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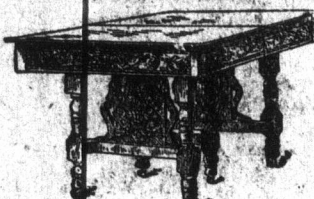
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## PREMIER ROSS NOT YET READY

### With His Much-Talked-of License Measure—Caucus—This Morning.

### Proposed Soo Legislation Hanging Fire—Chair of Forestry at Toronto University.

Toronto, March 14. — Premier Ross again confessed in the Legislature this afternoon that he was unable to say with any degree of definiteness when the temperance bill would be brought down. This admission was made in reply to a question by Mr. St. John as to when the house might expect the measure. A second caucus of Government supporters will be held to-morrow (Tuesday) forenoon, at which the proposed legislation will be again considered. The caucus will doubtless be a long and turbulent one, as the majority of the Liberal members are opposed to either of the radical measures which the Premier desires to introduce. There is a growing impression that if there is no unanimity in caucus the Premier will ignore the caucus and bring in such a measure as is in accordance with his desires.

The Government also appears to be inclined to act with no haste in regard to the proposed "Soo" legislation. Mr. Whitney asked the Premier when the Algoma Central Railway Bill would be moved for a second reading, and in reply received the answer that the second reading of the bill would not be moved this week as far as the Government seemed at present disposed. It is understood that the Government is anxious that the reorganization of the company should be completed before the bill is introduced for its second reading.

Mr. Harcourt made the rather important announcement that the Government hoped to establish a forestry chair in the University of Toronto, and a second one, if possible, at the Ontario Agricultural College. This statement was made in the course of a reply to Mr. Whitney's motion for a return of correspondence with reference to the construction of a physical laboratory for the university, and the establishment of a department of forestry in the same. Mr. Harcourt said Mr. Whitney was quite right in saying that the matter was of importance. The Government was now considering the question of accommodation for students in physics at the university. It was a considerable time since the Government was first asked to consider the question of establishing a forestry chair at the university. Dr. Mills had proposed that the Guelph Agricultural College was the proper place to establish the chair, and the Minister of Agriculture had agreed with that view. "I do not say," said Mr. Harcourt, "that I share in that view. My hope is that we will have a chair in the university, and I will not regret it if we have a second one in the Agricultural College."  
Mr. Whitney said the university was the proper place for the chair of forestry, but he thought it would be a good idea to have one also at Guelph. The Government had now already delayed the matter, and could not now delay too much energy in dealing with it.  
Mr. Lucas introduced a bill to extend to the outside civil service the terms of the act regarding the garnishment of salaries of civil servants.

### DYNAMO NEEDED

The City Council in a body visited the electric light station yesterday afternoon. That is part of it did, but the body of the Council was short several important members. In the party were Mayor McKeough, Ald. Montgomerie, Ald. Piggott, Ald. Westman, Ald. Edmondson, Ald. Scullard and City Engineer Jones. They found the plant inadequate. There is however, both room and power for another dynamo and the City Engineer was instructed to write to all the factories and get prices on dynamos, and also all general information obtainable. A meeting of the Council will then be held to discuss the matter and the advisability of purchasing. The men were found busy re-wrapping the armatures on the two dynamos, which armatures were burned out in the electrical storm last Wednesday night. Only one dynamo is in use and that is the reason that only one circuit has been lighted during the past few days.

### TELLING IT TO 'EM

"The sooner the electric light system is put in the hands of a capable expert, the better it will be for the city," remarked a citizen this morning to a Planet reporter. "We pay men salaries for which we should get capable service. It has been evident for some months past that we are not getting that service, as a matter of fact everyone knows that the electric light system has been rotten. There are some lights around here that have been lit twice in the last schedule. The matter should be probed to the bottom, and at once."

### MACDONALD DAY

The proposal has been made—and is meeting with enthusiastic endorsement—that the Liberal-Conservatives of this western district shall observe the anniversary of the death of Canada's greatest statesman by a magnificent memorial demonstration in this city on June 8th. The name of John A. Macdonald must ever remain enshrined in the heart of every true and loyal Canadian—and it is particularly appropriate that the members of the Liberal-Conservative party should do honor to the memory of their revered chief.

It is proposed to observe Macdonald Day in Chatham by the holding of a mammoth memorial demonstration, in which the whole county and district will be asked to cooperate and participate. The celebration promises to prove an epoch in the annals of the party in this district and plans are already being formulated for its consummation on a very elaborate and inspiring basis.

Among the distinguished visitors who are expected to speak upon that occasion are the two leaders, Mr. R. L. Borden and Mr. J. P. Whitney, and an excellent coterie of their colleagues will also participate, including Mr. James Clancy, M. P., Hon. J. Israel Tarte, Mr. J. J. Foy, M. P., Mr. R. R. Gamay, M. P., Mr. J. W. St. John, M. P., Mr. J. P. Downey, M. P., Mr. "Ned" Dunlop, M. P., the young hero of North Renfrew, and others.

A meeting of the local Liberal-Conservative workers is called for Friday evening in their rooms in the Northwood hall block building to organize and make arrangements for the big demonstration.

Every Liberal-Conservative worker is asked to be present on this occasion.

### "THE CRUCIFIXION"

### The Magnificent Sacred Masterpiece to be Presented by Artists in Chatham on Good Friday Evening.

A very delightful sacred musical will be held in the First Presbyterian Church on Good Friday evening, uniting the presentation of Gaius's impressive and beautiful masterpiece, "The Crucifixion," and an exceptionally brilliant and exquisite sacred concert program, both under the musical direction of E. B. Arthur, the organist and choirmaster of the church.

Chathamites are keenly appreciative of beautiful sacred music and this delightful presentation promises an entirely unique and memorable treat. Mr. Arthur is to be congratulated upon inaugurating this appropriate departure into the inspiring realms of the sacred classics.

The ladies and gentlemen assisting include many of the Maple City's best voices. The services of Marshall Pease, Detroit's incomparable tenor, and Samuel I. Slade, basso, who is universally recognized as without an equal in the Michigan metropolis, will assist in the beautiful presentation and concert. The local talent will include Mrs. John Cooper, the Maple City's popular and peerless soprano soloist of the church; Miss Edna Martin, contralto soloist; Miss Lucy Kellar, soprano; Miss Florence G. Stephenson, contralto; Mrs. Milton Bogart, contralto; J. W. Wilson, basso, and others.

No admission will be charged for this magnificent presentation, a silver collection only being asked to defray expenses.

### THE LEADERSHIP

### Chamberlain May Become Head of Unionist Party Should It Meet Defeat.

London, March 14.—In the lobby of the House of Commons to-night there was much comment upon the unexpected early departure from Egypt, on his return to London, of Joseph Chamberlain. Many members of the House supposed he was hurrying home in anticipation of an early dissolution of Parliament, but Right Hon. Jesse Collings, and other of Mr. Chamberlain's intimates, maintained that he would spend two or three weeks in Italy, and thus extend his holiday, as it was originally contemplated to two months.

The Chamberlain section of Parliament predict that if the Unionists are defeated in the general election, Mr. Chamberlain, and not Mr. Balfour, will be the leader of the Opposition in the next Parliament. They also talk of asking the Government in the coming budget to reimburse the shifting duty on grain.  
Mr. Balfour has for several days been suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia.

## MAKAROFF IS ON OFFENSIVE

### Now Blocks Entrance to Pt. Arthur Harbor With Russian Fleet Outside.

### Japanese Hero of Pt. Arthur Attack Honored by Mikado But Not Likely to Survive Wounds.

London, March 15.—A correspondent of the Daily Mail at Newchwang says that "after the removal of battleship Retvikan, four Russian steamers—the Harbin, the Hailar, the Ninguta and the Sungan—were anchored at the mouth of the entrance to Port Arthur in proper position, and sunk, leaving only a small channel available. Vice-admiral Makaroff having previously ordered the whole fleet to remain outside with steam up, economy in coal being unnecessary." This despatch, which is prominently displayed by the Daily Mail, and which the correspondent says is Russian information, is, if true, news of first importance, confirming the idea that Vice-admiral Makaroff will adopt the scattered naval force or endeavor to inflict damage upon the Japanese navy. The story must, however, be viewed cautiously, the only approach to confirmation from any other quarter being in a despatch from a correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Yau-Kow, which merely says: "Vice-admiral Makaroff has issued orders to the effect that the saving of coal is unnecessary, but that the big gun ammunition in the forts must not be wasted. Evidently this ammunition is running short." The Daily Mail thinks that if Vice-admiral Makaroff closed the channel it was in order to prevent the ingress of Japanese torpedo boat destroyers as he did at Wei-Hai-Wei during the Chinese-Japanese war.

### THE VLADIVOSTOCK SQUADRON.

It is a subject of unceasing remark and conjecture that nothing has been heard of the Vladivostock squadron, and it is beginning to be believed that it is really inside the harbor of Vladivostock.

Tokio, March 14.—Viceroy Alexieff's report stating that a Japanese torpedo boat destroyer was sunk and the cruiser Takasago heavily damaged by the shell fire of the Russians during the fourth attack on Port Arthur, is being vigorously controverted. The damaged Japanese torpedo boat destroyer can be repaired in one week, and it will not be necessary to dock them.

### A JAPANESE HERO.

Engineer Miamasawa, the heroic officer of the torpedo boat destroyer Kasumi, has been honored for his gallantry. He has been given the Order of the Kyte, the Order of the Rising Sun, and promoted from engineer to chief engineer. The order of the Kyte is the Japanese equivalent to the British Victoria Cross. Chief Engineer Miamasawa was the first to whom the Kyte has been awarded for heroism in war. It is improbable that he survive his wounds.

### RUSSIAN DEAD AND WOUNDED.

Salvets working on the Varieg at Chemopo found the bodies of two Russian sailors. They were taken ashore and the captains of the Hata-sue and Sama conducted burial services to-day. Eight of the 23 Russians wounded who were taken to the Matsuyama Red Cross hospital are in a serious condition. Three of them lost both legs. The legs were amputated by a French surgeon, but re-amputation is now necessary. One Russian has 165 wounds from steel splinters scattered over his body. Japanese surgeons are locating them with Roentgen rays and extracting them.

