Ladies Black Satin Belts—Rich quality, ornamented with gilt and steel jets, regular price 75c each. Saturday price, 25c

Men's underwear at 25c each—2 dozen men's Scotch knit shirts, heavy union quality, double breasted, saten facings, regular price 40c, but slightly soiled, special Saturday at each 25c

Camel's hair tams—3 dozen only fancy camel's hair tams, large range of styles and colorings, regular value up to 75c each, clearing Saturday at 39c

1 piece cream camel's hair cloakings, 54 inches wide, fine heavy quality, suitable for children's wear, regular price \$1.25 yard, special Saturday 50c

## MILLINERY

Trimmed Felt Hats, regular price up to \$2.00 each, clearing Saturday at 40c.

15 pieces wrapper flannels, fine heavy quality, in good assortment of patterns and colorings, sold regular up to 15c a yard, Saturday 9c

Ladies' coats at your own prices. Stylish coats clearing at \$2.48, \$3.48, \$3.98, \$4.48, \$5.48 and \$6.30.

1 only caprine Electric Seal and Muskoon, extra full size, rich quality, heavy satin lined, large head and tail trimming, regular \$25, clearing Saturday at \$10.00.

1 only Sable caprine, superior quality, large collar, rich satin lining, trimmed with eight large Sable tails, regular price \$30, Saturday \$18.00.

## The Northway Company, Limited, THE BUSY CASH STORE

## Are You Looking for Bargains

This is the time to secure them. It is stock taking time and during this stock taking we will sell at reduced prices. Here is a leader:—

1 Berliner Gram-o-phone, worth \$15 for \$12.

6 Ladies' Solid Gold Watches, worth \$25 for \$15 each,

And other articles equally as cheap. At the Sign of the Big Clock.

A. A. JORDAN

## RECOMMENDED BY PHYSICIANS.

## Pond's Extract

Over fifty years a household remedy for Burns, Sprains, Wounds, Bruises, Coughs, Colds and all accidents liable to occur in every home.

CAUTION—There is only one Pond's Extract. Be sure you get the genuine, sold only in sealed bottles in buff wrappers.

## The Whole Story in a letter.

## Pain-Killer

(WHEAT DAVIS)

From Capt. F. L. Lyle, Police Station No. 1, Montreal:—"We frequently use PAIN-KILLER for pains in the stomach, rheumatism, sciatica, frost bites, chilblains, cramps, and all ailments which befell men in our position. I have no hesitation in saying that PAIN-KILLER is the best remedy to have near at hand."

Used Internally and Externally. Two Sizes, 25c and 50c bottles.

## "The D.D." Emulsion

(Trade Mark)

Will GIVE YOU AN APPETITE! TONE YOUR NERVES! MAKE YOU STRONG! MAKE YOU WELL!

Dr. Burgess, Med. Dept. of the Pres. Hospital for Insane, Montreal, prescribes it constantly and gives as permission to use his name. Also Chief, Dept. of the Hospital, Toronto, writes they have used it with the best results, 50c and \$1.00 bottles. DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., Limited.

## MONEY TO LEND

To pay off mortgages. To buy property. Very lowest rates.

Pay when desired. Will also lend on note and chattel.

J. W. WHITE, Barrister, King St. West, Chatham.

—After the grip, pneumonia or typhoid fever, take Dodd's Kidney Pills—it restores health and strength.

## Please Deliver

Your Wheat, Beans, Barley, Oats, Corn, Buckwheat and Grass Seed to the Blenheim Mills, Blenheim, or at Kent Mills, Chatham, where you will get the highest cash price.

The Canada Flour Mills Co., Limited

## ASTHMA CURE FREE!

Asthmalene Brings Instant Relief and Permanent Cure in all Cases.

SENT ABSOLUTELY FREE ON RECEIPT OF POSTAL

WRITE YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS PLAINLY.

There is nothing like Asthmalene. It brings instant relief, even in the worst cases. It cures when all else fails.

The Rev. C. F. Wells, of Villa Ridge, Ill., says: "Your trial bottle of Asthmalene received in good condition. I cannot tell you how thankful I feel for the good derived from it. I was a slave, chained with a paralytic more throat and asthma for some ten years. I saw your advertisement for the cure of this dreadful and tormenting disease. Asthma, and thought resolved to give it a trial. To my astonishment the trial acted like a charm. Send me a full-size bottle."

REV. DR. MORRIS WECHSLER, Rabbi of the Cong. Bnai Israel, New York, Jan. 3, 1901.

Drs. Taft Bros., Medicine Co., Gentlemen,—Your Asthmalene is an excellent remedy for Asthma and Hay Fever, and its composition alleviates all troubles which combine with asthma. Its success is astonishing and wonderful.

After having it carefully analyzed, we can state that Asthmalene contains no opium, morphine, chloro-

Feb. 5, 1901.

Avon Springs, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1901.

Dr. Taft Bros. Medicine Co., Gentlemen,—I write this testimonial from a sense of duty, having tested the wonderful effect of your Asthmalene, for the cure of Asthma. My wife has been afflicted with spasmodic asthma for the past 12 years.

Having exhausted my own skill as well as many others, I chanced to see your sign upon your windows on 130th street, New York, I at once obtained a bottle of Asthmalene. My wife commenced taking it about the first of November. I very soon noticed a radical improvement. After using one bottle her Asthma disappeared and she is entirely free from all symptoms. I feel that I can consistently recommend the medicine to all who are afflicted with this distressing disease.

Yours respectfully,

C. D. PHELPS, M. D.

## Shareholders' Meeting

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Chatham Hedge Fence Company, Limited, will be held in the Company's office, Chatham, Ont., on Jan. 22nd, 1902, at 1 p. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of directors and auditors for the past half year, election of the directors and auditors, passing by-laws and general business.

Infants too young to take medicine may be cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by using Vapo-Cresoline—they breathe it.



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## WIFE'S DEVOTION

Staid by her Imprisoned Husband Until Death Ended Her Sacrifices.

Wife's devotion. Metuchen, N. J., Jan. 16.—It is generally felt that Mrs. St. George Kempson, who died in New York on Saturday, sacrificed her life by her devotion to her husband, when he was confined in jail on charges growing out of his marriage to her.

Kempson was married early in life to Helen Hall, of Perth Amboy. Some years ago she brought suit for divorce. While her suit was pending Kempson secured a Dakota residence, and brought suit in the courts of North Dakota for a divorce from Mrs. Kempson. She held that she was still a citizen of New Jersey and secured from the New Jersey court of chancery a decree forbidding him to proceed with the Dakota suit. He said that notice of this was ever served on him. He proceeded with the suit and secured a decree, after which he married Amy Daniels, who had been his private secretary.

The first Mrs. Kempson had him arrested immediately on his return to New Jersey on a charge of contempt of court. He was held in default of bail for two months, at the end of which time Vice-Chancellor Pitney handed down a decree adjudging him guilty of contempt, and ruling that he must stay in jail until he purged himself of contempt by annulling the Dakota divorce.

Compelled thus to choose between jail and his wife, or liberty without her, he chose the jail. His cell in the jail was fitted up as an office, and assisted by his wife, who refused to leave him, he conducted his editorial work.

He was released in March, 1901, after six months confinement, bail being furnished. Mrs. Kempson's health never rallied from the strain and exposure. Kempson's case is still before the courts.

## HACKED BABES

Father Turned his Home Into a Charnel House and Killed His Wife.

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—A ghastly discovery was made at 10.10 this morning, when some neighbors hearing cries coming from the residence of Vincent Vencelsick, a Pole, at 209 Spring Alley, broken open the doors and found the bedroom of the house saturated with blood. Mrs. Vencelsick lay beside her bed, her face and head almost crushed beyond recognition, dead. Three little children, their hands and bodies covered with cuts and scratches, and the husband almost dead, were lying on the floor.

From what could be learned it appears that Vencelsick came home intoxicated last night and assaulted his wife with a rail cutter. The first blow inflicted an ugly gash on her shoulder and knocked her down, but she was on her feet again in an instant and with such weapons as she could find in the room she defended herself.

The three children were asleep in one of the beds and the brutal father becoming so angry at his wife rushed to the bed and rained blow after blow on the sleeping little ones. The sharp edge of the cutter hacked the children in a frightful manner and the hospital physicians say that there is very little hope of their recovery. The attack on the children infuriated the wife, and with a knife in each hand she sprang at her husband and stabbed him a number of times. He managed to get in a number of blows during the close battle and, seeing that she was getting weak, he gave her a shove, and as she staggered back, brought the cutter down on her skull with all his force, crushing her skull, and she fell to the floor dead.

By the time he had killed his wife, Vencelsick was exhausted. He sank to the floor and lay there throughout the night unable to move. The moans of the children this morning and one of them crying was what attracted the neighbors.

Vencelsick, it is said, was not married to the woman, whose name it developed later, was Rosa Lock.

A strange man who was found in the house by the police was locked up. He refuses to talk.

## SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD.

The inaugural meeting of the Board of Trustees, R. C. Separate School, was held last evening, the following members being present: Messrs. Robert, Gordon, Bloude, Stephens, Welsh, Gerber, Flynn, Reardon and King.

For chairman for the current year Messrs. King and Welsh were proposed. Mr. Welsh having withdrawn Mr. King was elected.

The following standing committees were appointed:—

Finance—Robert, Bloude, O'Brien.

Education—Stephens, Welsh, Flynn.

Supply—Gerber, Reardon, Gordon.

Rev. Fr. James was re-appointed local superintendent of school.

J. W. Twomey was re-appointed representative to the free library board.

Thomas O'Rourke and F. A. Robert were appointed auditors.

Rev. Fr. James was appointed representative to the Collegiate Institute.

The first Monday in each month was set as the date for regular meetings of the board.

Mrs. Martin Breen was re-appointed auditor.

The amount realized from the late "Opening" entertainment in the new school, after paying expenses, was announced as \$63.25, and a vote of thanks was tendered the Ursuline Ladies, the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Joseph's church, to Miss Rhody, and Rev. Fathers Herman and Herbert for the kind assistance which they gave

## Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription Doubles a Mother's Joys and Halves Her Sorrows.

