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On Thursday, March 21st and Following Days

To which we invite every lady in the City of Chatham. Nowhere else is such a gathering of millinery attempted. Not only have we the most beautiful hats that the Parisian designers produce, but we have them in such varieties—to suit everybody. Our Miss English spent a week in New York, visiting the leading millinery establishments. Not one worthy idea escaped her. You will see displayed on our tables the cream of New York's millinery masterpieces.

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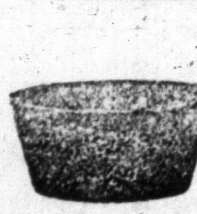
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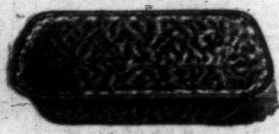


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LOCAL BRIEFS

W. J. Kenny is in Toronto on business.

Wanted—Milliner apprentice wanted. Apply to C. Austin & Co. if Companies A. and D. will meet at 7.45 this evening for Company drill.

John Walker, of the Walker Egg and Produce Co., of Detroit, is in the city on business.

Good boy wanted, to work in the wood department. Apply to Wm. Gray & Sons.

Mrs. Thomas Guttridge, Baxter St., is slowly improving, now being able to get around with the aid of crutches.

Michael Dillon has been sick for the last two weeks with erysipelas, his son Thomas, is acting as deputy bailiff.

The Nation and the Sabbath, by Dr. Jamieson, at W. J. Kenny's. 3m.

Miss Lola De Ferras, the scientific pianist, positively announces that this will be her last week in the city. Special readings every day the balance of week.

Mrs. David Burwell, Park St., very pleasantly entertained a number of friends on Monday evening, before her departure for her future home.

John H. Oldershaw has just received 200 barrels of cement, which will be sold cheap. Will have a full stock of mason supplies in a few days. Yards, Wellington street. Call for prices.

Mr. Hoveny, of the 14th concession of Dover, while grooming one of his horses on Monday was kicked and had his arm broken and his head badly bruised. Mr. Hoveny lies in a critical condition.

Irwin Gilbert, of Brockville, has secured a position in the woodshop of Wm Gray & Sons' factory, of which department his father, Nelson Gilbert, is foreman. He will in future make his home in the Maple City.

The Ladies of the W. C. T. U. will hold a lumbermen's tea in their hall, in the Rutherford Block, commencing at 3.30 o'clock Thursday. The evangelists, Messrs. Crossley and Hunter, will address the meeting. All are welcome.

Companies A, B and D met for drill this evening, a large number being present. It was announced that C company would meet for drill on Monday evening, B on Tuesday evening and A and D on Wednesday evening.

On Thursday evening there will be a regimental drill, when all four companies will meet.

The Grand Trunk Railway system announces that their special fast train service between Toronto and the summer resorts in Muskoka and Georgian Bay, will, for the season of 1901, be operated northbound from Saturday, June 15th, until Saturday Sept. 28, inclusive, and southbound from Monday, June 17th, until Monday Sept. 30th, inclusive. This is several weeks longer than usual, but each year it is found that the residents who are served by this extra service are extending their visits, and they will doubtless appreciate the continuance of the special service during the whole of September, which is one of the most attractive months of the season.

LAID TO REST.

The funeral of the late John Wemp took place yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, from his late residence on the 9th concession of Dover township to Maple Leaf cemetery. The deceased leaves a wife and four children to mourn his loss. The funeral was under the auspices of Court Pride, No. 8765, Ancient Order of Foresters, of which court the deceased was a member. The cortege was led by the members of Court Pride on horseback and in rigs. The pall-bearers were Matthew Potts, Andrew Brown, C. W. Wright, Robert Pollock, W. H. Chappie and John Bishop.

ALL THE BOER LEADERS AGREE WITH GENERAL BOTHA

He Rejects all Peace Terms Submitted and Claims to Have the Endorsement of His Colleagues.

London, March 19, 4.07 p. m.—Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, has just informed the House of Commons that General Botha has rejected the peace terms offered. General Botha, Mr. Chamberlain said, had conveyed the information in a letter to the Secretary of State, in which he announced that he was not disposed to recommend the terms of peace General Kitchener was instructed to offer him to the earnest consideration of his government. Gen. Botha added that his government and its chief officers entirely agreed with his view. Mr. Chamberlain added:—"I propose to lay the papers connected with the negotiations on the table to-night."

CAPITALISTS NOT BARRED.
During the discussion of the composition of the Transvaal Concession Commission, Mr. Arthur R. Markham (Liberal) asserted that the commission was made up of persons affiliated with several great South African companies. Mr. Chamberlain replied that, while he would not be influenced by South African capitalists, he was not to be precluded from using any man

who happened to be connected with some capitalist in South Africa.

NO SIGN OF PEACE.

London, March 19.—Lord Roberts, in a letter to a correspondent, expresses a confident hope that Lord Kitchener will soon be able to secure peace in South Africa, but thus far there is no sign from Pretoria or Cape Town that peace is near.

A COMMANDO ESCAPES.

The latest news is that General Mourie, with 800 men, escaped Sunday from the British column that was endeavoring to corner the commando east of Bloemfontein.

A CURIOUS SUGGESTION.

Gen. Ian Hamilton, addressing the Authors' Club in London, last evening, made the curious suggestion that the Boer prisoners should be sent to Canada to work on the railways, where they would learn the English language and become imbued with English sentiments.

ALARM AT ST. PETERSBURG FOR THE CZAR'S SAFETY

Rioting Continues Unabated—Three Students Killed in Sunday's Disturbance.

St. Petersburg, March 19.—Alarm pervades high circles here. The police have notified house owners to have their doornicks, or house police, report for duty and hold themselves in constant readiness. A snotia or company of Cossacks passed the Moscow gate yesterday morning on the way to Tsarskoe Selo, seventeen miles south of St. Petersburg, to which place the Czar has just removed. The police said they would escort the Czar back to the winter palace, and that he would return by carriage instead of by rail. "It appears more probable," however, that the Cossacks were merely sent to Tsarskoe Selo as a precaution, since His Majesty is more easily protected there than here. It is apparently confirmed that three students were killed on Sunday. The Cossacks rode into the crowds on the sidewalk, and many faces were cut open by their knotted whips. Students and workmen threw three rubber shoes, canes and snowballs at the Cossacks. It is reported that one Cossack was killed. An official of the political police said 1,000 prisoners were taken among those being three hundred and fifty women students.

The presence of workmen among the rioters rendered this demonstration more dangerous than any known in generation. On reading the manifesto the students threw their example copies into the crowd and raised a flag inscribed "For liberty." The students also shouted:—"Help us get our rights," and the mob responded with cheers.

Serious riots occurred in St. Petersburg to-day on the occasion of a solemn mass in the Cathedral of Our Lady of Kasan for the repose of the

soul of M. Bogoliefoff, the Minister of Public Instruction, who was shot and fatally wounded by Karovitch, the police officer fired their revolvers, and it is rumored that five students were killed and 80 others either seriously or slightly injured. Wholesale arrests, including many women, followed the rioting.

The Official Messenger, which publishes an account of the recent disorders in various Russian cities, and of Sunday's outbreak in St. Petersburg, says of the latter:—"When the crowd, which numbered 3,000 became turbulent, the Cossacks and police were summoned. The demonstrators retreated to the Cathedral of Our Lady of Kasan, pelting the Cossacks and police with various missiles. The students attempted to display red and white flags bearing various inscriptions. On one side of the cathedral the crowd came into violent collision with the Cossacks and police. A portion retired into the cathedral, although the services were going on, behaving noisily and smoking cigarettes until forcibly expelled. Altogether 339 male students, 377 women, mostly students, and 44 other persons were arrested. A police commissioner with 20 policemen, four Cossacks, and 32 rioters, male and female, were wounded."