### MORE FROM TOGO.

A supplementary report from Vice-Admiral Togo concerning the effort made by the crews of the torpedo boat destroyers in the action off Port Arthur on the 10th inst., to rescue the crews of the disabled Russian torpedo boat destroyers, reached here to-day. Captain Shojiro Asai, commanding the flotilla of torpedo boat destroyers, states that the Japanese would have been able to rescue many more of the enemy but for the deadly fire of the shore batteries and the close approach of the Russian cruiser, Novik. The report also explains that four men rescued were not part of the crew of the Stereguschitchi, as originally reported. When the Japanese rescuers reached the Stereguschitchi only the dead remained on board, and it is believed the living members of the crew jumped overboard and perished. Three of the Russians rescued are engineers, and the fourth is a torpedo operator. Two of the captives were slightly wounded. They were placed aboard a Japanese battleship and were given food and medicine.

### BRIBING THE BANDITS.

Trustworthy information has been received that Admiral Alexieff has offered bribes of \$15,000 to mounted bandits in Manchuria with the view of utilizing them as outposts against Japanese attacks.

### CONCENTRATION OF RUSSIANS.

The Russians are concentrating at Esalanten and Funchau on the West coast of the Liao-Tung Peninsula, evidently in anticipation of a Japanese landing.

## WALL PAPER



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TUESDAY, MARCH 15.

WHY A GUARANTEE?

To aid in putting the Soo industries on their feet, the Ross Government proposes to guarantee for two years the bonds of the Algoma Central railway to the amount of \$2,000,000.

As security, the Government will hold a mortgage on this railway, on another little railway, and on certain ships owned by the Soo company, the total value of which property is, according to Mr. Ross, estimated at between seven and eight millions.

This aid, the Premier says, is all that is necessary to set the wheels of industry going again at the Soo. But doesn't it seem rather a peculiar thing that a company which has many millions of dollars' worth of property to offer as security for a loan, cannot obtain from private capitalists the necessary \$2,000,000 on the strength of that security and without the necessity of a Government guarantee? If the security is good, why should the Government guarantee be necessary?

SWEET REASONABLENESS IN PROHIBITION.

In our haste we have sometimes accused the Ross government of being arrogant, tyrannical, etc. We now desire to retract, at least to modify these charges. Anything more sweetly reasonable than the premier's dealing with the liquor evil, we have seldom heard of. We speak by the book, that is, by the Globe. There was a caucus—a friendly meeting of Dr. Ross' supporters.

"How would you like," asked the premier, "a radical temperance measure, providing for the abolition of the bars throughout the province on May 1, 1905 (make a note of the date), and government control of the retail sale of liquor in packages?"

"Nay, nay, Pauline," thundered the caucus in reply. Undismayed by the tumult, Dr. Ross calmly submitted another offer. "The premier then suggested as an alternative that the bringing into effect of such a law as that he had previously suggested should be left to a vote in each of the individual municipalities at the next municipal elections. It would be compulsory to submit to the people of each municipality two questions: Shall the hotel licenses in the municipalities be abolished, and shall liquor be sold in packages under government control? The license law would at the same time be made more stringent."

And a silence fell upon the assembly; and then one man said to his neighbor, as in the Homeric days: "What do you think of this?" and the neighbor replied, "Now this is something like a policy." And each man, in his heart thought of the reficite and the plebendum. Yet they would not accept, in haste, the word of the many-counseled Ross; but, as it is written in The Globe, "The last proposition was discussed until adjourned, no decision being reached. The matter will come up at another caucus next week."

At the next caucus it is understood that if Mr. Ross' second proposal is not accepted, something still milder may be offered. If so, we shall be prepared to retract all that we have said about the arrogance of this government and to admit that Mr. Ross is no dictator.—Toronto World.

A GALILEAN FISHERMAN.

Hamilton Spectator. The Windsor Record mourns because no Windsor delegate is to go to the Sunday school convention at Jerusalem. We hasten to nominate Deacon McNece as a fit and proper person to fill the vacancy. He may be able, while in Palestine, to get a graft on the Sea of Galilee fisheries.

NO PAUSE IN THE MUSIC.

New York Tribune. Some things that happen on the stage are very wonderful. An English audience was recently marveling at a dog which was playing a bit of an old masterpiece on a piano. Suddenly someone in the audience yelled "Rats!" and the dog made a break from the piano. But the music kept right on, just the same.

THE QUEBEC BY-ELECTIONS.

Montreal Star. To quote the language of the Liberals themselves, the Conservatives won the most remarkable political victory yesterday since confederation. The whole force of two governments was exerted yesterday in Portneuf, Maskinonge, Brethier and Shefford, and the result was to confirm the impression created by the recent by-elections for the house of commons—that

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the tide of public opinion has turned, and is now running strongly against the party in power. The Liberals lost two seats yesterday.

In Portneuf, an old Liberal stronghold, Damase Naud, the Conservative candidate, secured a majority of 225. In Maskinonge, where the Liberal candidate was elected by acclamation in 1900, and by a majority of 463 in 1897, George Lafontaine, the Conservative candidate, was elected by a majority of 200.

In Brethier, which has been sometimes Liberal and sometimes Conservative, but Liberal since 1897, Joseph Lafontaine, the Liberal candidate, has a majority of 142.

In Shefford, which has generally been Liberal, and in which there was a three-cornered fight between three Liberals, the straight government candidate, Dr. Mathieu, was elected by a plurality of about 375.

There is no ignoring the significance of such a result following so closely upon the losses suffered by the Laurier government all along the line in the by-elections for the house of commons.

Township Councils.

CAMDEN COUNCIL.

The council of Camden township met Monday, March 7th, all members present excepting Mr. Tyhurst. Accounts and communications were read.

Commissioner Tyhurst reported he had investigated the Jas. Dudley account, found it correct and paid the same. Treasurer's bonds were submitted and accepted as satisfactory.

Reeve and clerk reported transfer of Wabash Road to Albert Elgie, and clerk produced receipt for \$300 from township treasurer for payment of said road.

Referee's judgment in case of Langford vs. Camden, received and filed. By-law repealing statute labor by-law was read and finally passed.

The following resolutions were passed. Moved by Stewart and Badder that the report of P. Smythe, tile drain inspector on the construction of tile drains valued at \$460 on n-1-3, in 8th and 7th con., Gore, be adopted and the reeve give E. W. W. Meadows an order on the treasurer for \$287.15, and \$2.85 be retained for clerk's fees, and cost of by-law and the Treas. charge \$900 to above described property.—Carried.

Moved by Langford and Badder, that in the matter of a petition signed by Chas. Ross and twenty other ratepayers re the condition of that part of side road between lots 6 and 7, which lies between the river road and con. 3 in the old township, the Commissioner, Mr. Stewart, be instructed to examine into the grievance complained of and report at next meeting of council and the clerk be instructed to notify all parties owning land along said part of side road whose fences are now on the road allowance to remove same to the proper line, as soon as practicable.

Moved by Badder and Stewart, that the account of Dr. James Bechar, re Marshall Family be laid over for further consideration.

A number of accounts were ordered paid. Moved by Langford and Badder, that a statement from G. E. Weir, township solicitor, in the matter of the suit of Currie vs. Camden showing the amount due from the municipality of Camden in said suit after the costs had been duly taxed to be \$500 and of judgment and costs \$478.17, making a total of \$978.17, having been read the reeve is hereby instructed to issue an order on the Treasurer for the amount in favor of G. E. Weir, for him to pay the parties

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entitled to same as per judgment and take receipts for same.—Carried. Moved by Stewart and Badder, that Mr. Brown having waited upon the council requesting to be relieved from the commission of the Logan drain and the Norton drain, this request be granted and the by-law be amended accordingly.—Carried.

Moved by Badder and Langford that the collector's time for returning the roll be extended to first day of April, 1904, after which the roll must be returned forthwith.—Carried. Moved by Stewart and Langford that a communication being received from Howard Council re G. T. R. bridge, over the Thames near Thamesville, this council are willing to cooperate with them in the matter of petitioning the commissioner of the G. T. R. when informed of the same taken by them in the way of petition or otherwise, for the purpose of preventing the building of a smaller bridge than now exists, and the clerk forward a copy of this resolution of Howard Council.—Carried.

Moved by Langford and Badder, that the reeve be authorized to interview the ratepayers on the south branch Peter's Creek, if considered by him advisable in the interests of the municipality or the ratepayers on the drain, and report.—Carried. Moved by Stewart and Badder, that Mr. Tyhurst be instructed by the clerk to see to the continuance of the arrangements for running of King's Ferry, as soon as the river is open, making it possible.

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A lady who was an ardent votary of modern culture happened to sit at an evening party next to an eminent composer and leader of an orchestra. In the full expectation of eliciting from the maestro a particularly brilliant and intellectual pronouncement, she inquired: "How do you feel after conducting the Ninth Symphony?" "Hungry," was the laconic reply.

THE SMALL-POX QUESTION.

Any intelligent physician will admit that you don't catch small-pox because someone else has it, but because your condition favors it. Low vitality always encourages sickness, and at this season especially, everyone should take Ferrozone, which destroys disease germs and makes the system so strong and healthy that sickness can't exist. Ferrozone is a vitalizing tonic that makes rich, red blood, builds up the nerves, cures nervousness and drives away tired languid feelings. To get strong and keep strong use Ferrozone; it assures health and costs but 50c. at all druggists.

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Many persons laughed heartily when they read the following advertisement in a recent issue of a German newspaper: "Wanted—Some French books which a young girl may safely read and which will fit into a small bookcase. The height of each book must not exceed ten inches. The price is of no importance provided all the books have handsome covers and are of the same size."

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

St. Thomas, Ont., March 14.—Wm. Hollins, car inspector on the Pere Marquette Railway, was badly hurt in the company's yards here Saturday evening. He was standing on a track inspecting some cars, when he was struck by a train. He received several nasty scalp wounds, and will probably lose one of his legs.