It does this by a pre-natal preparation in which the mother finds herself growing stronger instead of weaker with each month. Instead of nausea and nervousness, there are healthy appetite, quiet nerves, and refreshing sleep. The mind's content keeps pace with the body's comfort. There is no anxiety, no dread of the approaching time of travail. When the birth hour comes it is practically painless, the recovery is rapid, and the mother finds herself abundantly able to nurse her child.

"Favorite Prescription" contains no alcohol, neither opium, cocaine, nor any other narcotic.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free of charge, and so obtain without cost the advice of a specialist in the diseases peculiar to women. All correspondence strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Annie Blacker, 609 Catherine Street, Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "Your medicine has done wonders for me. For years my health was very poor. I had four miscarriages, but since taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Discovery, I have much better health, and now I have a fine healthy baby. I have recommended your medicine to several of my friends and they have been benefited by them."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure dizziness and sick headache.

towards making the entertainment a success.

Last year's building committee was re-appointed until the new building is accepted from the contractors. The board then adjourned.

The condition which high friendship demands is the ability to do without it.

## Are Quick To See

Good Doctors are Quick to see and Appreciate Real Merit in New Medicines.

Stewart's Dyspepsia Tablets are a discovery of great value to the medical profession and the public. They are an unfailing specific in all cases of dyspepsia and disordered digestion.

Almost everybody's digestion is disordered more or less and the commonest thing they do for it is to take some one of the many so-called blood purifiers, which in many cases are merely strong cathartics. Such things are not needed. If the organs are in a clogged condition, they need only a little help and they will right themselves. Cathartics irritate the sensitive linings of the stomach and bowels and often do more harm than good.

Purgings is not what is needed. The thing to do is to put the food in condition to be readily digested and assimilated. Stewart's Dyspepsia Tablets do this perfectly. They partly digest what is eaten, and give the stomach



just the help it needs. They stimulate the secretion and excretion of the digestive fluids and relieve the congested condition of the glands and membranes. They put the whole digestive system in condition to do its work. When that is done you need take no more tablets, unless you eat what does not agree with you. Then take one or two tablets—give them needed help and you will have no trouble.

It is a common sense medicine and a common sense treatment and it will cure every time. Not only cure the disease, but cure the cause. Goes about it in a perfectly sensible and scientific way.

We have testimonials enough to fill a book, but we don't publish many of them. However—

Mrs. B. M. Faith, of Byrd's Creek, Wis., says: "I have taken all the Tablets I got of you and they have done their work well in my case, for I feel like a different person altogether. I don't doubt if I had not got them I should have been at rest by this time."

H. E. Willard, Onslow, Ia., says: "Mr. White of Canton, was telling me of your dyspepsia Tablets curing him of dyspepsia from which he had suffered for eight years. As I am a sufferer myself I wish you to send me a package by return mail."

Phil Brooks, Detroit, Mich., says: "Your Dyspepsia Cure has worked wonders in my case. I suffered for years from dyspepsia but am now entirely cured and enjoy life as I never have before. I gladly recommend them."

It will cost 50c to find out just how much Stewart's Dyspepsia Tablets will help you. Try them—that's the best way to decide.

All druggists sell them. A little book on Stomach Diseases will be mailed free by addressing F. A. Stewart Co., Marshall, Mich.

## Theatrical

MISS COGHLAN IMPERSONATING BECKY SHARP.

Monday evening, Jan. 20, at the Grand Opera House, will come the long-looked for, "Vanity Fair," in which Miss Coghlan as Becky Sharp has so successfully played elsewhere in other cities. It is the play in which she had achieved the success of her career, and in which she is supported by one of the best companies ever seen in this country. It is a massive play as regards scenic equipment and the number of people employed in the production, and bids fair to be one of the greatest attractions of the season.

There have been many successful plays put before the public in recent years in which the lesser characters revolved around a woman of the scheming, or the adventures, or the eccentric or the finicky type, but more of these stage heroines were surrounded by as much as one half of the interest which is attracted by Becky Sharp, the central figure of Thackeray's great piece of fiction, "Vanity Fair." As the shrewd little woman is depicted by Miss Gertrude Coghlan, the youthful star, she is certainly a most enchanting figure. The production is beautifully mounted and splendidly cast and is rated as one of the big stage successes of the current theatrical season.

## DISTRICT DOINGS.

## THAMESVILLE

Jan. 17.—Edw. Massey, of Chatham, shipped a carload of hogs from here to-day.

J. Y. Smiley, of St. Thomas, is in town.

Joseph Ferguson was in town yesterday.

Mr. McSwen, of Leamington, is in town for the purpose of making arrangements for a glass factory in the village.

A. J. Henderson, of Toronto, is in town.

Mrs. Charteris spent the day in Chatham.

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

## RODNEY.

The contest between Wm. Tolmie and D. Campbell for reeveship was close, the late reeve Tolmie being defeated by six votes.

Norman McEachran shipped a car of hogs from here on Wednesday for Palmerston.

Miss Ada Fraser visited at the residence of Mrs. J. McKenzie last week. Our Township Council did not transact any business at their first meeting on account of two of the members elect being absent.

Rev. J. F. Scott preached in the Baptist church, West Lorne, on Sunday, filling the place of Rev. J. Mann.

M. Barnes, grain dealer, is placing in his warehouse one of the Middle-ditch bean cleaners.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitton have returned from their wedding trip and gone homekeeping.

E. Worth, D. D. G. M., of Kent Bridge, will visit Rodney Lodge, A. F. & A. M., on the 23rd inst., on his official visit.

M. J. Kennedy, of Leamington, was in town on Tuesday.

F. G. McDiarmid, M. L. A., is at present in Toronto attending the meeting of the legislature.

W. Tolmie has sued D. Campbell, reeve, in Division Court, for a penalty of \$50, alleging that he voted in two wards in the Township at the last municipal elections.

J. Steele, grain dealer, of Ridgetown, was in town this week on business.

The population on Talbot street is increasing fast, twin girls in the family of S. Kirkpatrick last week.

Miss Todd, of Ridgetown, visited at the residence of D. J. Buchanan for a few days and returned this week to resume her duties as teacher in the Ridgetown public school.

D. Patterson, grain dealer, is getting out timber for a new grain elevator.

## JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Ed L. Smith was in Detroit on Monday.

Mrs. Forbes and Mrs. Jas. Hamilton attended the W. F. M. S. meeting in Tibbury last week.

A Literary Society has been formed in this place.

Capt. Joyce was in Mitchell's Bay all this week. J. Oldershaw, Chatham, accompanied him to the Bay.

Miss Fields is visiting in Detroit.

Mr. Sinclair, who expects to leave for California in a few days, had a sale on Tuesday of all his household effects.

Young People's meeting every Sunday evening.

## BLOOMFIELD.

Jan. 5th was our annual election of officers and resulted in all the old staff being re-elected.

Miss Abraham has resumed her duties at school, after being home with a sore arm for a week.

The school attendance is small owing to the vaccination season.

Joseph Fountain has disposed of his property in the city and will move to his farm here this week.

Miss Lizzie Banning is much improved.

## For New Years Presents

Buy Something Good...

Tea Knives  
Carving Knives  
Carving Sets  
Sterling Silver  
Tea Spoons  
Fruit Spoons  
Sugar Shells  
Meat Forks  
Butter Knives

ALL  
AT  
CLOSE  
PRICES

## Westman Bros.

## IT WILL BE \$ IN YOUR POCKETS

To see our \$5.00 extra heavy Fry Ulster, with side pockets, made up in the latest style. Our up-to-date dressy dark blue Milton Overcoat at \$5.00 well worth \$7.00, can't be bought at any other store than at The Cut Rate Store for such money. This week at \$5.00.

Boots, Shoes and Ready-Made Clothing

The Cut Rate Store - J. JENKINS,  
55 King St., Directly Opposite Market Square.

## WELDON'S King Street, East.

## JOHN A. MORTON

Hardware Merchant

WE have just received a direct importation of Razors such as Morton-King, King Cutter and many other makes, all being warranted.

We have a fine variety of CUTLERY, such as Carving Sets in cases and without cases. Also a fine assortment of all kinds of Butcher Knives, Table Knives and Pocket Knives, the finest that can be had, in all styles and makes, such as the celebrated Wostenholm, Boker and many others of the best to be had.

Also a full line of Razor Straps, etc. Call and see them.

## JNO. A. MORTON

## The Season for

## W-I-R-E

And the necessity of fencing is approaching and Geo. Stephens, Quinn & Douglas wish to announce that they have a complete stock of all kinds of wire and wire fencing, hooks, staples, slats and fence tools. Their prices are lower than that of the average dealer and it will pay any person from a distance to call at their store in Chatham, and get prices before buying elsewhere. Wire promises to be firm in price and all orders booked now will be guaranteed in price until April 1st next.

## Geo. Stephens, Quinn &amp; Douglas

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE TO-NIGHT

The Famous Scottish

Hypnotist

THE GREAT

McEWEN

TO-NIGHT, JAN. 17

EXTRA ATTRACTIONS  
E. N. SMITH, Cornet Virtuoso.

GRACE MAYNARD, the world's most wonderful Cataleptical Subject.

PRICES—10c, 15c, 25c and 50c.

MATINEE SATURDAY.

Reserved Seats on sale at Central Drug Store.

## Grand OPERA HOUSE MONDAY, EVE., JAN. 20

The Soc at L. L. L. event of the Season

Miss Gertrude

Coghlan

Becky Sharp

In a Dramatization of Thackeray's

Vanity Fair

Impersonating thirty-five of Thackeray's famous characters impersonated by players selected for their ability. Complete production of magnificent scenery for five acts. Picturesque Costumes of the period.

Prices \$1, 75c, 50c, 25c

## Pickles

Not those soft kind that are nearly eaten up with a cheap acid vinegar, but a good firm pickle, equal in flavor to some of the more expensive brands.

Large bottle Challenge Brand, 10c per bottle.

Lea's Mixed Pickles, Lea's Relish, 15c per bottle.

Heinz large size, 25c per bottle.

Heinz small size, 15c per bottle.

Gillard's Relish, 35c per bottle.