All the high schools of the city are closed and all the police headquarters are filled with arrested persons. Others in custody, who have been temporarily confined in the military riding school, were taken to various prisons in omnibuses. They were cheered by the students as they passed. The demonstrations Sunday continued after the manner of the cathedral, at other places, especially in front of the office of the detective police, where some of the persons arrested were taken, in front of the Latvian prison, and near the mining institute. Remarkable features of the demonstrations have been the prominent part taken by women of the higher classes of the university.

TROUBLES OF THEIR OWN

The Experience of Ald. Pritchard and Mounieer on the Board of Works

Are now said to be industriously Promoting the Re-appointment of the City Engineer.

The board of works were discovered this morning on King street east, in a dilemma.

This was a somewhat new experience for the board of works and, like the old woman in the shoe, they really didn't know what to do. Ald. Marshall is the man of power on the board of works. He went away to Toronto on business, and the board of works, personified by Aldermen Mounieer and Pritchard, were supposed to see that Queen street was properly scraped.

They saw to the scraping, but they had to cart the earth somewhere and it was when they came to see about this that all the trouble arose. The ponderous question of what to do with the earth bothered the board of works and, when last seen, Ald. Pritchard was looking for an engineer to find out where the earth should be carted.

Lost! To-day on King St., between Drs. Holmes & McKeough's office and Thos. Stone's store, a brown leather purse containing a small sum of money. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Planet office.

It is not all who turn their backs that flee.

ST. PATRICK'S CONCERT

Pleasing and Profitable Program Contributed at the Grand Last Evening.

Local Talent was Assisted by Harold Jarvis and Miss Susie Irene McGill.

St. Patrick's natal day, the 17th of March, which fell due on Sunday last, was celebrated by a concert in the Grand Opera House last evening. The entertainment was provided under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid and Altar Society of St. Joseph's Church, and certainly was deserving of a much larger house than greeted the presentation of the program. The stage was tastefully decorated and set with parlor furnishings.

The program was furnished by local talent, assisted by Harold Jarvis, of Detroit, and Susie McGill, of London. The instrumental music by the Young Ladies' Mandolin Club and the piano solo by Miss Gertrude Kelly, both proved pleasing features of an admirable program. Miss Kelly was presented with a bouquet. The vocal solos of Misses Rielly, Maude Marshall, Della Tremblay and Lizzie Smith were all enthusiastically enjoyed.

Harold Jarvis, as usual, delighted the audience with his several selections. As an encore, he contributed a martial ditty which he sings so well, "The March of the Cameron Men."

Miss Susie McGill, of London, "proved a very agreeable little entertainer. Miss Angela McDonnell gave two ex-

cellently rendered recitations. Her interpretation of the piece, "How Solzner lost the race," was nearly perfect.

The members of the Ladies' Mandolin Club are, Miss Adele McLean (leader) and Misses Nellie Rhody, Josie Eberle, Mabel Scott, Angela McDonnell, Pauline Rose and Rena McLaren. Miss Nellie Rhody was the accompanist of the evening.

SOMEWHAT MUDDLED

The Woodstock Sentinel-Review Takes a Kindly Interest in our Befuddled Contem.

Endeavors to correct just a Few of the Errors Fake Enterprise had Occasioned.

The Woodstock Sentinel-Review of yesterday generously submits the following editorial counsel and correction to our esteemed contemporary. The Planet is willing to be even more practical. We should be pleased to present our contemporary with several dozens of old prints and cuttings since thrown aside in this office—but which the Banner-News might be delighted to publish as a further continuance of the "men prominently mentioned" series with which it has been seeking to fool its readers. The Sentinel-Review says:—

The Chatham Banner-News on Saturday presented cuts of "men prominently mentioned in the day's despatches." What was represented to be General Delaney was the late General Piet Joubert, as he appeared at the time of the first Boer war. The Czar of Russia bore enough resemblance to the Duke of York to pass as the heir apparent to the British throne; while our own gallant Colonel Otter appeared in the gallery of celebrities as Lord Walsley. The fourth picture was said to be that of Hon. J. M. Gibson. Not being as well acquainted with that gentleman as with the others, we are not quite sure whether it was really a likeness of the provincial secretary or of the late Senator Ingalls, of Kansas.

PASTORS TAKE PART

Several County Ministers Assist the Evangelists Last Evening.

A Largely Attended and Very Impressive Gathering—The Addresses Delivered.

Considering the weather conditions, the attendance at the Evangelistic services last night was wonderful.

Dr. Hannon was absent, being in Toronto. Besides the evangelists and Rev. Mr. Locke, Rev. Messrs. Gallo-way, of Dresden; Kerr, of Thamesville, and Osterhout, of Providence, occupied places on the platform.

Mr. Hunter made enquiries regarding a lad named Gladstone Burgess, of Blenheim, whose mother was present seeking her boy. He had been left at Mr. Wylie's last Sunday, came to Chatham on Monday and that evening stopped at Mr. Nevill's, corner of Welling and Harvey Sts.; left there Tuesday morning; no trace of him since. The boy is nine years old, light hair, blue eyes, wears dark clothes, red sweater, and a cap. The mother will be grateful for any information regarding his whereabouts.

The singing, always an attractive feature of these services, was especially good last night. Mr. Crossley sang as solos "His Grace is Free," "Calling for You," and "Jesus Loves Poor Sinners." Prof. Forsythe and Mr. Crossley sang two duets—"Home at Last" and "All for Jesus." Their voices blended perfectly, and the sweet melody of those selections, freighted with gospel messages, seemed to thrill the large audience as they listened.

Several letters were read, one from Rev. Stanley Shaw, of Detroit, speaking of the results of last Sunday evening's service in his own church, four persons professing conversion as a result of the meeting.

Mr. Hunter read for the Scripture lesson the story of Nicodemus—John 3rd chapter—and in explanatory words said Nicodemus was wise regarding the things of the world, but ignorant regarding matters divine.

Much, if not most, of the ignorance concerning spiritual things is due to the neglect of Bible study. Christ's discourse with Nicodemus revealed Jesus as a plain, practical, persuasive and powerful preacher. His congregation could not fail to understand what he was talking about. The question of Nicodemus, "How can these things be?" as relating to the new birth, Christ answered plainly and positively, but He did not say that it was morality, or baptism, or confirmation, or penance or church membership; but He did say that it was a new nature, embodying new principles, new affections and new desires, which sprang from the "Christ life."

Mr. Crossley spoke from Exodus 12th chapter and 13th verse,—"When I see the blood I will pass over you." These words were spoken concerning the saddest event which happened to

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S. STEPHENSON, — Proprietor.

SHAMROCKS FROM QUEEN ALEXANDRA.

Warm-hearted Irishmen the world over will be pleased with the action of Queen Alexandra in sending shamrocks to the Irish soldiers of the King. It recalls to their minds that Queen Victoria gave orders a year ago that Irish soldiers should wear shamrocks in honour of St. Patrick. Queen Alexandra will get a warm welcome when she goes to Ireland, and if she should come to Canada, what a reception she would get from Canadian Irishmen.

THE WAR GOES ON.

General Botha's rejection of the peace terms proposed by Lord Kitchener will be learned with regret in Britain and throughout the Empire. It is not improbable that Botha agreed to consider terms of peace and secured an armistice for this purpose only—for the purpose of giving the commandos a chance to recuperate and concentrate. But whatever his motives may have been, his decision to continue the present guerrilla warfare, which is devastating his country, cannot be regarded as either heroic or patriotic. The result is inevitable; by continuing in the field the Boers only delay that result for a little.

Kitchener will now be justified in resorting to the severest measures permitted by the military code to bring about a speedy termination of the war.

THE RIGHTS OF THE PRESS.

The proposal to exclude the London Times from the British House of Commons for having printed the Government's civil list, showing the proposed allowances to the King, recalls the fact that one of the most remarkable rows that ever disturbed the dignity of the House was provoked by a proposal to enquire into the expenditures and allowances of the crown. The threat to exclude the Times will probably not be taken seriously. Not so very long ago, comparatively speaking, it was an offence against the laws of England to report the debates in the House—indeed, we are not sure that the law does not remain un-repealed to this day—but times have changed, and now reporting of debates is not only permitted but is considered, and properly so, an important feature of popular government. It is probable that any attempt to exclude the Times would provoke such a row that the end would not be heard of it for many a day. It is doubtless true, too, as the Daily Mail says, that "should the Speaker, as he certainly won't, decide to have the Times reporter thrown out of the House, our contemporary would have no difficulty in employing further honorable members or officials to supply it with such news as it may desire to publish."