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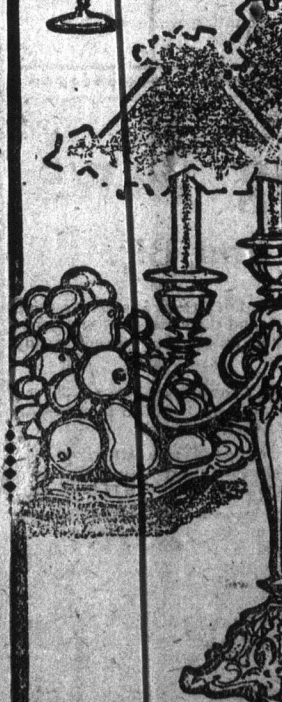
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J. G. COUSINS, TORONTO, SAYS HE BUILT FIRST TORPEDO BOAT.

Ship Carpenter, Born in Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, Who Has Had a Long and Varied Career on Land and Sea—Sketch of the Initial Torpedo Boat Which Worked in the American Civil War.

"I built the first torpedo boat that ever worked," said James C. Cousins, newsdealer, at the corner of Queen street and Spadina avenue, Toronto, the other day, in discussing the use of torpedoes in the Russo-Japanese war: "I was a ship carpenter at Charleston, S.C., when the Civil war began, and as there were a lot of Yankee vessels about there General Beauregard asked me one day to see what I could do in the way of a torpedo boat. I took some one-inch boards and built a cigar-shaped boat 80 feet long. At the bow we rigged a copper kettle, holding about 75 pounds of powder. The kettle was fastened to a pole, so that we could lift it out of the water when the boat was going, and then sink it about eight feet under water when we got to close quar-



FIRST TORPEDO BOAT.

ters. The pole was at an angle of 45 degrees, so that the kettle would strike the hull of the enemy below the water line. The kettle had some percussion caps on the top, and the force of the collision would make them explode the powder. The boat was made like this," said Mr. Cousins, and, pulling out a pencil, he drew the sketch given herewith.

"We rigged the boat in Captain James Eastman's yard, and called it the Little David. That was in 1862. When it was finished we saw the big Yankee war vessel Ironsides just outside of Charleston harbor, and sent the Little David after her. The boat was in charge of Mr. Mills, who kept the Mills House, and the crew was Lieut. Lascelle, Charles Hance, who acted as pilot, and a big Irishman. I forget his name. The Little David went straight for the Ironsides, the torpedo was lowered and exploded against the hull. The water washed over the Little David, and some of it went down the smoke-stack and put out the fire. Lascelle and the Irishman jumped overboard, but Hance and Mills managed to get the Little David back into the harbor, and she often did good work after that. The Ironsides did not sink, but was so badly damaged that she had to be towed away by other vessels."

Mr. Cousins, who was born in Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, has had a long and varied career by sea and by land. After a trip through the Baltic he sailed for many years in the Mediterranean, and in addition to the seaports has visited Jerusalem and other cities of the east, and also Rome. He was unfortunate enough to be shipwrecked five times. He worked in a shipyard at Quebec about 50 years ago, but, becoming tired of the job, traveled through the States and on to Cuba. But yellow fever at Matanzas stopped his journeying for a while. After some years in Europe he came out to Charleston, S. C., at the opening of the war, and joined the Charleston Light Infantry under Captain T. G. Simmons. He spent four months in garrison at Fort Sumter after the surrender of Major Anderson, and afterwards took part in fourteen engagements.

He passed through all these adventures without injury, but after settling down in Toronto his troubles began. He was attending a semaphore in the Grand Trunk yard at the foot of Simcoe street when he was run over by a train. In this accident he lost his left arm and left eye, had a deep hole knocked in the back of his head, had both legs broken and sustained other injuries, enough to kill a dozen men, but Cousins pulled through, and now at 78 he is still hearty and cheerful. At New Year's he was knocked down by a street car and badly shaken. A month ago his newsstand caught fire and was partly destroyed while he was away delivering papers. But the injuries were quickly repaired, and Cousins is still doing business at the old stand.

The Old Master. It was Mary's day out, and she was comparing notes with Susan, the parlor maid from No. 6.

"So I fear you've left that artist's," said Susan.

"Yes, indeed," remarked Mary. "I couldn't stand the missus' hints. I hadn't been there a day when she says to me, 'Mary,' she says, 'when you're a-dustin' of the stoddie you must be very careful not to touch the old master. It's worth thousands of pounds,' she says.

"Well, that got my monkey up something proper. 'Excuse me, m'am,' I says, 'but I ain't used to hints. I've got a young man of my own, and I don't want any old master, not if he's worth millions, and as to touchin' 'im, I wouldn't sile my hands.' I says, 'And with that I cooks up my 'cad and walks out.'—London Globe.

Write on an Egg. Never use white of an egg for a meringue, cake or anything you wish particularly light, if the merest speck of yolk gets into it. Put it away for coffee or some other use it might be whipped for hours and it would not froth.

### SIDACHE, Back-ache, Head-ache,



And many other aches to which women are peculiarly subject are generally the result of a diseased condition of the womanly organism. When this diseased condition is cured, sideache, back-ache, headache, etc., are cured also.

Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription establishes regularity, dries the drains which weaken women, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. When these diseases are cured the aches they cause are also cured.

"I will drop you a few lines to-day to let you know that I am feeling well now," writes Miss Annie Stephens, of Belleville, Wood Co., West Va. "I feel like a new woman. I took several bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and of the 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I have no headache now, no backache, and no pain in my side any more. No beating-down pain any more. I think that there is no medicine like Dr. Pierce's medicine. I thank you very much for what you have done for me—your medicine has done me much good."

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Waist Exercise. A woman who has succeeded in reducing the flesh about her waist to artistic proportions recommends this as an exercise: Lie flat on the back upon the floor. Fold the arms and rise to a sitting posture. Then lie down again and raise one leg as high as possible, then the other. Repeat each movement morning and evening until tired.

Stewed Bananas. Peel and cut into quarters two or three firm bananas, put in a chaffin dish one teaspoonful butter; when melted throw in six almonds and six pistachio nuts, finely chopped. Stir for one minute. Add half a cup of cream and the juice of one orange. Boil bananas in this mixture for two minutes.

Sanitary Inspectors. There are nineteen women holding the position of sanitary inspector under the London government board, and it is probable that every local authority will in the future require at least one woman inspector. The working hours are from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. on Saturdays.

The Clothes Hamper. The clothes hamper is often a neglected piece of furniture. It should be scrubbed once in awhile with salt water and rinsed with clear. Air it frequently, taking advantage of wash day, when the hamper is empty.

When doing drawn thread work frequently the threads are rather difficult to draw. This can be overcome by rubbing hard, dry, yellow soap on the threads to be drawn.

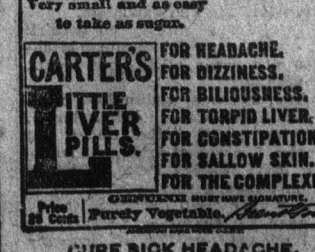
Scatter salt on a carpet when sweeping, and you will not only find it has cleansing effect, but that it also keeps away moths.

Women would do well to remember that smartness is one of the greatest aids to those who do not possess actual beauty.

When mixing mustard for the table it is a great improvement to gradually add a little salad oil.

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### THE CAPITAL OF EGYPT

CAIRO A PLACE WHERE STRANGE CONTRASTS MAY BE OBSERVED.

A Little Winter Excursion Into the Country Near the City—Lunching beside a Fallen statue of Ramesses the Great—Traveling by Train, Donkey Back and Horseback. A Little and Day.

In Cairo, the capital of Egypt, are the strangest contrasts to be witnessed of any place where the old and the new meet. Each nationality in Cairo has its own quarters. In the Arab quarter there still is the decadence of Egypt, a settlement with narrow, crooked streets and full of the unclean sights and odors prevalent in Oriental towns of the old time. Here donkey drivers shriek, neighbors quarrel, merchants scream their wares, and veiled women in black glide cringing to and fro as if apologizing for being on the earth.

In the hotels and in the quarters where French, English, Americans and a sprinkling of Canadians live electric lights flash, electric trolley cars whiz past, the dinners and dances of white women and men are as recherche, as splendid and as full of gaiety and flirting as if a section of fashionable society had been shipped out of New York, Paris or London and deposited here in the heart of a civilization which taught Moses magic and jurisprudence.

From November to March, is the season of seedtime and harvest. In mid-winter vegetation is at its height of luxuriance. To see the rural life of Egypt one can make little journeys of a day out of Cairo into the agricultural region throughout.

On a Mohammedan festival day lately a small party left Cairo by train very early in the morning to get well on their journey before the heat of the day was on them. They took guides with them; also Arab horses, for they meant to ride back, reaching Cairo by moonlight. The horses were put in a box car upon the



TOURISTS VIEWING THE RUINS OF MEMPHIS.

Southward the Nile railway train moves along past one, two, three stations. At the fourth, Bedouin, the tourists alight. Already the temperature rises high. The party leave their horses in the shade of some palm trees. They must be fresh for the long ride back to Cairo. Immediately they leave the railway car swarms of Arab boy donkey drivers surround the travelers, begging them to mount and ride the ridiculously small, dingy beasts that wait near by. The tiny donkeys look like those the children ride at shows in Canada for a five cent piece, but they are strong enough to bear the weight of a man.

The friends select one apiece of the little brutes, mount their backs and trot through dirty Bedouin with its dried mud houses. They are going to visit the famous fallen statue of Ramesses II., which lies in a palm grove a few miles away. Once—how long ago!—it stood erect, twenty-five feet high, majestic, splendid, its inscrutable granite face bathed in the red light of the rising sun in the morning and of the sinking sun in the evening. Now there is none to do it reverence except white tourists who come from western lands and gaze with awe and wonder upon the prone limbs, the stone lips, around which the donkey boys climb and play. The donkey boys have named the great statue "Ramesses asleep." His Egypt has awakened to the touch of modern life and bustle. He heeds it not. Along beside the tremendous granite ellips passes the common highway. Camel trains, the animals laden with fodder from the fields to be taken to Cairo, stride and jolt past him. The camels are strung together, the nose of one being held by a small rope made fast to the tail of the one ahead.