Morton's Mustard and plain, 25c per bottle.

Heaton's Mustard and plain, 15c per bottle.

Bulk Pickles, 15c a quart.

## S. E. Smith

Grocer

Next Burt's Drug Store

King St. East.

Money to Loan on Mortgages at 4½ and 5 per Cent.

FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

Frame house, two stories, 12 rooms, lot 50 ft. front by 115 deep, \$1,000. Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, lot 40 feet front, by 208 feet deep, \$1,100.00.

Frame house, 10 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 104 ft., \$900.00.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 feet, good stable, \$1,100.00.

Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front, by 104 feet.

House, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208 feet, \$1,000.

Farm in Howard, 32 1-2 acres, house, stable and orchard, \$1,000.

Farm in Chatham Township, 110 acres. All cleared. Good house, barn, stables and sheds, \$5,700.00. Will trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part payment.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 60 acres. All cleared. Good houses and barn, \$3,750.

Farm in Township of Chatham, 68 acres. All cleared. New frame house. Large barn, stable, granary and drive house and other buildings, \$7,500.

Farm in Township of Chatham, 50 acres. All cleared. Good house, and barn, \$2,500.

Valuable suburban residence, 11 rooms, with 11 acres of land. Good stable, \$3,500.

Apply to W. F. SMITH, Barrister.

Book's Cotton Seed Compound

is a powerful and healthy remedy for all diseases of the cotton seed.

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## CANDYS

Every store on the street sell candy at Christmas time, we sell it the whole year long and think we know what are the nicest kinds and where to buy them so as to please you. We have every kind, a few of our special lines are—

MAPLE WALNUT CREAM,  
ORANGE WALNUT CREAM,  
LEMON WALNUT CREAM,  
and a full line of  
HARRY WEBB'S  
CELEBRATED CHOCOLATES.

come and see what we have, there is not enough time in this paper for us to tell you each kind.

**W. S. RICHARDS**  
Candy Bakery Phone 185

## G. W. Cornell

DENTIST  
Cor. 6th and King Streets  
Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

## PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—10 a. m.—Fresh southerly to southwesterly winds; fair; turning milder. Saturday, comparatively mild, with local snow falls or flurries.

## MARRIED.

STENTON-HIND—At the residence of the bride's parents, Dover, on Wednesday, Jan. 15th, by Rev. C. F. Clarke, Miss Caroline Hind, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elam Hind, to Mr. William Stenton, of Bad Axe, Mich.

## TO-NIGHT.

McEwen Hymnists, Grand Opera House, at 8.15.  
Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Maccaabees' Hall, at 8.  
The B. Y. P. U. of C. E. will meet at 8 o'clock.  
"A" Company drills at drill hall at 8 o'clock.  
Park St. Methodist League, S. S. Hall, at 8.  
The C. E. of St. Andrew's Church, S. Hall, at 8.  
A. O. U. W., in their Hall over Public Library, 8 o'clock.  
Victoria Ave. Methodist Church Epworth League, 8 o'clock.  
Kent Preceptory, Knights Templar, installation of officers, Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 8.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

The civic pay-sheets for the past week amounted to \$23,588.  
Henry Prigmore, of the Gordon store, is laid up with a sore arm.  
Walt Richards has returned from spending a few days in Toronto.

One of the crossing gates at the G. T. R. was frozen up tight this morning.

Mr. Frank of the Penberthy Inspector Co. of Detroit was in the city today.

Park Bros. shipped a traction engine to H. B. Franklin of Coatsworth, yesterday.

The Chatham Mineral Water Co. have decided to sell another block of stock, which has been eagerly sought after.

The Canadian Order of Foresters High Court Officers will be here next Friday night. The local lodge is preparing for a banquet in the Auditorium.

Ed. Williston, of Thompson's, and his brother, had a very narrow escape from death by suffocation on Wednesday night. They were sleeping with a coal stove in their bedroom with the lid of the stove partly off. During the night the gas escaping from the stove filled the room, and had not a window been open so as to allow some of the gas to escape they would undoubtedly have been killed. Both have now fully recovered.

## SOME PEOPLE

## WILL TELL YOU

That they have the best chocolates and creams in the city, but we have just as good, and as great a variety. Try a box for Christmas.

## H. A. Hall

108 King Street

Emulsion  
Of Cod Liver Oil

Just at this time of the year people are apt to catch cold—sometimes that cold is neglected—in fact it is very often neglected. It runs on for a few weeks and you begin to take some simple cough remedy which has probably quickly cured you before—it does the cold no good—you then begin to get alarmed about it—the cough lingers and you find you are beginning to lose flesh. In such cases as this our

## PERFECT EMULSION

is a specific. It will cure the cold, and at the same time build up the tissues and make you fat.

Ask for Perfect Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. The price is 50c a bottle, 3 bottles for \$1.25.

## A. I. McCALL &amp; CO.

Druggists and Opticians

F. R. McKenzie, of Kilgour Bros., Toronto, is spending the day in the city.

The residence of James McDonald, Harwich, was the scene of a very pleasant gathering last evening. A number from Chatham were present.

An effort is on foot to secure the Humane Society medal for Luke Haxton, the man who has saved so many people from drowning in the river.

Mr. Lemon, of the Kent Bakery, is quite sick. Mr. Wangerheim is taking his place, and Walter Hewson is taking Mr. Wangerheim's place on the wagon.

Chairman Houston, of the Police Commissioners, has requested Ald. Cowan to attend the first meeting next Wednesday, in order that the alderman may have opportunity to specify his complaints against the commissioners and police force.

Robson Brown has sold his 50-acre farm in Tilbury East to Peter Robinson, of Tilbury. Mr. Brown has moved to this city and purchased the Smith property on Park Ave. The sale was effected by the real estate agency of Dunn & Merritt.

Get your tickets for the "Little Tycoon," at once, as the play will open for those who hold tickets purchased from members of the chorus, on Tuesday morning, Jan. 21st, at 10 o'clock, at the Central Drug store. Don't delay. Get them NOW.

S. C. Walker, of this city, has just received word from his brother, T. R. Walker, of Erie, Penn., that the large fish establishment owned by the firm of McAlpine & Walker, has been totally destroyed by fire. The loss will be about \$15,000, insurance about \$6,000.

To-morrow morning the Maple City Choral Society will present every citizen of Chatham with the story of the opera "Little Tycoon," which will be seen at the Grand next Thursday evening. The citizens are requested to bring these to the opera house with them.

There are five citizens who contribute annually to the Sick Children's Hospital at Toronto. They are T. C. Macnabb, Warren Lambert, John Holmes, James Holmes, and Dorothea Martin. These men send a dollar every year to help this cause, along with Dorothea Martin is one of the oldest contributors. He has been sending a dollar for about ten years. Any citizen who would like to contribute can send their money to T. C. Macnabb, he will see that the hospital gets the money. All remittances are acknowledged by a card.

The thanks of the Maple City Choral Society, are due Professor McEwen for his excellent arrangement of the "Little Tycoon," the attractive opera which will be given on January 23rd, at the Grand. The great hypnotist stated that he had had the privilege of witnessing some of the rehearsals, and that he could not recommend the production too highly. He bespoke for the opera a monster house.

W. A. Thrasher, secretary of the Liberal Association, asked the permission of the Mayor to fly the flag on Tecumseh Park in honor of the election of Archie Campbell. The Mayor said that the election of Archie Campbell was not an excuse for national rejoicing, but on the contrary was to be deplored. He, however, said he had no objections if the council had not and referred Mr. Thrasher to the chairman of Parks and Cemetery committee, E. A. Mounter. Mr. Mounter said that he didn't feel like doing anything without consulting his committee. He was afraid, however, that the flying of the flag might offend the feelings of some of the citizens. Mr. Mounter found that his committee didn't think it right to fly the public flag, so, as the pole was there Mr. Thrasher secured N. H. Stevens' little bandana, and flew it from the flag pole on the park.

## DOWSLEY DEBENTURES.

The tenders for the Dowsley debentures were opened by the finance committee yesterday, and were awarded to A. W. Harrison, Toronto. The following were the tenders:—A. W. Harrison, Toronto, \$20,010; Aemelin Jarvis & Co., Toronto, \$19,800; William C. Brent, Toronto, \$19,957; F. Ward, Toronto, \$20,000; W. E. Merritt, Chatham, \$20,000; Dominion Securities Corporation, \$19,610; Standard Bank \$20,000.

## For Sale

I acre lot on Sheldon avenue, Price \$160.  
Good building lot on Raleigh street, near Wellington street, Price \$350.  
House, lot, and large stable, on Adelaide street, Price \$550.  
House and lot on Harvey street, Price \$300.  
House with 10 rooms, half acre, Modern, convenient, Price \$1,800.  
DUNN & MERRITT,  
Fire, Life and Accident Insurance,  
Office Fifth street, next to O.M.  
Post Office, Phone 295. Box 52.

W. Hicks, of Ridgetown, spent yesterday in the city.

Thos. Ball, of Dresden, was a guest in the city yesterday.

Wm. Finn, of Fletcher, is spending the day in the city.

Geo. A. Bailey, of Richmond, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

M. Gallopy, of Wallaceburg, is spending the day in the Maple City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell, of Stewart, are guests in the city today.

Mr. Kennedy, of Toronto, is spending a few days with his friend, F. Tschirhart, King street.

Rev. J. J. Rosa will address the missionary meeting of the Victoria Ave. Epworth League to-night.

The Epworth League of the Park street Methodist church will hold their regular weekly meeting to-night.

Horses wanted—Walter Harland Smith, of Toronto, will be at the Wm. Gray & Sons Saturday, Jan. 25th, to purchase high class horses for cash or in exchange for buggies. 8d 1w.

The Park St. Methodist choir will be entertained at the residence of Mrs. E. W. Scane this evening. The evening will be spent with music and games.

Lost—Between the residence of Wm. Cook, Jr., Dover South, and Chatham, a large black valise, filled with clothes. The finder will be rewarded by returning to Planet office.

A feature of Professor McEwen's performance last night, was the efforts of two subjects to take a photograph of the opera house on the night of Jan. 23rd, when it is crowded to the doors by those who have come to see the "Little Tycoon."