STATE CONTROL.

The London Daily Mail publishes an interview with Hon. Mr. Mulock, as reproduced in The Planet of yesterday, and reports him as having a project for a direct and exclusive cable connection between England and Canada by which messages can be sent at half the present rates.

So far as the landing of wires on Canadian and Newfoundland soil is concerned, the majority of the cable companies make more direct connections with British North America than with any other part of America.

Mr. Mulock, therefore, must mean something more than direct connection. The probability is that he has in mind the establishment of a state-owned Atlantic cable on the same plan as the Pacific cable. This would be in line with Sir Sanford Fleming's plan for state-owned cables connecting all parts of the British Empire. It would undoubtedly result in a great reduction in cable rates and bring Canada and the United Kingdom into closer touch. It seems to be the natural sequence of the state-owned cable between Canada and Australia.

It may be presumed that Mr. Mulock's idea is to have the proposed new Atlantic cable jointly owned by Canada and the United Kingdom. It is not probable that the Australian colonies would be asked to contribute to the cost of it, as it would not touch Australian soil, but it would benefit Australians by reducing rates between Britain and Australia, and perhaps Mr. Mulock may sound the Australian Government on the question of taking an interest in it when he visits the Commonwealth. In any case, they could not be expected to pay a very large share of the cost in view of the fact that Australasia pays more than Canada toward the cost of the Pacific cable. But whether Australasia should have a share in the ownership or not, the business between Britain and the Australasian colonies would help to make the line pay.

One effect of the cheaper rates would be the publication by British newspapers of much more Canadian news than they do at present. The British people often get distorted views of Canadian affairs owing to

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the brief reports their newspapers publish. Even the editors of British newspapers are often misled by the cabled reports of Canadian affairs.

GREAT FORTUNES.

It has become the fashion to regard great fortunes such as those piled up by successful manufacturers and business men in the United States as an unmitigated evil, says the Ottawa Citizen. No doubt, in a sense it is an evil but one that has existed since prehistoric times and will always exist. Social economists to the contrary notwithstanding. In the stone age, the hunter who could fashion the most cunning club or stone projectile and followed the chase with the greatest skill or was most sagacious or valiant in war won wealth in pelts or plunder and rose above his fellows. In these latter days the accumulation of fortunes has reached an unprecedented stage under a government which gives the freest scope to individual effort, and it came to pass that a young man, starting with nothing but a good constitution, a pair of hands and feet and a brain to direct them can amass a fortune of \$250,000,000 as Mr. Carnegie has done.

But all evils work their own cure. There comes a time when a man is satisfied with accumulating wealth and he turns for relief for the other pleasure of spending it. He recognizes that if he holds on to it until death parts him from his millions, others will have that pleasure, which rightfully belongs to him, and a huge sum may be frittered away and wasted without leaving any adequate benefit to the world as a memorial to the man whose sagacity and toil got it together. Carnegie is the first man of great wealth who seems to have thoroughly grasped this new idea, and he is nobly carrying it into effect. Al-

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ready he has imitators. J. Pierpont Morgan has begun to follow suit and no doubt others will emulate him.

Social economists have declared that the social system which permits the accumulation of great wealth in the hands of one man must be wrong. They have aimed at making this impossible. Their theory is that, instead of accumulating in one place, in one man's hands, wealth should be distributed among the workers. The idea is right. But the Lord "moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform." Perhaps the social economists, thought right in theory, are short-sighted in the matter of practice as theorists are apt to be. The benefit to the masses may come in a more advantageous form from the top rather than the bottom, so to speak. If, instead of accumulating the wealth himself, and then investing it in great institutions for the benefit of the masses, Mr. Carnegie had divided his profits with the workers in his immediate employ, would the ultimate advantage to the people generally have been as great?

Every successful business man or manufacturer even though his wealth run into the millions cannot do as Mr. Carnegie has done. The former may rightly feel it is duty to the large number of employees dependent on him to continue the use of his capital in his business and to continue the application of his energies to his latest days in the extension and management of his affairs lest, if either his capital or supervision were withdrawn, drawn, the industries and the employees dependent or both might suffer. But the men of great fortunes like Carnegie reach a higher plane where their interests are so general and diversified that they can realize their capital without injury to individual industries and can devote their lives as Carnegie is doing, to investing the money fortuitously accumulated not only for the benefit of the employees who helped to accumulate it, but for the people and society generally.

Dear Bourassa:—Does your Papineau you're out?

Commandant Botha has finally decided not to join the "stop-the-war" party.

All the law reform Hon. Mr. Gibson is proposing won't hurt anybody very much—not even the lawyers.

It might be remarked by way of reminder that Mr. Carnegie has not patented his plan of doing public good with his money.

The Hamilton Spectator says that McGill University has a good friend in Sir William Macdonald ter-back-er. The Spec. should es-chew such comments.

Boni de Castellane smashed the Figaro's editor in the face and then shot him in the thigh. Now the editor's friends are saying that he is quite satisfied. He ought to be. He got everything that was coming his way.

French "honor" is a wonderful thing. A man insults you, punches your bloomin' head, and finally shoots you. Then you are supposed to declare yourself perfectly satisfied, and that your "honor" has been vindicated.

The London Free Press points out that now that Hon. Mr. Garrow, the Ontario Minister without portfolio, is also without a seat, he may take a certain degree of satisfaction in reflecting that the registration of Huron county has been kept open all this time.

A lady of Aitchison attended the inaugural ball at Washington, and writes home that all but three of the men were in dress suits, and: "I saw one man drinking coffee out of his saucer, but that that was all." Probably the champagne was so cool that he did not have to drink it out of his saucer.

It is hard to tell whether it was co-incidence or conspiracy that made the Government party in the Senate fight so vigorously against the motion to expose gross political corruption on the same day that the Ontario Government party at Toronto marshalled their forces to vote that corruption perjury and fraud should not be punished when committed for the benefit of the Liberal party.

His Majesty, in acknowledging the letter of condolence from the Kansas Legislature, by a slip of somebody's pen, thanked that august body for its "loyalty." The joke is on King Edward, although he is not personally responsible for attributing to the Kansas Legislature an virtue too many. The error is one of the kind which among less august personages is generally held to be sufficiently atoned for by an invitation to casual refreshments.

A good move that Sir Wilfrid Laurier should not hesitate to make would be to supplement that intense loyal speech of his on the Bourassa resolution by insisting upon the immediate payment of all moneys due by the Canadian Government to the members of "C" Battery who lately returned from South Africa to find their pay cut off by the Minister of

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A SOLAR BLEMISH.

Toronto Globe.

The garbled Morrison letter was a spot on the Sun (N. Y.).

WHEN JOHN MEETS JOHN.

Toronto Mail.

John Charlton's ideas of five years ago are receiving some hard knocks from John Charlton of to-day.

WHAT HE DOES KNOW.

Toronto News.

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Brantford Expositor.

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ANOTHER CANDIDATE.

Belleville Intelligencer.

Andrew Carnegie offers to give Ottawa \$100,000 for a free library building, under certain conditions. Would it not be a good thing if Belleville asked Andy for a small donation. While he is in the business he shouldn't overlook this beautiful city.

TORONTO SIZED.

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Toronto's City engineer is constantly telling the aldermen there that the water supply is running short, and that something must be done at once or a water famine will ensue. But the council is quite indifferent and pays no heed to the repeated warnings. What do the people there want water for, anyway? Cannot they drink the same beverages as their rulers?