Men, women, children and donkeys trail by with a ceaseless chattering, clattering, braying noise. Nile watered wheat and fodder fields, brilliant green, stretch away to right and left of the prone image; the lone, gorgeous fronds of date palm groves wave in the winds. All the fields are irrigated. Ditches and dykes intersect them. The rude machines which draw water up from the Nile and its canals are of the pattern of the Bible times. Now a slow, sleepy bullock turns the crank which lifts the water bucket. Now more man power is employed. Under the trees the travelers rest and eat their lunch till the shadows begin to lengthen. Then they mount again the tiny donkeys and return to Bedouin, where the Arab horses wait to take them to Cairo.

As they leave village after village on the return the natives say to them: "May your day be happy and blessed."

The English drank tea as long ago as 1657, but 5 o'clock tea dates back only to 1842.

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### A Comical Situation.

In a volume of war reminiscences Major Stiles, a Confederate soldier, tells this story of the retreat from Richmond just before Lee's surrender at Appomattox: "I remember in all the discomfort and wretchedness of the retreat we had been no little amused by the naval battalion under that old hero Admiral Tucker. The soldiers called them the 'Aye, Aye,' because they responded 'Aye, aye' to every order, sometimes repeating the order itself and adding, 'Aye, aye, it is, sir.' As this battalion, which followed immediately after ours, was getting into position and seamen's and landsmen's jargon and movements were getting a good deal mixed in the vapors and evolutions, all being harassed, however, and licked into shape by the 'aye, aye,' a young officer of the division staff rode up, saluted Admiral Tucker and said, 'Admiral, I may possibly be of assistance to you in getting your command into line.' The admiral replied, 'Young man, I understand how to talk to my people.' And thereupon followed a grand moral combination of 'right flank' and 'left flank,' 'starboard' and 'larboard,' 'aye, aye,' and 'aye, aye,' until the battalion gradually settled down into place."

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### THE LOGAL BUDGET

Capt. Post, of this city, has returned from a trip to Sandusky.  
Probate of the will of Mary Carroll has been granted to James Taft.  
Mrs. W. H. Bensen left to-day on a visit to friends in Detroit and Windsor.  
The mechanics' action of Smith and O'Toole vs. McKelvey Mfg. Co. and the Wallaceburg Sugar Beet Co., M. Wilson, K. C. for plaintiff, J. S. Fraser and Ward Stanworth, contra.  
An information has been laid against D. W. Crow charging him with selling coal light weight. The police weighed a load of coal and it is alleged found it 110 pounds short. The case will be tried Thursday.  
About 1.30 to-day about a ton of snow fell from the roof of the Roman Catholic Separate school. The boys were playing around the spot at the time but fortunately no one was hurt.  
Members of St. Joseph Court, No. 241, Catholic Order of Foresters, are requested to meet at their hall at ten o'clock sharp Wednesday morning, with parade badges, to attend the funeral of the late Bro. T. J. O'Rourke.  
Mr. Frank S. Wellman, pianist, of Toronto, will give a recital in the Grand Opera House, Friday, March 25th. Mr. Wellman will be assisted by Mr. Harold Jarvis, tenor, of Detroit, and Miss Carrie Williams, lyric soprano, Detroit. Tickets, 50c, 35c and 25c.  
Mr. F. B. Gregory, of the Empire Tobacco Co., Leaf Department, Leamington, Ont., shipped a car of tobacco from Chatham last Saturday. A. E. Everitt, of Chatham, realized \$1,543.39 from the product of nine acres. Mr. Gregory left pure White Burley seed, imported direct from Kentucky, on sale at O'Brien Bros. Price 50 cents per ounce. Charles Pardo, of Cedar Springs, from 4 1/2 acres, realized \$1,060.  
The Children's Aid Society held a meeting yesterday afternoon. There were present Mrs. S. Stegman, Mrs. W. J. Taylor, Mrs. William Young, Mrs. J. E. Oldershaw, Mrs. Albert Sheldrick, Mrs. Fraser, Dr. R. V. Bray, Hugh Macaulay and D. S. Patterson. The city was divided up amongst the ladies present for the purpose of canvassing for subscriptions to the Society. The ladies will also find out during their canvass if all the children in the city are attending school.

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Frank Babcock returned last evening from a business trip to points east.  
E. Brown, of Saginaw, Mich., has entered upon a course of baths at the Sanitarium.  
F. M. Bedford, traveller for the Mason & Beach Company, left to-day on a trip to Amherstburg.  
A costume party will be given at the residence of Mrs. McGregor, King street, to-night.  
James McLellan, 6th concession, Chatham Township, was driving his team on the ice when he fell and was dragged some distance. He received internal injuries and is suffering from peritonitis. He was brought to St. Joseph's Hospital.  
Fred B. Stevens is lamenting the loss of his grain elevator at Fletcher, which was burned to the ground yesterday morning. The cause of the fire is unknown, but Cap. does know that he is lessor to the extent of a good elevator and about 10,000 bushels of grain. The fire is supposed to have been started by a spark from the engine. The M. C. R. night operator noticed the building ablaze at two o'clock yesterday morning, but the building could not be saved. Cap. intends to rebuild as soon as the weather moderates.  
R. H. Humphrey, Wellington street east, has a complaint, and there are good grounds for it. He says that his son, who works out at the Dowsley Works, had a towel of his own to dry his face with. Other men in the factory used the towel without the knowledge of Charlie Humphrey, and as a result, he has contracted that vile disease known as barbers' itch. Mr. Humphrey says that something should be done to check the spread of this vile disease in this way. There has been a number of cases of this kind around Chatham, and in every instance the barber has been blamed. Mr. Humphrey thinks that perhaps the barbers have been blamed unjustly in many cases, and in fairness to them, and in justice to the employees, the owners of factories should see that such diseases are not spread in this way in their factories.

**DELIGHTFUL SMOKER**  
The Sons of England held a very enjoyable smoker last evening in their lodge rooms over the Bell Telephone offices. A very interesting game of carpet balls was played. Bros. William Moore and George Fielder, choosing sides, Bro. Moore winning by one shot after an exciting contest.  
A very pleasing musical program followed. Geo. J. Fielder assumed the chair, and songs were sung by Bros. Bishop, Longley, Carter, Harvey, Meynell and others. Harry Horstead presided at the piano.  
Light refreshments were served and smoking and conversation were indulged in.

**CHICAGO MARKETS**  
Reported by F. B. Proctor Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, March 15, 1904.

Wheat	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
May (old)	96 1/2	97 1/4	97 1/4	97 1/2
July (new)	91 1/2	91 3/4	90 3/4	91 1/2
Sept. (new 85)	86 1/2	86 3/4	85 3/4	86 1/2
May	53 1/2	54 1/4	53 1/4	53 1/2
July	51 1/2	52 1/4	51 1/4	51 1/2
Sept.	50 1/2	51 1/4	50 1/4	51 1/2
Oats				
May	40 1/2	41 1/4	40 1/4	41 1/2
July	38 1/2	39 1/4	38 1/4	39 1/2
Sept.	33 1/2	33 3/4	33 1/4	33 1/2
Pork				
May	1405	1410	1390	1400
July	1427	1430	1412	1422
Lard				
May	725	727	722	725
July	740	742	737	742
Ribs				
May	727	730	717	722
July	735	740	730	735

**HOUSE TO RENT**  
Double parlors, dining room, kitchen, pantry, four bedrooms, bathroom, clothes closets, city water, etc. Good location. \$11 a month.  
City property for sale.

**TENDERS**  
Tenders will be received by the Clerk of the City for a snow rack and weigh scales, also a pen for stock. Plans and specifications will be found at the City Engineer's office. All tenders to be in by Saturday, 19th inst., at noon. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN EDMONDSON,  
Chairman Property Committee.

### WORLD OF SPORT

#### BOWLING

**BOWLERS RE-ORGANIZE.**  
The Lawn Bowling Club held their annual meeting last evening in the office of Jonas Gosnell. There were present R. G. Fleming, Geo. J. Peace, D. A. Hutchison, Chas. Austin, J. W. Humphrey, John A. Walker, Dr. Bray, Wilson Taylor, W. E. Gandy, A. E. Jewett, Frank Tschirhart, Mr. Turnbull, A. H. VonGuten, J. W. Webb, L. E. Tillson, W. H. Robinson, Hugh Macaulay, Geo. Perrin, and Jonas Gosnell.  
The meeting was very enthusiastic and arrangements were made for a good season this year. The following officers were elected:  
President—A. H. VonGuten.  
Vice President—J. E. Thomas.  
Sec.-Treas.—J. W. Humphrey.  
Executive committee—L. E. Tillson, G. J. Peace and W. H. Robinson.  
Auditors—Wilson Taylor and John A. Walker.  
Representatives to the Western Bowling Association—A. E. Jewett and Hugh Macaulay.

#### CURLING

**YESTERDAY'S VICTORY.**  
The Chatham curlers were victorious over Thamesville at the local rink yesterday afternoon. The game was a fast one from start to finish and the interest was keen. The score resulted 79-66 for Chatham. The following were the players:  
Thamesville—C. A. Dickson, F. Syer, D. J. Davies, J. Stewart, H. Okey, J. Hardy, Thomas Davies, D. Sherman, J. Sherman, E. Sherman, C. Van Valkenburg, E. S. Hubell, F. Lawrence, T. Thompson, G. A. Fraser and Geo. Higgins.  
Chatham—Dr. J. L. Bray, Doc. Cornell, Wm. Gordon, R. V. Bray, F. McCoig, Capt. Willscroft, Fleming, Massey, Davis, McGilivray, Merritt, VonGuten, Anderson, Richards, Tillson, Coate and Oldershaw.  
The skips were—Thamesville—Stewart, Davies, Dickson and Hardy. Chatham—J. L. Bray, Jno. McCoig, Rev. Mr. McGilivray and Richards. Each of the Chatham skips won out except Dr. Bray, who was back 1 point.