Ernest Barclay, clerk at the Rankin House, was united in marriage yesterday afternoon, to Miss Brown, of Detroit. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride and was witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives. Mr. Barclay is a very popular young Maple City-ite, and his many friends in the city will join in wishing him unbounded success in his future married life. Mr. and Mrs. Barclay will arrive in the city to-morrow.

## PASSED AWAY

Chief Justice McGill, of British Columbia, an Old Chatham Boy, is Dead.

This afternoon Chief of Police Young received a telegram announcing the death of Chief Justice Angus McGill, of British Columbia.

Hon. Angus John McGill was the third son of the late Rev. Dr. McGill. He was born at Chatham in 1854, and studied law in the office of Robert S. (now Judge) Woods, being called to the bar in 1879. He practiced law a few years in Goderich and Brussels, Ont., and, after a short term in Winnipeg as member of the firm of Bain, Blanchard & McGill, went to British Columbia in 1882, taking up his residence in New Westminster, where he practised with great success, becoming one of the leaders of the bar. He was created Q. C. in 1892, and appointed Chief Justice in 1896.

Deceased leaves a widow (daughter of the late John W. McGill, formerly of Toronto), and two sons, aged 11 and 13 years. The eldest son is a student at St. Andrew's College, Toronto. He spent the Christmas holidays with his grandmother and was coming home again at Easter.

Deceased has a mother, brother and two sisters residing in this city.

## SUNSHINE SOCIETY.

A meeting of the Chatham Branch of the International Sunshine Society was held at the home of the President, Miss Maude Hayward, yesterday afternoon. The most of the Martin, Lund and Thrasher represented the Assisting Society, to whom an invitation had been given to meet Mrs. Mable Ayers, of Detroit, the organizer of the I. S. S. of this city, and who tells so charmingly in the Detroit Free Press of the great work being carried on in that city and the State of Michigan. The meeting was opened with a sunshine hymn, and after the minutes of the last meeting had been read and adopted, Mrs. Ayers gave an interesting talk on the principles of sunshine work and many practical illustrations from her own experience. A paragraph from the Sunshine Column of the Detroit Free Press of Sunday last, will give an idea of the meaning of the Sunshine Society. "There are no fees or dues, save kind acts, which may be done at home. Nobody is so poor as to be burdened by membership; nobody so rich as to be out of the Society's scope. There is on an equal footing with everybody else; no charity is contemplated save the charity without which one may bestow all his goods to feed the poor and yet be as sounding brass or a tinkling cymbal."

The idea is to do good to all irrespective of person or station and bring sunshine into the lives of all. Mrs. Ayers was moved a hearty vote of thanks, and after discussing other matters, refreshments were served, and the Chatham Branch hopes to meet with hearty co-operation from its people so that sunshine may flood every part.

The World Needs Nerve  
Need it in business, in the study, in the household. Irritability, weakness, lack of strength—the blues feeling—why, they just tell you that you lack nerve. You'll feel nervous. My! What an appetite, you'll get. How quickly the color will return to your cheeks, how buoyant you will feel! Work of course, you'll work, for you will enjoy it. That is, if you will use Ferronox. It gives nerve strength, muscular endurance and invigorates the brain splendidly. Sold by McCALL & Co.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

For Social  
Affairs

Playing Cards  
Whist Markers  
Euchre Seals, Punches  
Tally Cards  
Invitation Cards  
Invitation Note Paper  
ASK FOR

## Dimity Note Paper

Nothing nicer for polite correspondence. In white, blue and gray with envelopes to match.

**DINGMAN'S**  
KING STREET, CHATHAM.

## Coffee!

We can give you something extra in coffee at 40c. lb., roasted and ground right in our own establishment, so that we know what you are getting; we also have an extra coffee at 30c. lb., 25c. a lb., and 20c. Come to us for your coffee.

Upton's Jams, in 7lb. wooden pails.

Upton's Jams, in 1 lb. glass jars at 10c. each.

Upton's Marmalade, in 7-lb. wooden pails.

Upton's marmalade, in 1-lb. glass jars, at 10c.

We are expecting fresh Manitoba White Fish, Lake Huron Trout, and fresh Pickarel, for Saturday.

Try us for your next order.

Good sweet oranges for 20c. doz.

## G. A. Young

## Our Grocer

## WANTED.

WANTED—A modern sized house, with all modern improvements, centrally located. Box 137 Planet. 4f

WANTED—Bookkeeper for the Tupperville Milling and Elevator Company; apply, stating salary; all applications must be in by the 31st of January. Address Tupperville Milling and Elevator Company, Tupperville.

WANTED—A young lady of limited means, very anxious to secure an education and would be willing to give her services in the line of general housework or care of children before and after school hours, in exchange for her board. Address N. T., care of Planet Office.

## FARM FOR SALE

Farm for sale, being south half lot 6, Con. 2, Township of Camden, in the County of Kent, containing 100 acres. This property is situated about 2 1/2 miles west of Thamesville. The farm is well fenced, and about forty acres cleared, and the balance mostly pasture land, and a sandy loam. There is a frame barn and a good frame house upon the premises, also a good well of water, and about two acres set out in fruit trees. For terms, etc., apply to

BANK OF MONTREAL,  
Chatham, Ont.

## ARARE CHANCE

## FARM FOR SALE

One of the best and most beautiful 50 acres in the Township of Dover, the S E 1/4 of Lot 14, Con. 5, 7 miles from Chatham, one mile of stone blacksmith shops, hotels, public school and separate school, well fenced and tiled, two wells, large barn, small barn, large stable, 40 acres cleared, 7 acres in bush pasture, over two acres in young bearing orchard of first class trees and small bushes, with over 100 spruce trees and veneer brick house. For particulars apply to Box 407 Chatham, Ont., or to R. BEAUCHE,

Grocer,  
West Market St., Chatham,  
3rd Fl.

## DON'T.

Don't think because you have taken many remedies in vain that your case is incurable.

You have not taken Hood's Sarsaparilla. It has cured many seemingly hopeless cases of scurfy, catarrh, rheumatism, kidney complaint, dyspepsia and general debility—many cases that may have been worse than yours. What this great medicine has done for others it can do for you.

Chatham's Greatest Store | C. AUSTIN, & CO. | Chatham's Cheapest Store

Colored  
Silk Sale

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday  
we will sell any Colored Silk in  
the Department at

50c a Yard

Here is an opportunity you can ill afford to let pass. In order to reduce our silk stock before stock taking, we make a three days sale of all our plain and fancy colored silks. Read this list and judge for yourself its merits.

\$1.25 Fancy Taffeta at per yard.....	50c
\$1.25 Fancy Merveilleux at per yard.....	50c
\$1.00 Colored Bengalines at per yard.....	50c
90c Fancy Taffeta at per yard.....	50c
85c Taffetas, all colors, at per yard.....	50c
75c Taffetas, all colors, at per yard.....	50c
75c Colored Bengaline at per yard.....	50c
85c Peau-de-Soie, all colors, at per yard.....	50c
75c Oriental Satin at per yard.....	50c
60c Peau-de-Soie, all colors, at per yard.....	50c

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT | CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

Bargain Day  
In Men's Trousers

At Austin's Big Clearing  
Up Sale of Clothing . . .

Men's Pants Have all been gone through and every pair is reduced so that it will make it easy for the most economical buyer to decide quickly.

ALL MARKED DOWN IN PLAIN RED FIGURES

And added to the long list of men's and youths' Suits and Overcoats, advertised last Saturday and which will also be on sale to-morrow.

Over Three Hundred Pairs Men's Pants

Placed on Tables in Clothing Dept.

At Prices That Will Move Them Quick

At 75c Men's honest wearing Tweed Pants in stripes and checks, lines that sell regularly at \$1.00, clearing at 75c.

At 98c Men's honest all-wool Tweed Pants in plain gray Halifax and Patterned Trews and plain Serges, are regular values at \$1.25 and \$1.50, full range of sizes.

At \$1.25 Men's heavy all-wool cloth Tweed and fine Tweed Pants, lines that have sold all season from \$1.50 to \$1.75.

At \$1.48 Men's fine all-wool Tweed Pants in neat patterns and fine stripes, worth regularly from \$1.75 to \$2.50, clearing at \$1.48.

3 Specials in  
MEN'S FURNISHINGS  
For Saturday

Gloves Men's and Boys' Gloves in kid with wool lining and kid with astrachan backs, are humming values at 50c, odd sizes on sale Saturday at.....

25c

Neck Mufflers Men's Silk Neck Mufflers, shaped, padded and quilted, also Neck Muffler Squares, are worth regular 35c to 50c, on sale Saturday at.....

25c

Neckties Men's Silk Neckties in Knots, Strings, Four-in-hands, Bows, Flowing Ends, nice quality Silks, regular 25c qualities, on sale Saturday at.....

15c

NOTE—All displayed on Tables in Clothing Department with many other snaps.

**C. Austin & Co.** The Bargain Centre

January 17 1922

Our  
Fancy Biscuits

More than fifty varieties here give you a good stock to choose from. Not only a large stock but high quality is here also. We are particular to buy only what we know is good. You're safe when you buy here.

PINE MIXED BISCUITS, 15c a pound  
FINE PLAIN BISCUITS, 15c a pound  
FANCY BISCUITS, 20c a pound  
EXTRA FANCY WAFERS, 40c a pound  
PINE CHOCOLATES, 25c a pound  
OUR BEST CHOCOLATES, 40c and 50c a pound.

H. Malcolmson

FIBRE  
CHAMOIS  
VESTS  
Affords Protection  
from Colds

These garments are interlined with Fibre-Chamois, making them absolutely wind proof. Cold cannot penetrate and warmth of the body is retained. We have just received sizes, to sell at

50c each

Turner & Platt  
DRUGGISTS

SUCCESSORS TO E. CURT

One  
Question

Have you visited the greatest of great Clothing Sales, if not why not? If it's clothing of any kind—Overcoats, Suits, Underwear—men's, boys' or children's, we would say go to **Meynell's**.

\$10 Suits for \$7.50.

\$8.50 Suits for \$6.49.