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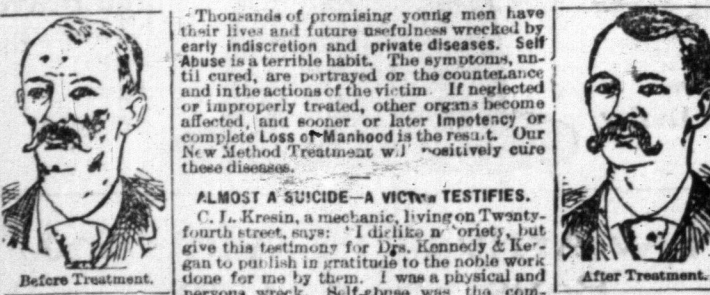
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Township Councils.

Harwich Council.

A special meeting of the Council of the Township of Harwich was held on Wednesday, Feb. 13th.

A communication was read from Messrs. Wilson, Kerr & Pike, re the Erie Road.

Young—Buchanan—That this Council authorize the Reeve and the Clerk to sign the agreement drawn to tripartite between the L. E. & D. R. R. Co., and the municipality of Harwich with reference to a road through lands they claim is theirs, laid out along the Lake shore near the Rond Eau Piers.—Carried.

Morrison—Buchanan—That that part of road division No. 8, west of the E. & H. Ry., as per request of ratepayers be set off as a separate road division, and shall be known as division No. 14, and old division No. 14 be struck off; also that that road division No. 54 be divided at the line between lots number 21 and 22 and made into two; that portion to the south of said line to be known as No. 54, and the portion to the north to be known as No. 54, and to be extended to the north and westward, between the River Thames and Communication road; also that road division No. 111 be made into two, dividing it at the middle of lot 13, that part of the east to be known as No. 111 and that portion of the west to be added to No. 112.—Carried.

A communication was handed in from Dr. S. G. Storey re a poor boy ill at Gilbert Phillips, by name Eric Bulby.

Buchanan—Morrison—That Mr. G. Phillips be instructed to place the young man, Eric Bulby, in the Chatham hospital for treatment, and the Reeve be instructed to be present when the patient is received and make arrangements; also that Geo. M. Baird be paid the fee for registration of births, marriages and deaths for the year 1900, as per certificate from the Registrar General and charge to general fund—\$46.20. Carried.

By-law No. 756 for the appointment of certain officers of the Township was passed through its various stages and finally passed.

A regular meeting of Harwich Council held Monday 11th inst. Communications were received from the Clerk of Raleigh re the expenses of Harwich in connection with publication, etc., of the Gregory Creek Drain By-law, also re gravel-pit at Buckhorn.

An agreement was presented duly signed, between the County of Kent and the Townships of Howard and Harwich re Kent Bridge approach, also between the L. E. & D. R. R. Co. and the Municipality re the Road at Erieau.

A communication was read from Albert Cable re accident he had with together with an order for him on board while working at Gray's, also stating that he had gone back to the House of Refuge.

A petition was received from John J. McGoig and others asking for a change in road division 61 and 62.

Young—McCormick—that in accordance with a petition presented to this council, the following changes be made in the road division No. 18 and 19 sideroad, that con. 12 and 13 form one division and 19 and 11 be another and that the central division be numbered 1/2 between the numbers on either side. Carried.

A petition was received from W. S. Hewitt and others asking for a change in the boundaries of school section No. 5 united, so as to form a new section out of the lands north of the town of Blenheim and lands from other adjoining sections.

Morrison—Buchanan—That this council entertain the petition asking a new section to be formed north of Blenheim and lands from other adjoining sections.

That R. Young be appointed to confer with Dr. Stevenson as to injuries received by Robert Sted from being thrown out of a rig on account of a defective culvert in Harwich.—Carried.

McCormick—Buchanan—That the Clerk write to the E. & H. Ry. if they will deliver gravel at same rate as last season; also asking the Engineer to fix a date to meet a committee of the council at Fargo re the culvert at Erieau; also re a crossing over their roadway which is not graded so as to be safe for crossing.—Carried.

Buchanan—Morrison—That should the Blinder Twine Co. a site and establish their factory in Harwich this council will grant them exemption from taxes on the land and plant for the term of 10 years.—Carried.

Morrison—Buchanan—That where given roadways run through property the owners of said property should not be assessed for such roadway and that the assessor be instructed to assess the owners of said lands less the amount of land taken for said roadway.—Carried.

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Morrison—Buchanan—That A. B. Patterson and others, near Northwood, be granted the sum of \$25 as a portion of the cost of a sidewalk constructed at Northwood, as they, the parties, have contributed freely towards it.—Carried.

The following accounts were paid:—Municipal World, stationery, \$125; Geo. M. Baird, wood, and sundries \$6.25; stationery and postage \$8.00; salary \$40.00; notices Gregory Creek drain \$2.00; James Wood, shovelling snow, \$7.50; J. R. McGarvin, lumber Tobin bridge, \$11.00; W. Bennett, cab hire lunatic, \$1.50; T. Buchanan, aid, Addison Smith and P. Jackson, \$10.00; Thomas Everett, keep G. Storms, \$6.00; Dr. Quackenbush, examination Annie Cummings, \$9.00; D. Wilson, wood for A. D. Peck, \$5.50; G. J. Marshall, gravelling, \$12.10; H. L. Merritt, lumber, \$2.24; Lesley Johnston, sheep killed, \$16.00; W. T. McEachran, refund dog tax, not as-

essed, \$1.00; John Chis, work, con. 6, R. T., \$3.00; Charles Gregory, farm bridge on Gregory Creek drain, \$5.00; James Gregory, farm bridge on Gregory Creek drain, \$15.00. The by-law on the Gregory Creek drain was read a third time and finally passed.

GEO. M. BAIRD, Clerk.

Tilbury East Council.

Tilbury East Council met in Town Hall Valetta, on Monday, March 11th, 1901.

The Clerk, Mr. Farquharson, having recently been appointed Collector of Customs for the county of Kent tendered his resignation after having filled the position in a most acceptable manner for 28 years.

Alexander Farquharson was chosen to succeed his brother at a salary of \$400 per annum and extras for the following services:—Registering Births, Marriages and Deaths, appeals to the Judge, under the Voters List Act, and reasonable remuneration for services rendered under the Ditches and Water Course Act.

A large and influential deputation of ratepayers, consisting among others of Henry Sales, James Stewart, M. Campbell, James Ross, James Smith, Peter Richards, M. Gleason, D. Laughton and John Davidson addressed the council recommending that the sum of \$75 be appropriated towards purchasing a gold watch as a tangible appreciation of Mr. Farquharson's long and faithful service to the township.

Graham—Marshall—That whereas it has become known to this Council that our esteemed and honored Clerk, D. R. Farquharson, has been honored by the appointment by the Government of Canada to a higher position in public life, which appointment deprives us of a valuable and efficient officer, who for the past 28 years has served this municipality as Township Clerk in a proficient and able manner, therefore we, as members of Tilbury East Council wish to express our highest appreciation of his services and our gratification that he has secured such an honorable position from the Government.

We deeply regret our loss in accepting his resignation, but trust that what will be our loss will be his gain, and in vacating the clerkship's chair, of this municipality, Mr. Farquharson takes with him the best wishes of the members of this council for his future happiness and prosperity and that as a slight token of our appreciation of his extra services to the Council and Township, this council grant \$75.00 towards the purchase of a gold watch to be presented to him before his departure for Chatham. Carried.

Marshall—Graham—That this council decline to give Wm. Stoker a deed of road allowance known as Con. 4, opposite lot No. 1, and that they are prepared to give a deed to the C. P. R. Ry. according to agreement. Carried.

Marshall—Warnock—That account of Reeve Fletcher be paid and that the Reeve give an order for same. Expenses re delegation to Toronto being \$12.00.

The following accounts were passed and ordered paid:—Park Brothers, repairs on Forbes pump No. 2, \$4.22; Robert Fletcher for notifying council re special meeting, \$1.00; R. Williams going to C. R. and 19 sideroad, that con. 12 and 13 form one division and 19 and 11 be another and that the central division be numbered 1/2 between the numbers on either side. Carried.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Jonas Gonnell, Oxford, was in the city today.