#### LICENSE BOARD

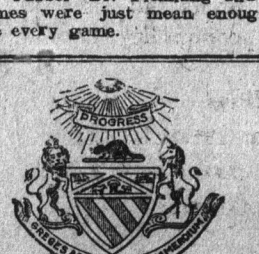
Friday's Globe mentioned that Larry Howard and Hugh McDonald, of this city and James L. McDougall, Wallaceburg, had been appointed license commissioners for West Kent. Thomas Brady and W. M. Stone, were the former commissioners for this city and why they were not re-appointed is a matter of conjecture. W. M. Stone was an unsuccessful applicant for the position of License Inspector.

#### NATIVE SHAMROCK

W. T. Campbell, Raleigh street, has received some real shamrock from his uncle, Thomas Campbell, who lives near New Ross, one of the ancient walled cities of Ireland. The Irish emblem flower was picked at Castle Annaghs. This castle belonged to Murtogh, king of Leinster, whose daughter, Eva, married Strongbow, Earl of Pembroke. The marriage was performed under an oak tree near the castle. The oak was blown down in the great storm last year and Mr. Campbell has a piece of oak from the tree. Every year Mr. Campbell receives some shamrock from his uncle in Ireland. The leaves were packed in a tin box and arrived as fresh as the day they were picked.

#### THEY CLEANED UP

Dr. Fleming's office is the scene of many a whist game these evenings. A number of lovers of this greatest of all games gather every evening for a social time. W. H. Harper is a new recruit and when the roll was called last evening only Dr. Fleming, John Holmes, James Holmes, and W. H. Harper reported for duty. Dr. Fleming is an expert and John Holmes thinks he is almost as good. James Holmes is a pretty good player, too, but Mr. Harper is only a beginner.  
Dr. Fleming proposed that he and John should play the other two. Now John likes an even game and the other two looked too innocent and easy for such a strong combination. He therefore proposed that Dr. Fleming and James Holmes should play W. H. and himself—and it was did. The result was worse than a strap between the Russians and Japs. John and W. H. never had a look in and the only way they could tell they were in the game at all was when they looked at each other and saw that they were holding cards. There was no rubber about this. Not a solitary rubber—Dr. Fleming and Jas. Holmes were just mean enough to take every game.



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## YOUNG'S

We have everything but money, and we want yours, but first we promise to give you value for it. Come in and try us.

### BAKING POWDER

"Young's Special" is the kind we sell, and the kind you should buy if you wish to make a success of your baking. It is put up in 10c, 25c, and 50c tins, tightly sealed, and is being used by a great many of our customers, that claim it to be a superior article for the price, 25c lb.  
We would like you to try this powder as it has given wonderful satisfaction whenever used, that we are sure it would please you. There is nothing high about this powder except the quality, as the price is only 25c lb.

### EXTRACTS

"Young's Special" Extracts are the greatest value on the market. Our 10c bottle is as large as most 25c bottles and the quality is far superior to all others. Ask to see our 10c bottles.

**Geo. A. Young**  
OUR GROCER. PHONE 151



### OUR STOCK OF WALL PAPER

IS COMPLETE...  
**Hall Papers.**  
Rich, warm tones of Reds, Greens, Blues, inking in effect.

### Dining Rooms.

We have selected specially fine designs of appropriate character.

### Parlors.

Special consideration has been given to this important apartment. We show some beautiful creamy glits in Scroll, Floral or Conventional Designs in a great variety of soft light shades.

### Bedrooms.

A very vast selection for individual taste, bright clean papers in Florals, Stripes, Silks, dainty effects at trifling cost.

### Ingrains.

A collection of the prevailing rich Friezes of the day, giving a sense of warmth and luxury to even a modestly furnished apartment.

### W. J. KENNY

Wall Paper Dealer  
King St. East. Phone 225

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**MUSIC.**  
MR. E. B. ARTHUR will begin teaching March 15th. Lessons in Pipe Organ and Piano. For terms apply residence, 31 Head street.

### NOTICE.

Application for position as lineman on the Electric Light Dept. Please state salary. Applications to be in by Saturday night.  
J. EDMONDSON,  
Chairman of Committee.

**THE WESTERN REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE, Limited.** Head Office 78 Dundas St., London.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange your property, communicate with me, or write head office and get out list of farms for sale and exchange.  
For Sale, frame cottage on Selkirk street, six rooms, with summer kitchen; also city water, all in good repair. Price, \$800.00.  
For Sale, 50 acres, within 1 1/2 miles of Chatham, all cleared, brick house, 17x24, wing 14x16, cellar under all the house, 3 acres of fruit, all buildings in good repair. Price, \$3,100.00.  
For Exchange, good general store in country village, will exchange for 50 acres near Chatham.  
Call and get our list of property for sale or exchange.

**JOHN E. BURGESS,**  
115 King St., Chatham

### Up-to-date Millinery. C. Austin & Co. Fashionable Dressmaking.

## SPECIAL SALE OF Dress Goods

Here's a chance to buy children's dresses at one half regular price.  
We have placed on our bargain counter for this week all our short ends of dress goods in lengths from 2 to 5 yards, consisting of serges, cashmere, voils, plain and figured lustras, Panama Satin Dutchess, black mohair, whip cords, Amazon, broad cloths, Bengeline, Pirle, Chevot, Crepe de Chine and Poplin. Over 100 pieces to choose from and marked at quick selling prices.

Our 25c Dress Ends at 12 1/2c
Our 50c " " 25c
Our 75c " " 37 1/2c
Our \$1.00 " " 50c
Our \$1.25 " " 62 1/2c
Our \$1.40 " " 70c
Our \$1.50 " " 75c

## LOW PRICES ON WHITE AND COLORED Bed Spreads

Under ordinary circumstances the original prices of these spreads and quilts would be considered very good. This week's price makes them exceptional value, worthy a call from every housekeeper to secure:—

COLORED BED SPREADS	WHITE BED SPREADS
<b>BEST ENGLISH MAKES.</b> 10-4 size, colored Bed Spreads, honey comb weave, fringed all round soft make, in red and white, blue and white, pink and white, fast colors, special each \$1.00	Best quality Canadian honey comb spreads, pure bleached yarns, assorted patterns, finished ends, in 10-4, 11-4, and 12-4 sizes, respectively, each \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$1.40
11-4 size, same as above, each \$1.25	75 only—Grecian Marseilles, spreads choice designs, full 10-4 size, special each \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50
10-4—Extra heavy colored spreads, honey comb weave, red and white, pink and white, without fringe, special, \$1.00 \$1.25	18 only—Extra heavy Marseilles quilts, choice designs, heavy raised patterns, full 11-4 size, special each \$2.00
<b>LUCERNE QUILTS</b> English manufacture, extra heavy soft make, handsome designs, hemmed ends, in red and white, pink and white, blue and white, warranted fast colors, 10-4 size, special each \$1.75 \$2.00	Superior Quality Marseilles Quilts, heavy raised patterns, fine weaves, soft makes, handsome designs, full 11-4 size each, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50 \$4.50

The above mentioned goods have just arrived for the spring trade.

## Window Shades

are a special with us. You may secure, on short notice, any size required and in any quantity, with a range of colors, consisting of three shades of Green, Terra Cotta, Ivory, Cream, Terra and Cream, Green and Ivory—all mounted on Genuine Stewart Hartshorn Rollers. If you contemplate making any changes in your shades or for your new house, let us give you an estimate of the cost. We have standard sizes always in stock as follows:—

25c—Good quality shades, 3 cols. at each	25c
35c—Trimmed with lace, 5 cols. at each	35c
45c—Trimmed with chintz insertion, at each	45c
45c—Best Oil Cloth with guaranteed rollers at each	45c
\$1.00—Ivory shade with deep lace madallion at \$1.00	

Also a full stock of laces and insertions for mounting while you wait.

## Good Clothing News For Boys, Little and Big.

The spring showing of clothing for boys was never finer than it is this season. Styles are the most handsome we have ever presented, and the variety most gratifying. New lines are arriving nearly every day. A short talk on the lines now ready for selling.

**NEW NORFOLK SUITS** for ages 6 to 16 years, \$2.75.—In the Norfolk Jacket Suits, neat givert effect pattern tweeds, 6 to 7 1/2 years, \$2.75 and the large sizes 13 to 16 years, \$3.50.  
**At \$3.75**—A very handsome range of new pattern tweeds, made with full box pleats and belt to match, either made with close fitting collar or lapel, ages 6 to 12 years \$3.75, large sizes 13 to 16, \$4.15.  
**At \$5.00**—The Paris and the Moscow Russian suits, for ages 3 to 8 years, extra quality blue serge, military braid, satin close to neck, with white linen cotton collar and tie to match, suit, bloomer pants, the Paris is of soft chevrot serge, neat self collar, button close to neck with separate white cotton collar and tie to match, bloomer pants, very handsome.  
**At \$5.00 and \$6.50**—Boys' new 3 pc. knicker suits, ages 9 to 16 years, in the very new pattern tweeds, which are so popular latest cut, very dressy effects, suitable for any season, sizes 20 to 33, specially nice at \$5.00 and \$6.50.  
**ANOTHER LOT OF BOYS' CORDUROY KNICKERS at 60c**—Extra quality English Corduroy, dark brown color, all sizes special.



## C. Austin & Company.

# Graham Flour.

There's one thing certain that the old fashioned way of making flour by just grinding all there was of the wheat was very nourishing. The making of graham flour is a very similar process. That is the making of GENUINE graham flour is so. The whole of the wheat, or practically all is retained. From this flour you get bread that is brown in color, rich in flavor, and nourishing.

3c. a Pound.

- TAYLOR'S BEST FLOUR, \$2.75 a hundred.
- GLUTEN GRITS, 4c. a pound.
- WHOLEWHEAT FLOUR, 3c. a pound.
- MANITOBA FLOUR, 80c. a sack.