\$10 and \$12 Overcoats for \$7.98.

Fleeced Lined Underwear, all wool double back and front, regular \$2 a suit, Sale Price **\$1.20**.

Children's Underwear, one piece 25c for suit.

G MEYNELL  
The Up-to-date Clothier

8 Doors West of Market, on King

Did You  
Ever

NOTICE that sweet, delicious taste that our baked goods always have!

Our Bread, Pies, Cakes, Buns, etc., are always fresh and tasty. Once a customer you will stay with us.

Wm. Somerville,  
Confectioner

Next Standard Bank Building

Minard's Liment Cures Distemper.

DR. RUSSELL  
DENTIST

Cor. King & 5th Sts., over Merchants' Bank  
PHONE 270  
Evening Appointments Free

## Local Budget

Miss Adelle Martin is a little better. Mr. Smithson, of London, is in the city to-day.

J. A. Wilson is in Northwood to-day on business. Fresh frozen pickerel at George A. Young's Grocery.

Geo. A. Young is advertising special values in coffee. Mr. Appleford, of Wallaceburg, is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. Thompson, Ridgeway, guest of Mrs. A. C. Woodward, returned to-day.

John Lundy, Creek Road, Harwich, is seriously ill at St. Joseph's Hospital.

The Tupperville Milling and Elevator Company is advertising for a book-keeper.

The representative of the Alpha Chemical Co., of Berlin, was in the city to-day.

Chas. Jefferys, of Hamilton, was in the city yesterday and is spending the day in Louisville.

Christ Church mite box holders are asked to remember that the annual social will be held next month.

For the next week Lamon & Avishouser will sell their stock of suitings etc., at reduced bargain prices.

Three cemaphore repairers of the C. P. R., of London, are in the city repairing the local cemaphores.

Don't fail to take advantage of Lamon & Avishouser's sale of suits, etc., at reduced prices, for the next week.

The funeral of the late D. R. Van Allen will take place Sunday at 3 o'clock, from Holy Trinity Church.

Geo. A. Young, grocer, has received to-day a first shipment of Manitoba white fish, Lake Huron trout and smelts. His telephone number is 151.

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

Wm. Blight, Jr., of Needles, South California, who has been spending a month's vacation at his home on Wellington street has returned and will resume his duties on the Santa Fe Railroad.

## SATURDAY AT THE 2 T'S.

\$1.00 and \$1.25 Lined Gloves, 75c.  
\$1.50 and \$1.75 Lined Gloves, 90c.  
\$2.00 and \$2.50 Lined Gloves, \$1.50.  
The 2 T's.

## OUR MAYOR.

A former Burford boy has been honored in Chatham by being elected mayor of that city by acclamation. The gentleman is Mr. George W. Sulman, and at one time he resided in this city, where his father conducted a large confectionery business.

This is Mayor Sulman's second term, his work as chief magistrate of the city last year having given splendid satisfaction. He has all the qualities needed in a man, who is to be at the head of the government of a progressive city, plenty of sound business sense and ambition. In the past year he has succeeded in having several manufacturers locate in Chatham, giving the people there some pride in a city that had before been known only as a quiet residential city.—Brantford Examiner.

## SATURDAY AT THE 2 T'S.

50c. and 60c. Fleeced Lined and Wool Underwear, 35c.  
75c. and 90c. Fleeced Lined and Wool Underwear, 40c.  
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Fleeced Lined and Wool Underwear, 75c.  
\$1.50 and \$1.75 Fleeced Lined and Wool Underwear, 90c.  
See window! The 2 T's.

## FOR PEACE.

London, Jan. 16.—A strong belief prevailed in financial circles here late to-day, that negotiations for peace had been reopened between the leading Boers and the British Government. South African stocks rose in sympathy with the reports. The exact nature of what was going on was not known, but a representative approached the Government protesting against the appropriation of farms in the Transvaal and Orange River colonies by British settlers, which system is now being rapidly pushed, and that strong influence had been brought to bear on the Boer leaders to save at least a vestige of property for their followers. Whether what is passing to-day between the Boers and the British Government can be termed peace negotiations or what will be their results, can only remain speculation for the present. The stock exchange evidently takes a hopeful view of the outcome.

## Where Medical Science Fails

To cure rheumatism, and all the time you suffer dreadfully, why don't you get a bottle of Tolson's Nervine and try that? Rub it into your stiff joints, sore arms, lame back, bent shoulders—wherever the pain is. Nervine has cured plenty of people in this way, and that ought to be proof enough that it will cure you, too. It is an unusually strong liniment that cures rheumatism in unusually quick time. Best household liniment known. 25 cents.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS  
OFF THE COLD.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

ESSEX COUNTY  
HAS SHORTAGE

Auditors Report That \$1,890 is Shy—Salaries Paid in Advance.

## Possibility That Treasurer Morand's Resignation Will be Asked for.

Special to The Planet.

Sandwich, Jan. 17.—According to the county auditors, Henry Morand, treasurer for the county of Essex, is \$1,890 short in his accounts. The report was placed in the hands of Clerk McKee yesterday and will be submitted to the council this morning.

It is alleged that the accounts of the treasurer have been short for several years, but that the auditors have always accounted for it by calling the amounts overdraws. This year they decided that they could not consistently bring the shortage under this head and decided to lay the whole matter before the council and let the members take such action as they deem necessary.

It has been the practice of the treasurer to pay some of the salaries of county officials in advance and part of his shortage was accounted for in this manner, but last year he received instructions to discontinue the practice, and, if part of the shortage is caused from this, he has disobeyed the council.

One of the councillors said last evening that if a shortage exists the council will ask for Mr. Morand's resignation and make a demand on his bondmen for the full amount.

## NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS

For the purpose of making some necessary pipe connections at the Gas works, the gas will be shut off from the Company's mains for about half an hour, commencing at 3 p. m., Sunday, 19th inst.

Consumers of gas are warned to have all gas jets or other burners closed for the time mentioned, to prevent possibility of accident by escape of gas when gas is again turned on the mains.

Chatham Gas Company  
Limited

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DISTRICT DOINGS.  
TILBURY

Jan. 17.—Mrs. W. Lunley is visiting her sister at Flint, Mich., this week.

C. C. Kippen has returned from a trip to Toronto.

Night operator Grimshaw, of the M. C. R., has been transferred to Mull. M. Hendley has been appointed day operator here, and A. H. Graves goes on nights.

Misses Maggie and Ella Stewart were in Detroit yesterday.

W. C. T. U. meets to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 at the parsonage.

M. Bisillon, of Montreal, was in town this week buying hay.

## WALLACEBURG

Jan. 17.—Miss Lucy Baker is visiting friends at Sarnia for a few weeks.

W. Westwood, of Toronto, did business in town yesterday.

Mrs. Robt. Little, who has been visiting Mr. Shep. Summers and Mrs. A. Little, left to-day for her home at Windsor.

Mrs. Ed. McDougall yesterday received the sad news of the death of her niece, Miss Olive Kendall, of Detroit. The funeral will take place at St. Algonquin.

Geo. Fleming has returned, after spending a few weeks at his home at Horning's Mill.

A very pleasant surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. Snively by friends of the Presbyterian church last evening, when a handsome silver pair of sugar and cream, lined with gold, to show their appreciation of their work in the church, especially for the earnest work and interest Mr. Snively has shown in the choir as choir leader.

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

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, Ohio, and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Sworn to before me, and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

(Seal) Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, The Hall's Family Pills are the best.

January Specials  
at The Gordon Store

16 Ladies' Short Jackets, value \$3.00 to \$14.00 each, for.....\$3.98  
6 Girls' Frieze Coats, gray, 35 inches, for.....\$5.50  
3 Ladies' Black Jersey Jackets, 27 in., silk lined, \$5.00 each, for.....\$10.00  
36 and 42 in. Jackets, reg. \$15.00 for.....\$10.00  
5 only, Ladies' Tailor-made Suits, 32, 34 and 36, to clear.....\$3.75

10 pes. Double Fold Dress Goods, value 20c to 35c per yd.....12 1/2c  
46 Ladies' Underskirts, all colors, value \$1.50 to \$2.35 each, for.....\$1.00

## FURS I

20 pair Ladies' Sealette Gauntlets, value \$1.50 per pair, for.....\$1.00  
6 Ladies' Fur Muffs, coyote and bear, value \$1.50 each, for.....90c  
3 Imitation Martin Ruffs, 6 tails, value \$5.00 each, for.....\$3.45  
1 only, 72 inch Electric Seal Ruff, value \$5.00 for.....\$3.00

## FURS I

2 only, Gray Coney 72 in. Ruffs, reg. \$7.00 each, for.....\$4.75  
2 only, Gray Coney and Electric Seal Collarettes, value \$5.00 each, for.....\$3.40  
2 only, Electric Seal Prussian Lamb, 6 tails, long front, \$10.00, for.....\$6.90  
Other Collars and Ruffs at Inventory Prices.  
4 only, Electric Seal Capes, reg. price \$15.00 each, to clear at.....\$19.50

## MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Fleeced Underwear, Regular value 60c each, at.....44c  
Men's Merino All-wool Underwear, plain and ribbed, 75c and 85c each, at.....59c

## William Gordon

With a View to meeting the growing demand for our goods we have had made ready a large Assortment of

## DRESS GOODS

That will make suitable and acceptable CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

These goods are worn by the wealthiest families in the large cities, and for durability and cheapness cannot be excelled. Call and examine this large assortment.

THE T. H. TAYLOR CO. LIMITED.

Coal and  
Wood

Lehigh and Scranton Coal, Virginia Spirit Coal, for domestic use, Smithing Coal, Hard and Soft Wood in all lengths. All are of the best qualities and at the lowest prices delivered promptly to any part of the city.