Mrs. Ed. Coyne, Wellington St., is seriously ill.

Men were engaged this morning in scraping Queen street.

Divine service will be held in Christ Church this evening at 7.30.

Miss Ada McGregor, daughter of Constable McGregor, left today for Buffalo to enter the convent there.

M. J. Doyle has recovered and his many friends are pleased to see him back at work again.

The water in the river has begun to rise. The ice is out of the creek and the river is clear from the hospital to the park.

Mrs. and Miss Munson, of Portland, Maine, who have been the guests of Mrs. S. K. McCaw, Wellington street, for the past six weeks, left for home yesterday.

Foreman Le Barr has a gang of men busy scraping Queen street. The board of works this year are certainly doing this morning in good time and deserve commendation.

Last evening at Park Street Methodist Church Jack Blake, of this city, and Miss Tessie Ladda, of Gray street, were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed at the conclusion of the evangelistic service.

A runaway was narrowly averted this morning. A team of horses were tied up in front of A. A. Jordan's jewelry store, when in some way they got tangled up in the harness. The harness was badly broken but no other damage was done.

Wm. Hogan, of Harwich, had a very painful accident befall him yesterday, having two of his fingers badly torn by a buzz-saw. The injured man was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, where he had the two fingers amputated. He was somewhat better this morning.

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WERE SUNK BY BRITISH

C. A. Williams Gives This Explanation of the Submerged Gun Boats.

Incidentally He Scores the Juvenile Curio Seeker who Forms Extraneous Theories.

Mr. Editor,—I see in The Planet a controversy about the gun boat at Pikeville. It is a gun boat. In 1812 William Baker, ship builder, built four gun boats and they were all ready to go to the lake, but the water at the bar of the river only had four feet of depth, see Lodel's Report, when he surveyed a part of Raleigh and Dover. They were waiting for the river to raise so that they could get the gun boats over the bar. In the meantime the Americans came up to Chatham and camped on the old McCrae place three miles below Chatham. The British did not wish the American army to get possession of those gun boats, so they burnt them up the river, one they burnt at Pikeville, another at the Fisher farm, up the river, and the third one just on this side of Louisville. I can find no authority for what became of the fourth gun boat. I have in my possession blacksmith's bills that were paid in connection with the building of those boats. John Crow, the father of Walter Crow, used to dive and bring up out of the gun boat that was burnt near Louisville, various articles of warfare. My uncle, Capt. John Williams, often told me about this, and I think the cannon and all was sunk, for they had to do quick work as the American Army was right on them. There was also a very large store house on the Fisher farm, and it contained the supplies of the British army, and along with other supplies there were wagons. The British set fire to the store and burnt it up also. But one Arnold could not see those wagons burnt up, so he hid on one and took it home and had it some forty years afterwards. When any one wants to know any more about those gun boats, I can give them more information. Now, I wish to state to the cunning dupe of to-day that thinks he knows it all, with his stiff hat and polished patent leather shoes and brainless head, that there are a few old men left yet who know something, although they were educated in what we term the common school of adversity. In regard to the wagons, Col. Francis Drake also had one, and every time that any marriage took place this wagon was borrowed and the wedding party drove to church in it, followed by men on horseback and others in French carts. Some of the dudes I refer to might be interested in knowing their grandfather and grandmother's role in father's big wagon to get married.

C. A. WILLIAMS.

KILLING DEER IN WATER.

Toronto Globe, March 16th, 1901.

To the Editor of The Globe: Recent articles appearing in our newspapers would seem to indicate that the present session will not pass without the adoption of legislation to prevent the contemptible slaughter of deer in the water. Let us hope that the Government will deal promptly and vigorously with this matter and put an end to a practice that no true sportsman should be guilty of following.

Our hunting party numbers sixteen, and we go into the northern woods each fall without a dog. We usually succeed in killing at least one deer for each man in the party, and we are doubly repaid for all our lay by the renewed health and vigor due to long tramps and bracing atmosphere.

Within two miles of our camp is a lake, and we have known hunters to come to this lake, hire all the dogs in the settlement and until heated, then driven to the water and killed, is practically useless for eating purposes. The flesh will spoil in a very few days.

From a sportsman's view there can be no justification of wanton butchery, and killing deer in the water is the worst form of butchery allowable. It is the despicable method of the lazy poacher, and if the practice were submitted to the hunters who annually go north, the vote against it would be overwhelming.

The Government have shown a commendable desire to protect our game animals. The sportsmen of Ontario are loyally supporting all protective measures. They now demand that this relic of barbarism and cruelty shall be done away with, and will look with interest on their representatives when the measure comes before the House.

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Feb 28th.



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LOCAL BRIEFS

Edward Piggett is better.

Prayer meeting in the First Presbyterian Church S. S. this evening.

Inspector Colwell will pay his official visit to the Bathwell public schools tomorrow.

Miss Jennie Foster has been engaged as stenographer and assistant book-keeper with Dunn & Briscoe.

Rev. Mr. Baldwin, who has been in the Public General Hospital for some time, returned to his home in Ridgeway to-day.

Alfred Westman and Capt. Crow are both the proud and happy possessors of male additions to the Maple City population.

The opera, under the direction of Mr. Carter, is progressing most favorably, and will be placed on at the evening of Thursday, April 18th.

Miss Ada MacGregor, daughter of Humane Officer James McGregor, left yesterday for Buffalo, where she will enter St. Joseph's Convent, with a view to adopting a religious life.

Mrs. Frank Wilson, Jr., Harwich, had an old fashioned carpet-rag sewing and quilting bee to-day. The social function was attended and participated in by a large number of ladies, who enjoyed themselves greatly.

The Chatham Binder Twine Co., Ltd., have opened up a pleasant office on Fifth street, south of King. The large window in front bears the name of the company, and the interior of the office is lighted and heated by gas.

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AT THE THEATRE.

"It takes a wise man to play the fool." This old adage was never better exemplified than by the character of Cecco, in "The Duke's Jester," a new comedy written especially for Frederick Warde. The role is similar in many ways to that of Belphegor the Montebank, one of Ward's most creative creations. It combines the extreme qualities of pathos and humor, and calls forth the vast versatility of his great art. The dominant feature of "The Duke's Jester" is fun. The play is replete with such unusual situations, and amusing instances as might occur in the daily life of a court fool. It tells a story, too, of great interest, embracing love, intrigue, ambition and villainy. The scene is laid in Milan, Italy, at the close of the sixteenth century, when lives of men were devoted to adventure and amusement, and when honor was best protected by the sword. The play is embellished with an elaborate scenic environment, is gorgeously costumed and is complete in every detail. Mr. Warde this season is supported by the famous Bruce Company, which last year won the reputation of being the strongest organization since the Booth & Barrett combination. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Spencer (Isabel Penger), two well-known actors, are at the head of the company. They were especially engaged by Clarence M. Bruce to fill the important roles of Nina di Borgia and Duke Gallardo. "The Duke's Jester" will be presented at the Grand next Thursday evening.

Any one who is conversant with matters of the stage, knows Frederick Warde to be one of the greatest and best known actors in America to-day. To those who do not know of him, Mr. Cairns wishes to say that no greater actor has ever visited Chatham, and that to-morrow night's performance should prove one of the very best ever offered local theatre goers.

The company is of the very best and comprises 30 artists, the scenery is first-class and the costuming and general equipment on a scale seldom shown here.

The local management yesterday booked "Rupert of Hentzau," the sequel to "The Prisoner of Zenda" for a date next fall. Next year's bookings also include "The Devil's Auction," and Robert Marnet in a new play.

The date of Alberta Gallatin in "Nell Gwynne" has been changed from April 16 to April 24. "Way Down East" will be here May 14. The Roe Fenberg Stock Co., a powerful repertoire organization of 24 people, will be here the week of April 8.

Albert Armstrong, who will give his picture play "The Little Minister" at the Grand next Tuesday night, will be at Massey Hall, Toronto, on Saturday night.