### Malcolmson

# Horse Goods.

For the man who has horses we have everything needed to take care of them. Some articles in the harness line, too. Notice a few of them:

- Halters, Rope Ties, Sweat Pads, Snaps, Harness Rings, Coppers both hand and power, Brushes, Curry Combs, Linseed Meal, Oil Cake, Harness Polish, Hoof Ointment, Gall Cans, Stable Brooms, Forks, Shovels, etc.

# J.C. WANLESS

4 Doors East of Market, King Street, Chatham.

# X-RAYS

Are not need to see the benefits you derive by leaving your order with us:

- Farmer's Ltd, 11c. per Pound
- Maple Syrup, 25c. per Quart.
- Ginger Snaps, fresh and crisp, 6c. per pound.
- Pure Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c. per Pound.
- Smoked Shoulders 12 1/2c. per Pound.
- Sunlight Baking Powder, 1 lb. can 10c.
- Granulated Sugar 5c. per Pound, best brand.
- 7 Pound Pack of Jam, 50c.
- 1 Dozen Navy Oranges for 25c.

**Orphanery**  
A lot of Pretty Paper, Tea and Chamber Sets, Fine China Lamps and Glassware. Well, many of you know our prices are the lowest in the city, that is the reason they go so fast. Call and see them.

**John McConnell,**  
Phone 100, Park Street.

## 19-Spring-04

Our importations for the coming Spring and Summer Seasons are now to hand and ready for inspection

MORLEY & CO. Importers

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Fred Stone is in Toronto.  
Robert Gray is in Detroit to-day.  
Bruce Reddick is able to be out again after his recent illness.  
To rent—Four nice rooms, over Mrs. Weldon's store. Apply to Mrs. Weldon, King street.  
Night watchman wanted; must be a good steady man. Apply at Chatham Manufacturing Co. office.  
When you want an artistic design, call up or visit Victoria Avenue Green Houses. Phone 181.  
Wanted!—Young man for office work. Apply Wm. Gray & Sons Co., Limited.  
H. S. Clements has returned from a business trip to Montreal. He says there is lots of ice and snow to the eastward.  
Night Watchman wanted; must be a good, steady man. Apply at Chatham Manufacturing Co.'s Office.  
Miss Verna Heyward, Chatham, is visiting Mrs. Samuel Stover, of 189 Sandwich street west.—Windsor Record.

Ask your neighbor how she likes Crystal Granulated Sugar. You will find it is the best sugar she has ever had in the house.  
John Gilbert & Co. have, temporarily at least, gone out of the coal and wood business. They have sold their property at the corner of William and St. Patrick streets.  
Vance A. Stalla has bought a half interest in the Learning News from E. Mackay, and will take control of the mechanical department.  
There will be a rehearsal of the "Crucifixion" in the First Presbyterian Church Lecture Hall at 8 o'clock, sharp, to-night.  
The final accounts to the estate of the late Richard Linton, of this city, were passed before his honor Judge Bell. Judge Houston appeared for the administrator.  
Mr. Alcide Emery is the guest of his brother, Nelson Emery, Poplar street. Alcide has been in Arizona and the west for the past six years. He will next visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Emery, Big Point.  
Wm. Somerville told Chief Holmes, so that he wasn't much of a scholar, so that he couldn't figure out how many 25 cent whips he could buy for \$8. He said, however, that his wife could figure a little, and he would get her to do some calculating.  
James McGregor has a setter dog that he doesn't know what to do with. The dog was struck by a train on Sunday, had its head badly cut and an eye is missing. Wm. Cook, bus driver at the Garner Hotel, took the dog in and it is being cared for in the Garner stables.  
A special meeting of St. Joseph's Court, 241, will be held at 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, the 15th inst., at the office of Dunn & Charteris, (over Meynell's store, King street), to arrange for the funeral of the late Brother, T. C. O'Rourke. A full attendance is requested. Bro. R. Gerber, C. R.; E. Dunn, R. S.

There is a scarcity of coal in the city. None of the dealers have any and the condition of affairs doesn't seem to be much better than it was a month ago. All the coal sellers are besieged with requests for coal but they have none to give. If this snow storm blocks traffic on the railroads a good many citizens will suffer from the lack of coal.  
The cheapest lots in the city to-day for sale, actual value considered, are those still left in the Athletic Grounds survey. They are the most convenient to churches, market, stations, and are by long odds the best value in the city. One still left on last year's portion of William St. pavement and five on the new portion, with a number still left on Queen and College Sts. Terms easy. For particulars apply to D. McLaughlan, William St.  
J. H. Williams, M. O. R. engineer, of St. Thomas, had a narrow escape from being run over Saturday morning. He was starting out with his engine, and, not seeing that the sand did not work satisfactorily, got down on the steps of the engine to take a look at it. He slipped on the steps and fell, but managed to hang on by one hand until he got an opportunity to throw himself clear of the "iron". He fell on his right shoulder, straining the muscles very badly. He was taken to his home and attended by Dr. Leitch.

FOR NEGLECTED COUGHS  
which threaten  
Consumption use  
**Allen's Lung Balm**

**DR. A. W. THORNTON**  
DENTIST  
has removed to his New Office  
Corner King and Fifth Streets  
over A. I. McCall's Drug Store  
Telephone Office 104.  
RESIDENCE 234.

W. C. Estbrook, of Glenwood, was in the city yesterday.  
James L. Palmer, of Tilbury, is a Chatham visitor to-day.  
George Parsons, of Sarnia, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.  
T. F. Hennegan, of Wallaceburg, spent yesterday in town.  
Viswan Cadman, of Windsor, visited Chatham friends over Sunday.  
A. F. Ryall, of Leamington, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. Hardy White and family have moved to Hamilton.  
E. Mayhew, of Ridgetown, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Snively, Wallaceburg, were guests in the city yesterday.  
Harry Taylor, whose life was despaired of, is gradually growing stronger.  
John E. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday on legal business.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Sheldrick were guests of friends in Tilbury yesterday.  
Miss Holmes and Mrs. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, were registered at the Garner House yesterday.  
Plan now open, at Tschirhart's Music Store, for St. Patrick's Concert, at St. Joseph's Hall, March 17th.

Special showing of tailor made Suits, Skirts and Jackets—travellers samples—to-day and Wednesday only. Read add. Urban Store.  
McGee & Harrington, auctioneers, are in Merlin to-day selling Murray Gardner's farm stock and implements.  
Doctor Smith, how is your harness? We want a deal with you. Use ours once, use it always. Geo. Stephens & Co.  
E. B. Arthur, organist and chorister of the First Presbyterian church, will open his classes for pupils in pipe organ, piano and theory to-morrow. Mr. Arthur makes a specialty of the organ and has met with marked success in this work. For terms apply at residence, 31 Head street.  
The Public School Board is in receipt of a petition from the teachers and students of McKeough school, asking for a holiday on March 17th—the day, it seems, of the ex-principal's birthday. Chairman McCorvie states that the Board will not entertain the proposal.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marshall and Frank Marshall returned this morning to their home in Chicago after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall Jeffrey street. James Marshall has been very ill but is now on a firm road to recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marshall are still visiting here.

### TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received by the Ladies of the Home of the Friendless for city and home physician, state salary expected, etc.  
Address tenders to  
**M. T. McLEAN,**  
Cor. Sec. for Home.  
2td

**HELL HOLE HOLOCAUST.**  
Dens of Vice and Iniquity on the Levee Wiped Out by fire. Rumors abound that the Work of Vigilants is to be Continued.  
In the previous day the Democrat headed its account of the lynching of Negro Dixon, with the alliteration: "Sent to Satan!"—Detroit News.

## WE WELCOME SPRING

### The Gordon Store

Will be glad to post you in the latest fashionable exhibits for Easter or Early Spring wear in dress goods, silks, waistings, coats, suits, costumes, millinery, hosiery, veilings, gloves, laces, neckwear, etc., etc.

**THE NEWEST WEAVES IN PLAIN AND FANCY DRESS GOODS**

- Special Fleeced Voiles, spring shades in fawn, blue, brown, cream, grey, reseda, per yard 50c.
- French Silk Eolienne, blue, navy, reseda, cream, champagne, black, at \$1.35 and \$1.00.
- Fine Fancy Flaked Voiles, all the choice spring shades, very attractive goods at 75c.
- English Tweed Suiting, all shades, all wool, plain and fancy, 44 inch.
- Flaked Tweed Suitings, the leading colors, all wool, 44 inch wide.
- Spring Canvas Suitings, 60 inches wide, pure wools, dark blue, brown and green, \$1.00.
- New Spring Waistings, the latest French wools, weaves and stripes.
- Fancy Wool Printed Cashmeres and Challies Waistings, soon snapped up, 50c goods at 25c.
- New Persian Braid Trimmings, in all the latest shades.
- Appliques and Cluny Trimmings and Gimps.

**NEWEST WEAVES IN WASH GOODS, GING-HAMS AND PRINTS**

On first shipment of gingham are on hand in snowflakes, linens, chambrays, 140c, etc., all the new stripes and shadings. See our window. Prints are splendid values at 5c, 6 1/2c, 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c.

**CURTAININGS AND LACE CURTAINS**

We open the season with the best assortment of the newest and most choice window drapery we have ever imported. We shall be pleased to show them and are sure to sell them. Frilled-curtain nets and muslins in great variety at 12c, 16c, 20c, 22c, 25c to 38c per yard.

**LACES AND EMBROIDERIES**

Heavy Cluny and Torchon Insertions and Laces, in cream, white and colors, the largest and finest stock in the city. Embroidery and insertion stock complete in all the widths.

**DRESS MAKING AND MILLINERY**

Miss Symes has already opened the season in the dress making department and will guarantee satisfaction. Miss Rohan will be found in her bright millinery section. We shall announce our opening later.

Wise women start their spring shopping and dress making early and avoid disappointments.

Get March and April Standard Designers, 10c.

## WILLIAM GORDON

Standard Fashion Sheets free and catalogs to dressmakers

### SACHEL OF THE SATELLITE

There is a good deal of rubber about a mineral bath, about 25 cents worth.