J. GILBERT &amp; CO., Office and Yards, William Street, near G. T. R.

DR. A. W. THORNTON  
DENTIST

D. D. S., Toronto University.  
Office—First Door East of Standard Bank  
TELEPHONE OFFICE 164.  
RESIDENCE 285.

## THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Through J. B. McGregor, stock broker, Northwood's Block, Chatham.  
Chicago, Jan. 17, 1922

## OPEN HIGH LOW CLOSE

Wheat—Dec.....80 1/2 80 1/2 79 3/4 80 1/2  
May.....80 1/2 80 1/2 79 3/4 80 1/2  
July.....80 1/2 80 1/2 79 3/4 80 1/2

Corn—May.....63 1/2 64 63 63 1/2  
July.....63 1/2 64 63 63 1/2

Oats—May.....45 45 1/2 44 1/2 45 1/2  
July.....39 1/2 40 39 1/2 40

Pork—May.....16 1/2 17 17 1/2 16 1/2 17 1/2  
July.....16 1/2 17 17 1/2 16 1/2 17 1/2

Lard—May.....9 7/8 9 9 1/8 9 7/8 9 7/8  
July.....8 7/8 9 9 1/8 8 7/8 9 7/8

Ribs—May.....8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2  
July.....8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

## Some Startling Facts

That should be considered at this season of the year when coughs and colds are so prevalent causing Bronchial Catarrh which usually ends in consumption. From reports by eminent physicians there are ten million consumptives in America, and constantly being added to by neglected colds and grippe.

## The Prussian Oil

Medicine will cure bronchial catarrh, is gripe, pneumonia, coughs and colds very quickly and surely if used as directed internal and external. It is in universal use all over the Maritime Provinces and New England States, called there Dr. Newmeyer's Wonderful Prussian Oil, being such a curative medicine, for so little money—25 cents. Use it and prove it. Sold by all Druggists.

Children Cry for  
CASTORIA.

TAKE NOTICE.

We publish simple, straight testimonials, not press agents' interviews, from well known people.

From all over America they testify to the merits of MINARD'S LIMENT, the best of Household Remedies.

C. C. RICHARDS &amp; CO.

Children Cry for  
CASTORIA.

Minard's Liment Cures Distemper.

A Swell  
Wedding

Means rich and handsome gifts for Bridal presents, and handsome table silver is among the most acceptable as well as most useful of anything that can be offered, not only in this time for wedding presents, but every well conducted home needs handsome table silver. Our line of flat and hollow ware—solid silver pieces ranging in price from a dainty cream ladle from \$1.50 to large and heavy pieces at \$10 and \$12. We show a large line of sterling silver tea spoons, prices as low as \$5 a dozen to \$15. We control in this city a great many patterns in the nearest designs on the American market.

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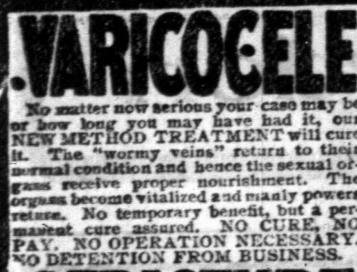
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# THE COURIER OF THE CZAR

By Jules Verne

Near him some guards had brought a tripod on which was placed an iron dish, where some red-hot coals were burning without emitting any smoke. The light of the incineration of a resinous and aromatic substance, a mixture of frankincense and benzoin, which had been thrown on their surface.

Meanwhile another group of dancers had succeeded the first, but of a race very different, which Michael Strogoff at once recognized.

And we must believe that the two journalists also recognized them, for Harry Blount said to his confrere:

"These are the Zingari of Nijal Novgorod."

"The very ones!" cried Alcide Jolivet. "I imagine their eyes bring more money to these spies than their legs!"

And in making them out to be agents in the service of the emir Alcide Jolivet, it is well known, did not deceive himself.

In the first rank of the gypsies figured Sangarre, in her superb costume, strange and picturesque as it was, which set off still more her beauty.

Sangarre did not dance, but stood in the middle of her dancing girls, whose fantastic steps partook of all the countries which their race had traversed in Europe, of Bohemia, of Egypt, of Italy and of Spain. They became animated at the noise of the cymbals which clanged on their arms and at the swelling of the "daires," a kind of drum sounded by the fingers.

Sangarre, holding one of these daires, which trembled between her hands, excited this troop of veritable corymbes.

Then came forward a youthful gypsy, some fifteen years old at most. He held in his hand a dour, the two cords of which he made to vibrate by a simple gilding of the nails. He sang.

During the couplet of his song of fantastic rhythm a danseuse came and placed herself near him and remained immovable, listening to him, but each time the burden came to the lips of the young singer she again took up her interrupted dance, shaking her dairs near him and deafening him with the sound of her drum.

Then, after the last verse, the dancers unloosed the gypsy in a thousand turnings of their dances.

At this moment a shower of gold fell from the hands of the emir and his allies, from the hands of the officers of all grades, and to the noise of the pieces which struck the cymbals of the dancers were blended the last murmurs of the dour and tambourines.

"Prodigious as freebooters!" said Alcide Jolivet in the ear of his companion.

And, indeed, it was stolen money which fell in showers, for with the Tartar tomans and sequins raised also Muscovite ducats and rubles.

Then silence was made for an instant, and the voice of the executioner, placing his hand on the shoulder of Michael Strogoff, again spoke those words whose repetition rendered them still more sinister:

"Look with all your eyes! Look!"

But this time Alcide Jolivet observed that the executioner did not hold his naked sword in his hand.

Then suddenly, as if at a given signal, all the fires of the fantasia were extinguished, the dances ceased, the dancers disappeared. The ceremony was terminated, and the torches alone lit up the plateau which some instants before was so full of lights.

At a sign from the emir Michael Strogoff was led into the middle of the square.

Little desirous of assisting at the torture reserved for this unfortunate man, Harry Blount and Alcide Jolivet then entered the city.

An hour later they were hastening along the road to Irkutsk, and it was among the Russians they would attempt to follow what Alcide Jolivet called by anticipation "the campaign of revenge."

The emir made a gesture. Michael Strogoff, pushed by the guards, approached the terrace, and then in that Tartar language which he understood Feofar said to him:

"Russian spy, you are come to see. You have seen for the last time. In an instant these eyes shall be forever shut to the light!"

It was not with death, but with blindness that Michael Strogoff was about to be stricken. Loss of sight, more terrible perhaps than loss of life! The unhappy man was condemned to lose his eyesight.

Nevertheless on hearing the penalty pronounced by the emir Michael Strogoff did not become weak. He remained impassible, his large eyes open, as if he were wishing to concentrate all his life in this one last look.

To ask for pity from these fierce men was useless and, besides, unworthy of him. He did not even think of it. All his thought was concentrated on his mission that had irrevocably failed, on his mother, on Nadia, whom he should never see again! But he did not allow to be seen any of the emotion which he felt.

Besides, the feeling of vengeance, to be accomplished at some future time, carried away his whole being.

"Ivan," said he, with a menacing voice, "Ivan, the traitor, the last threat of my eyes shall be for thee."

Ivan Ogareff shrugged his shoulders. But Michael Strogoff deceived himself. It was not in looking at Ivan Ogareff that his eyes were to be fixed never more to open.

Marfa Strogoff came and stood before him.

"My mother!" cried he. "Yes, yes, on thee must be turned my last look and not on this miserable man! Remain there before me, that I may still see thy beloved figure; that my eyes may close while looking at thee!"

The old Siberian, without uttering a word, came forward.

"Drive away this woman!" said Ivan Ogareff.

Two soldiers pushed back Marfa Strogoff. She drew back, but remained standing some paces distant from her son.

The executioner appeared. This time he held his naked sword in his hand. That sword, heated to a white heat, he had just drawn from the iron pan where the perfumed coals were burning.

Michael Strogoff was about to be made blind according to the Tartar custom, with a heated blade passed over his eyes!

Michael Strogoff did not seek to resist. Nothing else existed in his eyes than his mother, whom he devoured then with his look. All his life was in this last vision.

Marfa Strogoff, with her eyes wide open and her arms stretched toward him, was looking at him.

The white heated blade passed over the eyes of Michael Strogoff.

A loud cry of despair was heard. Old Marfa fell lifeless to the earth! Michael Strogoff was blind.

His orders having been executed, the emir retired, with all his household. Soon the only remained on the plateau Ivan Ogareff and the torchbearers.

Did the miserable wretch wish to insult him still more and after the executioner give him the last blow?

Ivan Ogareff slowly approached Michael Strogoff, who heard him coming and at once straightened himself.

Ivan Ogareff drew from his pocket the emperor's letter. He opened it and as the last insult placed it before the eyes of the courier of the czar, before those eyes whose light had been brutally extinguished forever, saying at the same time:

"Read now, Michael Strogoff; read and go and repeat at Irkutsk what you shall have read. The true courier of the czar is myself!"

Having said this, the traitor placed the letter in his breast. Then, without turning round, he left the place, and the torchbearers followed him.

Michael Strogoff remained alone, some paces from his mother, who was lifeless, perhaps dead.

One heard at a distance the cries, the songs, all the noise of the orgies. Tomak was illuminated and was bright as a city during a great feast.

Michael Strogoff listened. The scene of the late revels and crime was silent and deserted.

He dragged himself by groping toward the place where his mother had fallen. He found her with his hand. He bent down toward her. He brought his figure near to hers. He listened to the beatings of her heart. Then one would have said that he spoke to her in a low voice.

Did old Marfa still live and did she hear the words her son spoke to her? In any case she did not make any sign of life by movement.

Michael Strogoff kissed her forehead and her white hairs. Then he rose, and, groping with his foot and trying to hold his hands in such a way as to guide him, he walked by little and little to the end of the plateau.

Suddenly Nadia appeared. She went straight to her companion. A dagger that she held served to cut the cords that bound the arms of Michael Strogoff.

He, blind as he was, did not know who it was who was releasing him, for Nadia had not spoken a word.

But, that done, said she: "Brother?"

"Nadia," murmured Michael Strogoff.

"Come, brother," replied Nadia. "Henceforth my eyes shall be your eyes, and it is I who will conduct you to Irkutsk!"

In half an hour after Michael Strogoff and Nadia had left Tomak.

A certain number of the prisoners on that night were able to escape from the Tartars, for officers and soldiers, all more or less besotted, had unconsciously relaxed the severe surveillance which they had maintained up to that time, both at the camp of Zabeiro and during the march of the convoy.

Nadia, after having been led out with the other prisoners, had been able to escape and return to the plateau at the very moment Michael Strogoff was being conducted before the emir.