Interest is rife in the coming appearance of Frederick Warde and the Bruce company which includes the two well known stars Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Spencer, in their mammoth production of Emy Williams' new romantic comedy, "The Duke's Jester." The play which was written especially for Mr. Warde is in four acts and deals with the life of a court jester, wise in his folly and foolish in his wisdom, with the soul of a hero and a reckless daring nature which continually leads him into predicaments for his wit to get him out of. This character Cecco (pronounced Check-co) is assumed by Mr. Warde while the roles of Duke Gallardo and Nina di Borgia are portrayed by his assisting artists, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer. The scene of the play is laid in Milan, Italy, at the close of the sixteenth century, when romance and intrigue were at their height and the lives of men devoted to adventure and amusement. The play is replete with fun fighting frolic. The atmosphere of the story is charming. The costuming is necessarily plot rescue and beautiful, while the magnificent scenic effects with "its minute detail of vast elaborateness" is one of the features of the performance. The great four-handed fight, which terminates the play, is another new and special feature, while the exchange of clothing between the jester and the heroine Nina di Borgia, is at least novel.

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A GIRL OF GRIT.

BY MAJOR ARTHUR GRIFFITHS.

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just at my elbow, having transferred himself there by the same mysterious process that brings a tout all the way from a railway station to your front door to unload the luggage.

"Don't take no more cabs, guv'nor," he whispered hoarsely in my ear, and next moment he was gone. Who had sent him in such a roundabout way to tell me this? Who, indeed, had set him on to watch me? It must have been a friend, of course, and I gave the credit to Mr. Snuyzer. They were evidently smart people, Messrs. Saraband & Sons, when there was a chance of business coming their way.

The night was not over yet—a night of dark doings and unexplained mysteries, all of which seemed to center in me. I could not quite believe why should I?—that the scraps of conversation I was now to overhear referred to me. And yet, had I been gifted with second sight—had I, indeed, been more alive to the warnings I had received—I might have been spared much misery. But I am anticipating.

When I reached the opera the act "drop" was down, and I thought to cast a look on the house before I made my way to the box where I was hidden. My hosts were strangers, and I rather wished to see Lawford first, that he might present me to them in due form. So I entered by one of the side ways into the stalls and stood there, watching the audience for a time.

In the midst of this I became suddenly aware that a pair of bright eyes were fixed upon me from another direction, and I saw that I was an object of interest—more of a passing interest, perhaps—to a well-dressed, charming woman in a box on the pit tier.

Then suddenly Lawford touched me on the back, saying: "Oh, off! So you are here. Come right along. Let me present you to the duchess. She's mighty set upon seeing you," and he led the way along the corridor to the box No. 27A.

As we got close to it I saw the door was ajar and I was attracted by the sound of voices talking Spanish, which I knew. Lawford held me back, possibly fearing to be indiscreet and to intrude upon some family quarrel.

What was said did not impress him, perhaps, for I think he did not understand Spanish. The voices were raised high enough to be plainly audible to any one outside—a man's, coarse, harsh and menacing; a woman's in reply, pleading softly, yet firmly.

"You know the conditions and you are bound to assist. The man has been handed over to us. He is our game, our quarry. What he has must be ours—all of it, the whole vast fortune."

"I would much rather be left out of the business. I despise myself so! I hate and detest the part you would have me play. I will not go against him."

"Sanctissima Virgen! Defend me from a woman's scruples. I tell you you must—there is no alternative. Captivate him, win his devotion. Why not? He is a comely youth (guapo chico); you have made eyes at worse. You must and shall. By heaven, if I thought you meant to play me false!"

He checked himself abruptly and with a sudden peremptory "b-sh," and came out to invite us most cordially to enter the box. There was nothing to show that any difference of opinion had but just agitated its occupants. Both husband and wife were smiling sweetly; the duke's voice (he was a small, spare man, with gleaming eyes and glistening teeth in his dark olive face) was now so smooth and silky that I could not imagine that it was the same I had heard in such harsh and rasping, angry tones. His manner, too, was full of that punctilious formality that goes with the highest breeding in the blue blooded don.

The lady (it was she who had been staring at me) sat now perfectly quiet and self-controlled. There was no trace of emotion about her as she welcomed me—with marked anxiety to be pleasant and make me feel at home.

"Es claro—of course—I know that Captain Wood is one of the chief of fortune's favorites. But believe me, senior mio, you have also come into great trouble. To use it aright is a grave responsibility. Especially so when you will pardon me, Captain Wood—it has come undeserved."

"But, Pepe, it is not fair to say that. Captain Wood was a relation—he had a right to inherit."

"I only mean that Captain Wood does not know, probably will never know, whether there were not others with greater claims—moral claims, I mean—on Mr. McFaught. That thought would always rankle with me. Vaya, I would rather it was you than me!"

"Do not let him disturb you, my dear Captain Wood. The duke has rather extreme views in theory, but he knows that wealth is wealth. Although we have no vast store, he would be sorry to surrender it."

We got very friendly, quite confidential, together, she and I, as we talked on, tete-a-tete, the duke having gone off somewhere with Lawford. Captain Wood—of course you have not yet tasted the joys of possession. It is all very new to you still."

"I hardly realize it, indeed, or what I shall do with it!"

"Your first business, Captain Wood, believe me, will be to keep your fortune." She spoke very gravely, looking at me intently over her fan. "Half the world will be in league to rob you. Ah, but yes, I am in earnest! You men fall naturally into three classes—rogues, fools, and policemen."

"And to which, pray, do I belong?" I asked lightly, not taking this bitter remark at all seriously.

"Not the first, I am sure; it would be a bad compliment to say the second, but if you were wise, you would certainly become the third. A whole police force in your pay would not be too many to protect you."

"Are you in earnest?" I said, suddenly struck with something in her eyes.

"Very much so, Captain Wood. If I were a friend, an old friend, let us say, I would counsel you, strongly urge you, to be constantly on your guard, very much on your guard."

As she spoke a deadly pallor overspread her face, which was high colored, as is often seen in very fair haired women, even when still quite young. Her husband had returned silently, and she first had caught sight of him standing there behind me. Why was she thus terrified? Because the duke had heard her last words?

Whether or not the Duke of Tierra Sagrada had even heard his wife when so earnestly counseling me to be upon my guard, I was unable to judge; at least, he made no sign. His manner was perfectly quiet and natural, and he spoke in an unconcerned tone when he pressed me to keep my seat in the front of the box.

At the next interval he said very courteously: "Do you propose to stay for the 'Cavalleria Rusticana'? Would you care to accompany us? Our carriage is here. Sussette will be very pleased to present you."

"You are very good," I said. "I

should like to go very much if I may run away early. I have a couple of balls tonight."

It was a curious and not unimportant circumstance, when viewed by the light of later events, that the three houses I was to visit that night were within a stone's throw of each other.

The first, that of the Dos Rios minister, to which I was introduced by the Duke and Duchess of Tierra Sagrada, was in Rutland Gate. The next, Mrs. Collingham Smith's, was in Prince's Gardens, and the last, Lady Delane's, in Prince's Gate. My new friends would have sent me on in their carriage, especially when they learned I had not far to go. This near neighborhood was remarked on by the duke, when, observing that the reception did not greatly amuse me, he asked if I was not dying to get to my dancing, and where, exactly, I was going.

"You must let us send you on to Prince's Gardens in the carriage," he said, very civilly. "We have brought you out of your way to a not very bright entertainment and now we ought to speed your departure. We must stay on here for an hour or so more, but there is no reason why you should."

It occurred to me that the duchess was not altogether pleased at this off-hand disposal of her carriage. So I refused the kind offer and left them with the pleasurable sensation of having made a couple of charming new acquaintances.

There was another acquaintance, if I might so call him, whether friend or foe, waiting for me outside—the same shuffling, slipshod creature whom I had seen so often that evening. Directly I went out I saw him emerge from the portfolio of an unfurnished house and follow me to the very door in Prince's Gardens.