I wonder what the police would do to any person caught shoveling snow without a license.

The Satellite had another mineral bath Sunday. All records are now broken, and a new one established.

If the Finance committee don't pretty soon mention the amount of last year's deficit, I'll ask them to.

Anybody caught discovering an electric street lamp lit will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

Jim Dumps won't need to wear a coat and cap when he goes hunting. He has "other distinguishing features."

The men employed in the civic light department have light work. Perhaps this explains why the street lamps are always out.

As a distinguishing feature, hunters might wear a coat with a green background, on which should be painted a yellow lion rampant. W. W. Scane says that Chas. Hadley would look immense in such a costume.

### ONLY ORNAMENTS

The electric street lamps are things of beauty, to be lighted never.

**A BALTIMORE BEAUTY.**  
"The Girl I left behind me," is the plaintive lament of the bachelor alderman since his return from Baltimore.

**TOLD FOR THE MARINES.**  
It is a punishable offense to smoke cigarettes in the United States navy. Unfortunately not all cigarette smokers belong to the navy.—Detroit News.

**SOULFUL.**  
"Be mine!" he cried. She said "I will."  
And now, if truth were known, She's "his," but still he doesn't dare To say his soul's his own.  
—Philadelphia Bulletin.

**WEATHER SIGNS.**  
Human hair (red) curls and kinks at the approach of a storm.  
When a cat washes herself good weather may be expected, but if she licks her coat against the grain, bad weather is indicated.

**AT LAST.**  
The Republican says that the members of an opera company that sang in Macon last week, that "their execution received hearty compliments." It seems that at last the members of one opera company have received their due.—Kansas City Journal.

**Chas-Foo, 10 a. m. (special)—Port Arthur has fallen.**  
Your Correspondent, DAM LI.

**St. Petersburg, 10 a. m. (special)—Port Arthur has not fallen.**  
Your Correspondent, THIS SACANARDSKI.

These were the despatches received yesterday. You can take your choice.

**YELLOW JOURNALISM.**  
The headlines of the Daily Democrat of Springfield, O., on the day after the firing of the Negro quarter of Springfield by the "calm and orderly" white mob, are a study in "yellow journalism." Here they are:

### HELL HOLE HOLOCAUST.

Dens of Vice and Iniquity on the Levee Wiped Out by fire. Rumors abound that the Work of Vigilants is to be Continued.

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M. CAMPBELL, President  
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Old Hagar's Secret

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CHAPTER IV.

Fifteen years have passed away, and around the old stone house there is outwardly no change. The moss still clings to the damp, dark wall, just as it clung there long ago, while the swaying branches of the forest trees still cast their shadows across the floor, or scream to the autumn blast, just as they did in years gone by, when Hagar Warren breathed that prayer, "Lead us not into temptation." Madam Conway, stiff and straight and cold as ever, moves with the same measured tread through her gloomy rooms, which are not as noiseless now as they were wont to be, for girlhood, joyous, merry girlhood, has a home in those dark rooms, and their silence is broken by the sound of other feet, not moving stealthily and slow, as if following in a funeral train, but dancing down the stairs, tripping through the halls, skipping across the floor, and bounding over the grass, they go, never tiring, never ceasing, till the birds and the sun have gone to rest.

And do what she may, the good lady cannot check the gleeful mirth or hush the clear ringing laughter of one at least of the fair maidens, who, since last we looked upon them, have grown up into womanhood. Wondrously beautiful is Maggie Miller now, with her bright sunny face, her soft, dark eyes and raven hair, so glossy and smooth, that her sister, the pale-faced, blue-eyed Theo, likens it to a piece of shining satin. Now, as ever, the pet and darling of the household, she is as among them like a ray of sunshine, and the servants, when they hear her bird-like voice waking the echoes of the weird old place, in their work to hasten, and Miss Margaret's eyes and gladness her presence has brought to them.

Old Hagar, in her cottage by the mine has kept her secret well, whispering it only to the rushing wind and running brook, which have told no tales to the gay, light-hearted girl, save to murmur in her ear that a life, untrammelled by etiquette and form would be a blissful life indeed. And Maggie, listening to the voices which speak to her so oft in the autumn wind, the running brook, the opening dower and the falling leaf, has learned a lesson different far from those taught her daily by the prim, stiff governess, who, imported from England six years ago, has drilled both Theo and Maggie in all the prescribed rules of high society as practiced in the old world. She has taught them how to sit and how to stand, how to eat and how to drink, as became young ladies of Conway blood and birth. And Madam Conway, through her golden spectacles, looks each day to see some good from all this teaching, come to the bold, dashing, untamable Maggie, who, spurning alike both birth and blood, laughs at form and etiquette as taught by Mrs. Jeffrey, and, winding her arms around her grandmother's neck, crumples her rich lace ruffe with a most unladylike hug, and then bounds away to the stables, pretending not to hear the distressed Mrs. Jeffrey calling after her "not to run, 'twas so Yankeeed and vulgar;" or if she did hear, answering back, "I am a Yankee, native born, and shall run for all Johnny Bull."

Greatly horrified at this evidence of total depravity, Mrs. Jeffrey brushes down her black silk apron and goes back to Theo, her more tractable pupil, while Maggie, emerging ere long from the stable, cleans the fence with one leap of her high-mettled pony, which John, the coachman, had bought at an enormous price of a traveling circus, on purpose for his young mistress, who complained that "grandma's horses were all too lazy and aristocratic in their movements for her."

In perfect amazement Madam Conway looked out when first Gritty, as the pony was called, was led up to the door, prancing, pawing, chafing at the bit and impatient to be off. "Margaret should never mount that animal," she said, but Margaret had ruled her for sixteen years, and now, at a sign from John, she sprang gayly upon the back of the fiery steed, who, feeling instinctively that the rider he carried was a stranger to fear, became under her training perfectly gentle, obeying her slightest command, and following her ere long like a sagacious dog. Not thus easily could Madam Conway manage Maggie, and with a groan she saw her each day fly over the garden gate, and out into the woods, which she scoured in all directions.

"She'll break her neck, I know," the disturbed old lady would say, as Maggie's flowing skirt and waving plumes disappeared in the shadow of the trees. "She'll break her neck some day," and, thinking some one must be in fault, her eyes would turn reprovingly upon Mrs. Jeffrey for having failed in subduing Maggie, whom the old governess pronounced the "wildest mad-cap in the world; there was nothing like her in all England," she said, "and her low-bred ways must be the result of her having been born on American soil."

If Maggie was to be censured, Madam Conway chose to do it herself, and on such occasions she would answer: "Low-bred, Mrs. Jeffrey is not a proper term to apply to Margaret. She's a little wild, I admit, but no one with my blood in their veins can be low-bred," and in her indignation at the governess, madam would usually forget to reprove her

granddaughter when she came back from her ride, her cheeks flushed and her eyes shining like stars with the healthful exercise. Throwing herself upon a stool and her grandmother's feet, Maggie would lay her head upon the lap of the proud lady, who, very lovingly would smooth the soft, shining hair, "so much like her own," she said.

"Before you had to color it, you mean, don't you, grandma?" the mischievous Maggie would rejoin, looking up archly to her grandmother, who would call her a saucy child, and stroke still more fondly the silken locks.

Wholly unlike Maggie was Theo, a pale-faced, fair-haired girl, who was called pretty, when not overshadowed by the queenly presence of her more gifted sister. And Theo was very proud of this sister, too; proud of the beautiful Maggie, to whom, though two years her junior, she looked for counsel, always willing to abide by her judgment, for what Maggie did must of course be right, and grandma would not scold. So if at any time Theo was led into error, Maggie stood ready to hear, the blame, which was never very severe, for Mrs. Jeffrey had learned not to censure her too much, lest by so doing she should incur the displeasure of her employer, who in turn bettered Maggie, if it were possible, name she bore, and whom Maggie called her mother. Well kept and beautiful was the spot where the rooster lay, and the grave was marked by a costly marble, which gleamed clear and white through the surrounding evergreens.

At no great distance from this spot was another grave where the grass grew tall and green, and where the headstone, half sunken in the earth, betokened that she who rested there was of humble origin. Here Maggie seldom tarried long. The place had no attraction for her, for rarely now was the name of Hester Hamilton heard at the old stone house, and all, save one, seemed to have forgotten that such as she had ever lived. This was Hagar Warren, who in her cottage by the mine has grown older and more crazy-like since we last saw her. Her hair, once so much like that which Madam Conway likens to her own, has bleached as white as snow, and her tall form is shriveled now, and bent. The secret is wearing her life away, and yet she does not regret what she has done. She cannot, when she looks upon the beautiful girl, who comes each day to her lonely hut, and whom she worships with a species of wild idolatry. Maggie knows not why it is, and yet to her there is a peculiar fascination about that strange old woman, with her snow-white hair, her wrinkled face, her bony hand, and wild, dark eyes, which when they rest on her, have in their a look of unutterable tenderness.

Regularly each day when the sun nears the western horizon, Maggie steals away to the cottage, and the lonely woman, waiting for her on the rude bench by the door, can tell her bounding footsteps from all others which pass now, herself; but the sound of Maggie's voice, talking to her in

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the gathering twilight, is the sweetest she has ever heard, and so she sits and listens, while her hands work nervously together, and her whole body trembles with the longing, intense desire she feels to clasp the young girl to her bosom, and claim her as her own. But this she dare not do, for Madam Conway's training has had its effect, and in Maggie's bearing there is ever a degree of pride which forbids anything like undue familiarity. And it was this very pride which Hagar liked to see, whispering often to herself, "Warren blood and Conway airs—the two go well together."

Sometimes a word or look would make her start, they reminded her so forcibly of the dead; and once she said involuntarily, "You are like your mother, Maggie. Exactly what she was at your age."

"My mother!" answered Maggie. "You never talked to me of her. Tell me of her. I did not suppose I was like her in anything."