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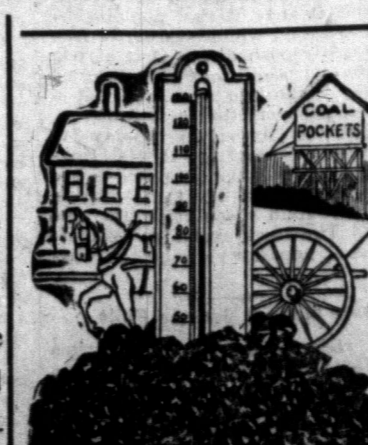
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Mamma — Things that go on legs.

Bessie — Oh, I know! You mean stockings.

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"Then," continued the little fellow, "why don't I get maddy when you wash me?"

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"Certainly not, Harry," she replied.

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## Our Exchanges.

Stella Peck, the 4-year-old daughter of Herbert A. Peck, of Detroit, Tuesday afternoon fell into a pail of boiling water, and after suffering terrible agony for 15 hours, died at five o'clock this morning.

Tuesday morning an alarm of fire was sounded at Kingsville, a blaze having been discovered in a small stable adjoining Gilkinson's livery. It contained three horses, a new harness, valued at \$1,100, which was destroyed. Cause of fire unknown.

The Brooklyn Eagle of Monday last gave a column report of the services of the St. Thomas evangelists, from which the following is an extract: — "Crossley and Hunter, the Canadian pastor evangelists, began their second tour of services in the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church, corner Clermont and Wiloughby avenues, and spoke to large audiences. The evening services were the most largely attended since they began their work one week ago. The church was filled with an eager, attentive assembly that listened to the earnest convincing words of the evangelists and during the progress of the evening service many gave expression to a desire to begin the Christian life."

SAVED FROM DEATH.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 15. — Fred Truesdale, of this city, while out duck hunting on Niagara River, got caught in an ice flow and had a miraculous escape from being swept over the falls.

Truesdale tried hard to get free and reach open water, but his efforts were of no avail and he drifted rapidly toward the American falls.

Holloran, another old river man, seeing a rope hurled to Willow Island, close to where Truesdale was drifting. When the boat was about forty feet out from shore, Holloran threw the rope, which fell across the Truesdale's waist, and the boat he was dragged, half dead, across the ice and through the water to the land. As he landed he fell unconscious in the arms of his rescuer. Within a few minutes Truesdale's boat and gun passed over the bridge of the American falls.

"TELELECTROSCOPE."

Indianapolis, Jan. 15. — An Indianapolis inventor, who at this time refuses to have his identity divulged, through the affidavit by his attorney, says he will soon give to the world an invention that will revolutionize one of the great branches of the country's industry. The device is called the "teleelectroscope," whereby a man using a telephone may see and be seen, as well as talk, hear and be heard.

The teleelectroscope, it is said, has been tried and tested and its operation is successful. It remains only to add an improvement or two before the mechanism will be in shape to be put on the market.

Attached to the sending device of the telephone, rising above the dial, will be a small mirror-like reflector. The talker, by gazing into this, will see pictured before him not only the person talking at the other end of the wire, but also the objects surrounding the talker. Pictures on the walls, chairs, tables, and, in fact, all the furnishings in focus, will be accurately reproduced in the picturing mirror. At the same time a dial attached will clearly and distinctly as the first party.

GERMAN OFFICER ARRESTED.

Paris, Jan. 15. — A Nice despatch to the Journal says a serious case of espionage has been discovered at that place. A German nobleman, in the floor in the Prussian army, who was concerned in the affair, has been arrested.

THEIR LIQUOR ACT POLICY.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 15. — The Government party had a caucus last night and discussed the Liquor Act policy. Your correspondent learned that on the 15th the municipal lists and sixty-two and a half per cent. of the vote polled will be required.

A mammoth prohibition deputation will visit on the Government to-morrow to oppose the referendum and urge the enforcement of the act.

A SPANISH RIOT.

San Sebastian, Spain, Jan. 15. — The decision of the municipal authorities to suppress the annual popular holiday consisting of tormenting bulls, occasioned serious rioting to-day, during which many persons were injured, and much property was sacrificed. A mob stoned the town hall, the residences of the municipal officers and the barracks of the gendarmes, and swept through the streets, undaunted by the shots of the gendarmes. The latter were powerless until a force of troops arrived and charged the rioters. Many arrests were made.

IN SPITE OF SCANDAL.

Vienna, Jan. 15. — Herr Wolf, the Pan-German leader, whose colleagues in the Reichsrath recently insisted on his resignation on account of a social scandal, was re-elected to the Reichsrath to-day at a bye-election held at the Rautenau, Bohemia.

BABIES POISONED.

Cologne, Jan. 15. — The Cologne Gazette says the police have arrested a woman who is suspected of having poisoned over 50 babies who were in her charge. The public prosecutor is in possession of a mass of evidence against the woman. He is now trying to discover if she had any accomplices.

## Woman who Works and Does Not Feel Well.

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ARREST LYNCH.

Dublin, Jan. 15. — The Evening Herald publishes a despatch from London stating that if Col. Arthur Lynch, formerly of the Irish Brigade in the Boer army, who was elected Nationalist member of Parliament for Galway, during the past vacation, presents himself at the opening of parliament to-morrow, he will be arrested for treason. Warrants for his arrest have been in the hands of the police for some time.

London, Jan. 15. — The Scotland Yard officials profess to have no knowledge of the issuing of warrants for the arrest of Col. Lynch.

CHILDREN ARE DELIGHTED WITH.

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PEERAGE FOR HARCOURT.

London, Jan. 15. — It is reported to-day that the coronation honors will include the offer of a peerage to Sir William Harcourt, formerly Liberal leader in the House of Commons. Sir William is married to Elizabeth, daughter of the late Hon. J. L. Motley, the historian. The statement is revived that the King will offer a dukedom to the Marquis of Salisbury, which the Premier will possibly not accept, as it is understood that he does not desire an alternation in the ancient title which he inherited, and which he values for its historic associations. It is expected that Earl Cadogan, the present Viceroy of Ireland, and that a similar advance in the peerage will be offered to Lord Spencer, former Liberal Viceroy of Ireland, and First Lord of the Admiralty in Lord Rosebery's Administration.

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## VICTORY FOR CONSERVATISM

Laval, Quebec, Turns Liberal Majority of 319 to Minority of Eighteen.

Later Returns for the By-Elections—Campbell's Majority is 147.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 16.—It now seems out that Mr. Leonard, the Conservative candidate in Laval county, has elected by a majority of 18. Such is the statement given by the returning officer himself, Mr. Paquet, who was in the city this afternoon, and explains that the error giving Mr. Wilson, the Government candidate, a majority was caused by a verbal report of the voting in St. Rose, accepted at first as correct, and found to be erroneous after the officer had himself verified the count. The vote was, Leonard, 1,671; Wilson, 1,653—majority for Leonard over Wilson 18.

Toronto, Jan. 16.—In West York the revised returns give Campbell 147 majority.

Bowmanville, Jan. 16.—The returns of yesterday's by-election as brought by the Returning Officer Hall give Robert (Liberal) a majority of 22. Quebec, Jan. 16.—Complete returns show that Charbonneau (Liberal) was elected in L'Islet yesterday by one majority.

Wagons, Jan. 16.—The latest reports from Addington give Avery (Conservative) a majority of 447, with ten polls to hear from, which likely will reduce the majority to about 400. Some of the back polls may not be heard from before this evening or to-morrow morning.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Jan. 16.—Full returns give Parquison (Liberal) 495 majority in West Queens.

### WOMEN'S AUXILIARY.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of Holy Trinity church was held in the school room yesterday afternoon, a large number of ladies being present. The rector, Rev. Beverley Smith, occupied the chair. The reports of the secretary and treasurer showed an increase over last year in funds and membership. The total receipts of the year, including value of sales sent to the Northwest, was \$190. A balance on hand of \$22 was divided amongst missions in the Northwest and Japan. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Beverley Smith; Vice-President, Mrs. Stegman; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Tackberry; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Richard Slag; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Richardson; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. Bennett; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Marx; Treasurer, Miss Nellie Slag; delegates to Diocesan meeting, Mrs. Stegman, Mrs. Beverley Smith, Mrs. Marx; Leaflet Convener, Mrs. James Dege; members of committee, Mrs. Kerr and Miss Helliwell.

## JOHN LEE'S AMENDMENT

Member for East Kent Proposes to Reform the Election Act.

Estimates Formally Presented to the Legislature—Very Brief Sitting.

Toronto, Jan. 16.—In the Legislature to-day the Attorney-General brought down a modest measure of law reform. It is practically the same bill as Mr. Hoyt, of North Ontario, introduced in the House on Monday. The main benefit will be that the assizes and the county court may be held concurrently when the business is light, and the same jurors may be used for both, thus lightening the expense of the county.

The Premier to-day formally brought down the estimates—their earliest appearance in years. They are only in skeleton form, however, and no particulars will be furnished until next week. The object in bringing them down so early is to meet current civil service expenses by securing an appropriation. The budget debate will probably open on Tuesday.

To-day forty additional petitions for prohibition, from Methodist churches and circuits in all parts of the Province, were presented.

In constituencies where a considerable portion of the electorate is made up of railroad men, it often happens that a comparatively small vote is polled on election days, because many of the train crews have had to leave home before the time to exercise the franchise. Mr. Lee (East Kent) has introduced a bill, which, if passed, would amend the Election Act to allow railroad men to go before a deputy returning officer, between nine and five o'clock on the two days preceding an election, and make a sworn declaration regarding their vote, which will afterwards be counted as a ballot.

Mr. John Auld (South Essex) intends introducing a private bill providing for the reduction of the open season for quail from eight to four weeks. The measure also aims at removing all protection from cottontail rabbits, and making it legal to shoot them year in and year out. Mr. Auld believes that the quail are being bagged too rapidly, and that measures should be taken to prevent the valuable game birds becoming scarce. As for the cottontails their rapidly increasing numbers make it necessary that something be done to keep them within reasonable bounds.