He was still on the watch when I left Mrs. Collingham Smith's, having found nothing to detain me there—no sign of Frida Fairholme, whom I had hoped to run down. I would now have confronted this pertinacious "shadow," calling him to account for thus dogging my footsteps, and if he gave no satisfaction, he would have taken time and I felt I had none to lose.

It was already long past midnight. I might miss Frida, and that was not to be borne. Mrs. Fairholme, her mother, could give me no news of her charge. "Yes, Frida is here, somewhere. That is all I know," she answered in a weary, far-off, semi-soliloquy voice, as, no doubt, she had answered a dozen similar queries. "But I have not seen her for an hour or more. I do wish, Mr. Wood, you would find her and bring her to me," she said plaintively.

As I wandered about dejectedly, all at once I heard, "Captain Wood, Miss Fairholme wants to speak to you," and I saw a hated rival, with no friendliness in his face, pointing to where Frida sat behind a great mass of flowering azaleas.

She was as gracious a sight as ever, one of the fairest and brightest of a sex created for the delight and torment of mankind. Her dress is beyond my powers of description. I think it was a pale blue satin with pink roses, but that is all I can say, except that from the feathery aigret that crowned her sunny hair to the tip of a tiny shoe pushed up a little out, but working fretfully upon the carpet, she was the most absolutely charming woman I had ever seen.

"I don't think I shall speak to you," TO be Continued.

More Light.

A sexton of a certain New York church declares he will never again be guilty of going to sleep during the service.

It was a very warm evening, and after the sermon began the sexton turned down the gas in the body of the church.

The text that evening was, "Let there be light." As the sermon proceeded the sexton unconsciously yielded to a desire for sleep. He came suddenly to his senses, however, when the minister exclaimed loudly, "More light! More light!"

The sexton sprang to his feet, hurriedly went to the stop-cock and turned on a full head of gas.

A ripple of amusement went through the congregation, and the embarrassed sexton realized that he had made a mistake, even before some one told him that the minister had been quoting the dying words of Goethe.

Powers Have Her Approval.

A pretty, talkative little girl, evidently her mother's pet, was riding in a Liverpool tram the other afternoon. Her mother accompanied her.

Freshly and remarkably fat Chinaman, in full Chinese costume, entered, and sat opposite the child. She looked at him in apparent amazement, and then, turning to her mother, whispered:

"Mamma, what's that opposite?"

"Sh! That's a Chinaman, my dear," answered the mother in a low tone.

"The same kind of Chinaman papa says the English are killing?"

"Yes, my dear. Don't talk so loud."

The child meditated a moment and then said: "Well, I don't blame them."

Ever does wrong action beget its own retribution, punishing itself by waving, and there is no music to cheer the weary feet.—S. J. Nicholls.

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THE MARKETS

CHATHAM GRAIN MARKET.

Planet Office, Tuesday evening, March 19.

J. B. Stringer, of J. B. Stringer & Co., gives the Planet the following grain gossip.

Wheat—Locally receipts and stocks light, millers wanting all offering; market firm at 45c; exporters are clearing the country of all No. 2 wheat as fast as it can be picked up.

Corn—Receipts have been good in the past week and demand for it very strong. Market has worked up one to two cents a bushel, demand however, cannot be met now, as what Canadian corn offers is far insufficient. On the street prices range from 35 to 40 cents at to quality.

Oats and barley—Both these coarse grains are in demand for local use now. Receipts are far too light to get up car lots.

Dressed Hogs—The receipts have fallen off perceptibly with the change to mild weather and prices, too, are lower by 50 to 75c per cwt. The market is quiet, but the coming week will rule at 6.75 to 7.00, in all likelihood. The last cars leave here this week for the east, the property of O'Keefe & Drew and J. B. Stringer & Co.

White oats, 30c.
Mixed oats, 28 to 29c.
Corn, 39c. per 36 lbs. shelled.
Barley, 70 to 71c.
Beans, handpicked, \$12.50.
Beans, best primes, \$1.15 to \$1.20.
Buckwheat, 55 to 56c.
Red clover, \$5 to \$6.
Alfalfa, \$6 to \$7.25.
Timothy, \$1 to \$1.75.

HAY AND HOGS.

Hay, timothy, per ton, in car lots, \$7 to \$8.50.
Hay, clover, \$5.50 to \$7.
Hay, baled, \$8 to \$9 per ton.
Hay, loose, \$7.50 to \$8.
Hay, buyers are paying \$5 to \$6.
Live hogs, \$7.50 to \$8.
Dressed hogs, \$7.50 to \$7.75.

SAUNDERS MARKET.

The market on Saturday was large, considering the poor weather this week. In the shed, butter, eggs, and poultry were displayed in abundance. Although plentiful, there was little change in the price of butter and eggs, the former selling at 17 and 18c a pound, and the latter at 13 and 14c a dozen.

Poultry was also plentiful, chickens sold from 25c to 35c each and turkeys from \$1 to \$1.50.

Vegetables were quite plentiful with no change in the prices. Potatoes sold at 40c a bag, apples \$1 a bag, turnips 10c a peck, carrots 10c a peck, onions 15c a peck, squash 5 to 25c each, sauerkraut 25c a gal, and celery 10c a bunch.

Meats were offered for sale in large quantities. Beef sold for 55 and 60c a pound, and pork at 8c to 9c a lb. Fish was plentiful, with no change in prices. Trout sold for 10c a lb., and white fish at 10c a lb.

HOUSEKEEPER'S PRICES.

Butter, 17 to 18c.
Eggs, 13 to 14c.
Cabbage, 3c up.
Parsnips, 15c a peck.
Carrots, 10c a peck.
Apples, \$1 a bag.
Onions, 15c a peck.
Potatoes, 40c a bag.
Chickens, 25c to 35c.
Ducks, 25 to 30c.
Turkeys, 75c to \$1.50.
Mutton, 7 to 8c.
Pork, 8 to 9c.
Beef, 5 to 6c.

LOCAL WOOL AND HIDES.

Calf skins, No. 1 7c, No. 2 6 to 7c.
Lamb and shearlings, 50 to 80c.
Goat skins, No. 1, 5 1-2c, No. 2, 4 1-2c.
Horse hides, \$1 to \$2.
Dog skins, 25 to 75c.
Coon, 25 to 75c.
Muskrats, 5 to 10c each.
Mink, \$1 to \$1.50.
Skunk, 25 to 75c.
Red fox, 75c to \$1.50.
Wolf, 14c each.
Weasel, 15c, trade.
Sheep skins, 50 to 80c.

TORONTO BEAN MARKET.

Toronto, March 19.—Beans—Steady. Ordinary white beans bring \$1.60; choice handpicked beans are quoted at \$1.75 to \$1.75.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Toronto, March 19.—Wheat—Outside markets were easy to-day, and exporters who were all eager for wheat on Saturday turned tail and scurried out of sight. No one appeared to want any and prices fell 1c. Quotations are as follows:—Red and white, 67c; and goose 66 1-2c, low freights to New York; red and white, middle freights, 65c; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, old, g. i. t., 98 1-2c; No. 2, 94 1-2c; No. 3 hard, North Bay, 97 1-2c; No. 2, hard, 93 1-2c.

Millfeed—Scarce. Ton lots, at the mill door. Westerns, Ontario points, sell as follows:—Bran, \$14 to \$14.50; and shorts, \$15.

Corn—Steady. American, No. 2 yellow, on track here, 46 1-2c; No. 3, at 45 1-2c.

Peas—Steady. No. 2, middle freights, at 63 1-2c and east at 64c.
Barley—Holding steady, becoming very much scarcer. No. 2, C. P. R., east, or low freights to New York, 43 1-2c; and No. 3 extra, 42 1-2c; No. 2 on the Midland, 43c.

Rye—Steady. Car lots, 49c west; and 50c east.

Buckwheat—Quiet. Car lots, west, are quoted at 51c, and east at 53c.