"Yes, in everything," said old Hagar, "the same dark eyes and hair, the same bright red cheeks, the same—"

"Why, Hagar, what can you mean?" interrupted Maggie. "My mother had light blue eyes and fair brown hair, like Theo. Grandma says I am not like her at all, while old Hannah, the cook, when she feels ill-natured, the look when she feels ill-natured, and wishes to tease me, says I am the very image of Hester Hamilton."

"And what if you are? What if you are?" eagerly rejoined old Hagar. "Would you feel badly, to know you looked like Hester?" and the old woman bent anxiously forward, to hear the answer. "Not for myself, perhaps, provided Hester was handsome, for I think a good deal of beauty, that's a fact; but it would annoy grandma terribly to have me look like a servant. She might fancy I was Hester's daughter, for she wonders every day where I get my low-bred ways, as she calls my liking to sing and laugh and be natural."

"And 'sposin' Hester was your mother, would you care?" persisted Hagar.

"Of course I should," answered Maggie, her large eyes opening wide at the strange question. "I wouldn't for the whole world be anybody but Maggie Miller, just who I am. To be sure, I get awfully out of patience with grandma and Mrs. Jeffrey, for talking so much about birth and blood and family, and all that sort of nonsense, but, after all, I wouldn't for anything be poor and work as poor folks do."

"I'll never tell her, never," muttered Hagar, and Maggie continued: "What queer habit you have of talking to yourself. Did you always do so?" "Not always. It came upon me with the secret," Hagar answered inadvertently, and eagerly catching at the last word, which to her implied a word of romance and mystery, Maggie exclaimed, "The secret, Hagar, the secret. If there's anything I delight in it is a secret!" and sliding down from the rude bench to the grass plot at Hagar's feet, she continued: "Tell it to me, Hagar; that's a dear old woman. I'll never tell anybody as long as I live! I'll never, upon my word," she continued, as she saw the look of horror resting on Hagar's face; "I'll help you to keep it, and we'll have such grand times talking it over. Did it concern yourself?" and Maggie folded her arms upon the lap of the old woman, who answered in a voice so hoarse and unnatural that Maggie involuntarily shuddered. "Old Hagar would die in a week sooner than tell you, Maggie Miller, her secret."

"Was it then so dreadful?" asked Maggie, half fearfully, and casting a stealthy glance at the dim woods, where the night shadows were falling, and whose winding path she must traverse alone on her homeward route. "Was it, then, so dreadful?" (To Be Continued.)

Queen Alexandra and Athletics.

Queen Alexandra has always been an advocate of games and athletics for girls, if kept within reason. She herself was very fond of all outdoor games as a child. In running she was swift of foot as Atalanta, and skating came as naturally to her as walking. "Never," wrote an enthusiastic admirer of her, the mother of the then regent of Sandringham, "did our dear Princess look more graceful and fairer than when skimming over the ice on her skates. She seemed to express the poetry of motion." Although fond of riding, the Queen, owing to the necessity of sitting on the wrong side of the saddle, has not been a great horsewoman. Driving was at one time a favorite amusement of hers, and people living around Sandringham used to watch for the pretty pair of greys she toolled along so deftly. On one of her birthdays a little carriage, with four ponies, was given her by the Emperor of Russia, and she drove these either four abreast or in the usual four-in-hand style. Her Majesty encouraged her daughters to try every form of outdoor and indoor exercise and arranged that they should receive lessons in boating, riding, swimming and billiards. They are all fond of cycling especially the Princess Victoria, who has made several bicycle excursions with her intimate friends. The Duchess of Fife's favorite sport is salmon fishing, and few women can throw a fly as skillfully as she. Princess Charles of Denmark is a good tennis player, and has lately taken up the fancy for croquet, a game in which the Queen excels. The King and Queen showed their interest in swimming by their visit to the bath the other day to witness the matches, and they both expressed the opinion that every boy and girl in the kingdom should learn to swim, and that every facility should be given for the poorer ones to do so. From an article in Modern Society (London).

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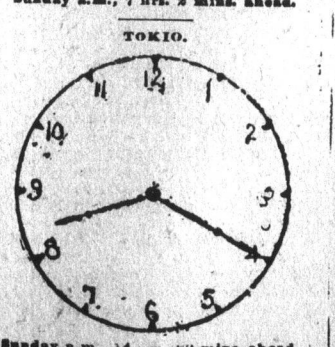
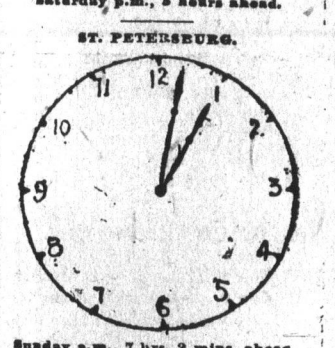
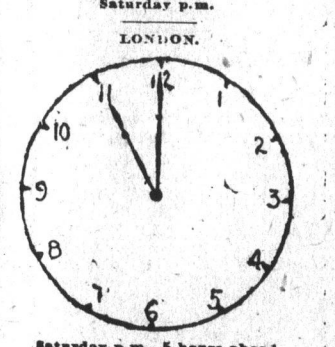
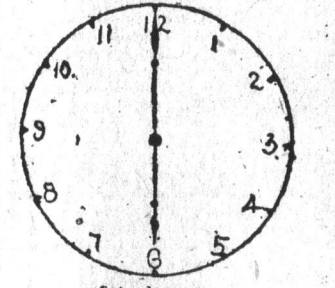
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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Tom Marks—Mar. 28-Apr. 2. GOOD ATTRACTION. The Hawthorne Musical Club, one of the Lyceum Course numbers held the boards at the Grand last evening and proved to be a good performance, pleasing a well filled house.

A PROPHECY

The monster bear Left her lair, Other lands to seize; And pitched her tents Within the precincts Of the Japanese.

NUT COAL SCARC

Again there is practically no coal in town. One dealer had a little stove coal this morning, while others have small quantities of large furnace coal.

FLETCHER FIRE

The elevator owned by F. B. Stevens & Co., of Chatham, at Fletcher, close to the M. C. R. tracks, was destroyed by fire shortly after midnight yesterday.

ORIKETER CALLED

The many friends of John J. Dodda among the curlers and cricketers of Chatham will regret to hear of his death, which took place early this morning at his home in Detroit.

CHATHAMITE HONORED

Dr. A. W. Thornton, one of Chatham's most prominent citizens, has had a distinguished honor conferred upon him by the International Dental Association.

HOME OF FRIENDLESS

The Ladies of the Home of the Friendless held their regular monthly meeting in Harrison Hall, on Monday, March 14.

78 PERSONS MISSING.

Baltimore, Queensland, Mar. 14.—The British steamer Ararat was wrecked on the Break Sea Spit, off Queensland, Sunday morning.

NEW ENTERPRISE

J. P. Taylor, Park street, was formerly master mechanic when the old Erie & Huron railroad had their shops here.

PHYSICIANS EVERYWHERE

Know The Value of Pyramid Pile Cure. "Gratitude alone prompts me to testify to the efficacy of Pyramid Pile Cure.

CHURCH CHANGES

A special meeting of the vestry and members of Christ Church was held in the Sunday school room last evening, with a good attendance.

DISTRICT DOINGS. TILBURY

Note the press criticism on the Hawthorne Musical Club, of Boston, in this issue of The Planet.

THAMESVILLE

March 14.—Four rinks of Thamesville curlers left to-day for a friendly game with Chatham.

BLENHEIM

March 14.—F. Gales has moved his meat shop into the stand formerly used by James Sterling.

MITCHELL'S BAY.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church at Mitchell's Bay will have a picnic and a bazaar on the 24th of May, in Hugh Allen's grove, at the Bay.

The meeting held by the government inspectors—Perdue, of Chatham; Orchard, of Windsor, and Phillips, of Wallaceburg,—with respect to the best method of stamping out the hog cholera, was largely attended by the farmers in the vicinity of the Bay, who seem to be well pleased with the advice given by the inspectors.

On Friday evening the regular meeting of Court Royal, Dover, was held for the benefit of the newly elected members of the court.

The spring weather has made its appearance and is welcomed by all.

The Master Mechanic's Pure Tar Soap heals and softens the skin, while promptly cleaning it of grease, oil, rust, etc.

Mrs. Hosey has been quite unwell the past few days.

Our merchants are alive to the needs of the season.

B. G. Burk has also a very neat place of business and is bustling with a large stock and is branching out along new lines.

The restrictions forbidding the movement of live hogs into or out of the district composed of the townships of Tilbury East, Raleigh, Dover East and West, Chatham and Harwich in the county of Kent; Tilbury West and Tilbury North in the county of Essex, and the island known as Walpole Island in the county of Lambton, in the Province of Ontario, have been modified as follows:—

The shipment by rail of fat hogs for immediate slaughter from certain points hereafter specified within the said district is hereby authorized on and after March 15th, under the following conditions:—

All shipments of live hogs from the said district must be consigned to a slaughter house or packing house. Shipments will be permitted only at the following points:—

On the Canadian Pacific Railway at Tilbury and Chatham, on the Grand Trunk Railway at Chatham, Prairie Siding and Northwood, on the Michigan Central Railway at Tilbury

and Comber, on the Lake Erie & Detroit Railway at Wallaceburg, Eberts, Chatham, Blenheim and Merlin.

Our assessor expects to complete his work on Wednesday of this week.

The Sunday school of the Baptist church, North Buxton, are preparing for Easter services.

The Baptist Young People's Union held a splendid song service last evening.

F. C. Peck received a car of hard coal on Saturday.

H. J. Cartier and W. Racher were in Chatham on Saturday.

Dr. Musson, of Chatham, was here on professional business on Friday the 14th inst.

A meeting of the ratepayers was held in the school house on Friday evening in the interests of the drainage works.

The Rev. Mr. McCormick gave a very interesting lecture on Astronomy last Wednesday evening.

A special missionary service and collection will be held in the Methodist church here on Sunday the 20th inst.

Charles Forbes spent Sunday in Chatham.

NECKWEAR!

Always an interesting stock, particularly so just now, with the brightness of Spring pervading it.

The 1 3/4 inch Derby is, perhaps, the leading shape at present, but Imperials, Ascots and Strings are also popular.

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