The House sat for only ten minutes.

### DO NOT TAKE A SUBSTITUTE.

The passenger who, on a trip to New York, takes a substitute on the supposition that one is as good as another, will very likely get the worst of it, as there is no substitute for the West Shore, and people should bear this in mind. Through sleeping cars on all trains from Chatham. d to d 31

## A MAPLE CITY PIONEER PASSES TO THE UNSEEN

Sad Intelligence Reached Here Last Evening—Record of a Useful and Upright Life.

D. R. Van Allen is dead! Such was the sad news that reached this city last evening from London, announcing the departure from this life of one of Chatham's oldest, best-liked and best-known citizens. Mr. Van Allen's life had been closely associated with the commercial history of Chatham almost since the foundation of this place, and no man was better known, especially to the older residents.

Mr. Van Allen had passed the allotted span of three score years and ten by some eight years, but up till about two months ago he enjoyed excellent health.

All his children, with the exception of Mrs. Agur, Winnipeg, are dead, but he has a number of grand-children. They are Mrs. F. D. Laurie and W. Stanley Ball, Chatham; Chas. Ross Ball, Rockland, Texas; the four children of the late Dr. John Ross Van Allen, who died recently in Denver, Col., and the two children of the late E. W. H. Van Allen, who at the time of his death was manager of the Mas-

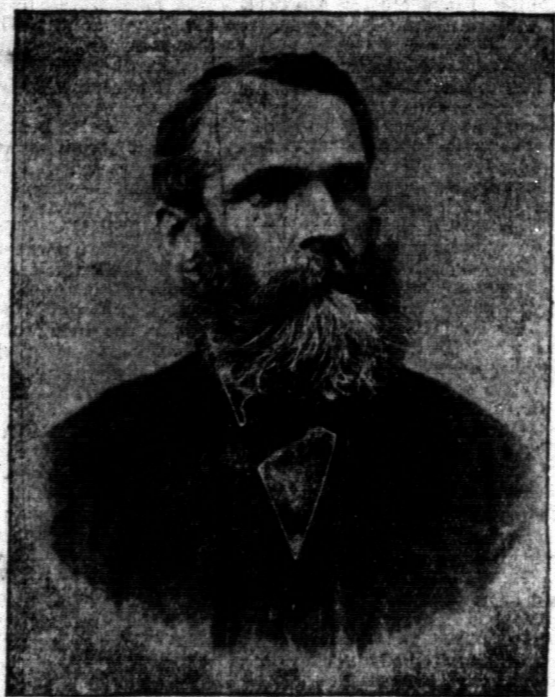
vention and has been patented in Canada and the States.

The remains were brought from London to-day, but the funeral arrangements have not as yet been completed.

Daniel Ross VanAllen was born the 27th of December, 1823, in Burford Township, Oxford County.

At the age of five years, his father removed to Port Dover. Here he received such education as the public school then afforded. In 1833 he went to live with his uncle in Chatham, Captain Henry VanAllen, who was engaged in the mercantile business, and with whom he remained until 1838, when he started out to do for himself.

In 1845 he managed a store for a Chatham firm, at a point where the town of Dresden now is. While here, he was impressed with the eligibility of the location as being desirable for a town, he purchased a lot of land, upon which he founded what is now the town of Dresden. He carried on business extensively here, until 1849, when he removed to Chatham, where he engaged in the mercantile business, which he continued until 1858, when he abandoned this business, and engaged in the manufacture of hard wood lumber, with marked success.



THE LATE D. R. VAN ALLEN.

sey-Harris Co. at Brantford. One brother also survives. He resides near Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mr. Van Allen was first Deputy Reeve of Chatham in 1868, Reeve in 1873 and Mayor in 1874.

Mr. Van Allen established the Chatham Manufacturing Company and was the president of that Company. About four years ago, however, he retired from active work and has lived quietly at home, still, however, retaining his interest in the Company. He was a good mechanic and a man of many ideas. The Giant Axle, used on the wagons, was Mr. Van Allen's own invention.

His son-in-law, William Ball, was associated with him in this business for many years.

In 1882, after the adoption of the National Policy, Mr. Van Allen formed a joint stock company, for the manufacture of farm wagons, which the Chatham Manufacturing Co. is the result.

In 1882, he exhibited, at his own expense, at the World's Fair, London, England, a lot of planks of timber, being specimens of the growth and varieties of wood in the vicinity of Chatham. He was awarded the highest prize in that exhibition for this remarkable display.

Mr. Van Allen was for many years a school trustee, councillor, reeve, deputy reeve, and for one year, mayor of Chatham, all of which offices, he filled with ability. In politics, he was a Conservative, and has been a most active man, contributing largely to the material prosperity of this section.

He leaves a wife and one child, Mrs. Robert H. Agur, Winnipeg.

The funeral of the late D. R. Van Allen will take place Sunday at 3 o'clock, from Holy Trinity Church.

### Ooke as Fuel

The following letter from Mr. McLaughlin, who has made thorough tests as to the relative merits of Ooke and Coal as fuel for furnace, range and coal stove, will explain itself:

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## PARLIAMENT'S PROCEEDINGS

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bery said he favored a passive policy of peace which would receive overture when these were made, and that in this connection he wished to know the truth of the rumors concerning the visit to London of Dr. Kuyper, Premier of Holland. Had Dr. Kuyper brought such overtures?

"Not so far as I know," answered Lord Salisbury.

"Have any overtures been received from the Boer leaders in Europe?" asked Lord Rosebery.

To this question Lord Salisbury answered "No."

Lord Rosebery opened an extended criticism by describing King Edward's speech as the most jejune ever placed on the lips of any monarch. The speaker expressed his scepticism as to the motives of the visit to London of Dr. Kuyper, and said: "I do not suppose he came to see the old masters." He twitted Mr. Chamberlain for "trifling his diplomatic coat and inviting anybody to tread upon it," and contended that the name of Great Britain was now held in a hostility abroad compared to which all previous records faded into insignificance. Lord Rosebery commended the spirit and the words of Mr. Chamberlain's reply to the Imperial Chancellor of Germany, Count Von Buelow, but expressed his anxiety concerning the constant controversies with Germany and other powers which Mr. Chamberlain's dialectics had excited, and wanted to know where it was going to stop. Lord Rosebery said indulgence in the present methods would give ample opportunity for maintaining that position of splendid isolation which the government seemed to deem eminently desirable, but to maintain which they would do well to have an overpowered fleet and an efficient army, for other powers were also building fleets. During the course of Lord Rosebery's speech, Lord Salisbury constantly rose to his feet to make corrections or objections thereto, until finally Lord Rosebery said he would not further touch upon topics which seemed to irritate the Premier. Lord Lansdowne, foreign secretary, briefly replied to Lord Rosebery, combating the view that Great Britain was hated abroad.

The debate in the House of Lords was far more interesting than that in the House of Commons, which, except for Mr. Chamberlain's speech, proved rather dull and languid. Lord Lytton, son of the poet-diplomatist, seconded in the House of Lords the address in reply to the speech from the throne, in an able speech, which drew high praise from Lord Rosebery, as "by far the ablest he had ever heard upon such an occasion," gave an early touch of distinction to the proceedings. Earl Spencer spoke for the Liberals in the absence of the Earl of Kimberley, who is ill.

### HOUSE OF COMMONS.

There was only a meagre attendance of members when the House of Commons met, at four o'clock this afternoon, to commence the work of the session.

Irish affairs cropped up almost immediately. Early Percy, Conservative, eldest son of the Duke of Northumberland and member for the South Division of Kensington, moving a resolution to the effect that "the election from Galway of 'Col.' Arthur Lynch who was commonly and notoriously reported to have aided the King's enemies, was an insult to the House, and a committee should be appointed to consider the course to pursue.

The Speaker, William Court Gully, declined to accept the motion until notice of it was given in the usual way.

After the speech from the throne had been formally read in the House of Commons and the addresses in reply had been moved and seconded, the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, spoke in general terms against the course of the government in South Africa, urging conciliation in place of brute force. He said the single, to a large measure, was true of Ireland, where the government at present was "floundering between concession and coercion," and urged the adoption of the most liberal program great towards Ireland. Irish Nationalist, member for South Donegal, created the earliest scene by deploring the fact that the Nationalist members had been "imprisoned in dungeons at the behest

of Mr. Wyndham," the Chief Secretary for Ireland. He moved the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter.

When the Speaker declined to accept the motion, Mr. MacNeill questioned his ruling, and was called to order.

Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt, Liberal, by attacking the institution of martial law in the Cape Colony and by accusing the government of grossly unconstitutional conduct in advising the ministers of the Cape Colony to summon the Cape parliament, brought up Mr. Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, who was in a most militant mood. Mr. Chamberlain declared that Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt ought to have placed a question of such vast importance in the form of amendment, and proceeded to justify absolutely the action of the Cape government. Mr. Chamberlain said he did not care a scrap for legal opinions on one side or the other, that the government had to deal with an emergency, and that it had followed the universal practice of all countries. He also said the government of the Cape Colony would ask parliament to indemnify their acts.

Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt asked: "When will that be done?"

Mr. Chamberlain retorted: "When is the war going to end?"—Laughter and cheers.

John Redmond (chairman of the Irish parliamentary party)—"By the next general election."

In the course of his speech Mr. Chamberlain was protesting against the suggestion that he should overrule the Privy Council, when Mr. Redmond interjected:—"Hear, hear; you ought to be king."

Amid laughter Mr. Chamberlain replied: "That is very good of the honorable gentleman, but that is not my ambition."

The House of Commons then adjourned.

The Irish members held their usual sessional meeting this afternoon and decided to move amendments to the address in reply to the speech from the throne. Several amendments to the address were finally adopted. These included a petition for the revision of the Irish land and taxation laws, protests against the enforcement of certain parts of the act, and the operation of certain parts of the act, and the concentration camps in South Africa. Another amendment contained an appeal for the relief of the congested districts and the better housing of the working classes in Ireland.

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Shoe blacking, 10c. boxes for 5c.

Bulk Pickles, 12c. per quart.

New Apples, 15c. per lb.

New Peaches, 15c. per lb.

Blueberries, 9c. per can.

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