Oats—Good tone and demand active. No. 1, white, C. P. R., east, 29 3-4c; No. 2, white north and west, 28 1-4c to 29 1-2c.

Flour—Easy. Holders of 90 per cent. patent, buyers' bags, middle freights, asked, \$2.65 per bbl., but exporters who were buyers on Saturday withdrew from the market.

Oatmeal—Car lots of rolled oats, in bags, on track, here, are quoted at \$3.25 per bbl., and in wood, at \$3.35 per bbl.

TORONTO PRODUCE.
Toronto, March 19.—Butter—The butter market is unchanged. Supplies are ample, and buying is moderate. Quotations are as follows:—Dairy, tubs

and pails, good to choice, 16 1-2 to 17 1-2c; medium, 15 to 16c; poor, 13 to 14c; dairy prints, choice, 17 to 18c; large rolls, good to choice, 16 1-2 to 17 1-2c; creameries, boxes, 20 to 21c; and pounds, 22 to 23c.

Eggs—Fresh eggs are in large supply and weak; they sold at 12 1-2c to-day, and will be reduced to 12c to-morrow.

Poultry—Receipts light. Prices for bright stock are as follows:—Turkeys, 11 to 12c; geese, 8 to 8 1-2c; chickens, 4 to 50c; and ducks at 60 to 80c; cold stored turkey and geese are quoted 1 to 2c per lb. under bright stock.

Potatoes—Steady at 28c for car lots, on track here. Sales, out of store, are made at 35c.

Field produce, etc.—Turnips, out of store, 30c per bag; onions, 70c per bag; carrots, 35c per bag; apples per bbl., \$1 to \$2; sweet potatoes, per bbl., \$2.50.

Honey—Firm. Dealers quote from 10 to 10 1-2c per lb., for 5, 10, or 60-lb. tins, according to size of order. Combs honey sells at \$2 to \$2.25 for dark, and at \$2.50 to \$2.75 for choice clover, per dozen sections.

Hops—Quiet. Choice 1900 growth quoted at 14 to 16c; and yearlings at 8 to 9c.

Baled hay—Steady. Choice timothy, on track here, \$10.25 to \$10.50; two-ton lots, delivered, \$11 to \$11.25.

Straw—Car lots of straw, on track here, \$5.50 to \$6.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.
East Buffalo, March 18.—Cattle—The market is irregular; 165 loads on sale, 25 of which were Canadians; choice heavy cattle about steady; butcher cattle except for 25c to 30c, were quotable at 10 to 15 cents lower, and the common kinds a full quarter lower; stockers and feeders were draggy; calves fair demand, mostly on the basis of 7c; good fresh cows and springers lower, and common were lower and very dull; the offerings were pretty well sold.

Good smooth, fat export cattle of desirable quality, \$5.50 to \$6.00.
Shipping steers, \$4.60 to \$4.75.
Export bulls, \$4 to \$4.25.
Good butcher steers, \$4.25 to \$4.50.
Yearling steers, \$3.75 to \$4.
Extra fat cows, \$4.25.

Light butchers, \$3.75 to \$4.
Canada stockers, best, \$3.75 to \$4.
Good to choice, do., \$3.25 to \$3.75.
Canada feeders, good to choice, \$3.80 to \$4.00.

Canada stockers, common to good, \$2.25 to \$3.75.
Canada calves, choice, choice to extra, 375 to 425 lb., of good color, \$4.25 to \$4.55.

Common, do., \$3.25 to \$3.50.
Milkers and calves, \$3 to \$50.
Sheep and lambs—Offerings, 100 loads; market opened fairly active for lambs, and strong on sheep; a few sales of lambs were made at \$5.90; but the basis on extra lambs was \$5.85.

Choice to extra lambs, \$5.70 to \$5.85.
Good to choice, \$5.50 to \$5.75.
Sheep, choice to extra, \$5 to \$5.25.
Fair to good, \$4.50 to \$4.75.

Hogs—Market opened with fairly active demand; all trades on the basis of Saturday's close, \$6 to \$6.05.
Heavy, \$6.05 to \$6.10.
Mixed and medium, \$6 to \$6.05.

Yorkers, \$6 to \$6.05.
Pigs, \$6.05 to \$6.10.
Roughs, \$5.40 to \$5.60.
Stags, \$4.25 to \$4.75.

After the first sale the basis lowered, and Yorkers closed at \$5.95; total offerings, 100 loads; close weak at \$5.95, with about 20 loads left over.

PASTORS TAKE PART

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any nation at any time. God visited punishment on Israel for her sins, but He also prepared a means for their escape from the bondage brought on by these sins. The Pascal Lamb typified Christ, and the way Israel was saved suggests the way we to-day may obtain salvation.

The blood of the pascal lamb was shed for others. It was vicarious blood, blood represents the life. By sin man forfeited his life and only by the shedding of blood (life) could he be redeemed. Only behind the blood sprinkled door posts were the children of Israel safe, and only behind the blood of Christ may we have salvation.

Works may determine our reward in glory but they have nothing to do with our salvation. What would we have done in Egypt? Got behind the blood. Take that position now and realize that you are saved.

Quietness and earnestness characterized the after service when the invitation was given for those wishing to step behind the blood to express their desire, a large number came forward and before the meeting closed, had realized the joy of salvation.

A young couple were quietly married in the vestry by Rev. Mr. Hunter, after the service. The "reporters" endeavored to secure their names, but the most persistent efforts on their part were unavailing.

Mr. Crossley's subject to-night will be, "The Unpardonable Sin."

THE HEALTH HABIT

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We do not deliberately form our pet habits, but they are unconsciously acquired, and grow as we grow, and by the time we learn they are hurting us, we find them too strong to be easily broken.

Then, why not form a good habit, a habit which will counteract the many bad ones, in other words, contract the unfashionable habit of being always well.

The best health habit to get into is to have and keep a vigorous stomach; if you have a healthy digestion you can drink your beloved coffee, smoke your favorite brand of tobacco, with little or no harm; the mischief begins when these things are forced upon the faithful stomach, without any assistance.

Form the habit of taking after meals some harmless but efficient digestive which will relieve the stomach of so much extra work.

Nature furnishes us with such digestives and when they are combined with a pleasant preparation as the Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, they give the overworked stomach the necessary assistance to cure perfect digestion without any of the harmful effects of cathartics and similar drugs.

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Take into account your bad habits and the expense they entail and then invest fifty cents in a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and see if your digestion for the next month is not vastly improved.

Ask the clerk in any drug store the name of the most successful and popular stomach remedy and he will say Stuart's.

TILBURY

March 20.—Mrs. Vinters, of Tilbury North, who died on Saturday last, was buried in St. George's Cemetery.

Rev. Mr. George, of Charing Cross, attended the confirmation service in St. Andrew's Church on Tuesday evening.

Misses Eva and Edith Stewart are in Chatham to-day.

Dr. Sharp left on Tuesday for Toronto on business connected with the proposed electric railway.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's Drug Store.

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The contest to be decided by competent judges and the winners names and the articles they write are to be published in the daily papers.

The articles must be handed into our store not later than Wednesday, March 20th.

Our prize competition will close this evening. The winners' names and articles will be published in the daily papers as soon as judges have made their decision. Watch for them.

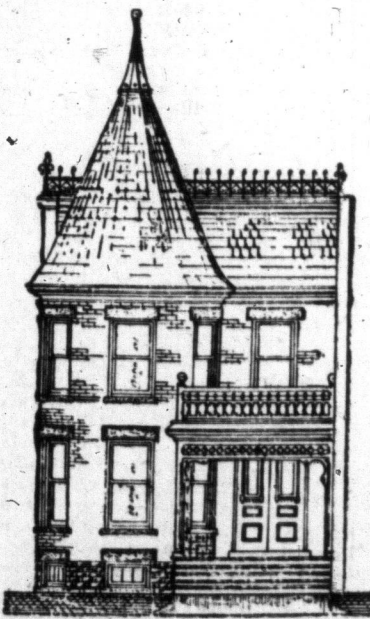
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